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## BALANCE-SHEET

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AS AT

31st MARCH, 1925.

Laid before both Houses of the General Assembly in pursuance of Section 24 of the Bank of New Zealand and Banking Act Amendment Act, 1898.

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	500,000 0 0		Government notesCommonwealth, Fijian, and Samoan Administration	: :	
Preference " 5" ruly paid \$1 shares issued to the New Caland Government 1,00 Crdinary shares of £1, fully paid 3,00	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	ā.029.988 10 6	Avoves or other banks (legal vender)	:::	40,000 10 0 57,216 12 0 14,634 7 8
New Share Account	::	554,465 7 4 2,325,000 0 0		5,427,164 10 2 5,350,731 5 8	
Notes in circulation	•••	101	New Zealand Government securities	:	$\begin{array}{c} 10,777,895 15 10 \\ 4,466,958 10 \\ 3 \end{array}$
Balance due to other banks Balance due to other liabilities (including provision for con-	:		Australian Government securities.	::	1,239,69619 8 1,029,187 10 1
tingencies)	::	3,615,009 10 9 426,000 0 0	Bills discounted Other advances and debts due to the bank, after	:	1,285,099 15 8
London Office acceptances under credits	::	273, 132 3 2 1,042,465 16 1	deducting provision for bad and doubtful dehts	::	$19,329,186  5  10 \\ 1,464,443  12  7 \\ 1$
			Landed property, premises, &c Labilities of customers for acceptances, <i>per contra</i>	::	437,760 9 2 273,132 3 2
		£47,557,730 1 1			£47,557,730 l l

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This is the balance-sheet referred to in the certificate on attached Profit and Loss Statement, marked "B."-A. P. GREEN, Chief Auditor.

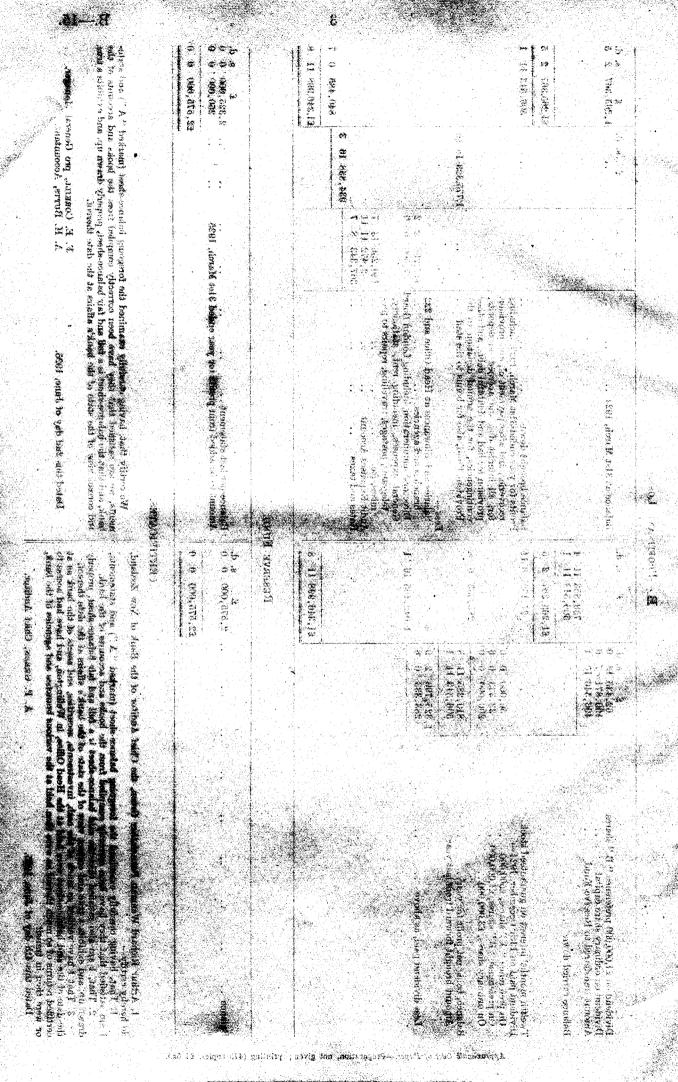
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Balance at 31st March, 1924			Balance brought down Profits for year ended 31st March, 1925, including recoveries, and after payment of, and provision for, all interest due and accrued on deposits, provision for bad and doubtful debts, and other	contingencies, for the annual donation to the Provident Fund, also for bonus to the staff	Less	telegrams, postages, travelling, repairs to pre- mises, we			ŪND.	Balance per last statement Amount to be added from profits for year ended 31st March, 1925		CERTIFICATES. saland, We certify that, having carefully examined the foregoing balance-sheet (marked "A") and state- ments, we are satisfied that having carefully examined the foregoing balance-sheet (marked "A") and state- ments, we are satisfied that they have been correctly compiled from the books and accounts of the ments, we are satisfied that the balance-sheet is a full and fair balance-sheet, properly drawn up, and exhibits a true operly and correct view of the bank's affairs at the date thereof. Thereof. F. E. CORKILL, pro General Manager. bank, bank, bank, bank, bank, bank, barrs, Accountant.
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