

BANK OF MONTREAL.

Notice is hereby given that a Dividend of five per cent. for the current half year (making a total distribution for the year of ten per cent.) upon the paid-up Capital Stock of this institution has been declared, and that the same will be payable at its Banking House in this city and at its Branches, on and after

Tuesday, the First Day of June Next.

The Transfer Books will be closed from the 17th to the 31st of May next, both days inclusive.

The Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders will be held at the Banking House of the institution on Monday, the 7th day of June next. The chair to be taken at 1 o'clock.

By order of the Board.

E. S. CLOUSTON,

Montreal, 15th April, 1897.

General Manager.

The Canadian Bank of Commerce

DIVIDEND No. 60.

Notice is hereby given that a Dividend of three and one-half per cent. upon the Capital Stock of this institution has been declared for the current half-year, and that the same will be payable at the Bank and its Branches on and after

Tuesday, the First Day of June Next.

The Transfer Books will be closed from the 17th of May to the 31st of May, both days inclusive.

The Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Bank will be held at the Banking House, Toronto, on Tuesday, the 15th day of June next.

The chair will be taken at 12 o'clock.

By order of the Board.

B. E. WALKER,

Toronto, April 27th, 1897.

General Manager.

DIVIDEND NOTICE

DOMINION BANK.

Notice is hereby given that a dividend of three per cent. upon the capital stock of this institution has this day been declared for the current quarter, and that the same will be payable at the banking house in this city on **Saturday, the 1st Day of May next.** The Transfer Books will be closed from the 20th to the 30th of April next, both days inclusive.

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the shareholders for the election of directors for the ensuing year will be held at the banking house in this city on **Wednesday, the 26th Day of May next,** at the hour of 12 o'clock noon.

By order of the Board.

R. D. GAMBLE,

Toronto, 23rd March, 1897.

General Manager.

BANK OF BRITISH NORTH AMERICA

ESTABLISHED IN 1836.
INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER IN 1840.

Paid-up Capital.....\$1,000,000 Sterling
Reserve Fund..... 275,000 "

LONDON OFFICE—3 Clements Lane, Lombard St., E.C.

COURT OF DIRECTORS.

J. H. Brodie. E. A. Hoare.
John James Cater. H. J. B. Kendall.
Gaspard Farrer. J. J. Kingsford.
Henry R. Farrer. Frederic Lubbock.
Richard H. Glyn. Geo. D. Whatman.

Secretary—A. G. WALLIS.

HEAD OFFICE IN CANADA—St. James St., Montreal.

H. STIKEMAN, General Manager.

J. ELMSLY, Inspector.

BRANCHES IN CANADA.

London.	Montreal.	Sandon, B.C.
Brantford.	Quebec.	Slocan City, B.C.
Paris.	St. John, N.B.	Trail, B. C. (Sub-Agency).
Hamilton.	Fredericton, N.B.	Vancouver, B.C.
Toronto.	Halifax, N.S.	Victoria, B.C.
Kingston.	Kaslo, B. C.	Winnipeg, Man.
Ottawa.	Rossland, B.C.	Brandon, Man.

AGENTS IN THE UNITED STATES, ETC.

New York—52 Wall street—W. Lawson & J. C. Welsh.
San Francisco—124 Sansom St.—H. M. I. McMichael and J. R. Ambrose.

London Bankers—The Bank of England, Messrs. Glyn & Co.

Foreign Agents—Liverpool—Bank of Liverpool. Scotland—National Bank of Scotland, Limited, and branches. Ireland—Provincial Bank of Ireland, Ltd., and branches. National Bank Ltd. and branches. Australia—Union Bank of Australia, Ltd. New Zealand—Union Bank of Australia, Ltd. India, China and Japan—Mercantile Bank of India, Ltd. Aga Bank, Ltd. West Indies—Colonial Bank. Paris—Messrs. Marcuard, Krauss et Cie. Lyons—Credit Lyonnais

QUEBEC BANK.

Notice is hereby given that a Dividend of Three per cent. upon the Paid-up Capital Stock of this institution has been declared for the current half-year, and that the same will be payable at its Banking House in this city, and at its Branches, on and after

TUESDAY, THE FIRST DAY OF JUNE NEXT.

The Transfer Books will be closed from the 17th to the 31st May, both days inclusive.

The Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders will be held at the Bank on Monday, the 7th of June next. The chair will be taken at 3 o'clock.

By order of the Board of Directors.

THOMAS McDUGALL,

Quebec, 23rd April, 1897.

General Manager.

The Ontario Bank.

Notice is hereby given that a Dividend of two and one-half per cent. for the current half-year has been declared upon the Capital Stock of this institution, and that the same will be paid at the Bank and its Branches on and after

Tuesday, the First Day of June Next.

The Transfer Books will be closed from the 17th to the 31st of May, both days inclusive.

The Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders will be held at the Banking House in this city, on Tuesday, the 15th day of June next.

The chair to be taken at 12 o'clock noon.

By order of the Board.

C. MCGILL,

Toronto, 23rd April, 1897.

General Manager.

Imperial Bank of Canada.

DIVIDEND No. 44.

Notice is hereby given that a Dividend of four per cent. and a bonus of one per cent. upon the Capital Stock of this institution has been declared for the current half-year, and that the same will be payable at the Bank and its Branches on and after

Tuesday, the First Day of June Next.

The Transfer Books will be closed from the 17th to the 31st May, both days inclusive.

The Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders will be held at the Bank on Wednesday, the 16th day of June next. The chair to be taken at noon.

By order of the Board.

D. R. WILKIE,

Toronto, 22nd April, 1897.

General Manager.

Merchants Bank

OF CANADA.

Notice is hereby given that a Dividend of four per cent. for the current half-year, being at the rate of eight per cent. per annum upon the Paid-up Capital Stock of this institution, has been declared, and that the same will be payable at its Banking House in this city, on and after

Tuesday, the First Day of June Next.

The Transfer Books will be closed from the 17th to the 31st day of May next, both days inclusive.

The Annual General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the Banking House, in the City of Montreal, on Wednesday, the 9th day of June next.

The chair will be taken at 12 o'clock noon.

By order of the Board.

G. HAGUE,

Montreal, 23rd April, 1897.

General Manager.

The Bank of Toronto

DIVIDEND No. 82.

Notice is hereby given that a Dividend of Five Per Cent. for the current half year, being at the rate of Ten Per Cent. Per Annum, upon the paid-up capital of the bank, has this day been declared, and that the same will be payable at the bank and its branches on and after

Tuesday, the First Day of June Next.

The transfer books will be closed from the seventeenth to the thirty-first days of May, both days included.

The Annual General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the Banking House of the institution, on Wednesday, the sixteenth day of June next. The chair to be taken at noon.

By order of the Board.

GENERAL MANAGER.

The Bank of Toronto, Toronto, 28th April, 1897.

The Standard Bank of Canada.

Notice is hereby given that a Dividend of four per cent. for the current half-year, upon the Paid-up Capital Stock of this Bank, has been declared, and that the same will be payable at its Banking House in this city, and at its Agencies, on and after

TUESDAY, THE FIRST DAY OF JUNE NEXT.

The Transfer Books will be closed from the 17th to the 31st May next, both days inclusive.

The Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders will be held at the Banking House of the institution on Wednesday, 16th June next. The chair will be taken at 12 o'clock.

By order of the Board.

GEORGE P. REID,

Toronto, April 20th, 1897.

General Manager.