

A RETURN showing (1) the amounts due to Depositors in Trustee Savings Banks in Great Britain and Northern Ireland and in the Post Office Savings Bank and (2) the Nominal amount of Government Stock and Bonds held on the Post Office Register:—

	AMOUNT DUE TO DEPOSITORS.		
	At 30th April 1948.	At 31st March 1948.	At 30th April 1947.
TRUSTEE SAVINGS BANKS:—	£	£	£
(a) Ordinary Departments	654,933,000	649,612,000	583,129,000
Accrued Interest	6,775,000	5,476,000	6,060,000
(b) Special Investment Departments ...	107,946,000	108,090,000	109,683,000
Accrued Interest	1,158,000	942,000	1,188,000
TOTAL £	770,812,000	764,120,000	700,060,000
POST OFFICE SAVINGS BANK	1,950,841,000	1,951,957,000	1,959,856,000
Accrued Interest	15,977,000	11,980,000	16,137,000
TOTAL £	1,966,818,000	1,963,937,000	1,975,993,000
GROSS TOTAL £	2,737,630,000	2,728,057,000	2,676,053,000

The Accrued Interest shown above is the estimated amount to date; not credited to depositors' accounts. In the Trustee Savings Banks Interest is generally credited yearly on the 20th November; in the Post Office Savings Bank it is credited yearly on the 31st December.

	NOMINAL AMOUNT OF STOCK AND BONDS HELD.		
	£	£	£
POST OFFICE REGISTER:—			
(a) Trustee Savings Banks Section:—			
Held for Depositors	81,330,000	81,272,000	82,614,000
Held for Special Investment Departments	14,400,000	14,242,000	13,399,000
(b) Post Office Section:—			
Held for the Public	1,144,802,000	1,154,350,000	1,237,591,000
Held for the National Debt Com- missioners	9,120,000	9,110,000	9,190,000
TOTAL £	1,249,652,000	1,258,974,000	1,342,794,000

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