

AN ACCOUNT pursuant to the Bank Notes (Scotland) Act, 1845, and the Currency and Bank Notes Act, 1928, of the Amount of Notes authorised by Law to be issued by the several Banks of Issue in Scotland, and the Average Amount of Notes in Circulation, and of Bank of England Notes and Coin held during the Four Weeks ended Saturday, the 27th day of January, 1940 :—

Name and Title as set forth in Licence.	Name of Firm.	Approved Offices.	Circulation Authorised by Certificate.	Average Circulation during Four Weeks ended as above.			Average Amount of Bank of England Notes and Coin held during Four Weeks ended as above.		
				£5 and upwards.	Under £5.	Total.	*Gold and Bank of England Notes.	Silver.	Total.
Bank of Scotland	The Governor and Company of the Bank of Scotland.	{ Edinburgh Glasgow ...	396,852	1,473,676	2,405,667	3,879,343	3,607,284	216,572	3,823,856
Royal Bank of Scotland	Royal Bank of Scotland	{ Edinburgh Glasgow ...	216,451	1,160,417	2,126,545	3,286,962	3,333,394	254,370	3,587,764
British Linen Bank	British Linen Bank	{ Edinburgh Glasgow ...	438,024	960,658	1,942,574	2,903,232	2,734,040	243,840	2,977,880
Commercial Bank of Scotland Limited.	Commercial Bank of Scotland Limited.	{ Edinburgh Glasgow ...	374,880	1,469,301	2,407,388	3,876,689	3,759,367	463,432	4,222,799
National Bank of Scotland Limited	National Bank of Scotland Limited	{ Edinburgh Glasgow ...	297,024	1,126,524	2,156,807	3,283,331	3,151,721	197,262	3,348,983
Union Bank of Scotland Limited ...	Union Bank of Scotland Limited	{ Edinburgh Glasgow ...	454,346	1,180,524	1,596,187	2,776,711	2,618,921	175,453	2,794,374
North of Scotland Bank Limited ...	North of Scotland Bank Limited ...	{ Aberdeen Glasgow ...	224,452	1,224,468	1,228,812	2,453,280	2,359,169	109,578	2,468,747
Clydesdale Bank Limited	Clydesdale Bank Limited	{ Glasgow ... Edinburgh }	274,321	1,219,759	1,875,675	3,095,434	3,029,289	214,769	3,244,058

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 Bank of England Notes and Gold and Silver Coin not less than that which they are required to hold during the period to which this Return relates.

Dated 8th day of February, 1940.

P. MARTIN, Registrar of Bank Returns.

* This column includes Bank of England Notes deposited at the Bank of England which, by virtue of Sec. 9 (1) of the Currency and Bank Notes Act, 1928, are to be treated as gold coin held by the Bank.