## STATEMENT FOR THE PRESS

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## CONDITION OF MEMBER BANKS IN LEADING CITIES.

Aggregate increases of \$34,000,000 in loans secured by corporate obligations, reported largely by member banks outside of New York City, fully offset by reductions in loans on Government paper and in other loans and discounts, largely of a commercial and industrial character, are indicated in the Federal Reserve Board's weekly statement of condition on April 26 of 801 member banks in leading cities. Under the general head of investments an increase of \$32,000,000 in U. S. bonds and reductions of \$20,000,000 in Treasury certificates and of \$6,000,000 in other Government obligations and corporate securities are noted. Since the beginning of the year investments of the reporting member banks in U. S. bonds have increased by about \$150,000,000, investments in other Government securities - by over \$100,000,000, and those in corporate securities - by less than \$50,000,000, while their loans have decreased by about \$375,000,000.

Government deposits show a reduction of \$35,000,000 for the week, as against increases of \$47,000,000 in other demand deposits (net) and of \$11,000,000 in time deposits. Total borrowings of the reporting banks from the reserve banks declined from \$210,000,000 to \$159,000,000, or from 1.4 to 1.1 per cent of the banks' combined loans and investments. For member banks in New York City a reduction from \$21,000,000 to \$8,000,000 in total borrowings from the local reserve bank and from 0.4 to 0.2 per cent in the ratio of their borrowings to their loans and investments is shown.

Reserve balances of the reporting institutions declined by \$19,000,000, and cash in vault - by \$2,000,000.

Following is a statement of changes in the principal items, as compared with a week and a year ago:

	Increase or Decrease In millions of dollars since					
	April 19, 1922 April 27, 1921					
Loans and discounts - total Secured by U. S. Government obligations Secured by stocks and bonds All other	Decr. 1,402 Decr. 5 Decr. 385 Inc. 34 Inc. 265 Decr. 29 Decr. 1,282					
Investments, total U. S. bonds Victory notes U. S. Treasury notes Treasury certificates Other stocks and bonds	Inc. 6 Inc. 509 Inc. 32 Inc. 230 Decr. 1 Decr. 110 Decr. 3 Inc. 386 Decr. 20 Decr. 69 Decr. 2 Inc. 72					
Reserve balances with F. R. banks Cash in vault	Decr.       19       Inc.       80         Decr.       2       Decr.       52					
Government deposits Net demand deposits Time deposits	Decr. 35 Decr. 43 Inc. 47 Inc. 538 Inc. 11 Inc. 246					
Total accommodation at F. R. banks	Decr. 51. Decr. 1,364					

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PRINCIPAL RESOURCE AND LIABILITY ITEMS OF REPORTING AND LEADING CITIES.

(Amounts in thousands of dollars)

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Number of reporting banks	April 26, 1922	April 19, 1922	Oct. 26, 1921	April 27, 1921
Loans and discounts, including bills rediscounted with F. R. Bank:  Secured by U. S. Govt. obligations	801	301	809	Z21 ´
becured by stocks and tends (other than II a grantitie )	353,830	358,925	564,818	738,864
and other roams and discounts	3,249,810 <u>7,</u> 242,469	3,215,638	3,040,953	2,984,671
Total loans and discounts	10,846,109	7,271,246	7,816,405	8,524,957
U. S. bonds	•	10,845,859	11,422,176	12,248,492
U. S. Victory notes	1,100,465	1,068,123	885 <b>,</b> 818	e70,337
U. S. Treasury notes	se,097	32 <b>,</b> 853	161,527	192,006
U. S. Certificates of indobtainan	385,779	389,305	111,576	-
U. S. Certificates of indebtedness	158,925	179,153	93,742	<b>2</b> 27 <b>,</b> 739
Other bonds, stocks and securities	2,137,294	2,138,777	2,054,411	2,064,512
Total loans & discounts & invest., including bills redis'd. with F.R.Bk	14,710,669	14,704,075	14,729,250	15,603,086
Reserve balance with F. R. Bank	1,325,346	1,343,583	1,268,844	1,245,389
Net demand deposits	277,638	279,895	300,975	330,015
Time deposits	10,676,347	10,628,997	10,192,114	10,138,258
Government deposits	3,183,745	3,172,586	2,965,968	2,938,468
Bills payable with Federal Reserve Bank.	207,665	<b>2</b> 43 <b>,</b> 260	80 <b>,75</b> 9	251,073
Secured by U. S. Govt. obligations +	57,197 1,002	77,034	224,705	485,834
Bills rediscounted with Federal Reserve Bank: Secured by U. S. Govt. obligations	1,002	488	1,235	1,503
All other	3,005 98,249	3,037 129,102	39,372	188,323
Ratio of bills payable and rediscounts with F. R. Bank to total loans and investments, per cent			541,247	E44,315
	1.1	1.4	5.5	9.8

