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increasing from year to year, and the exportable surplus of these products as well as of her manufactures constitutes the chief medium of payment for her imports. She has always been a good customer of the United States and at the present time her imports from that country are larger than ever before. Owing to the stress of financing the war it is becoming difficult for Canada to pay cash for all her necessary imports from the United States and, in order to foster this important trade, it is suggested that the United States may find it expedient to finance for the time being a part of her sales to Canada by giving credit to either Great Britain or to Canada.

In conclusion it seems safe to predict that, as long as Canada's trade balance with the United States remains substantially in favor of the latter, United States funds will continue to be quoted here on the average at a premium, and the rise and fall of the rate of exchange for United States funds may in a measure be looked upon as a barometer indicating from time to time Canada's fin-

ancial condition.

#### BANK OF HAMILTON APPOINTS ADVISORY BOARD.

J. L. Davidson, Vancouver, has joined the Western Advisory Board of the Bank of Hamilton, acting with Benjamin Wilson, also of this city. Announcement to this effect was made by F. E. Kilvert, western superintendent of the bank.

Mr. Wilson was formerly manager of the Bank of Hamilton at Wingham, Ont., opened the Winnipeg branch and later was superintendent of western branches, with headquarters at Winnipeg. He retired from active service with the bank eighteen years ago and removed to Vancouver, since when he has acted for the bank in a

consultative capacity.

Mr. Davidson is associated with many important enterprises in the west. He is a member of the grain firm of Davidson & Smith, operating a system of grain elevators and steamers on the Great Lakes, is connected with manufacturoing plants at Fort William; is president of the Pacific Construction Co., Ltd., which has launched its first vessel at Port Coquitlam, and has a number of other business interests in British Columbia.

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A large number of British Columbia friends of Mr. George H. Smith, Superintendent of branches of the Canada Permanent Mortgage Corporation, will be pleased to learn that he has been appointed to the position of assistant general manager of that institution. Mr. Smith entered the services of the Canada Permanent in 1882 and has advanced in the services of the Company to this important position in one of the largest loaning institutions in Canada.

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