

Order in Council without the Scheme being laid before Parliament.

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W. F. ARBUCKLE, Secretary.

Scottish Education Department,
25th August, 1959.

BRITISH CORN	Quantity Sold	Average Price per cwt.
	cwt.	s. d.
WHEAT	682	19 11
BARLEY	81,236	20 5
OATS	18,654	18 3

NOTE.—The above statement is based on returns received from 23 prescribed towns in Scotland in the week ended 22nd August, 1959. The prices represent the average for all sales returned at these towns and include transactions between growers and merchants and transactions between merchants during the week ended 15th August, 1959.

P. M. SCOLA.

Department of Agriculture for Scotland,
Broomhouse Drive, Edinburgh, 11.

STATEMENT showing the QUANTITIES SOLD and AVERAGE PRICES of BRITISH CORN per cwt. of 112 Imperial pounds computed from the returns received by the Department of Agriculture for Scotland, in the week ended 22nd August, 1959, pursuant to the Corn Returns Act, 1882, the Corn Sales Act, 1921, the Agriculture (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act, 1943 and the Agriculture (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act, 1954.

A RETURN showing (1) the amounts due to Depositors in Trustee Savings Banks in Great Britain and Northern Ireland and in the Post Office Savings Bank and (2) the Nominal Amount of Government Stock and Bonds held on the Post Office Register:—

	AMOUNT DUE TO DEPOSITORS		
	31st July, 1959	30th June, 1959	31st July, 1958
TRUSTEE SAVINGS BANKS:—	£	£	£
(a) Ordinary Departments *	828,756,000	841,238,000	800,098,000
Accrued Interest *	13,730,000	12,082,000	13,491,000
(b) Special Investment Departments	356,792,000	355,144,000	324,860,000
Accrued Interest	9,414,000	8,265,000	8,329,000
TOTAL *	1,208,692,000	1,216,729,000	1,146,778,000
POST OFFICE SAVINGS BANK	1,647,374,000	1,654,035,000	1,635,757,000
Accrued Interest	23,380,000	20,060,000	23,518,000
TOTAL	1,670,754,000	1,674,095,000	1,659,275,000
GROSS TOTAL *	2,879,446,000	2,890,824,000	2,806,053,000

The Accrued Interest shown above is the estimated amount to date, not credited to depositors' accounts. In the Trustee Savings Banks interest is generally credited yearly on the 20th November; in the Post Office Savings Bank it is credited yearly on the 31st December.

	NOMINAL AMOUNT OF STOCK AND BONDS HELD		
	£	£	£
POST OFFICE REGISTER:—			
(a) Trustee Savings Banks Section:—			
Held for Depositors	161,590,000	159,905,000	143,147,000
Held for Special Investment Departments ...	38,243,000	37,715,000	31,163,000
(b) Post Office Section:—			
Held for the Public	884,137,000	873,242,000	765,699,000
Held for the National Debt Commissioners	7,210,000	7,206,000	7,440,000
TOTAL	1,091,180,000	1,078,068,000	947,449,000

* Including one department of the Birmingham Municipal Bank.

National Debt Office,
19th August, 1959.

G. D. KIRWAN,
Comptroller General.