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 8th day of August, 1942:—

Name and Title as set forth in	Name of Firm.	Approved Offices.  The Head Offices of the respective Banks as stated below, and all the Branch Offices of such Banks in Scotland.	Circulation Authorised by Certificate.	J			Average Amount of Bank of England Notes and Coin held during Four Weeks ended as above.		
Licence.				'	Under £5.	Total.	*Gold and Bank of England Notes.	Silver.	Total.
Bank of Scotland Royal Bank of Scotland	The Governor and Company of the Bank of Scotland. Royal Bank of Scotland	Edinburgh Edinburgh	£ 396,852 216,451	2,727,929 2,419,359	3,969,372 3,595,178	6,697,301 6,014,537	6,118,183 5,661,525	276,948 219,535	6,395,131 5,881,060
British Linen Bank	British Linen Bank	Edinburgh	438,024	2,169 777	3,186,443	5,356,220	4,805,229	220,778	5,026,007
Commercial Bank of Scotland Limited. National Bank of Scotland Limited	Commercial Bank of Scotland Limited. National Bank of Scotland Limited	Edinburgh	374,880 297,024	3,148,065 2,771,625	4,191,954 3,832,894	7,340,019 6,604,519	6,678,578 6,256,889	373,469 176,007	7,052,047 . 6,432,896
Union Bank of Scotland Limited	Union Bank of Scotland Limited	Glasgow	454,346	2,072,105.	2,640,143	4,712,248	4,114,969	194,575	4,309,544
North of Scotland Bank Limited	North of Scotland Bank Limited	Aberdeen	224,452	2,309,786	1,744,165	4,053,951	3,759,097	118,729	3,877,826
Clydesdale Bank Limited	Clydesdale Bank Limited	Glasgow	274,321	2,436,917	2,579,533	5,016,450	4,578,194	248,116	4,826,310

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 18th day of August, 1942.

P. MARTIN, Registrar of Bank Returns.

<sup>\*</sup> 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.