

shall be elected on the immediately succeeding day.

10A. If an Employees' Director shall die or resign that office or cease to be employed by the Company or cease to hold the necessary qualification, an Employees' Director shall be elected to take his place at a date to be fixed by the Directors of the Company within two months of the occurrence of the vacancy but shall be subject to retirement at the same time as if he had become an Employees' Director on the day on which the Employees' Director in whose place he is appointed was last elected as an Employees' Director. If, however, the Employees' Director vacating the office as aforesaid would have been due to retire within the said two months, the vacancy shall not be filled under the foregoing provisions of the section but shall be filled on the date on which the Employees' Director so vacating the office would have been due to retire if he had not vacated the office as aforesaid".

(257)

COAL ACT, 1938.

PURSUANT to paragraph 6 (2) of the Second Schedule to the Coal Act, 1938, the Coal-Commission hereby give notice that they propose to grant to a lessee the benefit of the right to withdraw support vested in the Coal Commission by virtue of paragraph 6 (1) of the said Schedule so far as the said right applies in relation to any land within an area situate in the Parish of Consett, in the County of Durham, indicated on a plan which is deposited and open for inspection at the Commission's Regional Estate Office at 4, Devonshire Terrace, Newcastle-upon-Tyne 2.

Dated 10th March, 1944.

DUNCAN F. SMITH, for Secretary.

Coal Commission, Hobart House, 36-42, Grosvenor Place, London, S.W.1. (Serial No. 260.)

(030)

COAL ACT, 1938.

PURSUANT to paragraph 6 (2) of the Second Schedule to the Coal Act, 1938, the Coal Commission hereby give notice that they propose to grant to a lessee the benefit of the right to withdraw support vested in the Coal Commission by virtue of paragraph 6 (1) of the said Schedule so far as the said right applies in relation to any land within an area

situate in the Parish of Easington-with-Thorpe, in the County of Durham, indicated on a plan which is deposited and open for inspection at the Commission's Regional Estate Office at 4, Devonshire Terrace, Newcastle-on-Tyne 2.

Dated 10th March, 1944.

DUNCAN F. SMITH, for Secretary.

Coal Commission, Hobart House, 36-42, Grosvenor Place, London, S.W.1. (Serial No. 259.)

(031)

COAL ACT, 1938.

PURSUANT to paragraph 6 (2) of the Second Schedule to the Coal Act, 1938, the Coal Commission hereby give notice that they propose to grant to a lessee the benefit of the right to withdraw support vested in the Coal Commission by virtue of paragraph 6 (1) of the said Schedule so far as the said right applies in relation to any land within an area situate in the Parish of Saredon, in the County of Stafford, indicated on a plan which is deposited and open for inspection at Coal Commission Regional Estates Office at Rectory Chambers, Newcastle-under-Lyme, and at 81, High Street, Bloxwich, Staffs.

Dated 9th March, 1944.

DUNCAN F. SMITH, for Secretary.

Coal Commission, Hobart House, 36-42, Grosvenor Place, London, S.W.1. (Serial No. 258.)

(032)

COAL ACT, 1938.

PURSUANT to paragraph 6 (2) of the Second Schedule to the Coal Act, 1938, the Coal Commission hereby give notice that they propose to grant to a lessee the benefit of the right to withdraw support vested in the Coal Commission by virtue of paragraph 6 (1) of the said Schedule so far as the said right applies in relation to any land within an area situate in the Parish of Kingsbury, in the County of Warwick, indicated on a plan which is deposited and open for inspection at Coal Commission Regional Estates Offices at Rectory Chambers, Newcastle-under-Lyme, Staffs, and at 81, High Street, Bloxwich, Staffs.

Dated 9th March, 1944.

DUNCAN F. SMITH, for Secretary.

Coal Commission, Hobart House, 36-42, Grosvenor Place, London, S.W.1. (Serial No. 257.)

(033)

BANK OF ENGLAND.

An ACCOUNT pursuant to the Acts 7 & 8 Vict. cap. 32 and 18 & 19 Geo. V. cap. 13, for the Week ending on Wednesday, the 15th day of March, 1944.

ISSUE DEPARTMENT.

Notes Issued:

In Circulation	£	1,091,462,427
In Banking Department		58,779,291

£1,150,241,718

Government Debt	£	11,015,100
Other Government Securities		1,138,282,409
Other Securities		691,491
Silver Coin		11,000

Amount of Fiduciary Issue	£1,150,000,000
Gold Coin and Bullion	241,718

£1,150,241,718

Dated the 16th day of March, 1944.

K. O. PEPPIATT, Chief Cashier.

BANKING DEPARTMENT.

Proprietors' Capital	£	14,553,000
Rest		3,499,542
Public Deposits (including Exchange, Savings Banks, Commissioners of National Debt and Dividend Accounts)		8,422,380
Other Deposits		238,175,251
Seven Day and other Bills		—

£264,650,173

Government Securities	£	175,132,151
Other Securities		30,138,131
Notes		58,779,291
Gold and Silver Coin		600,600

£264,650,173

Dated the 16th day of March, 1944.

K. O. PEPPIATT, Chief Cashier.