A RETURN showing (1) the amounts due to Depositors in Trustee Savings Banks in Great Britain and Northern Ireland and in the Post Office Savings Bank and (2) the Nominal Amount of Government Stock and Bonds held on the Post Office Register:—

	Amount due to Depositors.		
	At 31st March, 1950.	At 28th February, 1950.	At 31st March, 1949.
TRUSTEE SAVINGS BANKS:—	. £	£	£
(a) Ordinary Departments	757,566,000	752,696,000	708,836,000
Accrued Interest	6,460,000	4,955,000	6,009,000
(b) Special Investment Departments	111,706,000	111,795,000	109,863,000
Accrued Interest	970,000	747,000	954,000
TOTAL £	876,702,000	870,193,000	825,662,000
POST OFFICE SAVINGS BANK	1,949,738,000	1,954,258,000	1,961,336,000*
Accrued Interest	12,012,000	8,012,000	12,106,000
TOTAL £	1,961,750,000	1,962,270,000	1,973,442,000*
· Gross Total £	2,838,452,000	2,832,463,000	2,799,104,000*

The Accrued Interest shown above is the estimated amount to date, not credited to depositors' accounts. In the Trustee Savings Banks Interest is generally credited yearly on the 20th November; in the Post Office Savings Bank it is credited yearly on the 31st December.

	Nominal Amount of Stock and Bonds Held		
POST OFFICE REGISTER:—	£	£	£
(a) Trustee Savings Banks Section:—			·
Held for Depositors	86,509,000	86,325,000	83,531,000
Held for Special Investment Departments	13,848,000	13,804,000	13,717,000
(b) Post Office Section:—			
Held for the Public	1,057,171,000	1,060,867,000	1,083,122,000
Held for the National Debt Commissioners	8,931,000	8,927,000	9,058,000
TOTAL £	1,166,459,000	1,169,923,000	1,189,428,000

* Amended Figures.

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National Debt Office. 19th April, 1950.