DOMINION GOVERNMENT SAVINGS BANKS
Statement of the Balance at Credit of Depositors on Dec. 31st, 1912.

BANK	Deposits for Dec., 1912	Total Deposits	Withdrawals for Dec., 1912	Balance on 31st Dec., 1912.
	$ cts.	$ cts.	$ cts.	$ cts.
Manitoba:—				
Winnipeg	11,171.00	672,290.79	17,978.32	654,312.47
British Columbia:—				
Victoria	47,654.62	1,116,835.55	37,205.25	1,079,630.30
Prince Edward Island:				
Charlottetown	32,522.00	2,077,674.15	53,480.36	2,024,193.79
New Brunswick:				
Newcastle	1,907.00	289,233.60	2,020.74	287,212.86
St. John	77,825.04	5,701,460.02	81,079,61	5,620,380.41
Nova Scotia:—				
Acadia Mines	377 00	33,974.46	1,360.00	32,614.46
Amherst	6,108.00	383,355.82	6,408.29	376,947.53
Arichat	1,631.78	128,811.51	1.162.68	127,648.83
Barrington	100.00	144,619.47	2,293.39	142,326.08
Guysboro'	1,764.00	121,624.29	1,066.90	120,557.39
Halifax	31,524.76	2,412,145.91	31,350,74	2,380,795.17
Kentville	7,346.03	266,705.36	9,796.52	256,908.84
Lunenberg	2,322.00	429,967.26	7,967.98	421,999.28
Pictou	....	....	....	....
Port Hood	518.00	113,720.30	1,159.71	112,560.59
Shelburne	5,413.48	218,505.98	4,221.24	214,284.74
Sherbrooke	434.00	90.251.39	430.00	89,821.39
Wallace	1,348.00	124,006.09	823.70	123,182.39
Totals:	229,966.71	14,325,181.95	259,805.43	14,065,376.52

POST OFFICE SAVINGS BANK ACCOUNT
(NOV., 1912).

DR.	$ cts.	CR.	$ cts.
BALANCE in hands of the Minister of Finance on 31st Oct., 1912	42,406,934 88	WITHDRAWALS during the month	1,237,594.70
DEPOSITS in the Post Office Savings Bank during month	984,030.19		
TRANSFERS from Dominion Government Savings Bank during month:—			
PRINCIPAL			
INTEREST accrued from 1st April to date of transfer	....		
TRANSFERS from the Post Office Savings Bank of the United Kingdom to the Post Office Savings Bank of Canada	9,305.31		
INTEREST accrued on Depositors accounts and made principal on 31st March	....		
INTEREST allowed to Depositors on accounts during month	11,991 44	BALANCE at the credit of Depositors' accounts on 30th Nov. 1912	42,174,667.12
	43,412,261.82		43,412,261.82

Statement showing Receipts and Shipments of Grain at Fort William and Port Arthur for the Period from September 1 to November 30, 1912, with comparisons for 1911.

RECEIPTS 1911-12

	Wheat	Oats	Barley	Flax	Total
	Bush.	Bush.	Bush.	Bush.	Bush.
Month of September, 1912	3,490,239	391,647	188,250	172 556	4,242,692
Month of October, 1912	23,480,760	3,245,982	1,475.997	1,189,847	29,392.586
Month of November, 1912	27,583,511	7,547,607	2,227,964	3,122,205	40,481,287
Total, three months, 1912.	54,554,510	11,185,236	3,892,211	4,484,608	74,116,575
Month of September, 1911	5,674,405	570,784	193,399	11,853	6,450,441
Month of October, 1911	19,320,428	3,159,222	626,273	256,950	23,362,873
Month of November, 1911	....	....	....	Rye 1,123	....
	19,951,556	4,124,050	986,869	802,279	25,855,877
Total, three months, 1911.	....	....	....	Rye 1,123	....
	44,936,389	7,854,056	1,806,541	1,071,082	55,669,191

