AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act 8 and 9 Vict. cap. 38, of the Amount of BANK NOTES authorized 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 ending Saturday the 17th day of May 1873.

Name and Title as set forth in Licence.	Name of the Firm,	Head Office or Principal Place of Issue.	Circulation authorized by Certificate.	Weeks ending as above.			Average Amount of Coin held during four Weeks ending 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	218364	445600	663964	321570	63580	385150
Royal Bank of Scotland	Royal Bank of Scotland	Edinburgh	216451	255592	457049	712642	517882	88394	606276
British Linen Company	British Linen Company	Edinburgh	438024	193864	358751	552616	174254	48681	222936
Commercial Bank of Scotland	Commercial Bank of Scotland	Edinburgh	374880	218957	514682	733640	411497	44686	456184
National Bank of Scotland	National Bank of Scotland	Edinburgh	297024	185150	376718	561868	330387	70978	401366
Union Bank of Scotland	Union Bank of Scotland	Edinburgh	454346	266448	521463	787911	368468	60742	429211
Aberdeen Town and County Banking Company	{ Aberdeen Town and County Banking } Company	Aberdeen	70133	80292	93113	173405	131255	10370	141625
North of Scotland Banking Company	North of Scotland Banking Company	Aberdeen	154319	152450	129485	281935	151762	11845	163607
Clydesdale Banking Company	Clydesdale Banking Company	Glasgow	274321	186763	351742	538505	274112	42821	316933
•		1	72921	217331	399945	617276	549343	48037	597380
•	Caledonian Banking Company		53434	32071	57598	89669	49452	7988	57440
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I hereby certify, that each of the Bankers named in the above Return, who have in Circulation an Amount of Notes beyond that authorized in their Certificate (with the exception of ), 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 29th day of May 1873.

W. H. COUSINS, Officer of Stamp Duties.