

STANDARD WORLD

SECURITIES.	London Sept. 30		
British Columbia,	Closing		
1917, 41 p.c. 1941, 3 p.c. Canada 3 per cent. Ioan, 1938	76 82	78 84	
Insc. Sh	72	74	

Shares RAILWAY & OTHER STOCKS.		
STOCKS,		
100 Atlantic & Nt. West 5 p.c. Rua. 1st M. Bonds 10 Buffalo & Lake Fluron £10	105	10.8
	111 124	121
Do. 51 p.c. bonds Can. Northern, 4 p.c Canadian Pacific, \$100 Do. 5 p.c. bonds	220	$\frac{92}{221}$
Do. 4 p.c. deb. stock	97 941 105	98 95 108
100 Grand Trunk of Can. ord.		A 11 A 11
Do. 4 p.c. pref. stock. Algoma 5 p.c. bonds Grand Trunk, Georgian Bay, &c. 1st M 100 Grand Trunk of Can. ord. stock. 100 2nd equip. mv. bds. 6 p.c. 100 2nd pref. stock. 100 2rd. pref. stock 100 2rd. pref. stock	231 104 101 95	23 7 106 103 97
100 5 p.c. perp. deb. stock 100 4 p.c. perp. deb. stock	561 113 91 110	56 1 115 92 112
100 Great Western Sh., 5 p.c. 100 MofCan-Stg.1st.M., 5p.c. 100 Montreal & Champlain 5 p.c. 1st mtg. bonds 100 Quebec Cent. 5 p.c. 1st		
T. G. & B., 4 p.c. bds. 1st		
mtg. 100 Well., Grey & Bruce, 7 p.c. bds. 1st mortg		
100 St. Law. & Ott. 4 p.c.bds.		
Municipal Loans. 100 City of Lon. Ont., 1st		
pri 5 p.c.		
100 City of Ottawa, red, 1913,		
100 City of Ottawa, red, 1913, 44 pc. 100 City of Ottawa, red, 1913, 44 pc. 100 City of Quebec 3 pc., 1937 redeem, 1928 4 pc. 100 City of Toronto, 4 pc., 1922-23, 34 pc., 1929 5 p.c. gen con deb., 1919-20,	78 95	97
31 p.c., 1929 5 p.c. gen con deb., 1919	8.5	87
4 p.c. stg. bonds		
Miscellaneous Companies.		
100 Canada Company	21	24
Co	10 1	11 7
Banks.		
Bank of England London County and Westmi ster. Bank of British North America Bank of Montreal Canadian Bank of Commerce.	23 1	236
Bank of British North America	74	21 76
Canadian Bank of Commerce.	620 1	21 🛓

Subscribed Capital, £26,304,200. Paid up Capital, £4,208,672. Reserve Fund, £2,900,000.

HEAD OFFICE: 71, LOMBARD STREET, LONDON, E.C.

Deposit and Current	Acco.	emts -	(31st	Dec., 1912)	£89,832,381	3	4
Cash in hand, at call	, and a	at short	notice	19	24,029,468	7	6
Bills of Exchange	<i>u</i> = 1	-		99	9,481,148	0	9
Investments -		-	a	19	10,939,332	119	7
Advances and other	Secur	ities			50,347,649	1	9

THIS BANK HAS OVER 650 OFFICES IN ENGLAND AND WALES. Colonial & Foreign Department: 60, Lombard St., London, E.C.

Paris Auxiliary: Lloyds Bank (France) Limited, 36 Avenue de l'Opera.

London Agency of the IMPERIAL BANK OF CANADA.

THE CHEAPEST PLACE.

(Weekly Scotsman).

"The cheapest place in the world is Antioch, in Syria," says areturned-"Being on the Mediterranean the climate is just right in the colder months. I once passed a winter there, and all it cost me was a pound a week, though I leased a fine house and kept three servants. For the house I paid twenty shillings a month rent, while the servants were satisfied with two shillings a week. Mutton cost there-half-pence a pound Eggs were a penny a dozen, and chickens twopence half-penny each. The finest of fresh fruit and vegetables (in February, too-) were so cheap that they were not sold in quantity. You got all you wanted for so much per week. All I required

for my household cost me one shilling weekly. An American resident of Antioch told me that he and his family lived comfortably of £35 a

NEW ZEALAND'S LOW DEATH RATE.

The British Empire Review says that the general death-rate for New Zealand is 8.8 per 1,000. This is the lowest rate yet recorded. The same statement may be made with regard to the infantile death-rate, 51 per 1,000. These two death-rates, and also the death-rate from consumption -5 per 10,000-are the lowest recorded in any country. On the other hand, though there had been an increase in the birth-rate last year, $N\,\,\mathrm{ew}$ Zealand, with the exception of South Australia, has the lowest birth-rate in Australasia.

BRITISH AND FOREIGN INSURANCE COMPANIES.—

Office Strict	is on the Londo	on Market Market value per	pound.		Sept 17	
Shares	Dividend	NAME	Share	Paid	Closing	Prices
250,000	12s. per sh.	Alliance Assur	20	2 1-5	11 ½	111
4.50,000	12s. per sh.	Do. (New)	1	1	13	13
220,000	7s. 6d. per sh	. Atlas Fire and Life	10	24s.	6 3	71
100,000	20	Brit. Law Fire, Life	1.0	1	3 \$	31
20,000	18s. per sh.	Cler. Med. and General	25	2 &	19 %	20
295,000	90	Commercial Union	10	1	23 3	24
100,000	15s, per sh.	Employers' Liability	10	2	13	14
10,000		. Equity and Law	100	6	27 3	28
179,996	10	Gen. Accident, Fire & Life.	5	1 1-	1 4	11
10.000	10	General Life	100	5	7 %	8
200,000	10	Guardian	10	5	9	91
67,000	16 2-3	Indemnity Mar	1.5	3	9	91
150,000	Ss. per sh.	Law, Union & Rock	10	12s.	6 3	61
75,000	8s. per sh.	Do	1	1	7 %	8
100,000		Legal Insuarnce	5	1	5	1
20.000	24s per sh.	Legal and General Life	50	8	21 %	22
	1 10	Liverpool, London & Globe.	10	1	22 3	23
35862	20	London	25	12 }	49	51
105650	50	London & Lancashire Fire	25	2 1	30	31
66765	15	Lon. and Lanca. Life and Gen.	5	1 *	2 1	21
40,000	42s, 6d, per sh.		25	1.5	36 %	371
50.000	73	Merchants' M. L	10	24	2 7	31
110,000	40s. per sh.	North British & Mercantile.	25	61	38 1	39
300,000	40	Northern	1.0	1	8	81
44,000	30s per sh	Norwich Union Fire	25	3	28 %	29
309.755	37 4	Ph ceni x	10	1	7	7
689,220£	10	Royal Exchange	St.	100	- 200	20.5
294.468	83 1-3	Royal Insurance	10	1 4	28	29
843,800£	4	Do. 4% Deb. Red	St.	100	98	100
264.885	17 %	Scot. Union & Ntl. " A"	20	1	3 1	3
240,000	14s, per sh.	Sum Fire	10	2	13 🗟	14
48,000	10	Sun, Life	10	11	- 24	2.5
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