

The Chartered Banks.

THE CANADIAN BANK OF COMMERCE

HEAD OFFICE, TORONTO. Paid-up Capital, \$8,000,000 Rest, 1,000,000

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*Head Office, 19-25 King St. W. City Branches: 712 Queen St. E.; 450 Yonge St., cor. College; 791 Yonge St.; 208 College St.; cor. Spadina; 546 Queen St. W.; 415 Parliament St. and 103 King St. E. †Main Office, cor. St. James and St. Peter Sts., City Branch: 19 Chabolliez Square. Commercial credits issued for use in Europe, East and West Indies, China, Japan and South America. Sterling and American Exchange bought and sold. Collections made on the most favorable terms. Travellers' letters of credit issued for use in all parts of the world. Interest allowed on deposits.

BANKERS AND CORRESPONDENTS. Great Britain—The Bank of Scotland. India, China and Japan—The Chartered Bk of India, Australia & China; Germany, The Deutsche Bk Australia & New Zealand—The Union Bk of Australia. Paris, France—Crédit Lyonnais, Lazard Freres & Cie Brussels, Belgium—J. Mathieu & Fils. New York—The Am. Ex. National Bk of New York Chicago—The Am. Ex. National Bank of Chicago. San Francisco and British Columbia—The Bank of British Columbia. Hamilton, Bermuda—The Bk. of Bermuda. Kingston Jamaica—The Bank of Nova Scotia.

THE ONTARIO BANK.

Capital Paid-up, \$1,000,000 Reserve Fund, 50,000

HEAD OFFICE, TORONTO.

DIRECTORS: G. R. R. Cockburn, Esq., President. Donald Mackay, Esq., Vice-President. G. M. Rose, Esq., Hon. J. C. Atkins, A. S. Irving, Esq., R. D. Perry, Esq., D. Ulyot, Esq., C. McGILL, General Manager. E. MORRIS, Inspector.

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AGENTS: London, Eng.—Parr's Bank [Ltd.] France and Europe—Crédit Lyonnais. New York—The Fourth National Bank and the Agents of the Bank of Montreal. Boston—Tremont National Bank.

BANK OF OTTAWA.

HEAD OFFICE, OTTAWA. Capital (fully paid up) \$1,500,000 Rest, 1,005,000

DIRECTORS: CHARLES MAGEE, President. GEORGE HAY, Esq., Vice-President. Hon. Geo. Bryson, Jr., M.L.C., Alex. Fraser, John Mather, David MacLaren, D. Murphy, George Hay, Charles Magee. Branches—Auriprior, Carleton Place, Hawkesbury, Keewatin, Kemptville, Mattawa, Pembroke, Parry Sound, Portage la Prairie, Rideau Street, Bank Street, Ottawa, Renfrew, Ont., Rat Portage, Winnipeg, Man. GEO. BURN, General Manager. D. M. FINNIE, Local Manager.

Eastern Townships Bank.

Authorized Capital, \$1,500,000 Capital Paid-Up, 1,500,000 Reserve Fund, 750,000

BOARD OF DIRECTORS: R. W. HENEKER, President. Hon. M. H. COCHRANE, Vice-President. Israel Wood, J. N. Galer, Thomas Hart, N. W. Thomas, T. J. Tuck, G. Stevens, John G. Foster.

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CORRESPONDENTS: Montreal—Bank of Montreal. London, England, National Bank of Scotland. Boston—National Exchange Bank. New York—National Park Bank. Collections made at all accessible points and promptly remitted for.

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BANK OF HAMILTON.

CAPITAL (All Paid) \$1,250,000 RESERVE FUND 675,000

HEAD OFFICE HAMILTON.

Directors: JOHN STUART, President. A. G. RAMSAY, Vice-President. John Proctor, Geo Roach, Wm. Gibson, M.P., A. T. Wood, A. B. Lee, (Toronto.) J. Turnbull, Cashier. H. S. STEVEN, Assistant Cashier.

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DIVIDEND NOTICE.

THE 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 and after

SATURDAY, THE 1st DAY OF MAY NEXT. The transfer books will be closed from the 20th of 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 OF MAY NEXT, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon. By order of the Board. R. D. GAMBLE, General Manager. Toronto, March 23rd, 1896.

MERCHANTS' BANK.

OF HALIFAX. Capital Paid-Up, \$1,500,000 Reserve Fund, 1,075,000

BOARD OF DIRECTORS: THOS. E. KENNY, President. THOMAS RITCHIE, Vice-President. M. Dwyer, Wiley Smith, Henry G. Bauld, Hon. H. H. Fuller, M.L.C. Hon. David MacKeen.

HEAD OFFICE, Halifax, N.S. D. H. Duncan, Cashier. W. B. Torrance, Asst. Cashier. Agents in Province of Quebec: Montreal, E. L. Pease, Manager. West End, Notre Dame St. West. Cote St. Antoine, Green Avenue.

