

STATISTICAL ABSTRACT FOR MARCH, 1902, OF THE CHARTERED BANKS OF CANADA.

Comparison of Principal Items, showing increase or decrease for the month and for the year.

<i>Assets.</i>	March 31st, 1902.	Feb. 28th, 1902.	March 31st, 1901.	Increase or Decrease for the month.	Increase or Decrease for the year.
Specie and Dominion Notes	\$33,334,286	\$33,654,475	\$31,816,171	Dec. \$320,189	Inc. \$1,508,115
Notes of and Cheques on other Banks	12,060,802	13,374,165	10,730,708	Dec. 1,313,766	Inc. 1,330,994
Deposit to Secure Note Issue	2,569,513	2,569,513	2,402,973	Inc. 166,540
Loans to other Banks in Canada secured	686,063	659,847	1,715,167	Inc. 26,116	Dec. 1,029,104
Deposits with and due from other Bks. in Canada	3,554,638	4,629,921	4,032,327	Dec. 1,075,283	Dec. 477,689
Deposits with and due from other Bks. in United Kingdom	3,152,353	7,105,453	3,144,003	Dec. 3,953,100	Inc. 8,350
Due from Banks and Agencies elsewhere	11,890,626	11,706,698	9,361,101	Inc. 93,928	Inc. 2,529,325
Due from Banks and Agencies elsewhere	10,201,350	9,961,510	11,444,144	Inc. 39,840	Dec. 1,242,794
Government Securities					
Canadian Municipal Securities, British, Foreign or } Colonial other than Dominion	14,052,508	13,496,908	11,480,188	Inc. 555,600	Inc. 2,572,320
Railway and other Bonds, Debentures and Stocks	34,129,610	33,949,704	28,213,623	Inc. 379,606	Inc. 6,085,987
Total Securities held	58,083,468	57,407,222	51,157,955	Inc. 1,270,246	Inc. 7,525,513
Call Loans in Canada	38,532,304	36,550,397	33,004,857	Inc. 1,982,007	Inc. 5,527,447
Call Loans outside Canada	44,286,116	44,212,911	35,568,757	Inc. 73,405	Inc. 8,717,559
Total Call and Short Loans	82,818,420	80,763,308	68,573,614	Inc. 2,055,312	Inc. 14,245,006
Loans and Discounts in Canada	300,066,698	292,059,778	280,041,076	Inc. 8,006,920	Inc. 20,025,622
Loans and Discounts outside Canada	27,776,825	26,220,854	19,580,081	Inc. 1,556,041	Inc. 8,196,814
Total Current Loans and Discounts	327,843,523	318,280,632	299,621,157	Inc. 9,553,961	Inc. 28,221,436
Aggregate of Loans to Public	410,662,213	399,052,940	368,194,771	Inc. 11,609,273	Inc. 42,467,442
Loans to Provincial Governments	3,668,618	3,212,879	2,995,190	Inc. 455,739	Inc. 673,428
Overdue Debts	2,638,527	2,261,512	2,208,728	Inc. 377,015	Inc. 429,799
Bank Premises	6,812,417	6,785,754	6,421,183	Inc. 26,663	Inc. 391,734
Other Real Estate and Mortgages	1,701,275	1,691,412	1,681,432	Inc. 9,863	Inc. 10,843
Other Assets (chiefly Gold held in the Yukon)	5,586,421	7,426,747	6,361,528	Dec. 1,840,326	Dec. 775,107
Total Assets	556,914,406	551,629,125	402,243,420	Inc. 5,272,281	Inc. 51,057,980
<i>Liabilities.</i>					
Notes in Circulation	52,442,982	49,450,994	47,611,967	Inc. 2,991,988	Inc. 4,831,015
Due to Dominion Government	3,637,755	2,871,140	2,590,953	Inc. 766,615	Inc. 1,046,802
Due to Provincial Governments	3,512,974	3,855,510	3,364,301	Dec. 312,536	Inc. 708,673
Deposits in Canada payable on demand	92,380,118	94,864,060	90,045,076	Dec. 2,845,542	Inc. 1,734,442
Deposits in Canada payable after notice	239,529,963	238,906,123	210,033,367	Inc. 533,840	Inc. 20,496,566
Total Deposits of the Public in Canada	331,910,081	333,860,783	300,079,043	Dec. 1,950,702	Inc. 31,231,038
Deposits elsewhere than in Canada	30,112,520	29,819,213	22,173,575	Inc. 27,3307	Inc. 7,938,045
Total Deposits	362,022,601	363,679,996	322,252,618	Dec. 1,677,395	Inc. 39,169,983
Loans from other Banks in Canada secured	626,663	661,374	1,788,032	Dec. 35,311	Dec. 1,161,969
Deposits by and Balances due other Bks. in Canada	3,142,271	3,472,284	2,626,351	Dec. 332,013	Inc. 513,920
Due to Banks and Agencies in United Kingdom	0,423,912	3,337,960	4,314,904	Inc. 3,085,952	Inc. 2,108,948
Due to Banks and Agencies elsewhere	1,188,116	976,519	861,826	Inc. 311,597	Inc. 326,230
Other Liabilities	7,401,583	9,709,421	5,535,293	Dec. 2,207,838	Inc. 1,666,290
Total Liabilities	440,496,328	438,035,270	341,549,393	Inc. 2,401,058	Inc. 48,946,945
<i>Capital.</i>					
Capital paid-up	68,406,624	68,041,136	66,680,797	Inc. 365,488	Inc. 1,725,827
Reserve Fund	37,571,793	37,567,753	35,187,087	Inc. 4,040	Inc. 2,381,706
<i>Miscellaneous.</i>					
Liabilities of Directors and their firms	11,403,951	11,217,473	12,377,812	Inc. 186,478	Dec. 973,861
Greatest circulation during the month	52,799,820	50,283,248	48,409,885	Inc. 2,516,572	Inc. 4,389,935

ACCIDENT BUSINESS IN CANADA, 1901.

The table published in this issue relating to the Accident Business in Canada last year taken from the preliminary report of the superintendent of Insurance shows that the whole of the companies, with one exception, who are transacting that class of business in the Dominion made considerable progress last year. The following figures show this and the extent of the increases:

Year.	Premiums. \$	New and renewed policies. \$	In force. \$
1901	775,990	154,399,947	111,431,198
1900	606,989	109,746,785	97,061,360
1899	520,460	106,617,360	95,679,833
Increase, 1901, over 1899	255,530	47,782,587	15,751,365

The Travellers' has evidently been cutting down its Canadian business, the amount in force at close of 1901 being \$2,313,185 less than the year before and the premiums \$14,068 less than in 1900. The losses incurred last year were \$413,267 and claims paid \$396,060, which is not an unfavourable result.