

ESTABLISHED 1875

# IMPERIAL BANK OF CANADA

Capital Paid Up \$7,000,000

Reserve Fund \$7,000,000

PELEG HOWLAND, President

E. HAY, General Manager

HEAD OFFICE—TORONTO

VANCOUVER—J. M. LAY, Manager

BRANCHES:

FAIRVIEW: J. S. GIBB, Manager

HASTINGS AND ABBOTT ST.: F. B. THOMSON, Manager

Incorporated 1832.

## The Bank of Nova Scotia

Capital, \$6,500,000

Reserve, \$12,000,000

Total Assets over \$110,000,000

190 Branches in Canada, Newfoundland, Jamaica, Cuba,  
Porto Rico, and at

Boston, Chicago, New York (Agency)

Special facilities for the handling of Sterling and  
Australasian Exchange

BRANCHES IN VANCOUVER:

418 Hastings St. W.

1215 Granville St.

Established 1865.

## Union Bank of Canada

### HEAD OFFICE—WINNIPEG

Paid Up Capital.....\$ 5,000,000

Reserve.....3,400,000

Total Assets (over).....109,000,000

London, England, Branches: 6 Princes St., E. C., and  
West End Branch, Haymarket, S. W.

New York Agency: 49 Wall Street.

Attention is particularly drawn to the advantages offered by the Foreign Exchange Department of our London, England, office; and merchants and manufacturers are invited to avail themselves of the Commercial Information Bureau established at that Branch, and also at our New York Agency.

Vancouver Office - - J. G. GEDDES, Manager

## The Bank of Toronto

Capital and Surplus - \$11,000,000.00

We invite the banking accounts of business people, corporations and others; also private and savings accounts. All business, whether small or large, is given the best of attention.

Vancouver Branch: Hastings and Cambie Sts.

## The Molsons Bank

One of the oldest chartered banks in Canada  
Incorporated 1855

Capital Authorized - - - - \$5,000,000

Capital Paid Up - - - - 4,000,000

Reserve Fund - - - - 4,800,000

General Banking Business Transacted  
One Dollar opens Savings AccountMain Office: - - HASTINGS AND SEYMOUR STREETS  
East End Branch: - - 150 HASTINGS STREET EAST  
VANCOUVER

## THE MERCHANTS' BANK OF CANADA

ESTABLISHED 1864

HEAD OFFICE, MONTREAL

Paid-up Capital.....\$7,000,000  
Reserve Fund.....7,421,292

236 Branches in Canada, extending from the Atlantic to the Pacific.

GENERAL BANKING BUSINESS TRANSACTED  
SAVINGS DEPARTMENTS AT ALL BRANCHES

Deposits received of one dollar and upwards, and interest allowed at 3 per cent. per annum

MOST MODERN OFFICES. SAFETY DEPOSIT BOXES FOR RENT.

VANCOUVER, B. C.

Granville and Pender Streets.....G. N. Stacey, Act. Mgr.  
Hastings and Carrall Streets.....W. O. Joy, Act. Mgr.

### GOVERNMENT REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE

| Revenue:             | Month of July |               | Four months ending July |              |
|----------------------|---------------|---------------|-------------------------|--------------|
|                      | 1917          | 1916          | 1917                    | 1916         |
| Customs .....        | \$12,035,604  | \$ 9,806,743  | \$56,005,043            | \$43,369,485 |
| Excise .....         | 1,932,569     | 1,965,434     | 7,618,872               | 7,624,236    |
| Post Office .....    | 1,693,887     | 1,350,000     | 6,443,887               | 5,550,000    |
| Public Works....     | 2,697,051     | 2,479,346     | 8,485,931               | 8,376,811    |
| Miscellaneous ..     | 1,522,950     | 1,264,508     | 4,650,917               | 2,718,403    |
|                      | \$19,882,061  | \$16,866,031  | \$83,204,650            | \$67,638,935 |
| Expenditure .....    | \$14,357,085  | \$17,684,296  | \$24,693,046            | \$28,212,341 |
| Capital Expenditure: |               |               |                         |              |
| War .....            | \$23,038,043  | \$29,151,429  | \$43,688,531            | \$51,324,460 |
| Public Works....     | 620,169       | 2,320,367     | 2,698,973               | 6,489,281    |
| Rail Subsidies ..    |               |               |                         | 185,298      |
|                      | \$23,658,212  | \$31,471,796  | \$46,387,504            | \$57,999,039 |
| Net Debt .....       | 31 July, 1917 | 30 June, 1917 | 31 July, 1916           |              |
|                      | \$860,377,228 | \$840,973,168 | \$635,203,914           |              |

### FOREIGN TRADE

|                    | Month of July |               | Twelve months ending July |                 |
|--------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------------------|-----------------|
|                    | 1917          | 1916          | 1917                      | 1916            |
| Imports:           |               |               |                           |                 |
| Merchandise ....   | \$90,181,595  | \$63,622,587  | \$977,563,886             | \$622,986,550   |
| *Coin & Bullion .. | 2,084,726     | 404,102       | 30,678,253                | 33,717,992      |
| Total Imports....  | \$92,266,321  | \$64,026,689  | \$1,008,242,139           | \$656,704,542   |
| Exports:           |               |               |                           |                 |
| Can. Produce....   | \$177,366,148 | \$104,964,270 | \$1,308,885,137           | \$932,787,684   |
| Foreign " .....    | 2,850,372     | 55,637,340    | 33,375,154                | 148,822,047     |
| Total Mdse. ....   | \$180,216,520 | \$160,601,610 | \$1,342,260,291           | \$1,081,609,731 |
| Coin & Bullion ..  | 218,384       | 14,232,189    | *39,315,820               | 81,392,217      |
| Total Exports....  | \$180,434,904 | \$174,833,799 | \$1,381,576,111           | \$1,163,001,948 |

\*The imports and exports of coin and bullion are exceptional owing to special transactions between the Imperial and Canadian Governments, and, therefore, are not to be taken as an indication of the trade of Canada.