

The Merchants Bank of Canada

Notice is hereby given

That a dividend of $3\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. for the current half year, being at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum upon the Paid-up Capital Stock of this Institution, has been declared, and that the same will be payable at its Banking House in this city, on and after

TUESDAY, THE 1ST DAY OF DECEMBER NEXT.

The Transfer Books will be closed from the 16th to the 30th day of November next, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board,

THOS. FYSHE,
General Manager.

Montreal, 20th Oct., 1903.

THE WESTERN BANK OF CANADA

Head Office, Oshawa, Ont.

Capital Authorized	\$1,000,000 00
Capital Subscribed	500,000 00
Capital Paid-up	435,000 00
Reserve	175,000 00

Board of Directors

JOHN COWAN, Esq., President
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W. F. Cowan, Esq., W. F. Allen, Esq., J. A. Gibson, Esq., T. H. McMillan, Cashier
Robert McIntosh M.D., Thomas Paterson, Esq.

Branches—Elmvale, Midland, Tilsonburg, New Hamburg, Whitby, Pickering, Paisley, Fenelonville, Plattville, Port Perry, Sunderland, Tavistock, Ont. Wellesley.
Drafts on New York and Sterling Exchange bought and sold. Deposits received and interest allowed. Collections solicited and promptly made.
Correspondents in New York and in Canada—The Merchants Bank of Canada.
London, Eng.—The Royal Bank of Scotland.

The Sovereign Bank of Canada

* JOHN PUGSLEY, Esq.

Capital Subscribed, \$1,300,000.00	
Capital Paid-up, - 1,300,000.00	
Reserve Fund - - 325,000.00	

DIRECTORS.

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BRANCHES:

Amherstburg	Perth
Aylmer	St. Catharines
Bolmont	Stirling
Claremont	Stouffville
Clinton	Sutton, P.Q.
Credton	Toronto
Dushwood	Unionville
Exeter	Waterloo, P.Q.
Froglighsburg, P.Q.	Zurich, Ont.
Harrow	
Havelock	

" West End."
Newmarket
Ottawa
" Market Branch."

Interest allowed on deposits.
Correspondence solicited.

D. M. STEWART,
Montreal, P.Q. General Manager

Union Bank of Halifax

Capital Authorized	\$8,000,000
Capital Subscribed	\$1,337,250
Capital Paid-up	\$1,308,345
Reserve	\$ 891,589

DIRECTORS

WM. ROBERTSON, PRESIDENT. WM. ROCHE, M.P., VICE-PRESIDENT.
C. C. BLACKAPAR, GEO. MITCHELL, M.P.P. E. G. SMITH,
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Head Office, Halifax, N. S.

E. L. THORNE, GENERAL MANAGER
C. N. S. STRICKLAND, ASSISTANT GENERAL MANAGER
W. C. HARVEY, INSPECTOR.

BRANCHES

IN NOVA SCOTIA—Annapolis, Barrington Passage, Bear River, Berwick, Bridgetown, Clarke's Harbor, Dartmouth, Digby, Granville Ferry, Halifax, Kentville, Lawrenceville, Liverpool, Middleton, New Glasgow, Parrsboro, Sherbrooke, Springhill, Truro, Windsor, Wolfville, Yarmouth.

IN CAPE BRETON—Anichat, Baddeck, Glace Bay, Inverness, Mabou, North Sydney, St. Peter's, Sydney, Sydney Mines.

IN NEW BRUNSWICK—St. John.

IN BRITISH WEST INDIES—Port of Spain, Trinidad.

CORRESPONDENTS

London and Westminster Bank, London, England.
Bank of Toronto and Branches, Canada.
National Bank of Commerce, New York.
Merchant's National Bank, Boston.

ST. STEPHEN'S BANK

St. Stephen, N. P. INCORPORATED 1876.

CAPITAL \$2,000,000	RESERVE \$45,000
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W. H. TODD, President. F. GRANT, Cashier.

Agents—London, Messrs. Glyn, Mills, Currie & Co. New York, Bank of New York, B.N.A. Boston, Globe National Bank Montreal, Bank of Montreal St. N. B., Bank of Montreal. — Drafts issued on any Branch of the Bank of Montreal.

Bank of Hamilton.

Notice is hereby given that a dividend on the paid-up capital stock of the Bank of 5% (being at the rate of 10% per annum) for the half year ending 30th November, has been declared, and that the same will be payable at the Bank and its Branches on and after

The 1st Day of December next.

