

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 15th day of April 1899.

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	327975	806288	1134263	843301	112974	956275
Royal Bank of Scotland.....	Royal Bank of Scotland.....	Edinburgh	216451	285610	682279	967889	763451	109437	872888
British Linen Company.....	British Linen Company	Edinburgh	438024	232359	650185	882544	501341	110496	611837
Commercial Bank of Scotland Limited	Commercial Bank of Scotland Limited	Edinburgh	374880	262670	706450	969120	648069	83834	731903
National Bank of Scotland Limited	National Bank of Scotland Limited.....	Edinburgh	297024	241367	614065	855432	606627	77391	684018
Union Bank of Scotland Limited.....	Union Bank of Scotland Limited.....	Edinburgh	454346	288970	712044	1001014	600648	103348	703996
Town and County Bank Limited.....	Town and County Bank Limited.....	Aberdeen	70133	136436	166763	303199	245223	24592	269815
North of Scotland Bank Limited.....	North of Scotland Bank Limited.....	Aberdeen	154319	203810	234501	438311	290852	27091	317943
Clydesdale Bank Limited.....	Clydesdale Bank Limited.....	Glasgow	274321	226722	550107	776829	525360	85639	610999
Caledonian Banking Company Limited.....	Caledonian Banking Company Limited	Inverness	53434	44011	84618	128629	81244	9939	91183

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 27th day of April 1899.

J. S. PURCELL, Registrar of Bank Returns.