AN ACCOUNT pursuant to the Bank Notes (Scotland) Act, 1845, the Currency and Bank Notes 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 7th day of December, 1957.

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	18,566,344	9,494,259	28,060,603	28,282,845	688,575	28,971,420
Royal Bank of Scotland	Royal Bank of Scotland	Edinburgh \ Glasgow	216,451	9,570,886	6,972,778	16,543,664	16,939,756	466,565	17,406,321
British Linen Bank	British Linen Bank	Edinburgh   Glasgow	438,024	8,859,262	5,089,335	13,948,597	13,968,907	413,382	14,382,289
Commercial Bank of Scotland, Limited.	Commercial Bank of Scotland, Limited.	Edinburgh \ Glasgow	374,880	14,512,905	6,337,339	20,850,244	21,440,888	668,336	22,109,224
National Bank of Scotland, Limited.	National Bank of Scotland, Limited.	∫ Edinburgh \ Glasgow ∫	297,024	8,970,306	5,671,732	14,642,038	14,522,555	479,139	15,001,694
Clydesdale and North of Scotland Bank, Limited.	Clydesdale and North of Scotland Bank, Limited.	Glasgow { Aberdeen }	498,773	19,280,669	5,945,886	25,226,555	25,590,749	634,492	26,225,241

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 18th day of December, 1957.

D. NEISH, Registrar of Bank Returns.

<sup>\*</sup> 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.