

BANKS AND BANKING.

TABLE LXXVII. Reserve fund held by chartered banks by months 1902-1911.

Months.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.	1906.
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
January.....	37,483,053	44,630,856	50,653,096	54,194,407	60,023,932
February. . .	37,567,753	45,023,697	50,752,405	54,711,209	60,188,472
March.....	37,571,793	45,371,899	50,892,024	54,783,404	61,254,560
April.....	38,665,823	46,258,442	50,971,115	54,908,009	62,024,267
May.....	40,203,693	47,608,280	52,309,458	55,862,330	63,295,954
June.....	40,407,911	47,973,814	52,312,208	56,408,680	63,755,287
July.....	40,301,622	48,122,212	52,318,691	56,781,223	64,002,577
August.....	40,725,468	48,289,780	52,320,981	57,020,468	64,768,819
September.....	41,130,286	48,897,498	52,479,464	57,098,426	65,221,971
October.....	41,322,497	49,989,361	52,480,152	57,493,307	66,543,794
November.....	42,657,737	50,374,087	53,426,775	58,529,624	67,689,549
December.....	44,517,681	50,598,511	54,071,656	59,898,397	69,258,007
Monthly averages.....	40,212,943	47,761,536	52,082,335	56,474,124	64,002,266
	1907.	1908.	1909.	1910.	1911.
January.....	69,396,431	71,071,984	74,585,185	78,449,573	84,356,108
February.....	69,130,046	71,215,644	74,489,942	78,521,946	84,766,633
March.....	69,716,655	71,302,408	75,328,293	78,569,586	84,891,710
April.....	69,938,077	71,530,096	75,607,676	78,846,070	85,213,740
May.....	69,412,774	71,558,683	75,755,488	79,254,915	86,690,829
June.....	69,556,585	71,653,898	75,824,738	79,370,321	86,943,135
July.....	69,637,439	71,657,694	75,847,368	79,429,978	88,352,064
August.....	69,748,293	71,661,938	75,888,103	79,823,679	89,324,728
September.....	69,798,322	71,700,983	75,937,663	80,089,471	90,181,949
October.....	69,862,098	72,707,614	76,172,223	80,157,791	93,418,824
November.....	70,534,757	74,006,611	77,368,333	83,164,948	95,699,232
December.....	70,901,232	74,427,630	77,347,333	83,965,869	96,868,124
Monthly averages.....	69,806,892	72,041,265	75,887,695	79,970,346	88,892,256

TABLE LXXVIII. Average circulation of bank notes and government notes by five-year periods 1874-1911.

Five year periods.	Yearly average of bank notes.	Yearly average of government notes, \$20 and under.
	\$	\$
1874-78.....	22,673,300	3,712,894
1879-83.....	27,479,560	4,928,216
1884-88.....	31,377,000	6,358,407
1889-93.....	33,140,600	7,097,000
1894-98.....	33,130,678	7,674,610
1899-03.....	50,869,159	10,716,262
1904-08.....	68,724,116	14,539,920
1909.....	73,943,119	16,235,774
1910.....	82,120,303	18,098,111
1911.....	89,982,223	21,497,429