TEAMS AT PORTSMOUTH.

TENDERS will be received until twelve o'clock noon, on Wednesday, the 12th September, for the supply of

DRAUGHT HORSES, &c., for use in Her Majesty's Dockyard, Portsmouth.

Forms of tender, containing conditions of contract and all particulars, may be obtained on personal application at this office, or by letter addressed "Director of Navy Contracts, Admiralty, Whitehall, S.W.," also on application to the Admiral Superintendent, Her Majesty's Dockyard, Portsmouth.

Contract Department, Admiralty, Whitehall, August 27, 1900.

Bank of England, August 30, 1900.

THE Court of Directors of the Governor and Company of the Bank of England give notice—

That a General Court will be held at the Bank on Thursday, the 20th September next, at 12 o'clock precisely, to consider of a Dividend. This will also be one of the half-yearly General Courts. Kenneth Grahame, Secretary.

N.B.—A Member is not qualified to vote in any General Court unless he holds £500 stock (whether in his own right or in trust for another person), and has been possessed thereof for at least six calendar months, unless he has acquired the said stock by transmission on death or by marriage.

Where stock stands in the joint names of two or more Members, they may by writing under their hands, in a form provided on application at the Bank of England, nominate one of their number to vote in respect of such stock; and if none of them is so nominated, the one whose name stands first in the register of members shall be qualified to vote.

The nomination referred to must be lodged at the Head Office of the Bank in London, for examination, not less than 10 clear days before the first General Court at which the nominee desires to vote.

The Companies Acts, 1862 to 1898.

Special Resolutions (pursuant to Companies Act, 1862, sec. 51) of the Parral Consolidated Gold and Silver Mines, Limited.

Passed the 9th January, 1900. Confirmed the 1st February, 1900.

T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Parral Consolidated Gold and Silver Mines, Limited, duly convened and held at Winchester House, Old Broad-street, in the city of London, on the 9th day of January, 1900, the subjoined Special Resolution was duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the said Company, also duly convened and held at 145, Palmerston-buildings, in the city of London, on the 1st day of February, 1900, the subjoined Special Resolution was duly confirmed:—

Resolution.—" That it is desirable to reconstruct the Company, and accordingly that the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that John Christian Masters, of 145, l'almerston-buildings, E.C., be appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up (at such remuneration as may be fixed by the Members of the Company in General Meeting), under the direction of a Committee, to consist of the following Shareholders, viz.: Messrs. A. F. J. Alston, W. Dangerfield, and J. F. Burton, or any two of them, with power to add to their number, two to form a quorum."

Dated this 23rd day of August, 1900.

DOUGLAS W. WALES, Chairman of the Meetings.

## BANK OF ENGLAND.

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act 7th and 8th Victoria, cap. 32, for the Week ending on Wednesday, the 29th day of August, 1900.

## ISSUE DEPARTMENT.

Notes issued	500	***	****	£ 51,567,590	Government De Other Securities Gold Coin and I Silver Bullion	•••	•••	•••	£ 11,015,100 6,759,900 83,792,590	
				£51,567,590				£51,567,590		

Dated the 30th day of August, 1900.

H. G. Bowen, Chief Cashier.

## BANKING DEPARTMENT.

WELLETT WILLIAM STATEMENTS											
	£	1			£						
Proprietors' Capital	14,558,000	Government Securities	•••		18,024,510						
Rest	3,477,850	Other Securities	•••	•••	25,973,193						
Public Deposits (including Ex-		Notes	•••	•••	21,757,865						
chequer, Savings Banks, Com-		Gold and Silver Coin	***		1,577,680						
missioners of National Debt, and		1									
Dividend Accounts)	9,183,733										
Other Deposits	40,007,436				•						
Seven Day and other Bills	111,179		•								
	£67,383,198										
	£67,333,198										

Dated the 30th day of August, 1900.