

For immediate release

BANK DEBITS--DEBITS TO DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS EXCEPT INTERBANK ACCOUNTS

Bank debits as reported by banks in 334 leading centers for the month of September aggregated 71,172 million dollars. During the past three months total debits for the same centers amounted to 223,543 million dollars or 5 per cent above the total reported for the corresponding period a year ago. At banks in New York City there was an increase of 12 per cent compared with the corresponding three-months period a year ago, and at the 333 other centers there was an increase of 1 per cent.

SUMMARY BY FEDERAL RESERVE DISTRICTS
(In millions of dollars)

Federal Reserve District	September 1945	September 1944	3 months ended --	
			Sept. 1945	Sept. 1944
Boston	3,153	3,103	10,017	9,376
New York	30,678	29,109	98,413	88,357
Philadelphia	2,971	3,075	9,496	9,291
Cleveland	4,308	4,746	13,794	14,201
Richmond	2,843	2,701	8,299	7,827
Atlanta	2,421	2,457	7,366	7,306
Chicago	10,161	10,902	30,999	33,315
St. Louis	1,923	2,007	6,052	5,950
Minneapolis	1,654	1,430	4,509	4,112
Kansas City	2,420	2,383	7,693	7,313
Dallas	2,054	2,094	6,323	6,144
San Francisco	6,585	6,382	20,582	19,229
Total, 334 centers	71,172	70,389	223,543	212,422
New York City*	28,545	26,860	91,523	81,499
140 other centers*	35,721	36,765	110,774	110,685
193 other centers	6,906	6,764	21,246	20,238

DEBITS BY BANKS IN EACH REPORTING CENTER
(In thousands of dollars)

		September 1945	September 1944	3 months ended --	
				Sept. 1945	Sept. 1944
DISTRICT NO. 1 - BOSTON					
Hartford*	Conn.	306,315	365,164	1,053,179	1,127,596
New Haven*	"	140,710	122,933	394,413	371,068
New London	"	17,447	18,794	51,709	54,611
Waterbury*	"	43,197	51,932	135,241	157,984
Bangor*	Maine	29,557	25,188	84,666	72,543
Lewiston-Auburn	"	16,855	15,037	49,618	45,529
Portland	"	62,957	69,715	194,755	208,497
Boston*	Mass.	1,834,561	1,761,134	5,914,538	5,353,130
Brockton	"	29,634	24,099	89,789	69,183
Fall River*	"	31,727	29,753	96,525	87,058
Holyoke*	"	24,860	18,913	64,028	55,526
Lowell*	"	20,849	25,060	67,565	72,184
Lynn	"	28,969	28,154	85,446	83,486
New Bedford*	"	34,196	32,693	103,505	94,825
Pittsfield	"	22,164	19,030	65,988	56,025
Springfield	"	107,159	113,274	338,247	337,341
Worcester*	"	92,709	90,293	283,657	264,582
Concord	N. H.	15,521	13,751	49,295	41,684
Manchester	"	27,605	26,068	82,065	75,613
Providence*	R. I.	248,472	236,421	760,326	699,294
Burlington	Vt.	17,186	15,580	52,342	48,734

*Included in the national series covering 141 centers, available beginning in 1919.

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(In thousands of dollars)

