

In Parliament—Session 1903.

**METROPOLITAN DISTRICT RAILWAY  
(VARIOUS POWERS).**

(Petition for Additional Provision to the Bill under the above name or short title, to Convert the Metropolitan District (Bow Extension) Guaranteed Stock into Consolidated Rent Charge Stock or other Stock or Debenture Stock of the Company, and to Convert the Metropolitan District (Bow Extension) Second Guaranteed Stock into Debenture Stock and Preference Stock of the Company.)

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that application is intended to be made to Parliament in the present Session by the Metropolitan District Railway Company (hereinafter referred to as "the Company") by petition for additional provision for leave to introduce into the Bill which has been presented to Parliament under the above name or short title (hereinafter referred to as the Bill) clauses and amendments for all or some of the following purposes:—

To consolidate and convert the Metropolitan District (Bow Extension) Guaranteed Stock into the Consolidated Rent Charge Stock proposed to

be authorised by the Bill, or into any other Stock or Debenture Stock of the Company, on such terms and conditions as the intended Additional Provision may prescribe.

To convert the Metropolitan District (Bow Extension) Second Guaranteed Stock into Debenture and Preference Stock of the Company on such terms and conditions as the intended Additional Provision may prescribe.

To vary or extinguish all rights or privileges which would in any way interfere with the objects of the intended additional provision, and to confer other rights and privileges.

To alter, amend, extend, or repeal all or some of the provisions of the Whitechapel and Bow Railway Act, 1898, and any other Acts relating to the Whitechapel and Bow Railway Company and the Metropolitan District Railway Act, 1902, and any other Acts relating to the Company.

Dated the 8th day of April, 1903.

BAXTER AND Co., 12, Victoria-street,  
Westminster, Solicitors for the Bill.

MARTIN AND LESLIE, 27, Abingdon-  
street, Westminster, Parliamentary  
Agents.

**BANK OF ENGLAND.**

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act 7th and 8th Victoria, cap. 32, for the Week ending on Wednesday, the 8th day of April, 1903.

**ISSUE DEPARTMENT.**

|                      | £           |                               | £           |
|----------------------|-------------|-------------------------------|-------------|
| Notes issued .. .. . | 50,411,655  | Government Debt .. .. .       | 11,015,100  |
|                      |             | Other Securities .. .. .      | 7,159,900   |
|                      |             | Gold Coin and Bullion .. .. . | 32,236,655  |
|                      |             | Silver Bullion .. .. .        | —           |
|                      | £50,411,655 |                               | £50,411,655 |

Dated the 9th day of April, 1903.

*J. G. Nairne, Chief Cashier.*

**BANKING DEPARTMENT.**

|  | £           |                               | £           |
|--|-------------|-------------------------------|-------------|
| Proprietors' Capital .. .. .   | 14,553,000  | Government Securities .. .. . | 14,509,791  |
| Rest .. .. .   | 3,135,401   | Other Securities .. .. .      | 27,802,065  |
| Public Deposits (including Ex-<br>chequer, Savings Banks, Com-<br>missioners of National Debt, and<br>Dividend Accounts) .. .. . | 7,851,565   | Notes .. .. .                 | 20,726,305  |
| Other Deposits .. .. .   | 39,453,398  | Gold and Silver Coin .. .. .  | 2,113,665   |
| Seven Day and other Bills .. .. .  | 158,462     |                               |             |
|  | £65,151,826 |                               | £65,151,826 |

Dated the 9th day of April, 1903.

*J. G. Nairne, Chief Cashier.*