

**THE WESTERN BANK OF CANADA**

HEAD OFFICE, OSHAWA, ONT.

Capital Authorized .....	\$1,000,000
Capital Subscribed .....	500,000
Capital Paid-up .....	378,516
Reserve .....	112,000

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS.**

JOHN COWAN, Esq., President.  
 REUBEN S. HAMLIN, Esq., Vice-President.  
 W. F. COWAN, Esq. W. F. ALLEN, Esq. J. A. GIBSON, Esq.  
 Robert McIntosh, M.D. Thomas Paterson, Esq.  
 T. H. McMILLAN, Cashier

BRANCHES — Midland, Tilsonburg, New Hamburg  
 Whitby, Paisley, Penetanguishene, and Port Perry.  
 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.

**LA BANQUE NATIONALE**

HEAD OFFICE, QUEBEC.

Paid-up Capital .....	\$1,200,000
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**BOARD OF DIRECTORS.**

R. AUDETTE, Esq., President.  
 A. B. DUPUIS, Esq., Vice-President.  
 Hon. Judge Chauveau. V. Chateauvert, Esq., M.P.P.  
 Rioux, Esq. N. Fortier, Esq.  
 J. B. Laliberte, Esq.  
 P. LAFRANCE, Manager Qu Office.

**BRANCHES**

Juebec, St. John Suburb. Sherbrooke.  
 " St. Roch. St. Francois \ E., Beauce  
 Montreal. Ste. Marie, Beauce.  
 Roberval, Lake St. John. Chicoutimi.  
 Ottawa, Ont. St. Hyacinthe, P.Q.

**AGENTS.**

England—The National Bank of Scotland, London.  
 France—Credit Lyonnais, Paris and Branches, Messrs.  
 Grunbaum Freres & Cie, Paris.  
 United States—The National Bank of the Republic, New  
 York; National Revere Bank, Boston.  
 Prompt attention given to collections.  
 Correspondence respectfully solicited.

**THE TRADERS BANK OF CANADA.**

INCORPORATED BY ACT OF PARLIAMENT 1885.

Authorized Capital .....	\$1,000,000
Capital Paid-up .....	700,000
Reserve .....	40,000

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS.**

C. D. WARREN, Esq., President.  
 ROBERT THOMSON, Esq., Hamilton, Vice-President.  
 John Drynan, Esq., C. Kloepfer, Esq., M.P., Guelph.  
 W. J. Thomas, Esq. J. H. Beatty, Esq., Thorold.

HEAD OFFICE, TORONTO

H. S. STRATHY, General Manager.  
 J. A. M. ALLEY, Inspector.

**BRANCHES.**

Avimer, Ont. Ingersoll. Ridgetown,  
 Drayton, Leamington, Sarnia,  
 Elmira, Newcastle, Ont. Strathroy,  
 Glencoe, North Bay, St. Mary's,  
 Guelph, Orillia, Tilsonburg,  
 Hamilton, Port Hope, Windsor.

**BANKERS.**

Great Britain—The National Bank of Scotland.  
 New York—The American Exchange National Bank.  
 Montreal—The Quebec Bank.

**ST. STEPHEN'S BANK.**

INCORPORATED 1836.

ST. STEPHEN'S, N.B.

Capital ..	\$300,000
Reserve ..	45,000

W. H. TODD, President.  
 F. GRANT, Cashier.

**AGENTS.**

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

**CANADA PERMANENT  
 Loan and Savings Company**

**75th Half-Yearly Dividend**

Notice is hereby given that a dividend of  
**3 per cent.** on the paid-up capital stock of  
 this Company has been declared for the half-  
 year ending December 31st, 1897, and that the  
 same will be payable on and after Monday, the  
 3rd day of January next.

The Transfer Books will be closed from  
 the 15th to the 31st December, inclusive.

By order.

GEO. H. SMITH, Secretary

**THE FREEHOLD  
 LOAN AND SAVINGS COMPANY**

COR. VICTORIA AND ADELAIDE STS.,  
 TORONTO.

ESTABLISHED IN 1859.

Subscribed Capital .....	\$3,223,500
Capital Paid-up .....	1,319,100
Reserve Fund .....	659,550

President, C. H. GOODERHAM.  
 Manager, Hon. S. C. WOOD.  
 Inspectors, JOHN LECKIE & T. GIBSON.  
 Money advanced on easy terms for long periods; re-  
 payment at borrower's option.  
 Debentures issued and money received on deposit.  
 Executors and Trustees authorized by Act of Parliam-  
 ent to invest in the Debentures of this Company.

**THE HAMILTON PROVIDENT AND  
 LOAN SOCIETY**

**DIVIDEND NO. 53**

Notice is hereby given that a dividend of  
 Three per cent. upon the paid-up capital stock  
 of the society has been declared for the half-  
 year ending 31st December, 1897, and that the  
 same will be payable at the Society's Head  
 Office, Hamilton, Ont., on and after Monday,  
 the 3rd day of January, 1897.

The Transfer Books will be closed from  
 the 16th to the 31st Dec., 1898, both days in-  
 clusive.

