RESERVE BANK OF NEW ZEALAND.

SUMMARY OF Trading Banks' Monthly Returns of Assets and Liabilities as at close of Business on Monday, 27th November, 1939.

(In accordance with section 46 of the Reserve Bank of New Zealand Act, 1933.)

(All amounts in New Zealand currency.)

LIABILITIES.

	Bank of New Zealand.	Union Bank of Australia, Limited.	Bank of New South Wales.	Bank of Australasia.	National Bank of New Zealand, Limited.	Commercial Bank of Australia, Limited.	Totals.
and the second s	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
(a) Demand liabilities in New Zea- land	*17,929,390	4,459,974	4,389,294	3,402,125	7,306,491	2,688,324	40,175,598
 (b) Time liabilities in New Zealand (c) Demand liabilities elsewhere than in New Zealand incurred in respect of New Zealand business 	12,130,638 161,440	4,423,307 444,850	5,624,163 58,024	3,118,357 1,322,006	4,947,257 223,200	952,774 55,993	31,196,496 2,265,513
(d) Time liabilities elsewhere than in New Zealand incurred in respect of New Zealand busi- ness	33,459	531,114	156	15,257	27,280	51,772	659,038
(j) Notes of own issue in circulation payable in New Zealand	••		••	••			• • •
	14,465,971	135,267	426,089	996,402	4,208,971	453,450	20,686,150
Totals	44,720,898	9,994,512	10,497,726	8,854,147	16,713,199	4,202,313	94,982,795

^{*} Includes transfers from Long-term Mortgage Department of £370,415.

ASSETS.

	Bank of New Zealand.	Union Bank of Australia, Limited.	Bank of New South Wales.	Bank of Australasia.	National Bank of New Zealand, Limited.	Commercial Bank of Australia, Limited.	Totals.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
(e) Reserve balances held in the Reserve Bank of New Zealand	5,788,456	1,620,737	2,431,267	535,554	2,220,769	836,603	13,433,386
(f) Overseas assets in respect of New Zealand business—							
(1) In London	3,191,011 1,519,526	51,053	283,076	717,670 8,899	1,550,000 80,156	207,022	5,948,779 1,659,634
(g) (1) Gold and gold bullion held in New Zealand		•••				256	256
(2) Subsidiary coin held in New Zealand	348,422	77,646	100,364	54,005	123,833	34,746	739,016
(h) Aggregate advances in New Zealand	23,511,609	6,400,662	6,623,518	4,648,577	9,366,792	1,641,962	52,193,120
(h) Aggregate discounts in New Zealand	42,317	26,799	2,774	39,921	32,942	22,769	167,522
(i) Reserve Bank of New Zealand notes	2,520,188	399,752	366,029	275,289	633,382	123,130	4,317,770
(k) Securities held in New Zealand—							
(1) Government	6,905,832	1,384,563	343,968	2,524,320	2,054,315	1,205,670	14,418,668
(2) Other than Government	256,236		1,000				257,236
(l) Value of land, buildings, fur- niture, fittings, and equip-	637,301	33,300	345,730	49,912	651,010	130,155	1,847,408
ment held in New Zealand (m) New Zealand business—Excess of liabilities over assets	••	••					
Totals	44,720,898	9,994,512	10,497,726	8,854,147	16,713,199	4,202,313	94,982,795

 $⁽h\,h)$ Aggregate unexercised overdraft authorities, £24,538,678.

Wellington, New Zealand, 19th December, 1939.

T. P. HANNA, Chief Cashier.

BANK RETURNS (SUPPLEMENTARY).

STATEMENT OF THE AMOUNT OF LIABILITIES AND ASSETS OF THE LONG-TERM MORTGAGE DEPARTMENT OF THE BANK OF NEW ZEALAND AS AT THE 27TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1939.

	£1,203,525	0	0			£1,	203,525	Ö	0
Other liabilities	 •.•								
Transfers from Bank	 			Other assets	 • •				
Debentures and debenture stock	 500,400	0	0	Transfers to Bank	 	 	370,415	8	9
Capital	 703,125	0	0	Loans	 • •	 8	333,109	11	3
Liabilities.	£	s.	d.	1	Assets.		£	s.	d.

Wellington, New Zealand, 19th December, 1939.

T. P. HANNA, Chief Cashier.