

DIVIDENDS AND NOTICES

MORTGAGEE'S SALE

150 acres deep water frontage in Vancouver Harbor, on Tuesday, 21 January, 1913, at Vancouver, by auction. Offers a splendid opportunity for a gilt-edged investment. Full particulars from J. J. Miller, Auctioneer, or Bond & Sweet, Solicitors, Crown Building, Pender Street, Vancouver, B.C.

LA BANQUE NATIONALE

On and after Saturday, the 1st of February next, this bank will pay to its shareholders a dividend of two per cent., being at the rate of eight per cent. per annum, upon its capital, for the quarter ending on the 31st of January next.

This dividend will be paid according to the list of shareholders of record on the 16th January next.

By order of the Board of Directors.

N. LAVOIE,
General Manager.

Quebec, 17th December, 1912.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY

ISSUE OF NEW ORDINARY CAPITAL STOCK

For the purpose of taking a record of the Shareholders entitled to receive the rights to subscribe to Sixty Million Dollars additional Ordinary Capital Stock of the Company, the Common Stock Transfer Books will be closed in Montreal, New York and London at three p.m. on January 2nd and will be reopened at ten a.m. on January 15th, 1913.

By order of the Board,

W. R. BAKER,
Secretary.

Montreal, December 20th, 1912.

NOVA SCOTIA STEEL AND COAL COMPANY, LIMITED

DIVIDEND NOTICE

A Dividend of two per cent. on the Preferred and one and one-half per cent. on the Ordinary shares of the Company for the quarter ending December 31, 1912, has been declared payable January 15th, 1913, to shareholders of record December 31st, 1912.

BY ORDER OF THE DIRECTORS.

THOMAS GREEN,
Cashier.

New Glasgow, N.S.

NATIONAL LAND AND FRUIT PACKING COMPANY IN TROUBLE

English capital will not welcome the news of an order authorizing the winding up of the National Land, Fruit and Packing Company, Limited, which was granted at Toronto this week, while Mr. G. T. Clarkson was appointed interim liquidator. The company, which had offices at and a warehouse and factory on Fourth Avenue, Mimico, had authorized capital of £250,000.

It was formed in 1910 "chiefly for the purpose of producing and marketing apples grown in Ontario, and for this purpose acquired established orchards containing over 140,000 bearing trees, constituting what is believed to be the largest apple producing property in the world under one ownership."

"Every pound of apples," said the prospectus, "is commercially valuable in some form when apple growing is conducted on a large scale under one management. The company propose to establish a number of manufacturing plants close to each group of properties, and all apples which are not marketable in the ordinary manner will be sent to these factories and treated by evaporation or other processes. The by-products, such as peelings, cores, etc., are shipped abroad and sold at good prices. Evaporated apples find a ready sale in practically all markets, especially in Western Canada, at prices which result in almost as good a net return to the company as from the best green apples when exported and sold in the usual manner. Substantial additional revenue will also be realized from the production of cider, vinegar and pulp waste. The importance of utilizing this otherwise waste product will be appreciated from the fact that the com-

THE SOVEREIGN BANK OF CANADA.

Notice is hereby given that a Special General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Sovereign Bank of Canada will be held at the hour of Twelve o'clock noon on

TUESDAY, THE FOURTH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1913, at the Head Office of the Bank, 930 Traders' Bank Building, in the city of Toronto, Ontario, for the purpose of considering the present position of the affairs of the Bank.

By order of the Board.

F. G. JEMMETT,
General Manager.

Toronto, 11th December, 1912.

THE ROYAL BANK OF CANADA ANNUAL MEETING

The Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Royal Bank of Canada for the election of directors and for other business will be held at the Head Office of the Bank, in Montreal, on Thursday, the 9th day of January next. The chair will be taken at 11 o'clock a.m.

E. L. PEASE,
General Manager.

Montreal, November 30th, 1912.

MAPLE LEAF MILLING COMPANY, LIMITED

DIVIDEND NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that a dividend of one and three-quarters per cent. (1¾%) has been declared on the Preferred Stock of the Maple Leaf Milling Company, Limited, for the quarter ending January 4th, 1913, payable January 18th, 1913, to shareholders of record of January 4th, 1913. Transfer books will be closed from January 4th, 1913, to January 17th inclusive.

By order of the Board.

J. CARRICK,
Secretary.

THE CANADIAN BANK OF COMMERCE.

The annual general meeting of the shareholders of this Bank for the election of directors and for other business will be held at the banking house on Tuesday the 14th day of January next.

The chair will be taken at 12 o'clock noon.
By order of the Board.

ALEX. LAIRD,
General Manager.

Toronto, 29th November, 1912.

pany expects to treat by manufacture upwards of 12,000 tons of apples this season."

In June, 1911, the company offered in the London market 150,000 7 per cent. cumulative participating preference shares of £1 each. The prospectus estimated the net profit on the first season's crops at £43,517, "or more than four times the amount required to pay 7 per cent. on the whole of the preference shares."

The directors and officers of the company are:—Messrs. H. Pollman Evans, Toronto, president; president Union Life Assurance Company. T. Rolph, Toronto, vice-president; vice-president the Home Life Association of Canada. Hon. George E. Foster, M.P., Ottawa. D. A. Burns, Toronto; president Imperial Loan and Investment Company of Canada. W. M. German, K.C., Welland, Ontario; member of Dominion Parliament, County of Welland. E. L. Taylor, K.C., Winnipeg, director Acme Loan and Savings Company, and G. L. Campbell Dauncey, London, England.

Arrangements have been completed under which a factory for the manufacture of women's ready-to-wear cotton goods will be established at Edmonton. The plant will start on a small scale, employing only about fifty hands at the commencement, but will be equipped with the most modern machinery and appliances, and the promoters have every confidence that the business will develop rapidly. Suitable property has been acquired in the neighborhood of Namayo Avenue, in the heart of the most densely populated portion of the city, and the necessary building will be erected as speedily as possible.