C.S.S. (Estabs.) No. 3.

AN ACCOUNT pursuant to the Bankers (Northern Ireland) Acts, 1845 and 1928, and the Currency and Bank Notes Act, 1928, of the Amount of Notes authorised by Law to be issued by the several Banks of Issue in Northern Ireland, and the Average Amount of Notes in Circulation, and of Bank of England Notes and Coin held during the Four Weeks ended Saturday, the 5th day of December, 1936,

Name and Title as set forth in Licence	Name of the Firm	Approved Offices	Circulation Authorised by the Bankers Northern Ireland Act, 1928	Average Circulation during 4 Weeks ended as above.			Average Amount of Bank of England Notes and Coin held during 4 Weeks ended as above		
				£5 and upwards	Under £5.	Total	*Gold and Bank of England Notes	Silver	Total
The Bank of Ireland	The Governor and Company of the Bank of Ireland	{ Belfast Londonderry }	£ †867,050	£ 393,691	£ 492,690	£ 886,381	£ 27,488	£ 40,785	£ 68,27
The Provincial Bank of Ireland, Limited	The Provincial Bank of Ireland, Limited	{ Belfast } Londonderry }	†331,276	276,098	247,860	523,958	202,768	34,517	237,28
The Belfast Banking Company. Limited	The Belfast Banking Company, Limited	Belfast Londonderry	350,000	842,312	111,859	954,171	651,963	51,203	703,16
The Northern Bank, Limited	The Northern Bank, Limited	Belfast Londonderry	244,000	922,951	166,855	1,089,806	837,551	103,051	940.60
The Ulster Bank, Limited	The Ulster Bank, Limited	Belfast } Londonderry	290,000	983,370	397,915	1,381,285	1,127,327	94,164	1,221,49
The National Bank, Limited	f he National Bank Limited	Belfast Londonderry }	†204,512	225,102	88,820	313,922	108,462	3,047	111,50

I hereby certify that each of the Bankers named in the above Return, who have in circulation an amount of Notes beyond that authorised by the Bankers (Northern Ireland) Act, 1928, have held an amount of Bank of England Notes and Gold and Silver Coin not less than that which they are required by the Treasury to hold during the period to which this Return relates.

Dated 15th day of December, 1936.

W. A. McKEARS, Registrar of Bank Returns.

†These amounts are the latest amounts approved by the Treasury.

*This column includes Bank of England Notes deposited at the Bank of England which, by virtue of Sec. 9 (1) of the Currency and Bank Notes Act, 1928, are to be treated as gold coin held by the Bank.

Board of Trade, Great George Street, London, S.W.1.

IMPORT DUTIES ACT, 1932, AND FINANCE ACT, 1933.

WHEREAS it is provided by sub-section (1) of Section 9 of the Import Duties Act, 1932 (22 Geo. 5, ch. 8), that, with a view to obtaining information as to the condition and progress of trades and industries engaged in the manufacture in the United Kingdom of goods of a class or description which, if they were imported into the United Kingdom, would be chargeable with a duty of customs under Part 1 of that Act, the Board of Trade may, before the commencement of the year nineteen hundred and thirty-three and any subsequent year, publish in the Gazette Notice that they will require returns in relation to that year in accordance with the provisions of the said section:—

And whereas it is provided by sub-section (7) of Section 9 and by sub-section (2) of Section 20 of the Finance Act, 1933, that Section 9 of the Import Duties Act, 1932, shall have effect as if references to a duty of customs chargeable under Part 1 of that Act included references to a duty of customs chargeable under Section 9 of the Finance Act, 1933, a duty of customs chargeable under

Section 3 of the Finance Act, 1925, and a duty of customs chargeable under the Safeguarding of Industries Act, 1921.

Now, therefore, the Board of Trade in exercise of the powers conferred on them by Section 9 of the Import Duties Act, 1932, as extended by Sections 9 and 20 of the Finance Act, 1933, hereby give notice that they will require returns in relation to the year 1937, to be delivered to them in accordance with the provisions of the first abovementioned Section in respect of the manufacture in the United Kingdom of goods of any class or description which, if they were imported into the United Kingdom, would be chargeable with a duty of customs under any of the enactments following, namely:—

The Safeguarding of Industries, Act, 1921; The Finance Act, 1925, Section 3; The Import Duties Act, 1932—Part 1; The Finance Act, 1933, Section 9. Dated the tenth day of December, 1936.

WALTER RUNCIMAN.

SUPREME COURT OF JUDICATURE OF NORTHERN IRELAND.

Two vacancies exist for Second Class Clerks in the Supreme Court of Judicature