RESERVE BANK OF NEW ZEALAND

SUMMARY of Trading Banks' Monthly Returns of Assets and Liabilities as at Close of Business on Monday, 29th May, 1944

(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.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
(a) Demand liabilities in New Zea- land	*38,967,266	10,761,492	10,669,845	7,541,167	16,415,158	5,491,785	89,846,713
 (b) Time liabilities in New Zealand (c) Demand liabilities elsewhere than in New Zealand incurred in respect of New Zealand 	10,993,796 82,407	4,798,656 12,694	4,902,244 82,436	2,778,548 163,686	5,188,012 164,920	1,481,022 33,497	30,142,278 539,640
business (d) Time liabilities elsewhere than in New Zealand incurred in respect of New Zealand business	30,448	3,367	••	14,653	39,680	err •• ,	88,148
(j) Notes of own issue in circulation payable in New Zealand	•• ,	••	••	•• .	•• •• .	••	••
(m) New Zealand business—Excess of assets over liabilities	11,868,544	337,636	230,578	3,235,600	4,050,536	383,444	20,106,338
Totals	61,942,461	15,913,845	15,885,103	13,733,654	25,858,306	7,389,748	140,723,117

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 (f) Overseas assets in respect of New Zealand business—	£ 14,200,212	£ 4,211,828	£ 4,575,145	£ 4,408,141	£ 7,797,224	£ 1,857,950	£ 37,050,500
(1) In London (2) Elsewhere than in London (g) (1) Gold and gold bullion held in New Zealand	5,741,547 952,808	139,674 17,603	2,240,615 72,985	721,154 263,006 	1,009,360 574,051 	148,221	10,000,571 1,880,453
 (2) Subsidiary coin held in New Zealand (h) Aggregate advances in New Zealand 	349,181 17,844,385	58,833 6,363,373	78,300 5,516,935	54,784 3,237,078	148,703 9,974,460	28,519 2,273,366	718,320 45,209,597
(h) Aggregate discounts in New Zealand (i) Reserve Bank of New Zealand notes	34,819 3,341,479	27,151 $232,414$	4,894 418,737	6,976 307,889	72,091 715,641	12,786 108,671	158,717 5,124,831
 (k) Securities held in New Zealand— (1) Government (2) Other than Government (l) Value of land, buildings, furniture, fittings, and equipment held in New Zealand 	17,275,695 1,512,591 689,744	4,438,386 334,012 90,571	2,629,406 348,086	4,093,276 594,576 46,774	4,958,911 607,865	2,747,519 88,496 124,220	36,143,193 2,529,675 1,907,260
(m) New Zealand business—Excess of liabilities over assets	••		••	• •	••	•• .	••
Totals	61,942,461	15,913,845	15,885,103	13,733,654	25,858,306	7,389,748	140,723,117

^{*} Includes transfer from Long-term Mortgage Department of £80,655.

Wellington, New Zealand, 21st June, 1944.

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 29TH DAY OF MAY, 1944

	Liabilities			£	8. C	1.			Assets		£ s. d.
Capital				703,125	0	0	Loans	• •	• •		 622,469 14 9
Debentures and debenture	stock		••			.	Transfers to Bank	• •	• • •	• •	 80,655 5 3
Transfers from Bank	• •	• •	• • ;				Other assets	• •	• •	• •	 • • •
Other liabilities	••		• •	• •							
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				£703,125	0	0					£703,125 0 0
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⁽h h) Aggregate unexercised overdraft authorities, £37,182,815.