STATEMENT of the Liabilities and Assets of the undermentioned Banks in the Dominion of New Zealand for the Quarter ended 31st December, 1922. LIABILITIES.

BANES.			Notes	Bills in Circulation.	Balances due				
			in Circulation.		other Banks.	Government.	Not bearing Interest.	Bearing Interest.	Total 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			£ s. d. 4,235,070 3 10 490,123 0 0 520,085 17 11 383,110 11 6 1,128,351 0 0 57,168 0 0	£ s. d. 90,743 13 1 125,685 0 0 16,191 11 0 20,358 13 10 23,731 0 0 2,322 0 0	£ s. d. 420,542 3 8 9,999 0 0 11,216 11 0	£ s. d. 3,325,014 6 4	£ s. d. 11,102,314 12 9 2,764,258 0 0 2,537,885 10 5 2,291,970 7 9 4,199,150 0 0 647,289 0 0	£ s. d. 9,251,746 16 10 2,126,199 0 0 2,378,115 9 11 1,161,508 12 0 2,410,175 0 0 233,807 0 0	£ s. d. 28,425,431 16 6 5,516,264 0 0 5,463,495 0 3 3,806,948 5 1 7,761,407 0 0 940,586 0 0
Totals			6,763,908 13 3	279,031 17 11	441,757 14 8	3,325,014 6 4	23,542,867 10 11	17,561,551 18 9	51,914,132 1 10

ASSETS.

ABBLIO,											
Banks.	Coined Gold and Silver and other Coined Metals.	in	Bills of other	Balances due from other Banks.	Landed Property.	Notes and Bills discounted.	Colonial Government Securities.	Legal-tender Notes of other Banks.	Debts due to Bank, exclusive of Debts abandoned as bad.	Securities not included under other Heads.	Total Assets.
Bank of New Zealand	£ s. d.	£ s. d. 3.964 14 1	£ s. d. 185,600 8 7	£ 8. d.			,	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d. 26,924,096 13 10
Union Bank of Australia, Limited		3,458 0 0	87,555 0 0		205,965 16 11 30,000 0 0		3,127,655 11 9 51,574 0 0		18,251,823 18 9 5,509,660 0 0	72,223 0 0	6,990,426 0 0
Bank of New South Wales Bank of Australasia	1,239,346 5 11 961,537 12 4	4,600 12 9	780 11 2 51,477 13 10		142,148 8 11 117.078 9 1		816,435 19 0 154,763 1 11		4,588,470 9 3 5,506,484 8 0		7,773,791 17 7 7,180,591 18 7
National Bank of N.Z., Limited	1,044,171 0 (660 0 0	154,136 0 0	••	278,719 0 0	195,396 0 0	904,798 0 0	2,538 0 0	7,148,485 0 0	25,964 0 0	9,754,867 0 0
Commercial Bank of Australia, Limited	<u>-</u>		26,240 0 0		76,700 0 0			86,459 0 0	765,755 0 0		1,132,178 0 0
Totals	7,871,425 15 2	12,683 6 10	505,789 13 7	709,833 8 7	850,611 14 11	1,660,337 10 5	5,061,326 12 8	539,591 18 8	41,770,678 16 0	773,672 13 2	59,755,951 10 0

CAPITAL AND PROFITS.

Banks.	Capital paid up.	Rate per Annum of Last Dividend.	Amount of Last Dividend declared. Amount of Reserved Profits at Time of declaring such Divided declaring such Din
Bank of New Zealand— 4-per-cent, stock guaranteed by the Government of N.Z Preference "A" shares issued to the Crown under Bank of New Zealand Act, 1920 Preference "B" shares issued to the Crown under Bank of New Zealand Act, 1920 Ordinary shares Union Bank of Australia, Limited Bank of New South Wales Bank of Australasia National Bank of New Zealand, Limited	500,000 0 0 625,000 0 0 2,250,000 0 0 3,000,000 0 0 5,864,360 0 0 4,000,000 0 0	Interest for six months, paid 1st November, 1922	\$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc
$ \begin{array}{ccc} \textbf{Commercial Bank of Australia, Limited} & \textbf{Ordinary} & \dots \\ \textbf{Preference} & \dots \\ \end{array} $		Fifteen per cent. per annum for half-year	$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$

The Treasury, Wellington, 16th January, 1923

J. J. ESSON, Secretary to the Treasury.