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PRINCIPAL RESOURCE AND LIABILITY ITEMS OF ALL REPORTING MEMBER BANKS IN EACH FEDERAL RESERVE DISTRICT AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS APRIL 26, 1922. Federal Reserve District (Amounts in thousands of dollars) Boston New York Phila. Number of reporting banks Cleve. Rich. 49 Atlanta Chicago Loans and discounts, including 107 St.Louis Minn. Kans.Cy. Dallas San Fran. 57 85 Total 81 42 109 bills rediscounted with 37 35 79 52 801 F. R. Bank: Secured by U.S.Govt.oblig. 20,714 127,965 32,399 Secured by stocks and bonds 35,640 13,919 211,701 1,499,598 210,889 9,955 58,718 12,806 All other loans & discounts 8,303 11.795 326,903 112,367 16,732 553,020 2,379,379 316,813 353,830 426,514 124,209 31,594 55,846 65,359 Total loans and discounts 632,402 311,249 255,450 1,049,422 279,747 196,053 346,741 188,146 43.103 141,727 3,249,810 785,435 4,006,942 560,101 994,945 437,535 351,251 1,534,654 416,762 235,950 423,895 236,133 704,047 7,242,469 U. S. bonds 65,270 449,927 862,506 10,846,109 U. S. Victory notes 130,413 56,212 24,830 97,705 26,823 21,691 44.971 2,804 41,818 8,855 102,898 1,100,465 6,455 U. S. Treasury notes 1.061 547 5,564 3,221 10,824 246,388 327 1,635 933 15,643 8,877 82,097 25,221 U. S. Certificates of 3,649 1,626 42,286 5,477 7,363 6,123 3,629 17,550 indebtedness 385,779 7,710 55,001 6,977 9,778 Other bonds, stocks & securities 147,228 4,423 5,126 22,414 6,726 6,764 6,153 755,343 173,494 6,232 21,621 158,925 269,626 Total loans and discounts and 49,859 32,213 391,155 74,011 21,959 50,791 7,325 164,290 2,137,294 investments, including bills rediscounted with F.R.Bk. 1,019,271 5,555,419 812,663 1,436,438 552,739 415,593 2,093,776 533,020 294,054 533,566 286,384 1,177,742 14,710,669 Reserve balance with F. R. Bank 79,261 90,789 32,885 29,114 Cash in vault 178,394 43,668 17,699 17,766 41,765 89,708 15,353 24,431 82,233 1,325,346 26,317 13,779 Net demand deposits 9,247 50,624 6,894 6.183 12,195 763,155 4,881,158 649,894 9,308 20,264 277,638 801,881 311,896 237,040 1,336,576 314,652 179,432 400,618 203,908 Time deposits 200,442 596,137 10,676,347 573,154 49,283 470,468 135,674 144,172 Government deposits 659,041 160,195 76,769 109,005 17,346 79,176 14,492 64,021 541,521 3,183,745 19,757 6,316 Bills payable with F.R.Bank: 5,077 26,963 7,366 7,366 4,153 4.183 15,470 207,665 Secured by U.S.Govt.oblig. 1,510 13,969 All other 9,778 5,046 9,073 907 8,767 1,563 576 1,238 350 4,420 Bills rediscounted with F.R.Bank: 500 57,197 134 100 242 Secured by U.S.Govt.oblig. 1,002 26 1,104 A&l other 250 164 388 116 4,934 62 3,867 21,773 15,093 274 3,005 5,384 8,852 5,747 1,797 7,675 3,625 11,110 98,249

