



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 16th day of October 1886.

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	256311	599801	856112	562032	85514	647546
Royal Bank of Scotland.....	Royal Bank of Scotland.....	Edinburgh	216451	227531	512977	740508	575414	76588	652002
British Linen Company.....	British Linen Company	Edinburgh	438024	180498	482699	663197	276059	83186	359245
Commercial Bank of Scotland Limited.....	Commercial Bank of Scotland Limited	Edinburgh	374880	211528	552986	764514	461826	66230	528056
National Bank of Scotland Limited.....	National Bank of Scotland Limited.....	Edinburgh	297024	186842	445769	632611	358504	75236	433740
Union Bank of Scotland Limited.....	Union Bank of Scotland Limited.....	Edinburgh	454346	229276	527756	757032	365514	100621	466135
Town and County Bank Limited.....	Town and County Bank Limited.....	Aberdeen	70133	79071	115590	194661	142674	18152	160826
North of Scotland Bank Limited.....	North of Scotland Bank Limited.....	Aberdeen	154319	160881	215255	376136	271983	20761	292744
Clydesdale Bank Limited.....	Clydesdale Bank Limited.....	Glasgow	274321	176221	365691	541912	301321	64989	366310
Caledonian Banking Company Limited.....	Caledonian Banking Company Limited	Inverness	53434	31465	67167	98632	42124	14032	56156

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 (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.

J. S. PURCELL, Registrar of Bank Returns.

Dated this 28th day of October 1886.