

# The Merchants Bank of Canada.

## Notice is Hereby Given

That a Dividend of THREE AND ONE-HALF PER CENT. for the current half-year, being at the rate of Seven per Cent. per annum upon the Paid-up Capital Stock of this Institution, has been declared, and that the same will be payable at its Banking House in this city, on and after

**Monday, the 1st Day of June next.**

The Transfer Books will be closed from the 16th to the 31st day of May next, both days inclusive.

The Annual General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the Banking House in the City of Montreal, on Wednesday, the 17th day of June next. The chair will be taken at twelve o'clock, noon.

By order of the Board,  
THOS. FYSHE,  
General Manager.

Montreal, 21st April, 1903.

# THE WESTERN BANK OF CANADA

Head Office, Oshawa, Ont.

Capital Authorized . . \$1,000,000 00  
Capital Subscribed . . 500,000 00  
Capital Paid-up . . . . 435,000 00  
Rest . . . . . 175,000 00

**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—Elmvale, Midland, Tilsonburg, New Hamburg, Whitby, Pickering, Paisley, Penetanguishene, Plattsville, Port Perry, Sunderland, Tavistock, Ont. Wellesley.  
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.

# The Sovereign Bank of Canada.

Notice is hereby given that the Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Bank will be held at the Head Office, No. 28 King Street West, Toronto, on TUESDAY, THE NINTH DAY OF JUNE NEXT. The chair to be taken at twelve o'clock noon.

By order of the Board,  
D. M. STEWART,  
Toronto, 1st May, 1903. General Manager.

# Bank of Hamilton.

Notice is hereby given that a Dividend of Five per cent. for the half year ending 30th May, on the Capital Stock of the Bank, has been declared, and that the same will be payable at the Bank and its Branches on

**The 1st Day of June next.**

The Transfer Books will be closed from 16th to 30th May, both inclusive.

The Annual General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the Head Office of the Bank, Hamilton, on Monday, 15th June. The Chair to be taken at noon. By order of the Board.

Hamilton, 22nd April, 1903.  
J. TURNBULL,  
General Manager.

# PEOPLE'S BANK OF HALIFAX

Paid-up Capital . . . \$700,000  
Reserve Fund . . . . 300,000  
**Board of Directors:**  
J. J. STEWART . . . . . President  
GEORGE R. HART, Vice-Pres't  
W.H. Webb, Hon. G. J. Troop,  
John Murphy,  
Andrew Mackinlay.

D. R. CLARKE, Cashier. **Head Office, HALIFAX, N.S.**

**Agencies**—North End Branch—Halifax, Edmundston, N.B., Wolfville, N.S., Woodstock, N.B., Lunenburg, N.S., Shediac, N.B., Port Hood, C.B., Fraserville, Que., Canso, N.S., Levis, P.Q., Lake Megantic, P.Q., Cookshire, P.Q., Quebec, P.Q., Hartland, N.B., Danville, P.Q., Grand Falls, N.B., Mahone Bay, N.S., Mabou, C.B., St. Raymond, P.Q., Grand Mere, P.Q., Bathurst, N.B., Andover, N.B.  
**Banks**—The Union Bk. of London, London, G.B.; The Bank of New York, New York; New England National Bank, Boston; Bank of Toronto, Montreal.

# The London Life Insurance Co.

Head Office, LONDON, Ont.

JOHN McCLARY, President

A. O. JEFFERY, O.C., LL.B., D.C.L., Vice-President.  
Every desirable form of life insurance afforded on as favorable terms as by other first-class companies.

**MONEY TO LOAN** on Real Estate security at lowest current rates of interest.

**Liberal Terms to desirable agents.**

JOHN G. RICHTER, . . . . . MANAGER

# THE NATIONAL BANK OF SCOTLAND LIMITED

Incorporated by Royal Charter and Act of Parliament. Established 1825.

HEAD OFFICE: **Edinburgh**

Capital Subscribed . . . . . £5,000,000  
Paid-up . . . . . 1,000,000  
Uncalled . . . . . 4,000,000  
Reserve Fund . . . . . 1,030,000

THOMAS HECTOR SMITH, General Manager GEORGE B. HART, Secretary  
London Office—37 Nicholas Lane, Lombard Street, E.C.

