

BANK OF ENGLAND.

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act 7th and 8th Victoria, cap. 32, for the Week ending on Wednesday, the 26th day of January, 1876.

ISSUE DEPARTMENT.

|              |     |     |     | £           |                       |     |     |     | £           |
|--------------|-----|-----|-----|-------------|-----------------------|-----|-----|-----|-------------|
| Notes issued | ... | ... | ... | 36,388,715  | Government Debt       | ... | ... | ... | 11,015,100  |
|              |     |     |     |             | Other Securities      | ... | ... | ... | 3,984,900   |
|              |     |     |     |             | Gold Coin and Bullion | ... | ... | ... | 21,388,715  |
|              |     |     |     |             | Silver Bullion        | ... | ... | ... | —           |
|              |     |     |     | £36,388,715 |                       |     |     |     | £36,388,715 |

Dated the 27th day of January, 1876.

F. May, Chief Cashier.

BANKING DEPARTMENT.

|   |     |     |     | £           |                       |     |     |     | £           |
|---|-----|-----|-----|-------------|-----------------------|-----|-----|-----|-------------|
| Proprietors' Capital  | ... | ... | ... | 14,553,000  | Government Securities | ... | ... | ... | 14,588,960  |
| Rest  | ... | ... | ... | 3,342,816   | Other Securities      | ... | ... | ... | 17,120,323  |
| Public Deposits (including Exchequer, Savings Banks, Commissioners of National Debt, and Dividend Accounts) | ... | ... | ... | 4,826,455   | Notes                 | ... | ... | ... | 9,622,130   |
| Other Deposits  | ... | ... | ... | 19,163,123  | Gold and Silver Coin  | ... | ... | ... | 857,682     |
| Seven Day and other Bills   | ... | ... | ... | 303,651     |                       |     |     |     |             |
|   |     |     |     | £42,189,045 |                       |     |     |     | £42,189,045 |

Dated the 27th day of January, 1876.

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Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for  
244. Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the petition of William Campbell Wilcox and Benjamin Franklin Baker, of the city and county of San Francisco, in the State of California, one of the United States of America, praying for letters patent for the invention of "a direct acting steam engine, said engine being applicable for driving pumps, steam hammers, and other machinery in which a direct acting movement is required,"—was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 21st day of January, 1876, and a complete specification accompanying such petition was at the same time filed in the said office.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for  
296. Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the petition of Alexander Melville Clark, of 53, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, praying for letters patent for the invention of "an improved glove fastening,"—a communication to him from abroad by Frank Gunn Farnham, of Hanley, in the county of Wayne, and State of Pennsylvania, United States of America,—was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 25th day of January, 1876, and a complete specification accompanying such petition was at the same time filed in the said office.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for  
Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that provisional protection has been allowed—

3841. To William Jackson, of No. 1, Willow Brook road, Peckham, in the county of Surrey,

No. 24288.

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for the invention of "an improved furnace and apparatus for the dessication of coal or fuel, and utilizing its products for cooking, heating, and locomotive purposes."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 4th day of November, 1875.

4208. To George Hill Underwood, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, for the invention of "improvements in the treatment of indigo for dyeing and printing."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 6th day of December, 1875.

4360. To Thomas Thorpe Pearson and David Turner Pearson, both of Bolton, in the county of Lancaster, Manufacturers, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of bed quilts, quilted petticoats, and other padded articles."

On their petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 16th day of December, 1875.

4436. To Edwin Lawrence, of No. 6, Lancaster-gate, Hyde Park, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in fixing railway and such like bolts or spikes."

4450. And to John Britten, of Camberwell, in the county of Surrey, Chemist, for the invention of "improved means and apparatus for checking receipts of money."

On both their petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners, on the 22nd day of December, 1875.

4474. To Joseph Lawson Petingale, of 55, New Bond-street, in the parish of Saint George's, Hanover-square, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "new combination of mixtures for digestive purposes."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 23rd day of December, 1875.