

The British Mortgage Loan Co., OF ONTARIO. Dividend Number 55.

Notice is hereby given that a Dividend at the rate of Six per cent. per annum, on the Paid-up Capital Stock of this Company, for the half-year ending the 31st instant, has this day been declared, and that the same is payable at the office of the Company, in the City of Stratford, on and after

Tuesday, the 2nd Day of January next.

The Transfer Books will be closed from the 16th to the 31st instant, inclusive.

By order of the Board.

WM. BUCKINGHAM,
Stratford, Dec. 4th, 1905. Manager.

The British Canadian Loan & Investment Company, (Limited.)

DIVIDEND No. 56

Notice is hereby given that a dividend at the rate of five per cent. per annum on the paid-up capital of the Company, for the half-year ending 31st December, 1905, has this day been declared, and that the same will be payable on the second day of January next.

The transfer books will be closed from the 20th to the 31st proximo, both days inclusive.

By order of the Directors.

ERNEST S. BALL, Manager.
Toronto, 23rd November, 1905.

Telephone Main 2979.

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BANKERS.

From the following list our readers can ascertain the names and addresses of bankers who will undertake to transact a general agency and collection business in their respective localities:

MEAFORD—Grey County. C. H. JAY & COY
Bankers, Financiers and Canadian Express Co
Agents. Money to loan.

GEORGE F. JEWELL, F.C.A., Public Accountant
and Auditor, Office, 361 Dundas Street, London,
Ontario.

COUNTIES Grey and Bruce collections made on
commission, lands valued and sold, notices served.
A general financial business transacted. Leading loan
companies, lawyers and wholesale merchants given as
references.

H. H. MILLER Hanover.

The Grenfell Investment Co.

BANKERS

GRENFELL, N.W.T.

A General Banking and Financial Business transacted.
Special attention given to collections on Neudorf, Hyde,
Tice, Mariahill and Pheasant Forks.

JAS. YOUNG-THOMSON MGR.

The ONTARIO LOAN & DEBENTURE CO. Of London, Canada.

Subscribed Capital	\$2,000,000
Paid-up Capital	1,200,000
Reserve Fund	625,000
Total Assets	3,925,918
Total Liabilities	2,033,757

Debentures issued for 3 or 5 years. Debentures and
interest can be collected at any agency of Molsons Bank
without charge.

WILLIAM F. BULLEN,
London, Ontario, 1905. Manager.

Mercantile Summary

The Natural Gas Company, of Calgary, have gained control of a large block of land near that city. Operations are likely to be started in the near future.

The McGill Chair Company, Limited, of Cornwall, has received an Ontario charter. Its capital is placed at \$100,000. Thos. McGill and Peter E. Campbell, of Cornwall, are among the members. It will manufacture chairs and other furniture, also acquire any other business similar to its own.

The Department of Trade and Commerce has been notified by the Elder-Dempster Company that the steamer "Angola," of the Canada-Mexico service, has been lost outside Havana harbor, bound south. The steamer "Canada Cape," of the Elder-Dempster line, now at Trinidad, is going to call at the Mexican ports, and will make the northern trip in place of the "Angola."

Several companies which are interested in water power from the Chaudiere are applying for permission to let water into the new slides channel. This is a serious matter for the city of Ottawa. The city engineers last July drew the attention of the council to the fact that if the water were allowed to enter the channel the head of water available for the city water works would be prejudicially affected, as the water will be drawn so low that insufficient power would be available to operate the system.

The Rand Drill Company and the Ingersoll Sergeant Drill Company, of New York, who together operate a factory in Sherbrooke, Que., under the name of the Canadian Rand Drill Company, have decided, owing to the greatly increased call for their specialties in compressed air machinery, etc., as well as structural steel work, to build a new foundry and to make other extensive additions to their works. Mr. Geo. Doubleday, of New York, is president of the company, and Mr. E. W. Gilman, of Montreal, vice-president and general manager.

An attractive Christmas number for 1905 has been issued by the "Farmers' Advocate and Home Magazine," of London, Ont. Aside from its pictorial attractions it contains articles by C. W. Young, British Columbia; G. H. Parsons, England; Rev. Father Burke, president of P.E.I. Fruit-Growers' Association; Hon. John Dryden; Mr. Linus Woolverton; Thomas Southworth, Director of Colonization for Ontario, upon such subjects as "The Live Stock Industry," "The Niagara Fruit Industry," "Dairying and Horse Breeding," "Northern Ontario Suited for Successful Agriculture." Our contemporary is to be congratulated on its new building in Winnipeg, a picture of which appears on the front cover of the Christmas issue.



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