

AN ACCOUNT pursuant to the Bank Notes (Scotland) Act, 1845, the Currency and Bank Notes Act, 1928, and the Coinage Act, 1946, 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 10th day of March, 1951.

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	Coin other than Gold Coin	Total
Bank of Scotland ... ..	The Governor and Company of the Bank of Scotland.	{ Edinburgh Glasgow }	£ 396,852	5,498,800	4,803,505	10,302,305	10,033,833	533,493	10,567,326
Royal Bank of Scotland ... ..	Royal Bank of Scotland ... ..	{ Edinburgh Glasgow }	216,451	4,041,199	4,644,631	8,685,830	8,825,366	400,793	9,226,159
British Linen Bank ... ..	British Linen Bank ... ..	{ Edinburgh Glasgow }	438,024	4,270,746	3,752,415	8,023,161	7,963,134	315,013	8,278,147
Commercial Bank of Scotland Limited.	Commercial Bank of Scotland Limited.	{ Edinburgh Glasgow }	374,880	6,773,720	5,761,740	12,535,460	12,725,233	603,670	13,328,903
National Bank of Scotland Limited	National Bank of Scotland Limited	{ Edinburgh Glasgow }	297,024	4,917,292	3,701,688	8,618,980	8,702,256	360,691	9,062,947
Union Bank of Scotland Limited ...	Union Bank of Scotland Limited ...	{ Edinburgh Glasgow }	454,346	3,694,190	3,585,295	7,279,485	7,213,372	281,655	7,495,027
Clydesdale and North of Scotland Bank Limited.	Clydesdale and North of Scotland Bank Limited.	{ Glasgow Aberdeen }	498,773	9,582,084	5,406,547	14,988,631	15,113,225	608,737	15,721,962

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 Coin other than Gold Coin not less than that which they are required to hold during the period to which this Return relates.

Dated the 21st day of March, 1951.

F. S. TREDINNICK, 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.