

STATEMENT FOR THE PRESS

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BANK DEBITS

Volume of business for the week ending December 21 shows an increase of over \$1,000,000,000, or about 12 per cent, compared with the preceding week. The aggregate for the week under review, \$9,184,000,000, as against \$8,181,000,000 the week before, reflects the briskness of holiday trade. All the leading centers participated in the increase. The statement is based on total debits to individual accounts reported to the Federal Reserve Board for banks in 158 leading clearing house centers,

As compared with the week ending December 22, 1920, the volume of business for the report week was smaller by \$891,000,000, or 9 per cent. For New York City the lag between the week in 1921 and in 1920 was only 5 per cent. All the other centers, except Los Angeles, report substantially smaller totals of debits than for the corresponding week last year.

DEBITS TO INDIVIDUAL ACCOUNTS AT CLEARING HOUSE BANKS
 SUMMARY BY FEDERAL RESERVE DISTRICTS

Federal Reserve District	: Number of : : centers : : included :	Week ending		
		Dec. 21, 1921	Dec. 14, 1921	Dec. 22, 1920
(In thousands of dollars)				
No. 1 Boston	14	434,169	375,380	505,914
2 New York	7	5,092,370	4,600,420	5,399,147
3 Philadelphia	11	435,064	364,700	484,133
4 Cleveland	13	453,256	379,358	598,225
5 Richmond	9	230,051	218,353	235,281
6 Atlanta	15	201,739	174,471	228,450
7 Chicago	23	1,043,432	902,896	1,176,144
8 St. Louis	5	202,924	179,453	231,154
9 Minneapolis	12	133,902	133,107	167,727
10 Kansas City	16	236,540	221,351	286,188
11 Dallas	13	158,315	141,010	172,833
12 San Francisco	20	562,491	489,808	589,336
TOTAL	158	9,184,253	8,181,307	10,074,532

REPORTING CENTERS BY FEDERAL RESERVE DISTRICTS
 (In thousands of dollars)

DISTRICT No. 1 - BOSTON

Bangor	4,483	3,578	4,279
Boston	(*275,540) 364,359	(*241,264) 318,886	318,997
Fall River	7,964	4,500	8,375
Hartford	21,965	21,209	27,189
Holyoke	3,311	2,328	3,951
Lowell	5,183	5,051	6,154
Manchester	4,965	5,728	4,900
New Bedford	8,152	6,785	6,859
New Haven	17,658	16,513	21,313
Portland	7,815	6,307	9,731
Providence	37,684	29,699	44,771
Springfield	14,992	11,724	17,818
Waterbury	7,034	5,042	10,889
Worcester	17,422	14,552	20,688

DISTRICT No. 2 - NEW YORK

Albany	22,939	22,572	25,134
Binghamton	3,873	3,914	5,036
Buffalo	63,268	57,271	79,088
New York	4,949,793	4,470,028	5,226,247
Passaic	7,361	5,350	5,843
Rochester	30,814	29,435	38,112
Syracuse	14,322	11,850	19,687

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	Week ending		
	Dec. 21, 1921	Dec. 14, 1921	Dec. 22, 1920
	(In thousands of dollars)		
DISTRICT No. 3 - PHILADELPHIA			
Altoona	3,068	3,108	3,762
Chester	5,170	3,686	5,949
Harrisburg	8,362	6,978	8,639
Johnstown	5,158	4,452	-
Lancaster	5,319	4,728	5,587
Philadelphia	356,665	295,669	392,833
Reading	7,986	7,142	-
Scranton	16,758	15,414	17,167
Trenton	13,593	11,601	18,032
Wilkes-Barre	9,998	9,048	8,944
Williamsport	4,541	4,633	5,824
Wilmington	7,300	5,993	12,172
York	4,290	3,842	5,224
DISTRICT No. 4 - CLEVELAND			
Akron	13,758	10,198	18,020
Cincinnati	75,441	60,607	-
Cleveland	144,371	115,502	192,633
Columbus	30,648	26,417	36,234
Dayton	12,728	12,852	11,783
Erie	6,357	7,062	8,664
Greensburg	6,270	4,347	6,940
Lexington	4,208	3,856	4,516
Oil City	2,994	2,456	3,933
Pittsburgh	173,251	144,867	251,211
Springfield	3,630	3,297	3,974
Toledo	35,417	30,975	33,895
Wheeling	9,309	7,358	10,665
Youngstown	10,315	10,171	15,757
DISTRICT No. 5 - RICHMOND			
Baltimore	109,915	100,000	115,380
Charleston	6,960	5,109	6,459
Charlotte	7,704	6,013	6,866
Columbia	5,029	4,690	5,354
Greenville, S. C.	3,744	3,912	-
Huntington	5,791	4,435	7,462
Norfolk	15,904	17,265	16,922
Raleigh	3,100	3,900	5,050
Richmond	31,115	32,387	31,651
Washington	44,533	44,554	40,137
Wilmington	5,468	4,663	-
DISTRICT No. 6 - ATLANTA			
Atlanta	30,993	24,629	28,908
Augusta	8,115	5,379	7,202
Birmingham	16,453	15,331	20,039
Chattanooga	9,114	8,112	11,911
Jacksonville	11,976	9,767	13,844
Knoxville	6,657	6,163	7,271
Macon	4,980	3,923	5,758
Mobile	6,676	6,179	8,024
Montgomery	4,414	3,883	4,526
Nashville	15,765	14,823	21,203
New Orleans	66,514	57,472	76,606
Pensacola	1,452	1,626	1,952
Savannah	12,109	9,599	13,511
Tampa	4,910	5,902	6,143
Vicksburg	1,611	1,683	1,552

