The Toronto World THE QUEBEC BANK

Every Day in the Year. MAIN OFFICE, 83 YONGE STREET. 1st June, 1908.

A favor will be conferred on the man pers by carrier or thru the mail will port any irregularity or delay in re-

Gu-bec Bank, held in the Banking bad debts and unearned interest on present: Messrs. W. A. Marsh, Vesey Bosweil, John Shaw, John T. Ross, A. E. Scott, Eagh, and Courty for Canadian securities. The railways are still crying low earnings, but even earnings are looking up and the roads will be forced to put more men at work on or after July first in order to handle the increased business. The crop reports are of the business are locking the forced to put the crop that the crop the crop the crop the crop the crop that the crop the crop the crop the crop that the crop that the crop the crop that th Everyone is now confident of the outlook and that is half way over the

WHO GOT TWO CENTS A MILE. Mditor World: Will you kindly give me an explanation how the two-cent rate came about on the Metropolitan Electric Railway in North York, as I understand you, Mr. Editor, had something to do with bringing it around.

King, June 3.

In answer to the above query The World begs to say that it is largely esponsible for the two-cent-a-mile rate on the local railways in the province. When the railway bill was introduced in the legislature, and long before it was introduced. The World hammered away at the two-cent-amile rate as the maximum passenger lature accordingly made provision for two-cent-a-mile, rate But months after the act came into force the Metropolitan Railway refused to obey the law, and The World newspaper sent one of its reporters out on a test case. He tendered two cents a mile: it was refused, and he was put off the train; whereupon The World retained Messrs. nade a motion in the courts for a mandamus compelling the company to concede the two-cent-a-mile rate. The World at the same time tried to stir up the railway commission, but found that body at that time very slow.

The lawyers of The World, however. were so successful that the company was given a day or two to comply with the law, or that an order would issue. and the rate thereupon went into effect, and the law was respected thereafter, so far as we know. The World does not deny that other people may have been working in the same direction, but the actual way in which the two-cent-a-mile rate came about was as described above.

JOHN SHAW'S PUBLIC RECORD. Mr. Shaw has been from first to last an out and out progressivist. His record as a friend of public ownership is without a flaw. When public ownership had few friends, he was one of the staunchest. His last public act in this respect was a practical appliof the streets of the city, by the city itself, and not by a private corporation, and the saving to the citizens by this one act alone was \$7000 to \$10,-000 a year. He was an eloquent adby pen and voice. The improvement to the water front, the purification of the water supply and an up-to-date sewage disposal scheme found in Mr.

The improvement that he has been its President, still he wishes to say that he does not present diately after the Annual Meeting, John This year, because, for personal reasons, he finds it necessary to diminish the vice-President. vocate of the viaduct scheme, both Shaw a most able and persistent ad-

vocate. Year in and year out the ne-

cessity of these great public works

was brought before the public by Mr.

schemes for increasing the water suply have the young men in the northern part of the city to thank John snaw for at least two of the finds convenient open air recreation grounds in the city. John Shaw is essentially a progressivist, not in theory, but The electors of the city of the city of the city of the city. The electors of the city North Toronto should not be unmindful of his life-long devotion to their

whose loyalty is such that they feel Post's position. similar tendencies is the paper which like common industrial companies receive a certain service, always unpressed. The Financial Post in a re-, finitely the gross income may be kept a railway commission. After ample in-

Annual Meeting of Shareholders, Held Monday, the were opened will be excessive now that

Proceedings of the Ninetieth Annual Meeting of the Shareholders of The Qu-bec Bank, held in the Banking been made of the expenses management with due allowance bad debts and unearned interest bad debts and unearned interes

15th MAY, 1908.

LIABIL ITIES.