By order of the Board.

C. FERRIE, Treasurer.

Nov. 29th, 1897.

**The LONDON and CANADIAN LOAN and  
 AGENCY CO., Limited.**

**DIVIDEND NO. 51**

Notice is hereby given that a dividend of one  
 and one-half per cent. on the paid-up capital stock of this  
 company for the three months ending November 30th,  
 1897, has this day been declared, and that the same will  
 be payable on the 15th December prox.

By order of the Directors.

J. F. KIRK, Manager.

Toronto, Nov. 30, 1897.

**THE DOMINION**

**Savings and Investment Society**

**LONDON, CANADA.**

Capital Subscribed .....	\$1,000,000 00
Capital Paid-up .....	932,963 79
Total Assets .....	2,330,693 48

ROBERT REID (Collector of Customs), PRESIDENT.

T. H. PURDOM (Barrister), Inspecting Director.

NATHANIEL MILLS, Manager.

**The Farmers' Loan and Savings Co.**

OFFICE, No. 17 TORONTO ST., TORONTO.

Capital .....	\$1,057,950
Paid-up .....	611,430
Assets .....	1,385,000

Money advanced on improved Real Estate at lowest  
 current rates  
 Sterling and Currency Debentures issued.

Money received on deposit, and interest allowed payable  
 half-yearly. By Vic. 42, Chap. 20, Statutes of Ontario  
 Executors and Administrators are authorized to invest  
 trust funds in Debentures of this Company.

WM. MULOCK, M.P. GEO. S. C. BETHUNE

**Western Canada Loan & Savings  
 Company**

**Sixty-Ninth Half-Yearly Dividend**

Notice is hereby given that a dividend of THREE  
 per cent. (3 per cent.) for the half-year ending 31st Dec.,  
 1897, has been declared on the paid up capital stock,  
 and that the same will be payable at the offices of the  
 company, No. 76 Church Street, Toronto, on and after  
 Monday, the 3rd of January, 1898.

The transfer books will be closed from the 16th to  
 the 31st day of December, inclusive.

WALTER S. LEE,  
 Managing Director.

**The Huron and Erie Loan & Savings Co.**

**DIVIDEND NO. 67.**

Notice is hereby given that a dividend of Four and  
 One-half per cent. for the current half year, upon the  
 paid-up capital stock of this Company, has been  
 declared, and that the same will be payable at the  
 Company's Office in this city on and after

**Monday, January 3rd, 1898.**

The Transfer Books will be closed from the 16th to  
 the 31st December, both days inclusive. By order of  
 the Board.

GEO. A. SOMERVILLE, Manager.

London, Ont., Dec. 1st, 1897.

**The Home Savings & Loan Co.,**

LIMITED.

**DIVIDEND NO. 37.**

Notice is hereby given that a dividend at the rate of  
 SEVEN per cent. per annum has this day been de-  
 clared on the paid-up capital stock of the company for  
 the half-year ending 31st Dec., inst., and that the same  
 will be payable at the office of the Company, 78 Church  
 Street, Toronto, on and after the 3rd day of January,  
 prox.

The transfer books will be closed from the 16th to  
 31st inst., both days inclusive.

By order of the board.

JAMES MASON, Manager.

Toronto, 9th Dec., 1897.

**The London & Ontario Invest-  
 ment Co., Limited**

**DIVIDEND NO. 39**

Notice is hereby given that a dividend at the rate of  
 SIX per cent. per annum upon the paid-up capital stock  
 of the company has been declared for the half-year  
 ending December 31st, instant, and that the same will  
 be payable by the company's bankers on and after the  
 Third day of January, 1898.

The stock transfer books will be closed from the  
 16th to the 31st instant, both days inclusive.

By order of the board.

A. M. COSBY, Manager.

Toronto, Dec. 11th, 1897.

**The Building & Loan Association**

**DIVIDEND NO. 55.**

Notice is hereby given that a dividend of Two per  
 cent., making a rate of 4 1/2 per cent. for the year, has been  
 declared for the current half-year, ending 31st December,  
 and that the same will be payable at the Offices of the  
 Association, No. 13 Toronto Street, on and after

**Monday, 3rd January, 1898.**

The Transfer Books will be closed from the 30th to  
 the 31st of December, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board.

WALTER GILLESPIE, Manager.

**THE ONTARIO LOAN & SAVINGS COMPANY  
 OSHAWA, ONT**

Capital Subscribed .....	\$300,000
Capital Paid-up .....	200,000
Reserve Fund .....	75,000
Deposits and Can. Debentures .....	605,000

Money loaned at low rates of interest on the security  
 of Real Estate and Municipal Debentures

Deposits received and interest allowed.

W. F. COWAN, President.

W. F. ALLEN Vice-President.

T. H. McMILLAN, Secy-Treas.

**SLOW  
 pay**

And Bad Accounts are  
 specialties with our col-  
 lecting department.  
 Don't write anything  
 off until we see what we  
 can do with it.

R. G. DUN & CO.  
 Toronto and Principal Cities  
 of Dominion.