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BOSTON, Mass., U.S.A.**TRUSTS CORPORATION OF ONTARIO.**The seventh annual meeting of this corpora-
tion was held at their offices, Nos. 19 and 21
King street west, Toronto, on Tuesday, the 11th
day of February, 1896, at 12 o'clock noon.Among those present were: Hon. J. C.
Aikins, George A. Boomer, William Cooke,
William Hendrie, J. J. Kenny, Matthew Leg-
gat, Thomas Long, A. Manning, W. D. Mat-
thews, Alexander Nairn, E. B. Osler, J. L.
Blaikie, Hon. S. C. Wood, Emilius Jarvis, etc.On motion the Hon. J. C. Aikins took the
chair, and Mr. A. E. Plummer, the manager,
was appointed secretary, and read the follow-
ing report:**REPORT.**The directors of the Trusts Corporation of
Ontario beg to submit their seventh annual re-
port, together with the financial statements
showing the business of the corporation for the
year ending 31st December, 1895.It is with much pleasure your directors re-
port a steady growth in the business of the cor-
poration. The new trusts acquired during the
year, consisting of administrations, executor-
ships and trusteeships, and such like offices,
amounted to \$1,175,506.79. After disposing of
a number of estates among the various parties
entitled thereto, there now remains in the
hands of the corporation assets belonging to
trust estates amounting in value to over five
millions of dollars.While the volume of our new business does
not come up to that of last year, the number of
trusts is very much greater, and your directors
point to this feature as a satisfactory evidence
that the corporation continues to receive the
confidence and support of the public.It will be seen by the profit and loss sheet
that a substantial increase has been made in the
amount carried forward. After paying all ex-
penses connected with the management of the
business, and two half-yearly dividends to share-
holders, at the rate of six per cent. per annum,
there now remains at the credit of this account
the sum of \$26,338.27.Our safe deposit boxes and storage depart-
ment continue to be well patronized, and are
proving a valuable adjunct to our business.Wills appointing the corporation executor
and trustee are continually being lodged in our
vaults for safe custody.During the year Mr. John Stuart of Hamil-
ton and Mr. Charles Magee of Ottawa retired
from the directorate, and their places were
filled by Hon. J. M. Gibson, M.P.P., Hamilton,
and Mr. W. C. Edwards, M.P., Rockland, Ont.
All of which is respectfully submitted.

J. C. AIKINS, President.

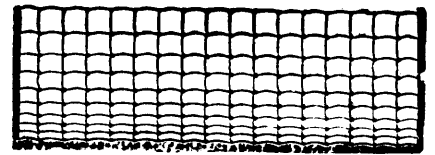
The following is a statement of the business
acquired by the Corporation during the past
year:

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| 46 Administrations..... | \$ 299,750 |
| 5 Executorships..... | 73,400 |
| 20 Trusteeships..... | 788,500 |
| 8 Guardianships..... | 18,400 |
| 2 Receiverships..... | 12,750 |
| 1 Committeeship..... | 500 |
| 4 Trust Agencies..... | 32,700 |

\$1,176,000

5 Trustees for bond holders.

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The report was unanimously adopted, and,
after the usual votes of thanks were passed, the
retiring board were re-elected as follows: Hon.
J. C. Aikins, J. L. Blaikie, Hon. Sir R. J. Cart-
wright, K.C.M.G., William Cooke, W. C. Ed-
wards, M.P., Hon. J. M. Gibson, M.P.P., Hon.
J. R. Gowan, C.M.C., William Hendrie, J. J.
Kenny, M. Leggat, Thomas Long, Hon. Peter
McLaren, A. Manning, W. D. Matthews, B. B.
Osler, Q.C., E. B. Osler, Hugh Ryan, Hon. S.
C. Wood.At a subsequent meeting of the board of direc-
tors the Hon. J. C. Aikins was elected president,
and Sir Richard Cartwright and Hon. S. C.
Wood vice-presidents.—Bradstreet's gives the total bank clearings
for the calendar year 1895 in seventy-five U.S.
cities at \$53,150,395,463, against \$45,501,-
997,329 for 1894, showing an increase of
16.8 per cent. in the volume of business for
1895. In the amount of clearings, of course
New York is largely in the lead, amounting to
\$29,841,796,924; Boston stands second, with
\$4,757,684,594; Chicago third, with \$4,614,-
979,198; Philadelphia fourth, with \$3,555,851,-
128; St. Louis fifth, with \$1,244,813,654. None
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