

a little scarce, the best is realizing \$10 per ton, inferior \$8.50.

HIDES AND SKINS—In the hide market business is fairly good, the demand continues equal to the supply, and if anything the quantities coming in are on the short side. All cured hides offering are taken at 6c. per lb.; no change in the prices of green hides; calfskins are still very quiet; what lambskins and sheepskins there are offering are readily taken at quotations, see our prices current; rendered tallow very scarce, but values remain unaltered.

LEATHER—The amount of trade doing in the leather market is represented as satisfactory; light and upper leathers are quite ample in stocks, while heavy jobbing or custom sole leather is scarce. There is no export demand just now. The business doing is of a very steady nature, and prospects for a good fall trade are in sight. Quotations are very little altered, if anything light leathers are a little easier in price.

PROVISIONS—The dairy trade is fairly active; butter is selling in pails and tubs at 12 to 15c. per lb. for choice quality; no rolls, large or small, on the market; common and medium butters are rather limited in supply; no accumulations heard of anywhere. Cheese, steady and unchanged in prices; hops are a little better in demand at unaltered prices; mess pork is dull and quotations are easier, the demand being very light, figures ruling, \$15 to 15.50 per barrel of 200 lbs. In hog products trade continues good and prices are strong; bacon, long clear, per lb., 8½ to 8¾c.; Cumberland cut, per lb., 8¼c.; breakfast smoked bacon, per lb., 10½ to 11c.; hams, per lb., 12½ to 13c., and scarce; rolls, per lb., 8½ to 9c.; pure lard is scarce and has advanced one-quarter cent per lb., now 10½ to 10¾c.; compound lard, unchanged and plentiful; eggs are rather firmer, and ruling at 12½ to 13c. per dozen.

WOOL—In this line business continues very quiet; there is only a very moderate demand from the mills and there is no disposition to purchase beyond immediate wants. There is no enquiry from the other side for fleece wool, and a large amount of the Canadian wool is still in dealers' hands. Quotations are firm and unchanged.

CANADIAN HOMESTEAD Loan and Savings Association.

The Shareholders of the above Association are hereby notified that the

SIXTH ANNUAL MEETING

For the presentation of the financial statements and for the election of directors and other purposes will be held at the Office of the Association, 44 Church St., Toronto, on

TUESDAY, 6th OCTOBER, 1891,

At the hour of 6 o'clock p. m.

By order,

A. J. PATTISON, Secretary.

Toronto, August 22nd, 1891.

TENDERS FOR DEBENTURES.

TOWN OF TORONTO JUNCTION.

Tenders, by registered mail, will be received by the undersigned to 6 o'clock p. m. September 15th, 1891, for the purchase of \$15,000 Electric Light Debentures, 4 per cents, payable in 20 equal annual instalments, interest payable yearly.

Also \$50,000 Sewerage Debentures, 4 per cents. These debentures are part of an issue of \$150,000, which are payable in 40 equal annual instalments, interest payable yearly.

Tenders marked "Tender for Debentures" will be received for a part or the whole of the above \$65,000.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

A. H. CLEMMER, Treasurer's Office, Town Treasurer.
Toronto Junction, Aug. 22nd, 1891.

DEBENTURES FOR SALE.

Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned up to the 15th day of September, 1891, inclusive, for the purchase of debentures of the Town of Simcoe, in the County of Norfolk, for the sum of \$3,000. Said debentures having 20 years to run, and bearing interest at 5 per cent. per annum, payable annually on the 31st day of December. The purchaser to pay the accrued interest. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. For further information apply to J. L. Campbell, Esq., Mayor of Simcoe, or to

N. C. FORD, Town Clerk.
Simcoe, 18th August, 1891.

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HEAD OFFICE, - TORONTO.

BUSINESS IN FORCE, -- - \$20,000,000.

ASSETS AND CAPITAL

FOUR AND A QUARTER MILLION DOLLARS.

INCREASES MADE LAST YEAR.

In Income,	-	-	\$55,168 00
In Assets,	-	-	\$417,141 00
In Cash Surplus,	-	-	\$68,648 00
In New Business,	-	-	\$706,967 00
In Business in Force,	-	-	\$1,600,376 00

W. C. MACDONALD

Actuary.

J. K. MACDONALD,

Managing Director.

INVESTMENT BONDS.

The Dominion Safe Deposit Warehousing and Loan Co., Ltd.

Head Office—The Canadian Bank of Commerce Building, King St. W., Toronto.

CAPITAL, ONE MILLION DOLLARS.

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This Company is now issuing \$100, \$200, \$300, \$400 and \$500 investment bonds, payable in five, ten and fifteen years from date of issue, with participation in profits, affording all the advantages of compound interest accumulations on small sums of money. These bonds are the obligations of this Company and are specially protected by a sinking fund, invested in first-class real estate mortgages. They are plain definite contracts, subject to no contingencies whatever, are non-forfeitable after one annual payment, with values definitely stated thereon. For a small outlay they secure a fixed and generous return.

To Bondholders who complete their contracts the Company guarantees compound interest at the rate of Four Per Cent. Per Annum.

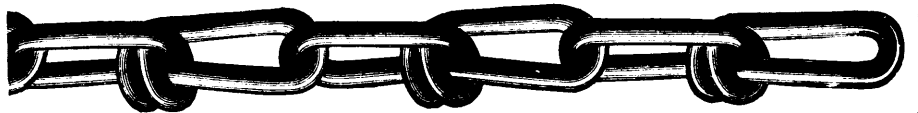
The Company is prepared to receive applications from reliable agents at all points where it is not already represented.

WM. KERR, Manager.

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