		September 1945	September 1944	3 months ended --	
				Sept. 1945	Sept. 1944
DISTRICT NO. 2 - NEW YORK					
Bridgeport	Conn.	100,823	122,990	318,542	351,022
Stamford	"	30,247	28,702	99,225	93,953
Jersey City	N. J.	205,118	199,618	619,088	599,100
Montclair	"	17,970	16,098	55,131	49,063
Newark	"	525,481	584,304	1,724,970	1,724,820
Passaic* r/	"	49,786	54,518	159,367	161,251
Paterson	"	85,953	82,300	277,647	257,733
Albany*	N. Y.	197,057	221,515	760,074	785,331
Binghamton*	"	41,753	39,662	125,139	117,515
Buffalo*	"	359,834	396,783	1,120,464	1,185,469
Elmira	"	34,636	30,893	98,545	90,652
Jamestown	"	22,710	24,402	67,797	67,582
New York*	"	28,545,117	26,860,152	91,522,699	81,499,462
Poughkeepsie	"	22,443	22,102	70,918	68,951
Rochester*	"	216,804	209,739	709,115	626,562
Schenectady	"	45,276	47,520	148,228	171,165
Syracuse*	"	131,298	119,121	394,438	359,891
Utica	"	45,521	48,972	141,865	147,294
DISTRICT NO. 3 - PHILADELPHIA					
Wilmington*	Del.	187,853	195,778	565,297	562,151
Atlantic City	N. J.	36,547	28,808	119,234	96,133
Camden	"	76,099	86,332	238,691	247,645
Trenton*	"	86,279	117,606	347,721	364,759
Allentown	Penna.	40,606	40,751	129,781	123,274
Altoona*	"	17,018	16,206	57,497	48,186
Bethlehem	"	23,227	25,192	75,974	79,100
Chester*	"	33,919	43,244	114,099	130,520
Harrisburg	"	61,181	64,433	192,364	198,949
Hazleton	"	16,740	16,216	49,520	46,603
Johnstown	"	24,045	24,032	77,340	73,507
Lancaster*	"	41,022	54,660	126,003	156,824
Lebanon	"	12,662	12,149	38,871	36,008
Norristown	"	16,609	15,689	51,153	47,427
Philadelphia*	"	2,061,678	2,080,727	6,610,345	6,392,177
Reading	"	49,547	59,576	165,653	171,661
Scranton*	"	81,764	91,197	206,100	206,775
Wilkes-Barre*	"	37,623	38,251	119,035	115,503
Williamsport*	"	17,097	17,113	52,724	51,511
York*	"	49,361	47,277	158,299	141,984
DISTRICT NO. 4 - CLEVELAND					
Covington-Newport	Ky.	26,160	23,888	79,762	73,741
Lexington*	"	33,539	29,040	104,237	85,662
Akron*	Ohio	170,465	178,979	551,711	549,774
Canton	"	68,805	32,417	230,304	251,999
Cincinnati	"	580,375	596,877	1,855,901	1,790,994
Cleveland*	"	1,176,123	1,331,061	3,787,059	4,012,095
Columbus*	"	328,829	300,413	974,123	930,941
Dayton*	"	133,951	142,654	425,189	422,004
Hamilton	"	20,853	20,464	67,182	59,217
Lima	"	24,923	29,247	79,062	85,225
Lorain	"	9,634	8,453	27,654	25,419
Mansfield	"	22,849	22,639	68,743	67,530
Middletown	"	18,506	18,884	55,528	56,412
Portsmouth	"	13,297	12,172	38,673	35,417
Springfield*	"	29,923	33,812	93,867	98,421
Steubenville	"	15,904	14,384	48,367	42,466
Toledo*	"	219,528	262,905	714,931	811,833
Warren	"	21,343	23,217	66,119	72,809
Youngstown*	"	86,163	89,503	261,124	264,481
Zanesville	"	15,487	13,033	44,241	40,433

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DEBITS BY BANKS IN EACH REPORTING CENTER

(In thousands of dollars)