Capital Stock Rest	\$1,250,000	00	\$ 2,500,000	01
Reserved for Interest due to Depositors and for Re- bate of Interest on Current Bills Discounted	115,352 146,900	71 49		
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Unclaimed Dividends	43,750	00		
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Notes in circulation	\$1,447,568	00		
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Dominion Notes	516,657	50		
Deposit with the Dominion Government for security				
of Note Circulation	89.600	00		
Notes of and Cheques on other Banks	422,792	24	4.0249	
Bonds and Securities	916 900	28	and the second	
Call and Short Loans elsewhere than in Canada	10,000	00	in opi	1
Loans to other Banks in Canada secured, including	20,000			
Bills re-discounted	107,666	54	4. 产 展	
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THOMAS McDOUGALL,

rmher of his business engagements.

The usual resolutions conveying thanks to the Directors and Officers

were passed, after which the following

Shareholders were elected Directors for

Stuart, K.C.; F. W. Ross.

\$14,651,049 21

General Manager.

The Quebec Bank, Quebec, 15th May, 1908.

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT. Balance at credit of Profit and Loss Account, 15th May, 1907\$70,843 4 Profits for the year ended 15th May, 1908, after deducting charges of management and making provision for bad and doubtful

Notes and Bills Discounted Current 10,058,911

Bank Premises and Furniture

Overdue Debts (Loss provided for)
Real Estate other than Bank Premises
Mortgages on Real Estate

Reserved for Pension Fund 5.000 00
Reserved for depreciation in securities held 25,000 00

Balance at credit of Profit and Loss Account carried forward

cation of the principle to the lighting of the streets of the city, by the city the report and Statements now read be adopted and published for the informa-The General Manager explained that the ensuing year: Messrs. John T. Ross, whilst Mr. John Breakey appreciates Gaspard LeMoine, W. A. Marsh, Vesey the support given to him by the Share-Boswell, Thomas McDougall, G. G. holders of the Bank during the time that he has been its President, still he

for the railway man. A supplement

cent issue asks why the railroads up to a definite figure. The latter pro- vestigation this body has passed on the

should not increase their rates now position is as fundamentally wrong in ets to British Columbia, Pacific Coast that the traffic is small, in order that economics as the former is in fact. The and California points will be on sale their revenue may equal that of last prosperity of the railways depends es- at C. P. R. ticket offices at reduced year, when business hummed. The sug- sentially on the prosperity of the counchoice of routes, by Canadian and U. gestion will be pleasing to the railway try, on the amount of traffic there is S. lines, with liberal stop-over privibe congratulated that one of his pet magnates, who have been sitting up offering, and on the density of the popnights worrying over methods for re- ulation, which last operates on both the ply is actually under construction, and the bylaw for an up-to-date sewage disposal system will shortly be submitted to the ratepayers and will undoubtedly carry. Besides these ne
ducing expenses and increasing business. It is, of course, unfortunate that the service Now it must be the object of the railways, as it is of manufacturers, to increase as soon as possible the volume of business moving.

The Post has withheld its advice so ject of the railways, as it is of manufacturers, to increase as soon as possible the volume of business moving.

System for Saturday to Monday trips. Return tickets will be issued at single fare with ten cents added, to many points in Optario good going Saturundoubtedly carry. Besides these necessary works large additions have saved the traffic managers had this can be done by increasing points in Ontario, good going Saturbeen made they been discovered sooner. What prices is a children prices is a children prices is a children prices in Ontario, good going Saturbeen made they been discovered sooner. What to the ravine parks and to the play grounds of North Toronto. Especial
In how the play business began to sag? True, traffic cases of copper and iron in the United Yonge-streets.

Simpler than an increase as soon as facts. We have but to point to the business began to sag? True, traffic cases of copper and iron in the United Yonge-streets. simpler than an increase as soon as facts. We have but to point to the Monday might have continued to decline with States. When the depression came a accelerated speed. What of that? Just few months ago the price of copper was bump the rates. The total revenues lowered, the price of fron was main-Shaw for at least two of the most would be sustained. Owing to the tained at the old level. The result is Cherifian troops, recently engaged the

But the railways can no longer asto the tariff would be issued making sume the attitude of independence of to the tariff would be assued making the rate ten times what it was before.

