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 18th day of December, 1940.

ISSUE DEPARTMENT.

Notes Issued : In Circulation In Banking Department	•••	£ 613,175,060 17,066,515	Government Debt Other Government Securities Other Securities Silver Coin	••	£ 11,015,100 615,311,094 3,667,950 5,856
	-		Amount of Fiduciary Issue Gold Coin and Bullion		£630,000,000 241,575
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Dated the 19th day of December, 1940.

K. O. PEPPIATT, Chief Cashier.

BANKING DEPARTMENT.

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Proprietors' Capital Rest Public Deposits (including Ex- chequer, Savings Banks, Com- missioners of National Debt and Dividend Accounts) Other Deposits Seven Day and other Bills	£ 14,553,000 3,293,621 12,021,295 181,936,741 	Government Securities Other Securities Notes Gold and Silver Coin	•••• ••• •••	 	£ 169,127,838 24,638,685 17,066,515 971,619
	£211,804,657			-	£211,804,657

Dated the 19th day of December, 1940.

A Separate Building, duly certified for religious worship, named METHODIST CHURCH situated at East Hendred in the civil parish of East Hendred in Wantage Registration District in the county of Berks, was on the 11th December 1940, registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to 6 and 7 Will. IV, c. 85.—Dated the 14th day of December 1940.

(014) F. A. SHOREY, Superintendent Registrar.

In the High Court of Justice (Chancery Division).— Companies Court. No. 00696 of 1940. Mr. Justice Bennett. In the Matter of POOLE & SWANAGE MOTOR & SPEED BOAT COMPANY Limited, and in the Matter of the Companies Act, 1929. NOTICE is hereby given that a petition for the winding-up of the above named Company by the High Court of Justice was on the 13th day of December 1940 presented to the said Court by Shell-Mex and B.P. Limited whose registered office is situate at St. Helens Court Great St. Helens in the city of London Oil Distributors creditors of the above named Company and that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Court sitting at the Royal Courts of Justice Strand London W.C.2 on the 20th day of January 1941 and any creditor or contributory of the said Company desirous to support or oppose the making of an Order on the said petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributory of the said Company requiring the same by the undersigned on payment of the regulated or contributory of the said Company requiring the same by the undersigned on payment of the regulated charge for the same.—Dated this 19th day of December 1940.

REYNOLDS, MILES, BARNES and DRAKE, 70, Basinghall Street, London, E.C.2, Solici-tors for the Petitioners.

Note.—Any person who intends to appear on the hearing of the said petition must serve on or send by post to the above named notice in writing of his intention so to do. The notice must state the name and address of the person or, if a firm, the name and address of the firm and must be signed by the K. O. PEPPIATT, Chief Cashier.

person or firm or his or their Solicitor (if any) and must be served or if posted must be sent by post in sufficient time to reach the above named not later than one o'clock in the afternoon of the 18th day of January 1941. (154)

In the High Court of Justice (Chancery Division).---Companies Court. No. 00689 of 1940.

Mr. Justice Bennett. In the Matter of EDGAR MENDENHALL Limited, and in the Matter of the Companies Act, 1929.

and in the Matter of the Companies Act, 1929. NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition for the winding-up of the above named Company by the High Court of Justice was on the 6th day of Decem-ber 1940, presented to the said Court by Steel Bracketing and Lathing Limited whose registered office is situate at 8-7 Old Queen Street, Westminster in the county of London, Manufacturers, creditors of the said Company, and that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Court sitting at the Royal Courts of Justice, Strand, London, on the 20th day of January 1941 and any creditor or con-tributory of the said Company desirous to support or oppose the making of an Order on the said peti-tion may appear at the time of hearing, in person or by his Counsel, for that purpose, and a copy of the by his Counsel, for that purpose, and a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributory of the said Company requiring the same by the undersigned, on payment of the regulated charge for the same.

J. E. BARING and CO., 6, Warwick Court, Gray's Inn, W.C.1, Solicitors for the the Petitioners.

Petitioners. Norg.—Any person who intends to appear on the hearing of the said petition must serve on, or send by post to, the above named, notice in writing of his intention so to do. The notice must state the name and address of the person, or if a firm the name and address of the firm, and must be signed by the firm or person or his or their Solicitor (if any), and must be served, or if posted, must be sent by post, in sufficient time to reach the above named not later than one o'clock in the afternoon of the 18th day of January 1941. (097) (097)