

Witness my hand this 19th day of December, 1898.

Brydges P. Henniker, Registrar-General.
General Register Office,
Somerset House, London.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building named Primitive Methodist Chapel, situated at Gun's-lane, West Bromwich, in the civil parish of West Bromwich, in the county borough of West Bromwich, in the registration district of West Bromwich, being a building certified according to law as a place of meeting for religious worship, was on the 13th day of December, 1898, duly registered for solemnizing

marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, c. 85.—Witness my hand this 13th day of December, 1898.

H. WARD, Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building named Salvation Army Barracks, situated at Northgate, in the civil parish of Darlington, in the county of Durham, in the registration district of Darlington, being a building certified according to law as a place of meeting for religious worship, was on the 16th day of December, 1898, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, c. 85.—Witness my hand this 16th day of December, 1898.

CHAS. H. LEACH, Superintendent Registrar.

A RETURN showing the Amount received from and paid to Trustee Savings Banks and Post Office Savings Banks in the United Kingdom by the Commissioners for the Reduction of the National Debt, including transactions on the Savings Bank Investment Account, during the Four Weeks ended 17th December, 1898.

	Total Amount received by the Commissioners.			Total Amount paid by the Commissioners.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
TRUSTEE SAVINGS BANKS—						
In Money and Interest credited	*856,761	9	0	180,940	0	11
For Stock sold or purchased for the Savings Bank Investment Account... ..	13,178	1	6	14,633	6	0
Transfer Certificates to and from Savings Banks and Post Office Savings Banks	1,700	16	3	2,248	17	6
Total	£871,635	6	9	£197,822	4	5
POST OFFICE SAVINGS BANKS—						
In Money and Interest credited	385,006	0	0	241,102	19	6
For Stock sold or purchased for the Savings Bank Investment Account... ..	59,068	19	11	68,405	2	5
Transfer Certificates to and from Savings Banks and Post Office Savings Banks	2,248	17	6	1,700	16	3
Total	£446,318	17	5	£311,208	18	2

	At 17th December, 1898.		At corresponding period last Month.		At corresponding period last Year.	
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Total Amount at the credit of:—						
The Fund for the Banks for Savings	*50,034,408	6 6	49,360,595	4 2	48,548,993	0 10
The Post Office Savings Banks Fund	122,838,056	14 5	122,702,946	15 2	115,730,351	12 5
Total	£172,872,465	0 11	£172,063,541	19 4	£164,279,344	13 3
SAVINGS BANK INVESTMENT ACCOUNT—						
Total Amount of Stock held for Depositors in—						
Trustee Savings Banks	1,077,387	12 8	1,075,923	1 6	1,058,471	2 8
Post Office Savings Banks	7,448,899	15 5	7,442,592	15 0	7,027,068	4 9
Total	£8,526,287	8 1	£8,518,515	16 6	£8,085,539	7 5

* Including £675,367 3s. 11d. Interest credited to Trustees of Savings Banks on Balance due to them at 20th November, 1898.

J. BLAKEY, Check Officer,
National Debt Office, December 19, 1898.
No. 27034. B

G. HERVEY,
Comptroller-General.