WHY NOT INCREASE RATES?

The one stove would bring the same service to their great advantage. A Fresh Air Home at Bronte, where the machinery as we have to-day. There are some people in Canada returns as the other ten. Such is The charter is granted to a railway by the charter is granted to a railway by the holiday, free of charge.

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Those who have watched the artipeople, not in order that certain captheir duty to sneeze when the King Two great fallacies appear in this italists may make large profits, but takes a pinch of snuff. Of somewhat reasoning. One is that the railways are primarily in order that the people may has taken upon itself the lucrative if which operate under competitive condi- der the provisions of the Railway Act. unpopular task of interpreting the tions and without enjoying any spe- By their inordinate greed and their wishes of the leading Canadian corpor- cial privileges from the state. The methods of discrimination, the railways ations even before the wishes are ex- other is that by increasing rates inde- themselves forced the appointment of

rates now in force and there is no danger of them changing their opinion. The conditions are improving from year to year for the railways. Rates which were fair when the existing lines the country has become much more thickly settled. The profit from the immense increase in local traffic has far more than counterbalanced the increase in wages and supplies. The Post asks why the railways should alone be prevented from increasing rates in the the immensely valuable privileges with which have been growing from year to year? The value of the privileges has grown with the cost of operation.

QUEBEC BANK.

Another highly satisfactory report was presented by the directors of the Quebec Bank to its shareholders at The net profits for the year were capital stock of \$2,500,000. Contrary to and the roads will be forced to put more men at work on or after July first in order to handle the increased business. The crop reports are of the most encouraging kind. As one observer the other day put it: "Nature is now growing more in two days than she did in two weeks some time ago," and finances will suddenly loosen up in the same way before many days.

Everyone is now confident of the same way before many days.

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A Branch of the Bank has this year been opened at Montmagny, Que.

An Inspection of the Head Office, and all the Branches of the Bank, has been made within the year.

An Inspection of the Bank has been paid to fit and Loss Account, according to the Statement of the 15th May last, the closing of the year.

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GENERAL STATEMENT

disturbed condition of the money market during the past eight months.

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Yice-President.

Statement of the July idends equal to 7 per cent.

On the experience of several financial institutions, deposits with the Quebec Bank has the year.

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Statement of the July idends equal to 7 per being only about \$20,000 less than that of the previous year. The statement shows, the bank to be under a very capable. administration.

CANADA'S PLACE IN THE EMPIRE

Of the 48 colonies in the British Empire, Canada takes the lead. She is by far the largest and most important. She was the first colony to ask for and She was the first colony to ask for and receive self-governing powers, and was the first to form a confederation. She was also the first colony to introduce a British Preferential Tariff.

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AT OSGOODE HALL

Single Court, 11 a.m. . Boyd, Shaw and Cassels. 5. Re Bennett estate. 6. Reynolds v. Manley. 7. VanKaughnet v. Toronto Towel.

Divisional Court.

. Rex v. Spittal. McAllister v. McAllister. 6. Re Keys.

Toronto Non-Jury Sittings Boland v. Falvey.
 Falvey v. Falvey. 3. Foley v. Barber. 4. Montreiul v. Barber. Dominion Express v. Maughan,
 Haslett v. Mann.

In the non-jury assizes Mrs. Annie Boland, St. Clair-avenue, is suing her father, Patrick Falvey, for \$8912.25, as \$351,900 49 recompense for attending on her mother during an illness of 11 years, and for medicines supplied. Her mother had broken her hip in 1897, and for attendance she was to receive the regulation nurses's fee of \$20 a week, board and other expenses, and in addition the use \$205,000 00 her father is now also suing for possession. Mrs. Boland alleges that from January, 1899, until the death occurred in 1907, Falvey did not contribute to his wife's support. A general denial

is entered Justice Magee, in the Curry-McLaren \$7000 mining case, will reserve judgment long enough for counsel to communi-cate with the defendants, who are both away, in an effort to effect a settle-

The divisional court has allowed the appeal of the Coleman Development Company of Cotalt as to the validity of their claim.

