

BANK SHAREHOLDERS.

NEXT in order to the Bank of Montreal and the Bank of British North America, come the Commercial Bank and the Bank of Upper Canada.

COMMERCIAL BANK.

The Commercial Bank, with a capital of \$4,000,000, divided into 40,000 shares, has 1138 shareholders, each of whom thus owns, on an average, stock to the amount of \$3.515. The shares are distributed as follows:*

Held in Canada.....	27,744
" England, Ireland, Scotland ..	11,442
" New Brunswick.....	326
" France.....	292
" United States.....	175
" Vancouver's Island ..	12
" West Indies.....	5
" Nova Scotia.....	4
	40,000

The shareholders owning \$20,000 worth of stock or more are:

Allan, Hugh.....	Montreal.....	404
Anglin, W. Chamberlain, &c.....	Kingston.....	250
Anderson, Robert.....	Montreal.....	500
Bartley, Dr. J. M.....	Dublin.....	200
Chaffey, B.....	Brookville.....	250
Dickson, Wm.....	Galt.....	500
Fennie, John.....	England.....	500
Flower, Ph. W.....	London.....	220
Gore, Mary J. O.....	Ireland.....	840
Galt, Hon. A. T.....	Sherbrooke.....	260
Gzowski, C. S.....	Toronto.....	600
Heath, Mary, (ex. et al.).....	England.....	560
Hamilton, Robert, (tutor, &c.).....	Quebec.....	208
Hamilton, Hon. John, et al.....	Kingston.....	266
Leslie, Anthony.....	London, Eng.....	200
Law, Young & Co.....	Montreal.....	250
Logie, James.....	West Flamboro.....	300
Malloch, Ed.....	Ottawa.....	200
Macdaggart, Sir John.....	London, Eng.....	300
Macaulay, Rev. Wm., se. et al.....	Pictou.....	312
Macpherson, Hon. D. L.....	Toronto.....	400
Newcomb, Mrs. E. C., ex. etrix.....	Montreal.....	200
Oxley, J. T.....	England.....	200
Pollard, G.....	London.....	222
Paton, Thomas, Chairman.....	Montreal.....	1260
Queen's College.....	Kingston.....	320
Rutherford, Wm. and John.....	Dunfermline, N.B.....	271
Robison, T. W. and Robt. Dea- con, administrators.....	Kingston.....	358
Savings Bank, City and District.....	Montreal.....	407
Street, Thomas C.....	Streetsville.....	400
Workman, Wm.....	Montreal.....	280
Watkins, John.....	Kingston.....	314

The Commercial Bank having divided, last year, seven per cent. on its capital, it follows that \$35,792 was sent out of the country, and \$194,208 retained in the hands of its Canadian shareholders.

BANK OF UPPER CANADA.

We are convinced that our readers will sit down with us to the examination of the shareholders' list of the Bank of Upper Canada with more than ordinary interest; for the position of no Bank has been more canvassed of late, and none has had a more eventful history. So intimately, moreover, has this Bank been identified with the progress of Canada and with the operations of the Provincial Government, that even those who own no shares feel a sort of personal interest in it.

Since the passage of the Act reducing the nominal amount of its capital, the Bank of Upper Canada boasts of but \$4,000,000 of authorized capital, and, according to the return under investigation, it owned on the 3rd March last:

Subscribed shares, 64,719.....	\$1,941,570
Paid on do.....	1,934,526

The details, as given in the statement, however, sum up to 64,727 shares, equal to \$1,934,672 paid in; so that the Bank or the transcriber is in error to the amount of 8 shares, equal to \$148,—a mere bagatelle. It appears that there are 1,070 different shareholders, each of whom thus owns a nominal average capital of \$1,808; very much less than the Banks previously noticed.