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CORRESPONDENTS: Dominion of Canada, Merchants Bank of Canada. New York, Chase National Bank. Boston, the National Hide & Leather Bank. Bermuda, the Bank of Bermuda, Ltd. Chicago, American Exchange National Bank. London, England, Bank of Scotland. Paris, France, Credit Lyonnais. Collections made at lowest rates and promptly remitted for. Telegraphic transfers and drafts issued at current rates.

Banque d'Hochelaga.

Notice is hereby given that a dividend of three and one half p.c. (3 1/2 p.c.) for the current half-year, equal to seven per cent. (7 p.c.) per annum, on the paid-up capital stock of this institution, has been declared and that the same will be payable at the Head Office or at its branches, on and after

TUESDAY, THE FIRST DAY OF JUNE NEXT.

The Transfer Books will be closed from the 15th to the 31st of May, both days inclusive. The annual general meeting of the shareholders will take place at the Head-Office, on Tuesday, the 15th day of June next, at noon.

By order of the Board. M. J. A. PRENDERGAST, General Manager. Montreal, April the 20th, 1897.

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UNION BANK OF CANADA.

Capital Paid-up - \$1,200,000 Rest, 300,000

HEAD OFFICE, QUEBEC

Board of Directors. ANDREW THOMSON, Esq., President. Hon. E. J. Price, Vice-President. D. C. Thomson, Esq., E. J. Hale, Esq. Ed. Giroux, Esq., James King, Esq., M.P.P.; Hon. John Sharples, Gen. Manager Inspector E. E. Webb, J. G. Billett.

Branches: Alexandria, Ont. Norwood, Ont. Boissevain, Man. Ottawa, Ont. Carberry, Man. Quebec, Que. Cayman, Man. St. Lewis St. Deloraine, Man. Shelburne, Ont. Hastings, Ont. Smith's Falls, Ont. Lethbridge, N.W.T. Souris, Man. Merrickville, Ont. Toronto, Ont. Montreal, Que. Virton, Man. Moosomin, N.W.T. Warton, Ont. Morden, Man. Winchester, Ont. Neepawa, Man. Winnipeg, Man.

Foreign Agents:

London, Parr's Bank Limited. New York, National Par Bank. Boston, Lincoln National Bank. Minneapolis, National Bank of Commerce. St. Paul, St. Paul National Bank. Great Falls, Mont. First National Bank. Chicago, Ill. Globe National Bank. Buffalo, N.Y. Elliott Square Bank. Detroit, Mich., First National Bank in this city.

The Standard Bank of Canada

Capital Paid-up, \$1,000,000 Reserve Fund, 600,000

HEAD OFFICE, TORONTO. DIRECTORS: W. F. COWAN, President. JOHN BURNS, Vice-President. W. F. Allan, Fred. Wyld. T. R. Wood, A. J. Somerville, Jas. Scott.

AGENCIES: Bowmanville, Cannington, Kingston, Brantford, Chatham, Markham, Bradford, Colborne, Parkdale, Toronto. Brighton, Durham, Picton, Brussels, Forest, Stouffville. Campbellford, Harriston.

BANKERS. New York—Importers and Traders National Bank. Montreal—Can. Bank of Commerce. London, England—National Bank of Scotland. All banking business promptly attended to. Correspondence solicited. GEO. P. REID, General Manager.

Traders Bank of Canada

(Incorporated by Act of Parliament 1885). Authorized Capital, \$1,000,000 Capital Paid-Up, 700,000 Reserve Fund, 85,000

Board of Directors: C. D. Warran, Esq., President. Robt. Thomeon, Esq. of Hamilton Vice-President.

J. W. Dowd, Esq., JOHN DRYAN, Esq. C. KLOPPER, Esq. M.P. W. J. THOMAS, Esq. of Guelph.

Head Office, Toronto. H. S. STRATHY, General Manager. J. A. M. ALLEY, Inspector.

BRANCHES: Aylmer, Ont., Ingersoll, Ridgeway, Drayton, Leamington, Sarnia, Elmira, Newcastlle, Stratroy, Glencoe, North Bay, St. Mary's, Guelph, Orillia, Tilsonburg. Hamilton, Port Hope, Windsor.

BANKERS. Great Britain—The National Bank of Scotland. New York—The American Exchange Nat. Bank. Montreal—The Quebec Bank.

HALIFAX BANKING CO.

Incorporated 1872. Capital Paid-Up, \$500,000 Reserve Fund, 325,000

HEAD OFFICE, HALIFAX, N.S.

DIRECTORS: ROBIE UNIACKE, President. C. W. ANDERSON, Vice-President. F.D. CORBETT, JOHN MACNAB, W. J. G. THOMSON, H. N. WALLACE, Cashier. A. ALLAN, Inspector.

AGENCIES—Nova Scotia: Halifax, Amherst, Antigonish, Barrington, Bridgewater, Caning, Lockport, Lunenburg, New Glasgow, Parrsboro, Shelburne, Springhill, Truro, Windsor. New Brunswick: Sackville, St. John.

CORRESPONDENTS—Dominion of Can.—Molson Bank and Branches. New York—Fourth National Bank. Boston—Suffolk National Bank London, England—Parr's Bank, Limited.