

BANK OF ENGLAND.

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act 7th and 8th Victoria, cap. 32, for the Week ending on Wednesday, the 16th day of March, 1881.

ISSUE DEPARTMENT.

£				£			
Notes issued	...	...	41,645,960	Government Debt	...	...	11,015,100
				Other Securities	...	...	3,984,900
				Gold Coin and Bullion	...	...	26,645,960
				Silver Bullion	...	...	—
			£41,645,960				£41,645,960

Dated the 17th day of March, 1881.

F. May, Chief Cashier.

BANKING DEPARTMENT.

£				£			
Proprietors' Capital	...	...	14,553,000	Government Securities	...	...	15,862,908
Rest ...	...	...	3,715,846	Other Securities	...	...	22,901,467
Public Deposits (including Ex- chequer, Savings Banks, Com- missioners of National Debt, and Dividend Accounts)	...	...	11,895,713	Notes	...	...	16,488,665
Other Deposits	...	...	26,093,496	Gold and Silver Coin	...	...	1,244,229
Seven Day and other Bills	...	...	239,214				
			£56,497,269				£56,497,269

Dated the 17th day of March, 1881.

F. May, Chief Cashier.

In the Matter of certain Letters Patent granted to Alexander Morton, of the city of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Engineer, bearing date the 18th day of July, 1867, and numbered 2106, amended by Disclaimer and Memorandum of Alteration filed the 20th day of May, 1871, No. 2106*, for "improvements in the lateral action or induction of fluids, and in apparatus or mechanism therefor."

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council have appointed Friday, the 1st day of April, 1881, at half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon, for hearing the matter of the petition of William Richard Middlemore Thomson, of 96, Buchanan-street, Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, Engineer and Patent Agent (as Assignee of the above-mentioned Letters Patent), for a prolongation of the term of the above-mentioned Letters Patent.—Dated this 16th day of March, 1881.

Collette and Collette, 23, Lincoln's-inn-fields, Solicitors for the Petitioner.

In the Matter of Letters Patent granted to William Robert Lake, of the firm of Haseltine, Lake, and Co., Patent Agents, Southampton-buildings, London, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of chain-cable and other links, and in apparatus therefor."—A communication from abroad by Charles Alexander Chamberlin, of Camden, New Jersey, United States of America, Gentleman.—Dated the 21st April, 1879. No. 1564.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Charles Alexander Chamberlin, of Camden, New Jersey, United States of America, Gentleman, Assignee of the said Letters Patent, has made application to the Commissioners of Patents for Inventions for leave to file a Disclaimer and Memorandum of Alteration of certain parts of the specification of said Letters Patent; and any person intending to oppose such application must leave notice thereof

at the office of Her Majesty's Solicitor-General, No. 3, Harcourt-buildings, Temple, within ten days after the date hereof.—Dated this 18th day of March, 1881.

Haseltine, Lake, and Co., 8, Southampton-buildings, London, Agents for the Petitioner.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division.
Master of the Rolls.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862, 1867, and 1877, and in the Matter of the Beuther's Patent Railway Axle Box Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by an Order made by Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 12th day of February, 1881, in the above-mentioned matter, it was ordered that the Special Resolution of the above-named Company, passed on the 14th day of December, 1880, and confirmed on the 30th day of December, 1880, in the words and figures following, that is to say:—"That the nominal capital of the Company be reduced from £80,000 to £32,000 by the extinction on each of the 6,224 shares of £5 each which have been fully paid up, and on each of the 9,776 shares of £5 each, which have not at present been issued, of capital to the extent of £3, so as to reduce such shares to 6,224 shares of £2 each fully paid up, and 9,776 shares of £2 each not yet issued, be confirmed." And it was ordered that an office copy of the said Order should be delivered to the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies, together with a minute in the words or to the effect set forth in the schedule thereto. And it was ordered that the addition of the words "and reduced" to the title of the said Company be altogether dispensed with. And notice is hereby given, that the said Order has been produced to the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies, and an office copy thereof has been delivered to