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PRINCIPAL RESOURCE AND LIABILITY ITEMS OF REPORTING MEMBER BANKS IN F. R. BANK AND BRANCH CITIES AND IN OTHER SELECTED CITIES.

(Amounts in thousands of dollars)

		(Amour	nts in thous	ands of do	ollars)					
	New York City				All F. R.		F. R.		Other	
	Apr. 26			Chicago	Bank		Branch cit		selected ci	
Number of reporting banks	Apr. 20	Apr. 19 66	Apr. 26 50		-	Apr. 19	Apr. 26 A			pr. 19
Loans and discounts, including	00	00	50	50	273	273	211	211	317	317
bills redis'd.with F. R. Bank:										
Secured by U. S. Govt. oblig.		111,703	47,811	50,147	250,086	250,317	54,055	. 56,879	49,689	51,729
Secured by stocks and bonds	1,316,687		310,389	303,697	2,346,315	2,324,651	468,909	461,596	434,586	429.441
All other loans and discounts	2,098,753		668,433		4,570,249			1,402,230	1,280,276	1,278,018
Total loans and discounts	3,530,950	3,518,982	1,026,633	1,030,229	7,166,650	7,165,966			1,764,551	
U. S. bonds	403,150	393,387	•38,892	36,170	623,604	602,655	239,498	•		233,475
U. S. Victory notes	36,416	36,012	4,046	3,378	57,855	56,513	12,115			12,032
U. S. Treasury notes	236,320	234,970	22,088	24,504	300,496	303,838		• -	, ,	30,875
U. S. Certificates of indebtedness	48,756	54,018	14,652	13,185	101,464	111,672			. , . ,	20,542
Other bonds, stocks, and securities	_565,106	568,871	177,728	177,144	1,165,538	1,170,351	590,439			376,963
Total loans and discounts and investments, including bills		_								J, 0, J 0 J
rediscounted with F. R. Bank	4,820,698	4,806,240	1,284,039	1,284,610	9,415,607	9,410,995	2,849,393	2,860,005	2,445,669	2,433,075
Reserve balance with F. R. Bank	595,347	598,512	124,446	125,954	976,339	989,8 <b>1</b> 5				151,379
Cash in vault	77,440	75,824	29,112	29,422	152,323	151,572	54,331	55 <b>,7</b> 96	70,984	72,527
Net demand deposits	4,383,286	4,371,229	916,070	905,060	7,494,066	7,463,844	1,662,282		1,519,999	
Time deposits	379,448	375,791	310,959	311,943	1,494,167					712,467
Government deposits	74,257	87,618	19,415	22,388	151,433	177,841				20,382
Bills payable with F. R. Bank: Secured by U. S. Govt. obligations All other	4,550	17,255	1,325	2,550	23,584	36,922		24,546	15,890	15,566
Bills rediscounted with F. R. Bank:		<del>-</del> .	~	-	•	-	342	347	660	141
Secured by U. S. Govt. obligations All other	1,052 2,456		300 1,835	411 7,041	1,784 41,420	1,633 62,151				610 36,340
Ratio of bills payable and rediscounts with F. R. Bank to total loans and investments, per cent	2	.14	<b>.</b> 3	.8	·			•	,	
investments, per cent		• **	• )	ď,	•7	1.1	1.5	2.0	2.0	2.2
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