

A RETURN shewing the Amount received from and paid to Trustee Savings Banks and Post Office Savings Banks in the United Kingdom by the Commissioners for the Reduction of the National Debt, including transactions on the Savings Bank Investment Account, during the Four Weeks ended 16th December, 1922.

	Total Amount received by the Commissioners.			Total Amount paid by the Commissioners.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
TRUSTEE SAVINGS BANKS—						
In Money and Interest credited	1,828,167	3	10	522,574	5	11
For Stock and Bonds sold or purchased for the Savings Bank Investment Account ... }	186,902	10	4	160,640	10	9
Transfer Certificates to and from Savings Banks and Post Office Savings Banks ... }	4,853	18	6	1,350	18	1
Total	£2,019,923	12	8	£684,565	14	9
POST OFFICE SAVINGS BANKS—						
In Money and Interest credited	2,210,112	6	1	500,000	0	0
For Stock and Bonds sold or purchased for the Savings Bank Investment Account, etc. ... }	644,253	12	2	239,461	13	8
Transfer Certificates to and from Savings Banks and Post Office Savings Banks ... }	1,350	18	1	4,853	18	6
Total	£2,855,716	16	4	£744,315	12	2

	At 16th December, 1922.		At corresponding period last month.		At corresponding period last year.	
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Total Amount at the credit of:—						
“The Fund for the Banks for Savings”	*75,762,659	0 5	74,427,301	2 6	72,233,752	1 3
“The Post Office Savings Banks Fund”	276,130,175	2 3	274,018,773	18 1	271,928,353	7 10
Total	£ 351,892,834	2 8	348,446,075	0 7	344,162,105	9 1

* Includes £1,046,628 8s. 5d. Interest credited to Trustees of Savings Banks on Balance due to them at 20th November, 1922.

H. WEATHERILL, Check Officer,
National Debt Office, 18th December, 1922.

T. L. HEATH,
Comptroller-General.

ACCUMULATIVE DIVIDENDS.

A RETURN shewing the Amount of STOCK, the DIVIDENDS on which, at the REQUEST of the PROPRIETORS, are received by the BANK OF ENGLAND, invested and added to the CAPITAL.

Name of Stock.	On 1st December, 1922.		At corresponding period last Half-Year.		At corresponding period last Year.	
	No. of Accounts.	Amount of Stock.	No. of Accounts.	Amount of Stock.	No. of Accounts.	Amount of Stock.
		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.
£5% War Stock, 1929–1947	5,119	1,118,440 14 3	4,949	1,064,152 2 6	4,716	993,456 2 11
£4 10s. % War Stock, 1925–1945	308	35,536 17 4	307	35,483 15 7	319	35,421 2 10

H. S. LAW, Assistant Principal, Dividend Office,
Bank of England, 4th December, 1922.

C. W. WISE,
Assistant Accountant-General.