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TORONTO STREET, TORONTO

The BANK OF OTTAWA HEAD OFFICE, OTTAWA, CAN.

Capital Authorized.....\$2,000,000 Capital Subscribed.....\$1,994,900
Rest.....\$1,660,455 Capital Paid-up.....\$1,993,940

Directors

CHARLES MAGEE, President. GEORGE HAY, Esq., Vice-President.
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Branches—Arnprior, Alexandria, Avonmore, Bracebridge, Carleton Place, Hawkesbury, Keewatin, Lanark, Mattawa, Pembroke, Parry Sound, Kemptville, Rat Portage, Renfrew, Smith's Falls, Toronto, Vankleek Hill, Rideau Street and also Bank Street, Ottawa, Winchester, in Prov. of Ontario; Winnipeg, Dauphin, and Portage la Prairie, Manitoba; Montreal, Lachute, Hull, Shawinigan Falls, Que. GEO. BURN, General Manager.

EASTERN TOWNSHIPS BANK

Established 1859. Reserve Fund.....\$900,000
Authorized Capital.....\$2,000,000
Head of Directors
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Agents in Montreal—Bank of Montreal. London, Eng.—The National Bank of Scotland. Boston—National Exchange Bank. New York—National Park Bank. Collections made at all accessible points and remitted.

The Western Bank of Canada Head Office, - OSHAWA, ONT.

Capital Authorized.....\$1,000,000
Capital Subscribed.....500,000
Capital Paid-up.....388,240
Rest.....128,000

Board of Directors

JOHN COWAN, Esq., President
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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 HAMILTON PROVIDENT AND LOAN SOCIETY

President - A. T. WOOD, Esq.,
Vice-President - ALEXANDER TURNER, Esq.
Capital Subscribed.....\$1,500,000 00
Capital Paid-up.....1,100,000 01
Reserve & Surplus Funds 345,824 00

DEBENTURES ISSUED FOR
1. 2 OR 3 YEARS;

Interest payable half-yearly at the highest current rates. Executors and Trustees are authorized by law to invest in Debentures of this Society.

Head Office—King St., Hamilton
C. FERRIE, Treasurer

The London & Canadian Loan & Agency Company, Limited

DIVIDEND NO. 61

Notice is hereby given that a dividend of three per cent, on the paid-up capital stock of this company for the six months ending 31st December, 1900, (being six per cent. for the year) has this day been declared, and that the same will be payable on the 15th January next. The Transfer Books will be closed from the 1st to the 14th January, 1901, both days inclusive.

The Annual General Meeting

of the Shareholders will be held at the company's offices, 103 Bay Street, Toronto, on Wednesday, 20th February, 1901. Chair to be taken at noon.
V. B. WADSWORTH, Manager.
Toronto, Dec. 18th, 1900.

PEOPLE'S BANK OF HALIFAX

Paid-up Capital.....\$700,000
Reserve Fund.....240,000

Board of Directors:

Patrick O'Mullin, Pres. George R. Hart, Vice-Pres.
J. J. Stewart, W. H. Webb, C. J. Troop.
D. R. Clarke, Cashier.

Head Office, Halifax, N.S.

AGENCIES:

North End Branch—Halifax, Edmunston, 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, P. Q., Mahone Bay, N. S., Mabou, C. B.
The Union Bk. of London, London, G. B.
The Bank of New York, New York.
New England National Bank, Boston.
Bank of Toronto, Montreal.

HALIFAX BANKING CO.

Incorporated 1872.

Capital Paid-up.....\$500,000
Reserve Fund.....400,000

HEAD OFFICE, HALIFAX, N.S.

H. N. WALLACE, Cashier

DIRECTORS

ROBIE UNACKE, President C. W. ANDERSON, Vice-President
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BRANCHES—Nova Scotia: Halifax, Amherst, Antigonish, Barrington, Bridgewater, Canning, Lockport, Lunenburg, Middleton, New Glasgow, Parrsboro, Springhill, Shelburne, Truro, Windsor. New Brunswick: Sackville, St. John.
CORRESPONDENTS—Dominion of Canada: Molsons Bank and branches. New York: Fourth National Bank. Boston: Suffolk National Bank. London, England: Parr's Bank, Limited.

Agricultural Savings & Loan Co.

LONDON, ONTARIO

Paid-up Capital.....\$630,000
Reserve Fund.....180,000
Assets.....2,213,881

Directors:

Messrs. D. Regan, President. W. J. Reid, Vice-Pres.
Thos. McCormick. T. Beattie, M.P.
and T. H. Smallman.

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Deposits received. Debentures issued in Currency or Sterling.
C. P. BUTLER, Manager

BANK OF YARMOUTH NOVA SCOTIA

T. W. JOHNS Cashier
H. G. FARISH Assistant Cashier

Directors:

John Lovitt, Pres. S. A. Crowell, Vice-Pres.
H. Cann Augustus Cann J. Leslie Lovitt

CORRESPONDENTS AT

Halifax—The Merchants Bank of Halifax.
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 DOMINION SAVINGS & INVESTMENT SOCIETY LONDON, CANADA

Capital Subscribed.....\$1,000,000 00
Capital Paid-up.....932,962 79
Total Assets.....2,230,692 48

ROBERT REID, (Collector of Customs), PRESIDENT
T. H. PURDOM (Barrister), Inspecting Director.
NATHANIEL MILLS, Manager.

LA BANQUE NATIONALE QUEBEC

Head Office, - - - - - QUEBEC
Paid-up Capital.....\$1,200,000
Reserve.....200,000

Board of Directors:

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Hon. Judge Chauveau N. Rioux, Esq. N. Fortin, Esq.
P. V. Chateaufort, Esq. J. B. Laliberte, Esq.
P. LAFRANCE, Manager N. LAVOIE, Inspector

Branches

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St. Roch. St. Francois N. E. Beauce
Montreal Ste. Marie, Beauce
Roberval, Lake St. John Chicoutimi
Ottawa, Ont. St. Hyacinthe, P. Q.
Joliette, Que. St. John's, P. Q.
Rimouski, Que. Murray Bay, P. Q.
Fraserville, P. Q. Montmagny, P. Q.
St. Casimir, P. Q.

Agents

England—The National Bank of Scotland, London.
France—Credit Lyonnais, Paris and branches.
United States—The National Bank of the Republic New York; Shoe and Leather National Bank, Boston.
Prompt attention given to collections

INCORPORATED
1836

ST. STEPHEN'S BANK

St. Stephen's,
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.