

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act 8 and 9 Vict., cap. 38, of the Amount of BANK NOTES authorised by Law to be issued by the several Banks of Issue in SCOTLAND, and the Average Amount of Bank Notes in Circulation, and of Coin held, during the four Weeks ended Saturday the 1st day of October 1898.

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THE EDINBURGH GAZETTE, OCTOBER 18, 1898.

Name and Title as set forth in Licence.	Name of the Firm.	Head Office or Principal Place of Issue.	Circulation authorised by Certificate.	Average Circulation during Four Weeks ended as above.			Average Amount of Coin held during Four Weeks ended as above.		
				£5 and upwards.	Under £5.	Total.	Gold.	Silver.	Total.
Bank of Scotland.....	{ The Governor and Company of the Bank of Scotland	Edinburgh	£ 343418	324791	809234	1134025	859140	96811	955951
Royal Bank of Scotland.....	Royal Bank of Scotland.....	Edinburgh	216451	289041	672051	961092	801479	80335	881814
British Linen Company.....	British Linen Company	Edinburgh	438024	232713	645437	878150	491033	110817	601850
Commercial Bank of Scotland Limited	Commercial Bank of Scotland Limited	Edinburgh	374880	258272	709249	967521	682647	69329	751976
National Bank of Scotland Limited	National Bank of Scotland Limited.....	Edinburgh	297024	242406	613296	855702	633423	55987	689410
Union Bank of Scotland Limited.....	Union Bank of Scotland Limited.....	Edinburgh	454346	297312	728567	1025879	632000	115069	747069
Town and County Bank Limited.....	Town and County Bank Limited.....	Aberdeen	70133	156303	195751	352054	288946	27031	315977
North of Scotland Bank Limited.....	North of Scotland Bank Limited.....	Aberdeen	154319	207651	265024	472675	331147	20131	351278
Clydesdale Bank Limited.....	Clydesdale Bank Limited.....	Glasgow	274321	222810	539099	761909	529378	78729	608107
Caledonian Banking Company Limited.....	Caledonian Banking Company Limited	Inverness	53434	42781	98444	141225	97856	10593	108449

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

Dated this 13th day of October 1898

ERNEST CLEAVE, Assistant-Registrar of Bank Returns.