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Balances due to other Banks in Canada.
Balances due to Banks and Banking Correspondents elsewhere than in Canada.
Bills Payable.
Acceptances under Letters of Credit. 580,958.01 7,295,110.40 5,597,665.13 \$314,015,489.92 2,668.20 525,000.00

 Dividends unpaid
 \$15,000,000.00

 Dividend No. 123 and bonus, payable 1st December
 \$15,000,000.00

 Capital Paid up
 13,500,000.00

 Rest Account
 1,332,074.52

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ASSETS

 
 Gold and Silver Coin Current
 \$22,697,336.96

 Dominion Notes
 21,954,910.25

 Deposit in the Central Gold Reserves
 10,000,000.00
 \$54,652,247.21

22,431,741.20 27,596,420.22 22,095,133.29 Dominion and Provincial Government Securities, not exceeding market value 27,596,420.22

British, Foreign and Colonial Public Securities and Canadian Municipal Securities 22,095,133.29

British, Foreign and Colonial Public Securities and Stocks, not exceeding market value 6,192,461.60

Railway and other Bonds, Debentures and Stocks, not exceeding market value 13,460,862.62

Call and Short Loans (not exceeding 30 days) in Canada on Bonds, Debentures and Stocks 13,460,862.62

Call and Short Loans (not exceeding 30 days) elsewhere than in Canada 20,076,903.18

Deposit with the Minister of Finance for the purposes of the Circulation Fund 831,173.35

5,090,075.44 Other Assets not included in the foregoing..... 111,588.68

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Auditors.

B. E. WALKER, President.

MONTREAL, JANUARY II, 1918

JOHN AIRD, General Manager.

REPORT OF THE AUDITORS TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF THE CANADIAN BANK OF COMMERCE.

In accordance with the provisions of subsections 19 and 20 of Section 56 of the Bank Act, 1913, we report as

We have audited the above Balance Sheet and compared it with the books and vouchers at Head Office and with the certified returns from the branches. We have obtained all the information and explanations that we have required, the certified returns from the branches. We have obtained all the information and explanations that we have required, and are of the opinion that the transactions of the Bank which have come under our notice have been within the powers of the Bank.

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We have checked the cash and verified the securities representing the investments of the Bank at its chief office and principal branches at a date other than and in addition to the verification at 30th November, 1917, and found that they were in agreement with the entries in the books of the Bank relating thereto.

In our opinion the Balance Sheet is properly drawn up so as to exhibit a true and correct view of the state of the affairs of the Bank according to the best of our information and the explanations given to us, and as shown by the books of the Bank.

T. HARRY WEBB, C.A., of Webb, Read, Hegan, Callingham & Co.

JAMES MARWICK, C.A., of Marwick, Mitchell, Peat & Co.

The Report was then adopted unanimously. An amendment to the by-laws was passed and the retiring auditors were re-elected by the shareholders. The usual votes of thanks to the directors and staff of the Bank were also passed. Upon motion the meeting proceeded to elect directors for the coming year and then adjourned.

The scrutineers subsequently announced the re-election of the retiring directors, at a meeting of whom held later in the afternoon, Sir Edmund Walker, C.V.O., LL.D., D.C.L., was re-elected President, and Mr. Z. A. Lash, K.C., LL.D., Vice-President.