		September 1945	September 1944	3 months ended --	
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DISTRICT NO. 4 - CLEVELAND (Cont'd)					
Butler	Penna.	18,479	18,548	58,156	54,476
Erie*	"	54,719	66,074	184,635	186,743
Franklin	"	6,259	6,301	17,757	18,420
Greensburg*	"	12,029	12,558	38,144	37,560
Homestead	"	5,105	4,868	15,791	15,156
Oil City*	"	15,543	16,172	45,311	46,267
Pittsburgh*	"	1,123,581	1,329,040	3,678,818	3,881,389
Sharon	"	15,202	16,235	50,222	49,188
Wheeling*	W. Va.	40,540	42,231	130,983	134,794
DISTRICT NO. 5 - RICHMOND					
Washington	D. C.	547,008	466,968	1,617,103	1,412,887
Baltimore*	Md.	747,881	720,181	2,225,848	2,222,209
Cumberland	"	14,146	13,993	44,026	41,327
Frederick	"	11,596	12,465	36,089	36,643
Hagerstown	"	16,759	17,732	50,553	49,333
Asheville	N. C.	28,190	25,167	84,270	74,489
Charlotte*	"	131,799	147,519	397,181	380,687
Durham	"	125,788	97,572	314,827	262,878
Greensboro	"	39,461	35,244	115,302	97,553
Kinston	"	27,403	24,159	51,194	41,376
Raleigh*	"	51,498	44,889	158,541	146,248
Wilmington	"	35,079	38,918	105,358	113,012
Wilson	"	35,461	31,767	65,049	48,239
Winston-Salem	"	78,322	69,591	219,309	203,053
Charleston	S. C.	36,843	37,903	114,176	109,390
Columbia*	"	48,058	48,169	151,611	152,452
Greenville*	"	39,282	40,662	117,518	110,109
Spartanburg	"	24,037	22,761	74,519	67,296
Charlottesville	Va.	20,879	16,726	64,556	49,289
Danville	"	26,975	19,964	63,674	50,946
Lynchburg	"	21,839	22,102	65,091	61,858
Newport News	"	21,150	30,098	63,653	74,940
Norfolk*	"	112,009	116,559	336,344	345,988
Portsmouth	"	15,619	15,024	48,075	46,917
Richmond*	"	363,330	373,700	1,038,864	996,403
Roanoke	"	44,749	44,731	131,105	123,432
Bluefield	W. Va.	24,048	25,110	70,192	71,891
Charleston	"	82,929	75,814	255,911	241,337
Clarksburg	"	17,967	16,181	54,162	47,146
Huntington	"	35,409	32,363	110,923	98,131
Parkersburg	"	17,353	16,634	54,361	49,788
DISTRICT NO. 6 - ATLANTA					
Anniston	Ala.	15,302	19,626	50,435	53,162
Birmingham*	"	189,710	187,777	558,522	532,454
Dothan	"	8,589	7,641	22,777	20,035
Gadsden	"	10,602	11,555	31,102	30,909
Mobile*	"	92,790	122,170	295,924	348,825
Montgomery*	"	41,847	38,494	115,594	107,927
Jacksonville*	Fla.	151,891	158,049	483,162	496,635
Miami	"	121,890	104,131	378,944	329,548
Orlando	"	24,797	23,453	79,180	71,280
Pensacola*	"	31,168	24,366	85,593	71,812
St. Petersburg	"	27,938	20,431	78,562	62,100
Tampa*	"	68,924	71,002	207,897	217,473
Albany	Ga.	9,208	8,907	26,282	25,732
Atlanta*	"	456,666	462,732	1,405,745	1,398,825
Augusta*	"	33,254	34,108	99,062	102,200
Brunswick	"	9,333	13,888	31,964	41,996
Columbus	"	35,968	32,779	105,648	95,783
Elberton	"	2,335	2,105	6,003	5,623
Macon*	"	42,421	43,828	127,801	131,975
Newnan	"	4,379	4,483	15,972	13,106
Savannah*	"	70,957	90,831	214,421	277,859
Valdosta	"	7,382	7,124	38,609	29,666