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Week ending

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Dec. 22, 1920

(In thousands of dollars)

DISTRICT No. 7 - CHICAGO

Bay City	2,987	2,531	3,884
Bloomington	2,454	2,230	2,539
Cedar Rapids	8,898	9,623	12,219
Chicago	675,522	596,510	767,708
Davenport	7,045	6,076	7,238
Decatur	3,290	3,242	3,556
Des Moines	16,057	16,175	16,820
Detroit	144,503	103,204	166,277
Dubuque	2,858	2,401	3,412
Flint	5,425	4,183	5,810
Ft. Wayne	8,468	7,044	8,506
Grand Rapids	25,526	21,828	19,826
Indianapolis	36,058	34,130	38,054
Jackson	4,332	3,217	4,118
Kalamazoo	5,546	4,207	5,682
Lansing	5,019	4,188	5,147
Milwaukee	58,659	53,291	68,505
Moline	2,052	1,578	3,376
Peoria	8,709	7,824	9,172
Rockford	4,522	4,108	6,308
Sioux City	6,806	6,856	11,538
South Bend	6,027	6,089	3,384
Springfield, Ill.	5,888	5,376	-
Waterloo	2,669	2,361	3,065

DISTRICT No. 8 - ST. LOUIS

East St. Louis and Nat'l Stock Yards	8,055	9,514	-
Evansville	5,281	4,660	5,267
Little Rock	11,211	10,044	13,525
Louisville (*23,892)	30,420	(*24,560) 32,432	30,919
Memphis	27,453	26,293	29,075
Quincy	2,242	2,245	-
St. Louis (*135,087)	148,986	(*113,896) 127,162	152,368
Springfield, Mo.	3,278	2,891	-

DISTRICT No. 9 - MINNEAPOLIS

Aberdeen	1,706	1,221	1,585
Billings	1,684	1,827	2,021
Duluth	15,995	19,682	26,778
Fargo	2,461	2,464	2,634
Grand Forks	1,531	1,678	1,456
Great Falls	1,379	1,694	2,738
Helena	3,435	3,647	2,972
Minneapolis	69,482	65,886	83,822
St. Paul	29,565	28,257	35,414
Sioux Falls	3,858	4,000	4,500
Superior	1,774	1,724	2,427
Winona	1,032	1,027	1,380

DISTRICT No. 10 - KANSAS CITY

Atchison	1,295	1,289	1,368
Bartlesville	1,972	2,416	3,142
Cheyenne	2,276	1,943	2,001
Colorado Springs	2,535	3,045	2,866
Denver	36,200	31,678	45,846
Joplin	2,444	2,322	2,848
Kansas City, Kans.	3,946	3,250	4,484
Kansas City, Mo.	68,889	64,355	85,602
Muskogee	3,703	3,045	5,848
Oklahoma City	18,851	17,470	22,858
Omaha	37,521	36,270	46,301
Pueblo	4,969	2,979	6,319
St. Joseph	16,368	16,361	17,531
Topeka	3,997	5,051	2,526
Tulsa	22,199	21,200	27,083
Wichita	9,375	8,677	9,565

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DISTRICT No. 11 - DALLAS			
Albuquerque	1,937	1,580	1,978
Austin	2,196	2,983	3,663
Beaumont	3,673	3,209	4,625
Dallas	40,312	33,549	42,095
El Paso	7,678	7,297	10,990
Ft. Worth	31,246	31,312	24,877
Galveston	16,012	16,169	24,824
Houston	33,257	23,626	35,479
San Antonio	6,783	6,877	8,096
Shreveport	7,727	6,946	8,687
Texarkana, Tex.	2,003	2,262	1,800
Tucson	1,659	1,622	1,394
Waco	3,832	3,578	4,325
DISTRICT No. 12 - SAN FRANCISCO			
Berkeley	3,673	3,904	2,994
Boise	2,901	2,851	3,539
Fresno	12,929	14,017	10,988
Long Beach	6,164	6,915	5,637
Los Angeles	140,442	116,726	120,913
Oakland	23,791	20,136	24,429
Ogden	3,360	3,426	8,185
Pasadena	4,724	3,939	6,254
Portland	32,500	32,632	41,513
Reno	2,632	2,366	3,026
Sacramento	17,617	19,285	15,133
Salt Lake City	27,520	18,055	26,992
San Diego	9,081	9,398	7,422
San Francisco	204,795	169,374	238,885
San Jose	4,117	6,896	4,677
Seattle	37,150	31,615	36,870
Spokane	10,887	10,369	12,991
Stockton	5,462	5,947	5,585
Tacoma	9,617	9,018	10,463
Yakima	3,129	2,939	2,840