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.		
	30th November 1957.	31st October 1957.	30th November 1956.
TRUSTEE SAVINGS BANKS:—	£	£	£
(a) Ordinary Departments	824,310,000†	807,640,000†	806,042,000
Accrued Interest	559,000†	18,264,000†	548,000
(b) Special Investment Departments	316,594,000	305,173,000	284,074,000*
Accrued Interest	332,000	10,033,000	279,000
TOTAL	1,141,795,000†	1,141,110,000†	1,090,943,000*
POST OFFICE SAVINGS BANK	1,657,525,000	1,667,047,000	1,661,701,000
Accrued Interest	37,413,000	34,050,000	37,521 ,000
Total	1,694,938,000	1,701,097,000	1,699,222,000
GROSS TOTAL	2,836,733,000†	2,842,207,000†	2,790,165,000*

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	138,738,000	138,794,000	135,879,000
Held for Special Investment Departments	27,129,000	27,164,000	25,787,000
(b) Post Office Section:—			
Held for the Public	770,056,000	780,149,000	802,069,000
Held for the National Debt Commissioners	7,324,000	7,319,000	7,579,000
TOTAL £	943,247,000	953,426,000	971,314,000

[†] Including one department of the Birmingham Municipal Bank.

Adjusted figures.

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National Debt Office. 18th December 1957.