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October Bank Statement

Total deposits are \$1,093,000,000—the highest amount on record. Call loans abroad are less and current loans at home are greater than those for preceding month, indicating more business activity in Canada. **Page 5**

Of the Small Investor

To its \$50,000,000 war loan, Canada wanted the small investors to subscribe and they did. British government will issue £1 bonds payable on demand. France uses novel method to advertise its big national loan. **Page 10**

November Fire Losses

Since outbreak of war, Canada's monthly waste has shown a decrease. Small fires continue numerous. *The Monetary Times'* detailed record for month of November indicates the beginnings of these fires. **Page 14**

Workmen's Compensation

As to the generally admitted necessity of workmen's compensation and the difference between that principle and state administration. Canada's situation analyzed. **Page 9**

Canadian Research Work

How to use the national assets to the best advantage for the national benefit. Will the Dominion government assist in industrial and chemical research work in Canada? *By A. T. DRUMMOND, LL.D.* **Page 26**

Lapsing Life Insurance

How to deal with the problem of lapses in life insurance. It is caused by "misfit" policies, over-insurance, ignorance of their contracts on the part of policyholders and by lack of interest of agents, says an authority. **Page 24**

Municipal Bond Sales

Canadian and United States markets absorbed satisfactory amounts of these securities. The November return shows several municipalities marketed blocks of bonds. The monthly record of transactions. **Page 28**

Dominion Loan Oversubscribed

Applications for the Dominion war loan exceed 25,000, approximating more than \$100,000,000. Will the whole amount be allotted? Some of the larger subscribers. **Page 8**

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