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Mr. F. H. Jackson, a director of the Bank of England, said in a lecture the other day that the chief criticism made nowadays against the Bank of England is that its gold reserve is too small. It would certainly be more satisfactorily if every note issued by the bank were backed by gold, but to keep such a reserve of gold lying idle would cost, at three per cent., £555,000 a year. The Bank of England already keeps a reserve in cash against all its liabilities of 40 to 50 per cent., and its duty to its shareholders prevents it from incurring this extra cost of a complete gold reserve. The chief circulation medium of this country is now, however, not banknotes, but cheques. Since 1868 the value of the cheques that pass daily through the London Clearing House has risen from £11,000,000 to £48,000,000. In the same period the average value of the bank notes in circulation has only increased from £24,000,000 to £29,000,000, despite the enormous increase in the wealth and business transactions of the country in the same period.



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