



AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act 8 and 9 Vict. cap. 38, of the Amount of BANK NOTES authorized 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 ending Saturday the 17th day of March 1855.

Name and Title as set forth in Licence.	Name of the Firm.	Head Office or Principal Place of Issue.	Circulation authorized by Certificate.	Average Circulation during four Weeks ending as above.			Average Amount of Coin held during four Weeks ending as above.		
				£5 and upwards.	Under £5.	Total.	Gold.	Silver.	Total.
Bank of Scotland	{ The Governor and Company of the Bank of Scotland }	Edinburgh	£ 300485	119422	248227	367649	130036	35173	165210
Royal Bank of Scotland	Royal Bank of Scotland	Edinburgh	183000	74724	111348	186072	36408	19162	55570
British Linen Company	British Linen Company	Edinburgh	438024	170512	286721	457234	166818	36552	203370
Commercial Bank of Scotland	Commercial Bank of Scotland	Edinburgh	374880	158392	296387	454780	119690	33271	152961
National Bank of Scotland	National Bank of Scotland	Edinburgh	297024	108335	211086	319421	62408	30193	92602
Union Bank of Scotland and Banking Company in Aberdeen	{ Union Bank of Scotland and Banking Company in Aberdeen }	Edinburgh	415690	178519	317052	495571	138450	40113	178564
Edinburgh and Glasgow Bank	Edinburgh and Glasgow Bank	Edinburgh	136657	68621	85012	153633	32078	15196	47275
Aberdeen Town and County Banking Company	{ Aberdeen Town and County Banking Company }	Aberdeen	70133	33985	67341	101326	41966	4969	46936
North of Scotland Banking Company	North of Scotland Banking Company	Aberdeen	154319	84847	95886	180733	52829	10144	62973
Dundee Banking Company	Dundee Banking Company	Dundee	33451	15861	20473	36334	12960	1339	14299
Eastern Bank of Scotland	Eastern Bank of Scotland	Dundee	33636	16951	21647	38598	14146	4194	18340
Western Bank of Scotland	{ Western Bank of Scotland, the Greenock Bank, the Dundee Union Bank, the Paisley Commercial Bank, and Ayrshire Banking Company . . }	Glasgow	337938	137777	363708	501486	250761	67777	318538
Clydesdale Banking Company	Clydesdale Banking Company	Glasgow	104028	60560	102657	163217	77005	11036	88041
City of Glasgow Bank	City of Glasgow Bank	Glasgow	72921	92642	102488	195130	119757	17384	137141
Caledonian Banking Company	Caledonian Banking Company	Inverness	53434	19636	43292	62928	15332	9053	24385
Perth Banking Company	Perth Banking Company	Perth	38656	14066	28919	42985	15955	2004	17959
Central Bank of Scotland	Central Bank of Scotland	Perth	42933	20687	33798	54486	17603	5326	22930

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I hereby certify, that each of the Bankers named in the above Return, who have in circulation an Amount of Notes beyond that authorized in their Certificate, with the exception of _____, 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 29th day of March 1855.

J. MICHAEL, Officer of Stamp Duties.