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ly .25 and .29, for 19

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Men's Headwear FELT HATS, Derby, fedora Alpine shapes, raw and bound edges, calf and Russia leather sweatbands; black, brown and fawn. Regularly 1.50 CHILDREN'S SAILORS-Plain and variegated straw, wide, medium and small brims, square

and round crowns, bows and streamers at back and side. Regularly 1.00 to 2.00, for79 MEN'S HATS, straw boaters, Canton and rustic braids, wide and narrow bands. Regularly .75

Men's Furnishings SHIRTS, navy or grey Campbellford flannel, collar attached or neckband; sizes 14 to 18. Regularly 1.00 and 1.25, for

SHIRTS, fancy colored neglige, separate or attached cuffs; stripes, checks and figure patterns. Sizes 14 to 17 1-2. Regularly .75 and

UNDERWEAR, plain or ribbed balbriggan, natural cream shade and fancy colors. Sizes 34. to 44. Regularly .34 to .59, for

Children's Dresses IMPORTED, plain and fancy

striped material, some accordionpleated silk, kilted, Buster Brown and Jumper, with fancy trimmings, cream, red, navy, brown, pink and sky, sizes 2, 4, 6, 8, 10 and 12 years. Regularly 2.50 to 10.00, for HALF

Misses' Wear

COATS, covert cloth, broadcloth and boxcloth, scarlet, navy, black and fawn. sizes 32, 34 and 36. Regularly 6.50 to 8.00, for 2.50 SHIRT WAIST SUITS, white lawn, white, navy and tan linens, sizes 14 to 18 years. Friday bargain1.89

Women's Wear

PETTICOATS, imported silk pleated flounces, with tucking, ruching, etc., and underpiece, broken sizes. Regularly 8.00 to 18,00, for HALF PRICE.

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Gloves WOMEN'S, French kid, twodome fasteners, oversewn seams, grey, brown, navy, green, black and white. Regularly .75 and WOMEN'S, lisle thread, twone fasteners, silk-stitched backs, black and white. Regu-

Women's Under-

VESTS, ribbed white cotton and lisle thread, short and no sleeves. sizes 32 to 38. Regularly .35 to .50, for19 CORSET COVERS, nainsook, round voke. with lace insertion. beading. ribbon and lace. Regu-GOWNS, nainsook, slip-over style, Swiss embroidered yoke, with beading and ribbon, elbow sleeves. 56, 58 and 60 inches long. Regularly 2.00, for 1.00 CORSETS, white coutil, medium high bust, long hip and back, four hose supporters, sizes 18 to 26. Regularly 1.50,

Boys' Clothing SIIITS two piece, light and dark grey mixed all wool tweeds, single breasted box pleated and double-breasted plain styles. Knee pants. Sizes 24 to 28. Regularly 4.00 to 4.50, for2.68 FANCY SUITS, sailor style in light grey tweed; Russian in red and brown small checked worsted; elastic bloomer and knee pants. Sizes 21 to 25. Regularly 3.50 to 4.50, for 2.59 WASH SUITS, sailor blouse and Russian style, English Galateas and American percales; knee and bloomer knickers. Sizes 21 to 26. Regularly .75, for . . .48

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Tales of a Store.

One of the wonders of the world stances for its purpose. are the great Pyramids of Egypt. It As a matter of fact military engi-

are the great Pyramids of Egypt. It is difficult for moderns to understand is as hard as adamant and grows Mr. Hall yesterday took out a score how such engineering feats could have harder every day it grows older.

coughs, extremely perilous coughs, coughs that shake the whole body. It takes a strong medicine, a doctor's medicine, to master such coughs. A

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