Imperial Bank of Canad

Proceedings of the 37th Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders Held at the Banking House of the Institution in Toronto, on Wednesday, May 22nd, 1912

The Thirty-seventh Annual General Meeting of the Imperial Bank of Canada was held, in pursuance of the terms of the charter, at the Banking House of the Institution, May 22, 1912.

The Directors have much pleasure in submitting to the shareholders their Thirty-seventh Annual Report and Balance Sheet of the affairs of the Bank as on 30th April, 1912, together with Profit and Loss Account, showing the result of the operations of the Bank for the year which ended on that day.

The net profits of the Bank, after making full provision for all bad and doubt ful debts, for interest on unmatured bills under discount, and for the payment of all Provincial and other taxes, amounted to \$1,004,340.23, in addition to which there was received by way of premium upon new stock (issue 1910) the sum of \$230,440.75, making in all \$1,234,780.98, which has been applied as follows:

(a) Dividends have been paid at the rate of 12% per annum, amounting to

(00)	Dividends have been pure the state of 1-70 P	
	amounting to\$	712,349.22
(b)	There was paid to the staff, by way of special bonus in com-	
	memoration of the Coronation of his Majesty King George V	33,802.50
(c)	Employees' Pension and Guarantee Funds have been credited	
	with	7,500.00
(d)	There was donated to the Northern Ontario fire sufferers	1,000.00
(e)	Bank Premises and Furniture Account has been credited with	60,026.26
(f)	Reserve Fund has been credited with the balance of premium re-	
	ceived upon new Capital Stock (issue 1910)	230,440.75
(g)	Profit and Loss Account has been increased by	189,662.23
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New branches have been opened during the year as detailed hereunder:
In Ontario, at Windsor, Thorold; Dundas and Bloor Streets, Toronto; Queen
Street and Roncesvalles Avenue, Toronto; Queen Street and Kingston Road,
Toronto, and at Timmins, in the Porcupine District.
In Quebec, at St. Roch (Quebec), and at St. Lawrence Boulevard, Montreal.
In Manitoba, at Portage Avenue, Winnipeg.
In Alberta, at Medicine Hat, Rocky Mountain House and Millet.
In British Columbia, at Invermere (in the Windermere District) and Main and
Cordova Streets, Vancouver.
The branch at Moyie, B.C., has been closed.
The new Capital Stock issued to shareholders in 1910 having been taken up
and paid for, it may be thought advisable within the current year to make a further issue of stock out of authorized but unsubscribed capital. The Bank must be
in readiness from time to time to take on their fair share of the ever-increasing
business of the Dominion.

You will be asked to contribute to the Pension Fund of the Bank out of
Profit and Loss Account a further sum of \$20,000. Your Directors have been
enabled out of the present fund to assist all deserving officials who have been
forced by advancing years or ill-health to retire from the service, but provision
should be made for the increasing staff and for the further calls which are certain
to result therefrom.

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The Head Office and Branches of the Bank have been carefully inspected during the year, and your Directors have much pleasure in expressing their satisfaction with the faithful and efficient manner in which the staff have performed

The whole respectfully submitted.

30th April, 1912

PROFIT A	ND	LOSS	ACCO	UNT.
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Dividend Nos. 84, 85, 86, 87, payable quarterly for twelve months	
at 12% per annum\$	712,349.22
Coronation Bonus to Staff	33,802.50
Annual Contribution to Officers' Pension and Guarantee Fund	7,500.00
Transferred to Reserve Fund	230,440.75
Written off Bank Premises and Furniture Account	60,026.26
Donation to Northern Ontario Fire Sufferers	1,000.00
Balance of Account carried forward	1,022,787.88

\$2,067,906.61

\$1,234,780.98

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\$21,490,915,61

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40,171,085.13 47,565.85 79,451.22 94,186.49

DESERVE FUND

Balance at Credit o	f Account	30th April,	, 1911
Premium received or	New Car	oital Stock.	

\$6,000,000,00

D. R. WILKIE, General Manager.

..\$ 1,562,879.16

Thirty-Seventh Annual Balance Sheet---April 30th, 1912

Gold and Silver Coin

LIABILITIES.

Notes of the Bank in circulation	\$11,056,740.44 43,931,238.92	
Deposits by other Banks in Canada		
Total Liabilities to the public Capital Stock (paid-up) Reserve Fund Dividend No. 87 (payable 1st May, 1912) for three months, at the rate of 12% per annum Rebate on bills discounted Balance of Profit and Loss Account carried forward.	\$ 6,000,000.00 180,000.00 138,648.25	6,000,000.00

ASSETS.

Jominion Government Notes	10 000 000 00
Deposit with Dominion Government for security of note circu-	12,358,205.66
lation Notes of and Cheques on other Banks Balance due from other Banks in Canada Balance due from Agents in the United Kingdom Balance due from Agents in Foreign Countries	932,792.73 1.708.049.35

and Provincial Government Securities .. \$ 517,914.99 Canadian Municipal Securities, and British or For-eign or Colonial Public Securities Other than 168,159.61 Canadian

Railway and other Bonds, Debentures and Stocks Call and Short Loans on Stocks and Bonds in Canada Call and Short Loans on Stocks and Bonds elsewhere than in Canada

Other Current Loans, Discounts and Advances
Overdue Debts (loss provided for)
Real Estate (other than Bank Premises)
Mortgages on Real Estate sold by the Bank
Bank Premises, including Safes, Vaults and Office Furniture, at
Head Office and Branches
Other Assets, not included under foregoing heads

\$73,751,667.88

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D. R. WILKIE, General Manager.

The customary motions were made and carried unanimously.

The Scrutineers appointed at the meeting reported the following Shareholders duly elected Directors for the ensuing year: Messrs. D. R. Wilkie, Hon. Robert Jaffray; Wm. Ramsay of Bowland, Stow, Scotland; Elias Rogers, J. Kerr Osborne, Peleg Howland, Sir Wm. Whyte (Winnipeg), Cawthra Mulock, Hon. Richard Turner (Quebec), Wm. Hamilton Merritt, M.D. (St. Catharines), W. J. Gage.

At a subsequent meeting of the Directors Mr. D. R. Wilkie was re-elected President, and the Hon. Robert Jaffray Vice-President for the ensuing year.