

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 February, 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	121437	258378	379815	132945	32704	165649
Royal Bank of Scotland.....	Royal Bank of Scotland.....	Edinburgh	183000	63741	112761	176502	36802	16372	53174
British Linen Company	British Linen Company	Edinburgh	438024	174947	301108	476056	162331	37058	199389
Commercial Bank of Scotland.....	Commercial Bank of Scotland	Edinburgh	374880	158920	314649	473569	145946	29092	175038
National Bank of Scotland	National Bank of Scotland.....	Edinburgh	297024	106461	223931	330392	81512	28482	109994
Union Bank of Scotland and Banking Company in Aberdeen.....	{ Union Bank of Scotland and Banking Company in Aberdeen.....	Edinburgh	415690	182618	327116	509734	156779	39359	196138
Edinburgh and Glasgow Bank.....	Edinburgh and Glasgow Bank	Edinburgh	136657	67517	90311	157828	27677	14235	41912
Aberdeen Town and County Banking Company	{ Aberdeen Town and County Banking Company	Aberdeen	70133	35515	69870	105385	41915	4512	46427
North of Scotland Banking Company.....	North of Scotland Banking Company.....	Aberdeen	154319	85823	100189	186012	52646	9874	62521
Dundee Banking Company	Dundee Banking Company	Dundee	33451	12918	21936	34855	12942	1453	14396
Eastern Bank of Scotland	Eastern Bank of Scotland	Dundee	33636	18389	22329	40718	13692	3922	17614
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	158120	370279	528399	243974	65159	309133
Clydesdale Banking Company.....	Clydesdale Banking Company.....	Glasgow	104028	57512	107404	164916	75884	8926	84810
City of Glasgow Bank	City of Glasgow Bank.....	Glasgow	72921	95927	102128	198056	127314	16418	143732
Caledonian Banking Company.....	Caledonian Banking Company.....	Inverness	53434	20358	46157	66516	18615	7904	26519
Perth Banking Company	Perth Banking Company	Perth	38656	16201	30647	46848	16323	1153	17476
Central Bank of Scotland.....	Central Bank of Scotland	Perth	42933	21672	35596	57269	22408	5260	27668

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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 1st day of March, 1855.

J. MICHAEL, Officer of Stamp Duties.