

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 16th day of April, 1853.

Name and Title as set forth in Licence.	Name of the Firm.	Head Office or Principal Place of Issue.	Circulation authorized by Certificate.	Average Circulation during four 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	300485	112862	236053	348915	105528	18045	123573
Royal Bank of Scotland.....	Royal Bank of Scotland.....	Edinburgh	183000	62132	113200	175332	34209	15931	50140
British Linen Company	British Linen Company	Edinburgh	438024	149846	272814	422660	114937	26198	141136
Commercial Bank of Scotland.....	Commercial Bank of Scotland	Edinburgh	374880	135980	278693	414673	86417	25942	112359
National Bank of Scotland	National Bank of Scotland.....	Edinburgh	297024	90405	191273	281678	40327	20408	60735
Union Bank of Scotland and Banking } Company in Aberdeen.....	{ Union Bank of Scotland and Banking } Company in Aberdeen.....	Edinburgh	415690	166324	304998	471322	108650	32708	141358
Edinburgh and Glasgow Bank.....	Edinburgh and Glasgow Bank	Edinburgh	136657	53947	84122	138069	28083	9939	38022
Aberdeen Town and County Banking } Company	{ Aberdeen Town and County Banking } Company	Aberdeen	70133	36140	58325	94465	22637	10721	33358
North of Scotland Banking Company.....	North of Scotland Banking Company.....	Aberdeen	154319	82541	91422	173963	22608	9780	32388
Dundee Banking Company	Dundee Banking Company	Dundee	33451	11346	22307	33653	4652	991	5643
Eastern Bank of Scotland	Eastern Bank of Scotland	Dundee	33636	13385	20045	33430	6135	1499	7634
Western Bank of Scotland	{ Western Bank of Scotland, the } Greenock Bank, the Dundee Union } Bank, the Paisley Commercial Bank } and Ayrshire Banking Company	Glasgow	337938	156834	331119	487953	168045	45149	213195
Clydesdale Banking Company.....	Clydesdale Banking Company.....	Glasgow	104028	33507	86103	119611	43836	5980	49817
City of Glasgow Bank	City of Glasgow Bank.....	Glasgow	72921	66182	89472	155655	83118	7993	91111
Caledonian Banking Company.....	Caledonian Banking Company.....	Inverness	53434	16161	38078	54239	15571	5880	21451
Perth Banking Company	Perth Banking Company	Perth	38656	11838	25946	37785	8730	2905	11635
Central Bank of Scotland.....	Central Bank of Scotland	Perth	42933	16556	32663	49219	13280	1536	14817

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 this Return relates. , have held an Amount of Gold and Silver Coin, not less than that which they are required to hold during the period to which

Dated this 28th day of April, 1853.

P. DEANS, Officer of Stamp Duties.