

it is apparent that Lance-Naik Mathura Lal Sah acted with great gallantry and without regard for his personal safety. The Naini Tal lake is not only deep but is notorious for a thick growth of weeds near the banks which impede a swimmer. These facts render the gallantry of Lance-Naik Mathura Lal Sah all the more conspicuous and worthy of recognition. There is no doubt that one or both men would have been drowned, not being swimmers, had he not effected their rescue so promptly.

#### TENDERS FOR TREASURY BILLS.

1. The Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice that Tenders will be received at the Chief Cashier's Office, at the Bank of England, on Friday the 12th January, 1940, at 1 p.m. for Treasury Bills to be issued under the Treasury Bills Act, 1877, the National Debt Act, 1889, and the National Loans Act, 1939, to the amount of £65,000,000.

2. The Bills will be in amounts of £5,000, £10,000, £50,000 or £100,000. They will be dated at the option of the Tenderer on any business day from Monday, the 15th January, 1940, to Saturday, the 20th January, 1940, inclusive, and will be payable at three months after date.

3. The Bills will be issued and paid at the Bank of England.

4. Each Tender must be for an amount not less than £50,000, and must specify the date on which the Bills required are to be dated, and the net amount per cent. (being an even multiple of one penny) which will be given for the amount applied for. Separate Tenders must be lodged for Bills of different dates.

5. Tenders must be made through a London Banker, Discount House or Broker.

6. The persons whose Tenders are accepted will be informed of the same not later than the following day, and payment in full of the amounts of the accepted tenders must be made to the Bank of England by means of Cash or a Banker's Draft on the Bank of England not later than 1.30 p.m. (Saturday, 12 noon) on the day on which the relative Bills are to be dated.

7. Members of the House of Commons are not precluded from tendering for these Bills.

8. Tenders must be made on the printed forms which may be obtained from the Chief Cashier's Office, Bank of England.

9. The Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury reserve the right of rejecting any Tenders.

Treasury Chambers,  
5th January, 1940.

*Whitehall, January 5, 1940.*

The KING has been pleased, by Warrant under His Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, bearing date the 22nd ultimo, to appoint Sir Montagu Sherard Dawes Butler, K.C.S.I., C.B., C.I.E., C.V.O., C.B.E., to be a Member of the Governing Body of the School of Oriental and African Studies (London Institution) until the 31st August, 1940, in the room of Ernest Alfred Benians, Esq., M.A., resigned.

*Downing Street,  
16th December, 1939.*

The KING has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of Justin Louis Devaux, Esquire, Attorney General, Trinidad, to be Chief Judge of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Mauritius.

*Downing Street,  
20th December, 1939.*

The KING has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of George Graham Paul, Esq. (Puisne Judge, Nigeria), to be the Chief Justice of Sierra Leone.

#### PROCEEDINGS BEFORE BRITISH PRIZE COURTS OVERSEA.

In continuation of the notification on page 19 of the "London Gazette" of 2nd January, 1940, information has been received that proceedings have been instituted in the Prize Court in Jamaica in respect of the ship specified in the Schedule below.

Appearances to the Writ in this action should be entered within thirty days from the date mentioned in the third column of the Schedule.

#### SCHEDULE.

<i>Prize Court.</i>	<i>Name of Ship.</i>	<i>Date of Writ.</i>
Supreme Court of Judicature of Jamaica.	Dusseldorf	December 28th, 1939.

Colonial Office.  
4th January, 1940.

*Board of Trade,  
Great George Street,  
London, S.W.1.  
4th January, 1940.*

The Board of Trade hereby give notice that they have made an Order entitled Import of Goods (Prohibition) (Consolidation) Order, 1939. This Order has been published as Statutory Rules and Orders, 1939, No. 1892, and copies can be purchased (price 4d. net), directly from His Majesty's Stationery Office at the following addresses:—York House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2; 120, George Street, Edinburgh 2; 26, York Street, Manchester 1; 1, St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; 80, Chichester Street, Belfast; or through any bookseller.

#### TRADE BOARDS ACTS, 1909 AND 1918, AND HOLIDAYS WITH PAY ACT, 1938.

TIN BOX TRADE BOARD (GREAT BRITAIN).

*Proposal to vary minimum rates of wages (including holiday remuneration).*

The Tin Box Trade Board (Great Britain) hereby give notice that they propose to vary minimum rates of wages at present set out in their Notices X.(11) and X.(13):