The distribution of the capital is as follows:

Held in Canada.....	\$1,400,294
" England.....	478,274
" New South Wales.....	15,624
" Corfu.....	13,860
" Italy.....	11,400
" United States.....	6,210
" Gibraltar.....	4,170
" New Brunswick.....	3,900
" Nova Scotia.....	2,400
" Malta.....	1,950
" Gibb's Land, Australia.....	1,050
" Vancouver Island.....	420
" New Zealand.....	120
	\$1,934,672

* The residences of the shareholders are not marked with sufficient clearness: it is, therefore, possible that some shares, set down as Canadian, may really be held in England.

In view of the depreciation in the market value of the stock of this Bank, it becomes particularly interesting not only to know who are the chief stockholders, but also to observe whether they and other people likely to know the true state of the Bank's affairs are buying in or selling out. For this purpose we have procured one of the lists published in 1861, and are thus enabled to make our tables comparative. Carrying out our plan of giving the names of all stockholders owning \$20,000 worth of stock (nominal), or, in this case, 666 shares, we have the annexed statement:

Name.	Residence.	Shares held in 1861.	Shares held in 1861.
Burstall, Ed.....	Quebec.....	806	None.
Cassels, Robt., (trustee), Toronto.....		2081	None.
C. and D. Savings Bank, Montreal.....		728	None.
Street, T. C.....	Niag. Falls.....	1175	721
Turner, C. H.....	England.....	770	770

The list, since the reduction of the share from \$50 to \$30, is but small, yet it should give some confidence to the holders of stock. Mr. Burstall of Quebec is a man who has means of knowing the prospects of the Bank; so, surely, has the City and District Savings Bank, with whose management Mr. Simpson and Mr. Starnes are, we believe, connected; and so certainly has Mr. Street, himself the President of a Bank which has successfully emerged from an ordeal like that through which the Bank of Upper Canada is now passing. Mr. Cassels, the new Manager of the Bank, of course holds a number of shares as trustee, but he also owns 70 in his own name, bought since 1861. To carry out our idea a little further, we proceed to give a few other names of leading shareholders:

Name.	Residence.	Shares held in 1865.	Shares held in 1861.
Bosanquet, Rich. Godf.....	London, Eng.....	200	200
Cameron, Hon. J. H.....	Toronto.....	537	637
Foot, S. B.....	Quebec.....	133	None.
Glyn, Geo. G., M.P., & Glyn, St. Leger, R.....	London, Eng.....	500	500
Gzowski, C. S.....	Toronto.....	294	53
Hamilton, George.....	Toronto.....	467	467
Heath, J. G., deceased.....	England.....	270	540
Joseph, A.....	Quebec.....	140	None.
Kirkpatrick, Thomas.....	Kingston.....	153	158
Macbeth, George.....	London.....	642	435
Fire and Life Ass. Co.....	Montreal.....	339	148
McGreavy, Thomas.....	Quebec.....	200	None.
*Ridout, J. W.....	Toronto.....	68	40
Woodruff, Richard.....	St. Davids.....	648	432
Wurtelle, R. V.....	Quebec.....	287	51

The inference appears to follow from the above facts that the persons who have been selling are not the large capitalists, but the small holders, whose fears have got the better of their judgment. The estate of Mr. Heath (late of Rednal, Staffordshire, England), which has reduced its shares, has done so in pursuance of a policy now being carried out with reference to other Canadian bank-stock held by that gentleman, and not from any greater distrust of B. U. C. shares than of shares in the other Banks of the Province. When the Glyns, the Bosanquets, the Gzowskis, and the Streets hold or buy in, the shareholders at large ought, we think, to avoid sacrificing their property.

We calculate that the Bank of Upper Canada, which divided 6 per cent., sent \$31,800 away to foreign parts last year; returning to its Canadian shareholders \$84,000.

QUEBEC BANK.

