RESERVE BANK OF NEW ZEALAND

SUMMARY of Trading Banks' Monthly Returns of Assets and Liabilities as at Close of Business on Wednesday, $25\,$ March $1953\,$

(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.	Australia and New Zealand Bank, Limited.	Bank of New South Wales.	National Bank of New Zealand, Limited.	Commercial Bank of Australia, Limited.	Totals.	
 (a) Demand liabilities in New Zealand (b) Time liabilities in New Zealand (c) Demand liabilities elsewhere than in New Zealand incurred in respect of 	£ 80,979,391 19,863,086 1,047,729	£ 44,110,107 16,256,776 269,182	£ 26,431,452 9,842,465 110,231	£ 35,688,990 11,245,655 2,338,013	£ 13,061,305 2,804,720 173,892	£ 200,271,245 60,012,702 3,939,047	
New Zealand business (d) Time liabilities elsewhere than in New Zealand incurred in respect of New Zealand business (j) Notes of own issue in circulation	180,611	264,370	147,353	295,635		887,969	
payable in New Zealand (m) New Zealand business excess of assets	*****						
over liabilities	7,129,336					7,129,336	
Totals	109,200,153	60,900,435	36,531,501	49,568,293	16,039,917	272,240,299	

ASSETS

	Bank of New Zealand.	Australia and New Zealand Bank, Limited.	Bank of New South Wales.	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	£	£	£	£	£	£	
	29,461,499	17,082,871	7,442,999	11,226,500	3,634,323	68,848,192	
Zealand business— (1) In London (2) Elsewhere than in London (3) (1) Gold and gold bullion held in New Zealand (2) Subsidiary coin held in New	8,128,152	7,336,654	7,168,346	2,969,404	892,926	26,495,482	
	2,584,462	753,615	8,847	723,628	2,980	4,073,532	
	654,316	245,330	156,514	422,833	117,859	1,596,852	
Zealand (h) Aggregate advances in New Zealand (h) Aggregate discounts in New Zealand (i) Reserve Bank of New Zealand notes (k) Securities held in New Zealand—	*51,355,905	31,109,073	17,946,293	29,539,227	8,450,987	138,401,485	
	311,580	834,816	230,041	302,812	368,388	2,047,637	
	7,296,010	1,045,402	795,217	1,502,280	291,678	10,930,587	
(1) Government	6,866,382 794,492 1,747,355	1,549,381 347,825 416,394	207,670 545,879	2,098,917 741,113	964,546 32,696 537,419	11,686,896 1,175,013 3,988,160	
(m) New Zealand business excess of liabilities over assets Totals	109,200,153	179,074 60,900,435	2,029,695 36,531,501	41,579	746,115 16,039,917	2,996,463	

^{*} Includes transfers to Long-term Mortgage Department, £222,840.

Wellington, N.Z., 17 April 1953.

R. N. FLEMING, Acting 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 25 March 1953

Liabilities]	£				
Capital Debentures and Transfers from Other liabilities	dehenture Bank 	stock 		 	703,125 750,000 222,840 £1,675,965	Loans Transfers to Bank Other assets				 1,675,965 £1,675,965

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⁽hh) Aggregate unexercised overdraft authorities, £84,581,924.