

THE JUNE BANK STATEMENT

The June Bank Statement which appears in full below contains a number of changes as contrasted with the May statement and also some striking changes as contrasted with the statement of June, 1913.

On the side of Assets, there is a slight contraction in the Note Circulation but a gain in the amount of Specie. The amount due from Foreign Banks shows an increase of \$10,000,000, while the Call Loans outside Canada show a gain of \$8,500,000 over the figures for May and a gain of \$8,000,000 over the returns for June, 1913.

Loans to Municipalities increased by nearly \$4,000,000, indicating that the Banks are more disposed to listen to the claims of towns and cities for extensions and improvements.

The following table shows the chief items of the past month, of the previous month, of a year ago, and of ten years ago:

Table with columns for June 1914, May 1914, June 1913, and June 1904. Rows include Capital Authorized, Capital Subscribed, Capital Paid-up, Reserve Fund, LIABILITIES, and ASSETS.

Summary table for Loans to Directors and their Firms, Average Specie for Month, Average Dominion Notes, and Greatest Circulation during Month.

NEWS OF WORLD TOLD IN BRIEF

Assistant Police Commissioner Blamed for Fatal Shooting at Dublin Sunday

SITUATION NO BETTER

Yesterday's Developments Make Outlook Darker Than Ever in Europe - Enthusiasm Over President Poincaré's Return.

An amazing admission was made by Mr. Birrell in the Commons yesterday when he informed Mr. Bonar Law that Sir James Dugherly, Under Secretary for Ireland, wrote a minute to Assistant Commissioner of Police Harrel of Dublin, advising him not to attempt the forcible disarmament of the Nationalist Volunteers in the Sunday's gun-running exploit.

Yesterday's events brought no relief to the suspense nor any diplomatic achievement to restrict the Austro-Serbian war to those two nations.

In the division of general surgery, Dr. Armstrong, of Montreal, Canadian delegate to the Clinical Congress, now being held in London, read a paper on "Typhoid Perforation." Quoting from recent figures embracing some nine thousand cases, Dr. Armstrong showed that one-third of the deaths were due to perforation, which was commoner in men than in women.

Municipalities by effective legislation for securing provision for pure water and efficient drainage could do a great service in arresting the disease, he said. This enormous waste of young lives at the most susceptible period, being from 15 to 25 years of age, was a bad reflection upon the humanitarianism and business acumen of the laity. The medical profession were not responsible.

AROUND THE CITY HALL

Mayor Would Have an Official to Hire and Discharge City Employees - Sewer Plans Still Missing.

Mayor Martin proposes to appoint an official "hire" and "fire" for the city. His Worship is of the opinion that much of the city's time and money is wasted by lazy and dishonest employees, and that it would be desirable to have some one in authority who might make it his business to stop all this by summarily discharging incompetents and hiring efficient workmen in their places.

The sewer construction plans which form a necessary link in the chain of testimony in the trial are still missing. Mayor Martin has handed the case over to the detective office and has hope that the thief will be discovered and the plans returned by the time they are needed.

St. Louis special says Granite City Rolling Mills re-opened a month earlier than usual. On August 3, Corn Products Refining plant and additional departments of National Enameling & Smelting Co. will open.

Birmingham plant of U. S. Cast Iron Pipe Co. is operating at full capacity. Work is being rushed on 5,000 tons of pipe for Panama.

London dispatch says that Herr Ballin's visit to England is believed to be connected with affairs of British Union Oil Co. Hamburg-American Line is seeking source of fuel oil supply.

Contrary to statements which fixed October 27th as the date of the arrival at Quebec of Prince and Princess Alexander of Teck, the new Governor-General will sail on October 16th by the Empress of Britain, passing his predecessor on the ocean, according to custom.

President Poincaré returned to Paris yesterday afternoon from Russia, accompanied by Premier Viviani.

The President's home-coming was made the occasion of a great patriotic demonstration. Hundreds of thousands of Parisians lined the streets from the Gare du Nord to the Elysee, and shouted "Vive la France!" "Vive l'Armée!" "Vive la France!" and "Vive l'Alliance!" The demonstration was the more significant on account of its spontaneity, for it was not known until late this morning at what hour the President would arrive.

HAPPENINGS IN THE WORLD OF SPORT

Royals Made a Clean Sweep of Series With Battered Orioles by Winning Yesterday

CUBS LOSE GROUND

Giants Creep Away From Chicago - Geo. S. Lyon Eliminated in Second Round of Western Championship.

Thirteen free passes and nine hits gave the Royals the final game of the series with the Orioles yesterday. Davidson was on the slab for the visitors during the first three sessions, and Russell, who succeeded him, was just as wild.

Dowd pitched a good game after a bad start. The Orioles left for Rochester, having lost every game of the series here. The Hustlers will probably trim them just as badly. In fact, with the team Dunn has now, it is a miracle that he wins any games at all.

The Cubs have lost their stride and unless they take a brace the Giants will be so far in front that there will be no overtaking them. Yesterday Boston trimmed the Chicago nine by 8 to 3, while the Giants were winning from the Pirates in the ninth inning of a pitcher's battle in which Treseau had the edge on McQuillan. Treseau allowed but two hits and smared whitewash all over the Pirates.

There were twelve innings of spectacular ball when St. Louis beat the Phillies yesterday. After coming from behind twice St. Louis came back in the 12th with a batting rally and scored four runs, giving them the game 8 to 5.

Washington used five pitchers to beat the Tigers yesterday. Walter Johnson was in the box at the finish. Geo. S. Lyon was defeated in the second round of the western golf championship meeting by Albert Seckel by 4 and 3.

Canadian Bank Statement

Return of the Chartered Banks of the Dominion of Canada June 31st, 1914

Table showing Total Assets of Banks, including Current Coin in Canada, Current Coin elsewhere, Dominion Notes in Canada, and various other assets.

LIABILITIES OF INDIVIDUAL BANKS

Table showing liabilities of individual banks across various provinces including Montreal, Bank of Commerce, Royal Bank, etc.

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COME TO AGREEMENT OVER HOME Second Reading of Amending Bill May Be Dropped Altogether, S Despatch. (Special to The Journal of Commerce) London, July 31.—That an agreement reached in the Home Rule situation the Ulster Unionists was reported to patch from Belfast. Owing to the serious nature of the peace war the second reading of the Home Rule measure has been the situation clear, but it is probably dropped altogether and that the Home go on the statute book when Parliament meets on August 15. Bonar Law, leader of the Opposition, the Ulster leader, held a meeting with Premier Asquith yesterday to postpone the amending Home Rule Bill until the Home Rule Bill is passed. The Ulsterists might consider that