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DISTRICT NO. 6 - ATLANTA (Cont'd)					
Baton Rouge	La.	41,386	37,562	125,077	116,045
Lake Charles	"	18,226	16,391	51,548	49,106
New Orleans*	"	412,187	444,240	1,232,691	1,280,467
Hattiesburg	Miss.	13,551	13,742	35,540	39,382
Jackson	"	65,082	56,270	194,024	169,147
Meridian	"	20,182	17,390	54,227	49,153
Vicksburg*	"	15,036	18,715	45,663	56,895
Chattanooga*	Tenn.	84,158	82,084	252,622	250,966
Knoxville*	"	112,071	108,279	345,244	314,798
Nashville*	"	182,162	172,509	569,817	515,162
DISTRICT NO. 7 - CHICAGO					
Aurora	Ill.	19,506	19,295	57,683	60,817
Bloomington*	"	24,052	20,711	70,123	64,046
Champaign-Urbana	"	17,374	15,346	53,288	46,764
Chicago*	"	5,620,581	5,717,695	16,672,154	17,608,890
Danville	"	18,326	17,111	56,545	53,130
Decatur*	"	33,417	35,772	105,651	108,955
Elgin	"	12,978	12,282	39,258	38,724
Joliet	"	30,538	30,729	95,906	89,640
Moline	"	13,822	14,066	41,607	42,634
Peoria*	"	117,690	111,192	354,324	341,550
Rockford*	"	54,313	60,220	165,632	180,552
Springfield	"	42,292	40,163	125,129	121,319
Fort Wayne*	Ind.	63,938	72,926	206,455	216,523
Gary	"	30,050	29,115	98,151	88,679
Hammond r/	"	15,902	15,275	49,323	45,544
Indianapolis*	"	365,966	384,088	1,182,591	1,190,762
Lafayette	"	16,813	16,238	52,392	51,209
Muncie	"	23,081	26,534	73,796	80,345
South Bend*	"	71,257	71,947	225,422	198,778
Terre Haute	"	42,991	36,388	131,076	112,912
Burlington	Iowa	11,086	14,235	37,633	41,324
Cedar Rapids*	"	48,244	45,176	138,716	135,888
Clinton	"	11,461	11,078	33,627	31,275
Davenport*	"	39,612	41,184	116,554	122,221
Des Moines*	"	191,313	179,132	578,604	489,947
Dubuque*	"	19,829	19,431	60,179	59,359
Mason City	"	14,790	14,565	46,234	45,853
Muscatine	"	8,688	7,556	25,006	21,349
Ottumwa	"	15,554	17,343	49,668	53,910
Sioux City*	"	85,544	73,865	257,562	216,789
Waterloo*	"	29,983	30,639	92,615	92,977

r/ Revised figures:

Passaic, N. J., August 1945, 53,184.

Hammond, Ind.: August 1945, 15,867.

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DISTRICT NO. 7 - CHICAGO (Cont'd)					
Adrian	Mich.	7,979	8,430	25,557	25,023
Battle Creek	"	25,577	24,972	83,088	77,576
Bay City*	"	19,121	23,850	57,333	71,260
Detroit*	"	1,817,150	2,414,358	5,930,005	7,475,338
Flint*	"	46,723	45,559	141,995	147,510
Grand Rapids*	"	97,550	98,110	300,765	296,042
Jackson	"	30,117	45,810	96,986	130,982
Kalamazoo*	"	41,680	38,391	134,027	118,165
Lansing*	"	56,906	67,730	177,122	210,581
Muskegon	"	34,313	45,008	113,024	130,209
Port Huron	"	14,213	17,935	49,153	55,052
Saginaw	"	36,945	37,781	112,679	111,424
Green Bay	Wis.	29,828	27,253	89,303	85,104
Madison	"	55,689	56,749	186,011	176,741
Manitowoc	"	12,759	13,674	40,190	42,868
Milwaukee*	"	636,552	646,881	1,891,086	1,841,729
Oshkosh	"	15,602	15,673	47,614	48,231
Racine	"	37,898	42,875	128,191	121,002
Sheboygan	"	33,317	29,992	101,790	97,525
DISTRICT NO. 8 - ST. LOUIS					
El Dorado	Ark.	10,428	9,582	31,599	28,383
Fort Smith	"	24,387	22,145	70,023	64,327
Helena	"	5,273	4,329	15,459	11,239
Little Rock*	"	81,226	73,426	245,162	205,955
Pine Bluff	"	16,331	18,351	44,881	46,067
Texarkana	"				
(See also Tex.)		7,492	11,540	23,887	33,091
Alton	Ill.	13,290	13,642	43,053	40,768
East St. Louis & Nat'l					
Stock Yards	Ill.	73,146	77,652	216,951	237,904
Quincy	"	16,832	16,689	51,551	50,663
Evansville*	Ind.	73,568	99,742	253,999	314,420
Louisville*	Ky.	315,018	327,356	1,063,020	1,003,464
Owensboro	"	17,785	16,768	54,725	49,074
Paducah	"	8,612	7,916	24,661	23,835
Greenville	Miss.	7,964	9,521	21,766	24,437
Cape Girardeau	Mo.	5,289	4,856	15,848	14,506
Hannibal	"	5,180	4,784	15,278	14,528
Jefferson City	"	28,378	25,845	83,093	76,150
St. Louis*	"	946,257	968,492	2,968,262	2,878,227
Sedalia	"	6,014	5,560	17,838	16,272
Springfield	"	34,797	33,552	103,759	96,743
Jackson	Tenn.	9,706	11,487	26,548	27,448
Memphis*	"	216,526	244,024	661,039	692,361