The Transfer Books will be closed from the 16th to the 30th of November, both inclusive.

By order of the Board.

J. TURNBULL,
General Manager.

Hamilton, 26th October, 1903.

PEOPLE'S BANK OF HALIFAX

D. R. CLARKE, Cashier. Head Office, HALIFAX, N.S.

Agencies—North End Branch—Halifax, Edmundston, N.B., Wolfville, N.S., Woodstock, N.B., Lunenburg, N.S., Shediac, N.B., Port Hood, C.B., Fraserville, Que. Canso, N.S., Levis, P.Q., Lake Megantic, P.Q., Cookshire, P.Q., Quebec P.Q., Hartland, N.B., Danville, P.Q., Grand Falls, N.B., Mahone Bay, N.S., Mabou, C.B., St. Raymond, P.Q., Grand Mere P.Q., Bathurst, N.B., Andover, N.B.

Bankers—The Union Bk. of London, London, G.B.; The Bank of New York, New York; New England National Bank, Boston; Bank of Toronto, Montreal

LA BANQUE NATIONALE

Head Office, QUEBEC

Capital Authorized	\$2,000,000 00
Capital Subscribed	1,500,000 00
Paid-up Capital	1,500,000 00
Reserve	400,000 00
Undivided Profits	69,704 27

Board of Directors

R. AUDETTE, Esq., President. A. B. DUPUIS, Esq., Vice-President.
Hon. Judge A. CHAUVEAU N. RIOUX, Esq. N. FORTIER, Esq. Y. CHATEAURET, Esq.
J. B. LAIBERTE, Esq. P. LAFRANCE, Manager. N. LAVOIE, Inspector.

Branches

Quebec, St. Roch, Quebec, St. Johns St., Montreal, Ottawa, Ont., Sherbrooke, Que., St. Francois, Beauve, Que., Ste. Marie, Beauce, Que., Chicoutimi, Que., Roberval, Que., St. Hyacinthe, Que., Juliette, Que., St. John's, P. J., Rimouski, Que., Murray Bay, Que., Montmagny, Que., Fraserville, Que., St. Casimir, Que., Nicolet, Que., Coaticook, Que., Baie St. Paul, Que., Plessisville, Que., Levis, Que., Marieville, Que.

Agents:

London, England—The National Bank of Scotland, Ltd. Paris, France—Credit Lyonnais, New York—First National Bank. Boston, Mass.—National Bank of Redemption. Prompt attention given to collections. Correspondence respectfully solicited.

THE NATIONAL BANK OF SCOTLAND LIMITED

Incorporated by Royal Charter and Act of Parliament. Established 1825.

HEAD OFFICE: **Edinburgh**

Capital Subscribed	£5,000,000
Paid-up	1,000,000
Uncalled	4,000,000
Reserve Fund	1,030,000

THOMAS HECTOR SMITH, General Manager GEORGE B. HART, Secretary
London Office—37 Nicholas Lane, Lombard Street, E.C.

JAMES ROBERTSON, Manager THOMAS NESS, Assistant Manager

The Agency of Colonial and Foreign Banks is undertaken and the Acceptance of Customers residing in the Colonies, domiciled in London, retired on terms which will be furnished on application.

All other Banking business connected with England and Scotland is also transacted

BANK OF YARMOUTH, NOVA SCOTIA.

T. W. JOHNS, Cashier. H. G. FARRISH, Ass't Cashier.

Directors:

John Lovitt, President. S. A. Cromwell, Vice-President.
H. Cann. Augustus Cann. J. Leslie Lovitt.

Correspondents at—Halifax—The Royal Bank of Canada.—St. John's—The Bank of Montreal.—Montreal—The Bank of Montreal and Moisons Bank.—New York—The National Citizens Bank.—Boston—The Eliot National Bank. Philadelphia—Consolidation National Bank.—London, G. B.—The Union Bank of London.

Prompt Attention to Collections.

The ONTARIO LOAN & DEBENTURE CO. Of London, Canada.

Subscribed Capital	\$2,000,000
Paid-up Capital	1,200,000
Reserve Fund	585,000
Total Assets	3,740,664
Total Liabilities	1,904,361

Debentures issued for 3 or 5 years. Debentures and interest can be collected at any agency of Moisons Bank, without charge.

WILLIAM F. BULLFN,
Manage

London Ontario, 1903.