

AN ACCOUNT pursuant to the Bank Notes (Scotland) Act, 1845, the Currency and Banknotes 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 12th day of November 1955.

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 }	£ 851,198	15,327,206	9,503,564	24,830,770	24,997,560	621,911	25,619,472
Royal Bank of Scotland	Royal Bank of Scotland	{ Edinburgh Glasgow }	216,451	7,830,968	6,415,542	14,246,510	14,584,968	421,066	15,006,034
British Linen Bank	British Linen Bank	{ Edinburgh Glasgow }	438,024	7,392,316	4,576,282	11,968,598	11,972,193	314,298	12,286,491
Commercial Bank of Scotland Limited...	Commercial Bank of Scotland Limited	{ Edinburgh Glasgow }	374,880	12,124,557	6,182,418	18,306,975	18,739,053	561,859	19,300,912
National Bank of Scotland Limited ...	National Bank of Scotland Limited ...	{ Edinburgh Glasgow }	297,024	7,769,577	4,270,745	12,040,322	12,257,210	452,460	12,709,670
Clydesdale and North of Scotland Bank Limited	Clydesdale and North of Scotland Bank Limited	{ Glasgow Aberdeen }	498,773	16,706,419	5,838,847	22,545,266	23,030,552	581,795	23,612,347

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 23rd day of November, 1955.

D. NEISH, 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.