ESTABLISHED 1875

# IMPERIAL BANK

OF CANADA

Capital Paid Up \$7,000,000

Reserve Fund \$7,000,000

PELEG HOWLAND, President

R. HAY. General Manager

**HEAD OFFICE-TORONTO** 

VANCOUVER-J. M. LAY, Manager

BRANCHES.

FAIRVIEW: J. S. GIBB, Manager HASTINGS AND ABBOTT ST.: F. B. THOMSON, Manager

Incorporated 1832.

### The Bank of Nova Scotia

Capital, \$6,500,000

Reserve, \$12,000,000

Total Assets over \$110,000,000

190 Branches in Canada, Newfoundland, Jamaica, Cuba,
Porto Rico, and at
Boston, Chicago, New York (Agency)

Special facilities for the handling of Collections on points in the U.S. A.

BRANCHES IN VANCOUVER:

418 Hastings St. W.

1215 Granville St.

Established 1865.

## Union Bank of Canada

HEAD OFFICE-WINNIPEG

Paid Up Capital \$ 5,000,000 3,400,000 Reserve 
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 3,400,000

 Total Assets (over)
 109,000,000

London, England, Branches: 6 Princes St., E. C., and West End Branch, Haymarket, S. W.

New York Agency: 49 Wall Street.

Attention is particularly drawn to the advantages offered by the Foreign Exchange Department of our London, England, office; and merchants and manufacturers are invited to available the Commercial Information Production Information Bureau established at that Branch, and also at our New York Agency.

**Vancouver Office** 

J. G. GEDDES, Manager

#### FOREIGN TRADE

IM.	Month of January		Twelve months ending January	
Imports: 1	917	1916	1917	1916
		50,170,665 11,716,848	\$788,879,500 28,564,052	\$470,418,282 32,354,562
	251,352 \$6	51,887,513	\$817,443,552	\$502,772,844
Exports:				
Can. Produce\$ 99,	106,259 \$8	33,731,184	\$1,107,081,478	\$669,265,341
1 Orodan -	145,807	1,715,862	22,468,544	39,702,697
	552,066 \$8 143,489		\$1,129,550,022 *196,499,169	\$708,968,128 127,587,439
Total Exports\$102,0	395,555 \$8	35,559,782	\$1,326,049,191	\$836,555,567

\*The imports and exports of coin and bullion are exceptional Owing to special transactions between the Imperial and Canadian Governments, and, therefore, are not to be taken as an indication of the trade of Canada.

### The Bank of Toronto

Capital and Surplus

\$11,000,000.00

We invite the banking accounts of business people, corporations and others; also private and savings accounts. All business, whether small or large, is given the best of

Vancouver Branch: Hastings and Cambie Sts.

# The Molsons Bank

One of the oldest chartered banks in Canada Incorporated 1855

**Capital and Reserve Fund** 

\$8,800,000

General Banking Business Transacted One Dollar opens Savings Bank Account

East End Branch: -

Main Office: - - HASTINGS AND SEYMOUR STREETS - - 150 HASTINGS STREET EAST

VANCOUVER

#### THE MERCHANTS' BANK OF CANADA

ESTABLISHED 1864

HEAD OFFICE, MONTREAL

Paid-up Capital \$7,000,000 President----Sir H. Montagu Allan General Manager......D. C. Macarow 228 Branches in Canada, extending from the Atlantic to the Pacific.

GENERAL BANKING BUSINESS TRANSACTED SAVINGS DEPARTMENTS AT ALL BRANCHES

Deposits received of one dollar and upwards, and interest allowed at 3 per cent. per annu.m

MOST MODERN OFFICES. SAFETY DEPOSIT BOXES FOR RENT.

VANCOUVER, B. C. Granville and Pender Streets............G. S. Harrison, Mgr. 

#### GOVERNMENT REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE.

	Month of Tonnone		Ten months ending January	
	Month of January		101-	
Revenue:	1917	1916	1917	1916
Customs	\$11,536,092	\$ 9,780,760	\$108,868,302	\$ 78,996,901
Excise	2,109,349	1,739,578	20,561,709	18,203,670
Post Office	1,731,627	1,375,000	15,881,628	14,171,340
Public Works	1,907,820	3,381,878	21,701,731	19,399,098
Miscellaneous	3,762,328	1,244,875	20,890,195	8,778,904
	\$21,047,216	\$17,522,091	\$187,903,565	\$139,549,913
Expenditure	\$18,882,898	\$15,750,217	\$100,579,403	\$ 90,219,672
Capital Expend	liture:			
War	\$24,074,933	\$12,237,788	\$194,304,682	\$ 97,986,686
Public Works		1.983.068	20,642,079	28,134,950
Rail Subsidies		1,505,000	575,153	1,217,911
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	\$26,318,529	\$14,220,856	\$215,521,914	\$127,339,547
		31 Jan. 1917	31 Dec. 1916	31 Jan. 1916
Net Debt		\$745,938,869	\$722,111,449	\$527,488,999