The Quebec Bank next comes under review. Here we find there are 437 shareholders, owning \$1,462,400 of paid-up capital, or, on an average, \$3,347 each. The distribution of the shares is:

Held in England.....	\$88,825
" Canada.....	1,366,875
" Prince Edward Island.....	4,200
" the United States.....	1,700
" New Brunswick.....	800
	\$1,462,400

The shareholders owning \$20,000 of stock are:

Name.	Residence.	No. of Shares.
Belleau, Sir N. F.....	Quebec.....	211
The Corporation.....	".....	1806
Caisse d'Economie.....	".....	202
Fortier, Jean.....	".....	200
Gibb, James, Estate of.....	".....	221
Provident and Savings Bank.....	".....	409
Fire Assurance Co.....	".....	500
Sparks, N., Estate of.....	".....	220
Wurtelle, R. H.....	".....	263

About nine-tenths of the Canadian stock is held in the city from which this Bank takes its name. Of the dividend declared last year, only about \$75,000 was sent out of the country.

* Mr. Ridout also holds 184 shares as President of the Canada Building Society, the same number held in 1861.

APPLICATIONS FOR DISCHARGE.

NAME.	RESIDENCE.	WHERE TO BE HELD.	DATE.
Craig, Joseph.....	Brantford.....	County Court, Co. Brant.	July 19
Heathen, Fra. W.....	Peterborough.....	" " " " " "	" 1

ASSIGNEES APPOINTED.

NAME OF INSOLVENT.	RESIDENCE.	NAME OF ASSIGNER.
Brooks, William.....	St. Catharines.....	Wm. McGwin.
Brown, William.....	Ottawa.....	Francis Glenow.
Buller, Henry.....	Chatham, Co. Kent.....	E. W. Scane.
Dickson, Richard.....	Pembroke, Co. Renfrew.....	Richard White.
Griffin, George R.....	Brookville.....	Phillip S. Rose.
Hamilton, Gerard.....	Napanee.....	Wm. S. Robinson.
Hickey, James.....	Kingston.....	D. Macarow.
McCallum, Donald.....	South Mountain.....	John Whyte.
McCallum, J. D. & J.....	Iroquois, Co. Dundas.....	James P. Lovekin.
McNaughton, Bros.....	Newcastle.....	F. M. Wilson.
Pole, Robert G.....	Hamilton.....	Wilson & McKean.
Sanderson, Robert.....	".....	John E. Proctor.
Singleton, Abraham C.....	Brighton.....	Thomas Clarkson.
Torrance, John A.....	Toronto.....	John Murray.
Weddall, R. Russell.....	Hamilton.....	John Whyte.
Wallace, Alex. Reid.....	West Hawkesbury.....	Wm. W. Watson.
Wilson, Henry.....	Seaford, Co. Huron.....	Wilson & McKean.
Woodley, James Elliott.....	Hamilton.....	J. Louis.
Woodley, J. & J.....	Quebec.....	

MEETINGS OF CREDITORS

FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF ASSIGNEES UNDER THE INSOLVENCY ACT OF 1864.