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DISTRICT NO. 9 - MINNEAPOLIS					
Duluth*	Minn.	105,625	100,839	265,972	273,250
Mankato	"	9,916	8,239	30,028	25,959
Minneapolis*	"	325,961	703,234	2,186,443	1,982,344
Red Wing	"	3,263	2,623	9,368	8,137
Rochester	"	12,413	11,552	35,175	32,814
St. Cloud	"	7,548	7,137	22,123	20,729
St. Paul*	"	363,689	299,456	1,006,926	884,043
South St. Paul	"	41,250	42,665	119,497	122,146
Winona	"	10,938	10,286	32,763	32,164
Billings*	Mont.	23,201	21,207	67,394	60,303
Butte	"	26,684	25,680	76,022	75,692
Great Falls	"	30,082	25,612	79,553	68,027
Helena*	"	14,951	13,000	45,562	41,068
Bismarck	N. Dak.	17,452	15,644	59,241	54,067
Dickinson	"	3,276	3,370	9,238	9,078
Fargo*	"	35,143	29,140	99,457	92,262
Grand Forks*	"	10,887	11,269	30,645	31,906
Jamestown	"	3,875	3,285	11,201	9,622
Minot	"	11,167	9,107	30,474	27,476
Aberdeen*	S. Dak.	13,502	11,164	37,586	31,068
Sioux Falls	"	39,369	32,307	121,503	103,840
Eau Claire	Wis.	16,206	15,272	49,992	44,770
La Crosse	"	17,418	15,765	50,690	47,979
Superior*	"	10,179	11,799	32,014	33,635
DISTRICT NO. 10 - KANSAS CITY					
Colorado Springs*	Colo.	23,715	21,988	73,678	69,799
Denver*	"	296,814	283,472	892,099	814,298
Grand Junction	"	7,732	7,082	20,354	19,600
Greeley	"	11,083	10,543	29,152	26,496
Pueblo*	"	20,898	20,845	69,577	65,796
Atchison	Kans.	6,001	5,987	20,534	19,050
Emporia	"	6,455	6,434	19,241	20,056
Hutchinson	"	25,219	22,369	99,709	86,040
Independence	"	4,477	3,413	13,386	12,272
Kansas City*	"	36,341	37,633	111,929	115,823
Lawrence	"	8,209	6,588	24,767	21,432
Pittsburg	"	6,993	6,532	19,675	19,272
Salina	"	20,913	20,074	85,550	82,422
Topeka*	"	53,703	47,451	177,813	160,990
Wichita*	"	178,582	200,353	601,736	612,680
Joplin*	Mo.	18,653	16,834	53,136	49,207
Kansas City*	"	651,544	650,208	2,108,803	2,037,607
St. Joseph*	"	60,447	53,771	173,446	160,550
Fremont	Neb.	7,283	6,958	20,529	19,216
Grand Island	"	14,071	13,027	40,698	37,482
Lincoln	"	49,800	43,048	153,380	151,640
Omaha*	"	337,632	321,859	1,043,411	959,537
Albuquerque*	N. M.	39,608	30,224	122,462	92,952
Bartlesville*	Okla.	44,085	43,402	134,725	126,513
Enid	"	23,086	20,104	101,186	85,280
Guthrie	"	2,844	2,595	7,586	7,206
Muskogee*	"	14,326	14,842	45,516	43,509
Oklahoma City*	"	168,951	175,136	534,165	532,946
Okmulgee	"	3,939	3,136	12,670	9,497
Tulsa*	"	248,050	259,566	795,700	770,934
Casper	Wyo.	10,850	10,249	35,151	31,468
Cheyenne	"	18,018	17,150	51,557	51,822

