

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act 8 and 9 Vict., cap. 38, of the Amount of BANK NOTES authorised by Law to be issued by the several Banks of Issue in SCOTLAND, and the Average Amount of Bank Notes in Circulation, and of Coin held, during the four Weeks ended Saturday the 26th day of November 1898.

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THE EDINBURGH GAZETTE, DECEMBER 13, 1898.

Name and Title as set forth in Licence.	Name of the Firm.	Head Office or Principal Place of Issue.	Circulation authorised by Certificate.	Average Circulation during Four Weeks ended as above.			Average Amount of Coin held during Four Weeks ended as above.		
				£5 and upwards.	Under £5.	Total.	Gold.	Silver.	Total.
Bank of Scotland.....	{ The Governor and Company of the } { Bank of Scotland	Edinburgh	£ 343418	375107	872029	1247136	1011603	96148	1107751
Royal Bank of Scotland.....	Royal Bank of Scotland.....	Edinburgh	216451	330733	725322	1056055	917701	71748	989449
British Linen Company.....	British Linen Company	Edinburgh	438024	265269	691619	956888	561729	94087	655816
Commercial Bank of Scotland Limited	Commercial Bank of Scotland Limited	Edinburgh	374880	297029	759891	1056920	761352	72159	833511
National Bank of Scotland Limited	National Bank of Scotland Limited.....	Edinburgh	297024	274377	653220	927597	700817	65618	766435
Union Bank of Scotland Limited.....	Union Bank of Scotland Limited.....	Edinburgh	454346	340947	795024	1135971	725922	107705	833627
Town and County Bank Limited.....	Town and County Bank Limited.....	Aberdeen	70133	165557	191168	356725	301920	22340	324260
North of Scotland Bank Limited.....	North of Scotland Bank Limited.....	Aberdeen	154319	242332	276946	519278	381664	21654	403318
Clydesdale Bank Limited.....	Clydesdale Bank Limited.....	Glasgow	274321	263293	582331	845624	623683	75555	699238
Caledonian Banking Company Limited.....	Caledonian Banking Company Limited ...	Inverness	53434	55066	102810	157876	116835	11260	128095

I hereby certify, that each of the Bankers named in the above Return, who have in Circulation an Amount of Notes beyond that authorised in their Certificate, have held an Amount of Gold and Silver Coin, not less than that which they are required to hold during the period to which this Return relates.

Dated this 8th day of December 1898.

J. S. PURCELL, Registrar of Bank Returns.