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Condition of Weekly Reporting Member Banks in 101 Leading Cities

The condition statement of weekly reporting member banks in 101 leading cities shows the following principal changes for the week ended Harch 27: A decrease of \$129,000,000 in holdings of United States Treasury bills, and increases of \$35,000,000 in holdings of "Other securities" and \$53,000,000 in reserve balances with Federal Reserve banks.

Commercial, industrial and agricultural loans declined \$5,000,000 in New York City, and increased \$8,000,000 in the Chicago district and \$4,000,000 at all reporting member banks. Loans to brokers and dealers in securities declined

\$18,000,000 in New York City.

Holdings of United States Treasury bills declined \$107,000,000 in the Chicago district, \$15,000,000 in the St. Louis district, and \$129,000,000 at all reporting member banks. Holdings of Treasury notes increased \$6,000,000. Holdings of United States Government bonds increased \$10,000,000 in the Richmond district and \$12,000,000 at all reporting member banks. Holdings of obligations guaranteed by the United States Government increased \$15,000,000 in New York City and \$10,000,000 at all reporting member banks. Holdings of "Other securities" increased \$38,000,000 in New York City and \$35,000,000 at all reporting member banks.

Demand deposits-adjusted declined \$152,000,000 in the Chicago district, and increased \$129,000,000 in New York City, \$16,000,000 in the Cleveland district \$15,000,000 in the Philadelphia district and \$25,000,000 at all reporting member

banks.

Deposits credited to domestic banks increased \$108,000,000 in the Chicago district, and declined \$46,000,000 in New York City. All reporting member banks reported a net increase of \$15,000,000. Deposits credited to foreign banks declined \$14,000,000 in New York City.

A summary of the principal assets and liabilities of reporting member banks together with changes for the week and the year ended March 27, 1940, follows:

(In millions of dollars)

(III MILLIONS OF COLLEGE)	Mon	Increase or decrease since		
	Mar. 27, 1940	Mer. 20, 1940	Mar. 29, 1939	
ASSETS Loans and Investments - total	23,322	- 76	+1,743	
Loans - total Commercial, industrial, and agricultural loans Open market paper Loans to brokers and dealers in securities Other loans for purchasing or carrying securities Real estate loans Loans to banks Other loans	8,596 4,383 335 609 478 1,185 49 1,557	+ 4 - 3 - 19 + 5 	+ 405 + 569 + 30 - 155 - 53 + 45 - 45 + 14	
Treasury bills Treasury notes U. S. bonds Obligations guaranteed by U. S. Gov't Other securities	516 1,802 6,512 2,379 3,517	+ 6 + 12 + 10		
Reserve with Federal Reserve banks Cash in vault Balances with domestic banks	10,371 479 3,253	+ 18		
LIABILITIES Demand deposits—adjusted Time deposits U. S. Government deposits Inter-bank deposits: Domestic banks Foreign banks Borrowings	19,276 5,338 578 8,299 735	+ 5 + 2 + 15 - 16	+3,285 + 121 - 51 +1,833 + 122 - 2	

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ASSETS AND LIABILITIES OF WEEKLY REPORTING MEMBER BANKS IN CENTRAL RESERVE CITIES (In millions of dollars)

	New York City		Chicago			
	Increase or		Increase or			
	Mar.	decrease since		Mar.	decrease since	
	27,	Mar. 20,	Mar. 29,		Mar. 20, Mar	· 29,
	1940	1940	1939	1940	1940 1	939
ASSETS						
Loans and Investments - total	9,050	+ 14	+1,155	2,170	-1.03 + 1	196
Loans - total	2,946	- 24	+ 82	560	+ 6 +	19
Commercial, industrial, and agricultural loans Open market paper Loans to brokers and dealers Other loans for purchasing	1,679 112 467	- 5 - 3 - 18	+ 319 - 6 - 144	386 18 29	+	23 3 3
or carrying securities Real estate loans Loans to banks Other loans	164 112 43 369	+ 5 - 1 - 2 	- 26 - 34 - 27	64 14 49	+ 1 - + +	6 1 - 1
Treasury bills Treasury notes U. S. bonds Obligations guaranteed by	174 831 2,500	- 11 + 1 - 5	+ 106 + 88 + 520	247 160 720	-107 +12 + 4 - - 5 +	52
U.S. Govit Other securities	1,251 1,348	+ 15 + 38	+ 197 + 162	140 343		31 18
Reserve with F. R. banks Cash in vault Balances with domestic banks Other assets — net	6,134 79 138 352	+ 10 + 4 + 53 + 1	+1,744 + 24 + 10 - 40	947 26 202 47	+ 2 +	
LIABILITIES						
Demand deposits—adjusted Time deposits U. S. Gov!t deposits Inter—bank deposits:	9,037 701 44	+129 + 1 	+1,902 + 72 - 67	1,503 501 85	-152 + 2 - 1 + +	238 30 2
Domestic banks Foreign banks	3 , 522 672	- 46 - 1.4	+ 871 + 132	1,031 7	+ 95 + 2	22 5 3
Borrowings Other liabilities CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	287 1,490	 + 11 + 1	 - 27 + 10	 16 249	+ 1 +	1 9

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ASSETS AND LIABILITIES OF WEEKLY REPORTING MEMBER BANKS IN 101 LEADING CITIES ON MARCH 27, 1940

(In millions of dollars) Federal Reserve District Total San Minne-Kansas Cleve- Rich-St. Dallas Phila-All Hew Atlanta Chicago Boston City Francisco Louis apolis York delphia land mond districts ASSETS 2,229 3,286 1,932 1,150 1,178 9,867 Loans and Investments - total 23,322 3,301 8,596 Loans - total Commercial, industrial, and 1,793 4,383 agricultural loans Open market paper Loans to brokers and dealers in securities Other loans for purchasing or carrying securities 1.0 1,185 Real estate loans ____ ___ Loans to banks 11.3 1,557 Other loans Treasury bills 1,802 Treasury notes 1,064 2,692 6,512 U. S. bonds 1,325 2,379 Obligations guaranteed by U. S. Govit 1,497 3,517 Other securities 1.80 1,253 6,297 10,371 Reserve with F.R. bank Cash in vault 331. 3,253 Balances with domestic banks 1,278 Other assets - net LIABILITIES 1,028 2,356 1,329 19,276 9,714 1,211 Demand deposits-adjusted 1,073 1,078 5,338 Time deposits U. S. Gov't deposits Inter-bank deposits: 1,339 3,615 8,299 Domestic banks Foreign banks ___ Borrowings 1.1 Other liabilities 1,613 3,718 CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

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