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FRIDAY, 28 MARCH, 1952

Westminster, 27th March, 1952.

This day, the Lords being met, a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons, by the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them that The Lords authorised by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by Her Majesty, for declaring Her Royal Assent to the Acts agreed upon by both Houses, to desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read, and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to: given to:-

Consolidated Fund Act, 1952.
Industrial and Provident Societies Act, 1952.
Diplomatic Immunities (Commonwealth Countries and Republic of Ireland) Act, 1952.

TENDERS FOR TREASURY BILLS.

1. The Lords Commissioners of Her 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 4th April, 1952, 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 £220,000,000.

2. The Bills will be in amounts of £5,000, £10,000, £25,000, £50,000 or £100,000. They will be dated at the option of the tenderer on any business day from Monday, the 7th April, 1952, to Saturday, the 12th April, 1952, inclusive, and will be due 91 days 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 different dates.

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

6. Notification will be sent by post, on the same day as Tenders are received, to the persons whose Tenders are accepted in whole or in part, and payment in full of the amounts due in respect of such 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 11.30 a.m.) on the day on which the relative Bills are to be dated.

7. Members of the House of Commons are not

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 Her Majesty's Treasury reserve the right of rejecting sny Tenders.

Treasury Chambers, 28th March, 1952.

Foreign Office, S.W.1, 24th March. 1952.

The QUEEN has been pleased to grant to Sir Richard Snedden, C.B.E., unrestricted permission to wear the insignia of Commander, Second Class, of the Order of the Dannebrog, conferred upon him by His Majesty the King of Denmark in recognition of carriers and area during the war. services rendered during the war.

> Colonial Office, The Church House, S.W.1. 22nd March, 1952.

The QUEEN has been pleased to give directions for the re-appointment of Hampden Archibald Cuke, Esq., C.B.E., to be a Member of the Legislative Council of the Island of Barbados.

The Minister of Labour and National Service hereby gives notice that he has made Rules under Section 2 (1) of the Anthrax Prevention Act, 1919, increasing the fee payable by importers of infected goods in respect of the disinfection thereof at the Government Wool Disinfecting Station (Ministry of Labour and National Service), Liverpool, from 2d. to 2½d, per lb. of material calculated on the weight of the material before disinfection.

The Rules which come into force on the 7th July.

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The Rules which come into force on the 7th July, 1952, are entitled The Anthrax Disinfection Fee (Amendment) Rules, 1952, and may be purchased directly from H.M. Stationery Office at the following addresses: York House, Kingsway, W.C.2; 13A, Castle Street, Edinburgh, 2; 39, King Street, Manchester, 2; 2, Edmund Street, Birmingham, 3; 1, St. Andrews Crescent, Cardiff; Tower Lane, Bristol, 1; 80, Chichester Street, Belfast; or from any bookseller. bookseller.

WAGES COUNCILS ACTS, 1945 to 1948.

FUSTIAN CUTTING WAGES COUNCIL (GREAT BRITAIN).

The Fustian Cutting Wages Council (Great Britain) hereby gives notice of its intention to submit to the Minister of Labour and National Service proposals for the revocation of the Fustian Cutting Wages Council (Great Britain) Wages Regulation (Holidays) Order, 1947 (Order F.C. (22)) and for the making of a wages regulation order, relating to holidays and holiday remuneration, in substitution for the provisions at present in operation.