SHIPMENTS 1911-12

	Wheat	Oats	Barley	Flax	Total
	Bush.	Bush.	Bush.	Bush.	Bush.
Month of September, 1912	3,255,193	1,547,474	313,908	368,255	5,484,830
Month of October, 1912	17,430,386	1,542,074	945,196	637,022	20,554,678
Month of November, 1912	29,387,576	6,509,965	1,995,058	2,769,655	40,662,254
Total, three months, 1912	50,073,155	9,599,513	3,254,162	3,774,932	66,701,762
Month of September, 1911	....	....	....	Rye 3,964	....
	4,360,252	992,372	110,498	10,963	5,478,049
Month of October, 1911	14,780,210	1,608,810	307,696	54,972	16,751,688
Month of November, 1911	....	....	....	Rye 5,087	....
	22,315,785	4,701,577	1,101,058	553,165	28.676,672
Total, three months, 1911.	....	....	....	Rye 5,087	....
	41,456,247	7,302,759	1,519,252	623,064	50,906,409

INDIA'S GOLD IMPORTS

London advices give the net import of gold into India in last December at £2,506,667, compared with £1,979,800 in December, 1911, an increase of £526,867. These figures, while approximate, have differed but little in the past from the final revised returns of the Indian government. Ignoring the £1,876,000 sovereigns transferred from India to London on government account in October last the net private gold imports into India for 1912 have amounted to £29,468,865, compared with £20,909,442 in 1911, an increase of £8,559,423. Samuel Montagu & Company, of London, estimate that of the 1912 total about £9,000,000 went into the gold reserve of the Indian currency, the remainder being absorbed by the Indian people. As the output of the Transvaal, Rhodesia, etc., in 1912 was about £41,000,000, it is evident that nearly one-half of the gold production of South Africa was taken by the great British Dependency.

Taking the fiscal year of the Indian Empire (beginning April 1), the first nine months of the current fiscal year compares with the corresponding nine months of the previous fiscal year as follows:—

	1912.	1911.
April	£ 1,985,866	£ 1,793,512
May	2,354,133	1,802,607
June	2,868,333	1,047,814
July	1,172,867	1,005,432
August	2,230,000	660,825
September	1,627,733	670,016
October	1,346,934	1,887,040
November	1,066,066	2,000,958
December	2,506,667	1,979,800
Total, nine months	£17,158,599	£12,848,004

For the first three-quarters of the fiscal year the increase over the corresponding period of the previous year amounts to £4,310,595. Substantial shipments of sovereigns from Egypt to India in the last week of 1912 and the first week of 1913 indicate that there is no abatement in the Indian demand for gold. On January 8, London advices says £608,000 gold left Port Said for India.

THESE COMPANIES WILL INCREASE CAPITAL STOCK

The capital stock of the McAlpine-Richardson Company, Limited has been increased from $40,000 to $100,000, by the creation of 600 shares of new stock of $100 each.

The capital stock of the Provincial Motors, Limited, has been increased from $70,000 to $150,000 by the creation of 800 shares of new stock of $100 each, of which 500 shares are preference shares.

The Bruce Mines and Algoma Railway Company will apply at the next session of the Ontario Legislature for authority to change the name of the railway to the Lake Huron and Northern Ontario Railway Company, and to increase the capital stock from $300,000 to $12,000,000. Messrs. Young and McEvoy, Toronto, are solicitors for the applicants.

A special general meeting of the shareholders of the Landed Banking and Loan Company will be held at the company's office in Hamilton on February 3rd for the purpose of considering the increase of the company's capital stock to $1,050,000.

In a general reorganization of the transportation department of the Grand Trunk Railway, under the supervision of Vice-President H. G. Kelly, Mr. D. Crombe has been made superintendent of transportation; Mr. C. G. Barber, general superintendent of eastern lines, including Montreal terminal; Mr. H. E. Whittenberger, superintendent of the middle division and Toronto terminals; and Mr. W. E. Gillen, superintendent of the western division. The office of superintendent of car service and records has been abolished.