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DISTRICT NO. 11 - DALLAS					
Tucson*	Ariz.	31,124	25,689	92,429	79,645
Monroe	La.	18,549	19,221	51,655	52,704
Shreveport*	"	76,547	82,141	223,739	231,976
Roswell	N. M.	8,285	7,496	25,383	23,631
Abilene	Tex.	17,200	18,082	50,021	52,929
Amarillo	"	41,056	42,318	137,562	135,693
Austin*	"	71,147	78,654	199,443	224,016
Beaumont*	"	53,950	56,653	168,226	164,930
Corpus Christi	"	59,488	50,569	185,268	152,487
Corsicana	"	6,883	6,372	18,579	18,437
Dallas*	"	491,147	549,630	1,597,588	1,567,364
El Paso*	"	58,510	50,029	171,048	147,822
Fort Worth*	"	193,128	246,740	599,594	667,141
Galveston	"	41,792	43,960	134,384	132,862
Houston*	"	559,987	522,846	1,678,973	1,592,043
Laredo	"	11,199	10,920	35,697	33,148
Lubbock	"	27,532	26,007	82,231	73,640
Port Arthur	"	20,722	22,103	65,056	68,686
San Angelo	"	18,959	15,389	53,886	45,795
San Antonio	"	155,427	136,139	478,564	427,831
Texarkana*	"				
(See also Ark.)		9,673	8,605	27,400	25,196
Tyler	"	23,650	21,960	72,382	67,163
Waco*	"	27,736	27,367	81,825	79,953
Wichita Falls	"	30,239	25,059	92,402	78,735
DISTRICT NO. 12 - SAN FRANCISCO					
Phoenix	Ariz.	93,463	89,360	304,810	284,525
Bakersfield	Calif.	38,480	25,274	126,745	83,840
Berkeley	"	48,118	57,206	136,760	164,776
Fresno*	"	74,562	76,671	218,053	203,481
Long Beach*	"	101,308	115,184	335,102	365,496
Los Angeles*	"	1,998,903	1,779,575	6,480,564	5,490,183
Oakland*	"	335,719	356,119	1,082,207	1,049,885
Pasadena*	"	65,112	46,803	207,664	142,592
Riverside	"	27,197	24,868	83,011	78,925
Sacramento*	"	197,045	231,642	704,791	669,113
San Bernardino	"	28,825	20,607	92,212	71,209
San Diego*	"	180,360	212,031	601,554	692,466
San Francisco*	"	1,708,637	1,590,497	5,022,239	4,776,746
San Jose	"	75,897	85,631	244,906	233,977
Santa Barbara	"	22,023	20,233	65,628	59,531
Santa Rosa	"	17,768	11,972	52,090	35,851
Stockton*	"	52,184	37,746	168,586	114,267
Boise*	Idaho	42,602	36,091	124,728	114,207
Reno*	Nev.	29,408	23,325	82,533	71,243
Eugene	Ore.	29,173	23,264	80,936	67,287
Portland*	"	411,439	436,773	1,241,424	1,259,239
Salem	"	34,994	32,365	101,948	95,418
Ogden*	Utah	40,223	38,691	115,807	123,386
Salt Lake City*	"	121,080	115,676	360,577	356,026
Bellingham	Wash.	15,131	14,915	44,258	44,735
Everett	"	20,255	19,801	62,384	61,369
Seattle*	"	514,431	579,067	1,664,031	1,759,968
Spokane*	"	102,891	115,609	287,527	295,258
Tacoma*	"	101,958	108,746	334,380	315,501
Walla Walla	"	17,891	18,815	52,042	51,133
Yakima*	"	38,333	37,368	102,086	97,563