

AN ACCOUNT pursuant to the Bank Notes (Scotland) Act, 1845, and the Currency and Bank Notes Act, 1928, 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 4th day of April, 1931.

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.	Silver.	Total.
Bank of Scotland	The Governor and Company of the Bank of Scotland	{ Edinburgh Glasgow ... }	£ 396,852	1,180,802	1,767,541	2,948,343	2,366,828	444,234	2,811,062
Royal Bank of Scotland	Royal Bank of Scotland	{ Edinburgh Glasgow ... }	216,451	987,356	1,691,938	2,679,294	2,580,025	171,669	2,751,694
British Linen Bank... ..	British Linen Bank	{ Edinburgh Glasgow ... }	438,024	909,673	1,714,902	2,624,575	2,343,939	155,649	2,499,588
Commercial Bank of Scotland Limited	Commercial Bank of Scotland Limited... ..	{ Edinburgh Glasgow ... }	374,880	1,184,621	1,911,088	3,095,709	2,896,706	195,935	3,092,641
National Bank of Scotland Limited	National Bank of Scotland Limited	{ Edinburgh Glasgow ... }	297,024	816,610	1,349,692	2,166,302	1,879,717	164,812	2,044,529
Union Bank of Scotland Limited... ..	Union Bank of Scotland Limited	{ Edinburgh Glasgow ... }	454,346	977,379	1,286,641	2,264,020	1,904,692	204,721	2,109,413
North of Scotland Bank Limited	North of Scotland Bank Limited	{ Aberdeen Glasgow ... }	224,452	984,397	996,300	1,980,697	1,808,793	96,971	1,905,764
Clydesdale Bank Limited	Clydesdale Bank Limited... ..	{ Glasgow Edinburgh }	274,321	900,164	1,478,372	2,378,536	2,193,644	184,165	2,377,809

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

Dated 16th day of April, 1931.

C. C. GALLAGHER, 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.