## FOURTH SCHEDULE.

## COMPUTATION OF PREMIUMS.

- 1. The amount of the premium payable on the conversion of any existing securities shall be equal to the product obtained by multiplying the following factors, namely:—
  - (a) The difference between one year's interest on the amount of principal secured by the existing securities at the rate payable thereon immediately before the date of conversion and one year's interest on the same amount at the rate payable on the new securities; and

    (b) The appropriate factor specified in the Table of Factors hereinafter set out, according to the period between the date of conversion and the maturity date of the existing securities.
- 2. For the purpose of computing any such period as is mentioned in paragraph (b) of the last preceding clause, any fraction of a half-year that is not less than three months shall be counted as a half-year, and any such fraction that is less than three months shall not be taken into account.

Table of Factors.

Period from Date of conversion to Maturity Date of Existing Securities.	Factor.	Period from Date of Conversion to Maturity Date of Existing Securities.	Factor.
Years.		Years.	
1/2	0.488998	191	$12 \cdot 891438$
12	0.967235	$\frac{1}{20}$	13.096761
11	1.434948	201	$13 \cdot 297566$
$\overline{2}^{2}$	1.892370	$\frac{1}{21}$	$13 \cdot 493952$
21	$2 \cdot 339726$	211	13.686017
3	2.777238	$\frac{1}{22}$	13.873855
$3\frac{1}{2}$	$3 \cdot 205123$	221	14.057560
4	3.623592	$\frac{\overline{23}^2}{23}$	$14 \cdot 237222$
$\frac{1}{4\frac{1}{2}}$	4.032853	$23\frac{1}{2}$	14.412931
5	4.433108	$\frac{50^2}{24^2}$	14.584774
$5\frac{1}{2}$	4.824556	$\frac{24_{\frac{1}{2}}}{24_{\frac{1}{2}}}$	14.752835
6	$5 \cdot 207389$	25	14.917198
$6\frac{1}{2}$	5.581799	251	15.077944
7	5.947970	262	$15 \cdot 235153$
$7\frac{1}{2}$	6.306083	261	15.388903
82	6.656316	272	15.539270
81	6.998842	271	15.686327
92	7.333831	282	15.830149
$9\frac{1}{2}$	7.661448	281	15.970806
102	7.981856	292	$16 \cdot 108367$
101	$8 \cdot 295214$	291	$16 \cdot 242902$
112	8.601676	302	16.374476
$\tilde{1}\tilde{1}\frac{1}{2}$	$8 \cdot 901395$	301	16.503155
12	$9 \cdot 194518$	312	16.629003
121	9.481191	311	16.752081
13	9.761556	32	16.872451
131	10.035752	$32\frac{1}{3}$	16.990172
14	10.303914	33	$17 \cdot 105303$
141	10.566175	$33\frac{1}{2}$	$17 \cdot 217900$
15	10.822665	34	17.328020
151	$11 \cdot 073511$	341	$17 \cdot 435716$
16	11.318837	35	$17 \cdot 541042$
16 <del>1</del>	11.558765	$35\frac{1}{2}$	$17 \cdot 644051$
17	11.793413	36	$17 \cdot 744793$
171	$12 \cdot 022898$	361	17.843319
18	$12 \cdot 247333$	372	$17 \cdot 939676$
181	$12 \cdot 466829$	37½	18.033913
19	12.681496	1	

## Example of Working.

Conversion as from 15th December, 1933, of 6-per-cent. securities for £100, maturing 14th January, 1947, into 44-per-cent. securities.

Interest rate on existing securities (as reduced by Part I of the Act) is 45 per cent. per annum.

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One year's interest on £100 at existing rate ( $4\frac{4}{5}$ per cent.) is	 4.8
One year's interest on £100 at new rate ( $4\frac{1}{4}$ per cent.) is	 4.25
Difference is	 £0·55

Period from date of conversion (15th December, 1933) to existing maturity date (14th January, 1947) is 13 years 30 days, counted as 13 years.

Factor for 13 years is 9.761556.

 $\pounds 0.55$  multiplied by 9.761556 is  $\pounds 5.3688558$ , or  $\pounds 5$  7s. 4d., which is the premium for £100 of the existing securities.

The premiums on other amounts of existing securities of the same class can be computed in the same way, or alternatively, by ascertaining 5·3688558 per cent. of the amount of the principal in each case.

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