NAME AND RESIDENCE.	WHERE TO BE HELD.	DATE.
Boulton, Edward Trevor, Cobourg.....	Law office, Richard Rutan, Victoria Hall, Cobourg.....	May 23
Bowman, Israel D., Berlin, County of Waterloo.....	Office of Henry F. J. Jackson, Berlin.....	" 18
Buckland, John, Coaticook.....	Office of George O. Doak, Coaticook.....	" 29
Bullock, Christoph. English, Brighton.....	Office of Henry Squier, Brighton.....	" 24
Clint, John Henry, Quebec.....	Office of W. Walker, Quebec.....	" 24
Cumins, Denis, Lainglin, Belleville.....	Office of George D. Dickson, Belleville.....	" 27
Cunningham, Timothy, Acton Vale.....	Office of A. B. Stewart, St. Sacrament st., Montreal.....	" 22
Dean, Markland W., Township of Hamilton, County of Northumberland.....	McGregor's Hotel, Peterborough.....	" 23
Fee, John David, Stratford.....	Chambers of Judge of the County Court, Perth.....	" 23
Hare, W. J., Pictou.....	Office of W. H. R. Allison, Pictou.....	" 23
Heins, Peter Jacob, Berlin, County of Waterloo.....	Office of Henry F. J. Jackson, Berlin.....	" 18
Hess, S. D., Barton.....	Office of J. V. Spohn, Commercial Chambers, James st., Hamilton.....	" 20
Hindvine, John, Fenelon.....	Office of Prosper Armstrong, Hurd, Lindsay.....	" 23
Howells, Thos. Best, Kingston.....	Office of Daniel Maccaarrow, Clarence st., Kingston.....	" 18
Husband, William Charles, Milton, County of Halton.....	Chambers of Judge Joseph Davis, Milton.....	" 18
Imlach, Wm. J., Stratford.....	Law Office, Messrs. McFarlane & Idington, Stratford.....	" 15
Johnson, Richard, Delta, County of Leeds.....	Law office, Chambers & McDonald, Brockville.....	June 1
Jones, Wm., Ameliasburgh, County of Prince Edward.....	Law office, A. B. Dougall, Belleville.....	May 25
Lee, Jas. Parker, Napanee.....	Office of E. J. Hooper, Napanee.....	" 22
Leishman, James.....	Office of Cameron & Scott, Toronto.....	" 20
McGregor, John, Pictou.....	Office of W. H. R. Allison, Pictou.....	" 23
McMaster, Robert, Milton, County of Halton.....	Chambers of Judge Joseph Davis, Milton.....	" 18
Moxon, John, Pictou.....	Office of W. H. R. Allison, Pictou.....	" 23
Parton, James, Montreal.....	Court House, Montreal.....	" 18
Parton, Wm.....	".....	" 18
Reeve, Jas., Chatham, Cnty of Kent.....	Office of Chas. R. Atkinson, Chatham.....	" 29
Roe, Chas., London, C. W.....	Tecumseth House, London.....	" 22
Ross, Andrew, Berlin.....	Office of Henry F. J. Jackson, Berlin.....	" 18
Ross, James R., Seaford, County of Huron.....	Office of S. G. McCaughey, Seaford.....	" 19
Smith, Sidney, Cobourg.....	Office of J. D. Armour, Cobourg.....	" 15
Toeswater, John Maclean, Hamilton.....	W. F. Findlay, 11 King st., Hamilton.....	" 17
Warren, Sam. R., Montreal.....	Corner of St. Henry and St. Joseph streets, Montreal, Office of Insolvent.....	" 22
Weber, Peter M., Township of Waterloo.....	Law office of Miller, Millar & Usher, Berlin, County of Waterloo.....	" 22

Montreal Stock Market.

	Closing Prices.	Last Week's Prices.	Corresponding Week, 1864.
Bank of Montreal.....	109½	108	114
Ontario Bank.....	Par.	99	103½
Bank of B.N.A.....	89½	90	Par.
City Bank.....	88½	88	99
Commercial Bank.....	88	80½	90½
Bank of Up. Canada.....	38	38	65
Banque du Peuple.....	97½	97	105
Molson Bank.....	108½	—	111½
Bank of Toronto.....	108½	—	104½
Bank Jacques Cartier.....	108½	102	107
Merchants Bank.....	Par.	—	—
Gore Bank.....	90	90	99
East Townships Bank.....	—	—	96
Montreal Tele. Co.....	—	—	129
Richelieu Nav. Co.....	125	—	125
City Pass. R. R. Co.....	Par.	Par.	122
Mont. Har. Bds. T. p. c.....	—	—	104
Do.....	6½	Par.	102
Mont. Corp. Bonds.....	90	90	96

There has been more activity this week in the Stock market, and an advance of 1 to 1½ per cent. on Bank of Montreal, and ½ to ¾ p.c. on Ontario Bank, have been obtained. A considerable amount of Banque du Peuple has been placed at 97½. There is but little doing in Debentures or Bonds, although the market is better supplied than last week.

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4.750
19.70
19.980

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