JAMES ROBERTSON, Manager THOMAS NESS, Assistant Manager

The Agency of Colonial and Foreign Banks is undertaken and the Acceptances of Customers residing in the Colonies, domiciled in London, retired on terms which will be furnished on application.

All other Banking business connected with England and Scotland is also transacted.

# UNION BANK OF HALIFAX

Incorporated 1856.

Capital Authorized, . . . . \$1,705,900  
Capital Paid-up, . . . . . 1,205,900  
Rest, . . . . . 825,000

**DIRECTORS**

WM. ROBERTSON, - - President.

WM. ROCHE, M.P., Vice-President.

C. C. Blackadar, E. G. Smith,

Geo. Mitchell, M.P.P., A. E. Jones, Geo. Stairs

**HEAD OFFICE, - - HALIFAX, N.S.**

E. L. THORNE, - - General Manager.

C. N. S. STRICKLAND, - Supt. of Branches.

**Branches**—Halifax, Annapolis, Barrington Passage, Bear River, Berwick, Bridgetown, Clark's Harbor, Dartmouth, Digby, Granville Ferry, Kentville, Lawrencetown, Liverpool, Middleton, New Glasgow, Parrsboro, Sherbrooke, Springhill, Truro, Windsor, Wolfville, Yarmouth, Nova Scotia; Glace Bay, Inverness, Mabou, North Sydney, St. Peter's, Sydney, Sydney Mines, Arichat, Baddeck, Cape Breton, Port of Spain, Trinidad, and St. John, N. B.

# LA BANQUE NATIONALE

Head Office - - QUEBEC

Capital Authorized . . . . \$2,000,000 00  
Capital Subscribed . . . . 1,500,000 00  
Paid-up Capital . . . . . 350,000 00  
Rest . . . . . 60,161 16  
Undivided Profits

**Board of Directors**

R. AUDETTE, Esq., Pres. A. B. DUPUIS, Esq., Vice-Pres.

Hon. Judge A. Chauveau N. Rioux, Esq. N. Fortier, Esq.

V. Chateaufort, Esq. J. B. Laliberte, Esq.

P. LAFRANCE, Manager. N. LAVOIE, Inspector.

**Branches**

Quebec, St. Roch, Quebec, St. Johns St., Montreal, Ottawa, Ont., Sherbrooke, Que., St. Francois, Beauce, Que., Ste. Marie, Beauce, Que., Chicoutimi, Que., Roberval, Que., St. Hyacinthe, Que., Joliette, Que., St. John's, P.Q., Rimouski, Que., Murray Bay, Que., Montmagny, Que., Fraserville, Que., St. Casimir, Que., Nicolet, Que., Coaticook, Que., Baie St. Paul, Que., Plessisville, Que., Levis, Que.

**Agents:**

London, England—The National Bank of Scotland, Ltd. Paris, France—Credit Lyonnais. New York—First National Bank. Boston, Mass.—National Bank of Redemption. Prompt attention given to collections. Correspondence respectfully solicited.

# BANK OF YARMOUTH, NOVA SCOTIA.

T. W. JOHNS, Cashier. | H. G. FARRISH, Ass't Cashier

**Directors:**

John Lovitt, President. S. A. Cromwell, Vice-President.  
H. Cann. Augustus Cann. J. Leslie Lovitt.

**Correspondents at**—Halifax—The Royal Bank of Canada.—St. John—The Bank of Montreal.—Montreal—The Bank of Montreal and Molsons Bank.—New York—The National Citizens Bank.—Boston—The Eliot National Bank, Philadelphia—Consolidation National Bank.—London, G. B.—The Union Bank of London.

Prompt Attention to Collections.

# The TRUST & LOAN CO. OF CANADA

ESTABLISHED 1851

Subscribed Capital . . . . \$7,300,000  
Paid-up Capital . . . . . 1,581,666  
Reserve Fund . . . . . 858,760

HEAD OFFICE: 7 Great Winchester St., London, Eng.

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St. James Street, MONTREAL  
Portage Ave., WINNIPEG

Money advanced at lowest current rates on the security of improved farms and productive city property.

R. D. MACDONNELL } Commissioners.  
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INCORPORATED 1836

# ST. STEPHEN'S BANK

St. Stephen N. B.

Capital . . . . \$200,000 Reserve . . . . \$45,000

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

**Agents**—London, Messrs. Glyn, Mills, Currie & Co. New York, Bank of New York, B.N.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.