

The Safest

And most universally approved security for invested money is on improved City and Town Real Estate, so located that it will produce a remunerative income on the amount of money invested in it. That is the only kind of security considered by The Standard Loan Company. It therefore follows that our Permanent Stock presents the

"Ideal Investment"

Shares \$100.00 each at par; the issue is limited.
Write for particulars.

The Standard Loan Co.

REV. ALEX. SUTHERLAND, D.D., President.
W. S. DINNICK, Manager.

DISCRIMINATING INVESTORS

recognize the excellent security and fair profit which are combined in the FOUR PER CENT. DEBENTURES of

THE CANADA PERMANENT AND WESTERN CANADA MORTGAGE CORPORATION

TORONTO STREET, TORONTO

This is evidenced by the increasing demand for these Bonds among people of this class, who readily admit it to be

Canada's PREMIER Company

The Western Bank of Canada

Dividend No. 37

Notice is hereby given that a Dividend of Three and One-half per cent. has been declared upon the paid-up capital stock of the bank for the current six months, being at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, and that the same will be due and payable on and after **Monday, 1st Day of April, 1901**, at the offices of the Bank.

The Transfer Books will be closed from the 15th to the 30th March.
Notice is also given that the Nineteenth Annual Meeting of the Shareholders of the Bank will be held on Wednesday, the 10th day of April next, at the Head Office of the Bank, Oshawa, Ont., at the hour of two o'clock p.m., for the Election of Directors and such other business as may legally come before the meeting.

By order of the Board.

T. H. McMILLAN, Cashier.

Oshawa, Feb. 20th, 1901.

EASTERN TOWNSHIPS BANK

Authorized Capital.....\$2,000,000 Reserve Fund.....\$900,000
Established 1859.
Board of Directors
R. W. HENEKER, President. Hon. M. H. COCHRANE, Vice-President.
Israel Wood J. N. Galer H. B. Brown, K.C. N. W. Thomas
J. S. Mitchell G. Stevens H. Kathan
Head Office—**Sherbrooke, Que.** Wm. FARWELL, General Manager.
Branches—Waterloo, Cowansville, Rock Island, Coaticook, Richmond, Granby, Huntingdon, Bedford, Magog, St. Hyacinthe, Ormatown, Province of Quebec, Grand Forks, Phoenix, Province of B. C.
Agents in Montreal—Bank of Montreal. London, Eng.—The National Bank of Scotland. Boston—National Exchange Bank. New York—National Park Bank.
Collections made at all accessible points and remitted.

HALIFAX BANKING CO.

Incorporated 1872.

Capital Paid-up \$500,000
Reserve Fund 475,000

HEAD OFFICE, HALIFAX, N.S.

H. N. WALLACE Cashier

DIRECTORS

ROBIE UNIACE, President. C. W. ANDERSON, Vice-President.
W. N. Wickwire John MacNab W. J. G. Thomson

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

CORRESPONDENTS—Dominion of Canada: Molsons Bank and branches. New York: Fourth National Bank. Boston: Suffolk National Bank. London, England: Parr's Bank, Limited.

PEOPLE'S BANK OF HALIFAX

Paid-up Capital \$700,000
Reserve Fund \$60,000

Board of Directors:

Patrick O'Mullin, Pres. George R. Hart, Vice-Pres.
J. J. Stewart, W. H. Webb, Hon. G. J. Troop.
D. R. Clarke, Cashier.

Head Office, Halifax, N.S.

AGENCIES:

North End Branch—Halifax. Edmundston, N.B., Wolfville, N.S., Woodstock, N.B., Lunenburg, N.S., Shediac, N.B., Port Hood, C.B., Fraserville, Que., Can-so, N.S., Lewis, P.Q., Lake Megantic, P.Q., Cookshire, P.Q., Quebec, P.Q., Hartland, N.B., Danville, P.Q., Grand Falls, P.Q., Mahone Bay, N.S., Mabou, C.B., St. Raymond, P.Q.

BANKERS—The Union Bk. of London, London, G.B. The Bank of New York, New York. New England National Bank, Boston. Bank of Toronto, Montreal.

BANK OF YARMOUTH

NOVA SCOTIA

T. W. JOHNS Cashier
H. G. PARISH Assistant Cashier

Directors:

John Lovitt, Pres. S. A. Crowell, Vice-Pres.
H. Cann Augustus Cann J. Leslie Lovitt

CORRESPONDENTS AT

Halifax—The Merchants Bank of Halifax.
St. John—The Bank of Montreal.
Montreal—The Bank of Montreal and Molsons Bank.
New York—The National Citizens Bank.
Boston—The Eliot National Bank.
Philadelphia—Consolidation National Bank.
London, G. B.—The Union Bank of London.

Prompt attention to Collections.

THE HAMILTON PROVIDENT AND LOAN SOCIETY

President - HON. A. T. WOOD,
Vice-President - ALEXANDER TURNER, Esq.

Capital Subscribed \$1,500,000 00
Capital Paid-up 1,100,000 01
Reserve & Surplus Funds 336,752 19

DEBENTURES ISSUED FOR 1. 2 OR 3 YEARS

Interest payable half-yearly at the highest current rates. Executors and Trustees are authorized by law to invest in Debentures of this Society.

Head Office—King St., Hamilton
C. FERRIE, Treasurer

The RELIANCE Loan and Savings Co. of Ontario

84 King St. East, Toronto

HON. JOHN DRYDEN, President,
Minister of Agriculture, Province of Ontario.

JAMES GUNN, Esq., Vice-President,
Director and Superintendent Toronto Street Railway.

Manager, J. BLACKLOCK.
Secretary, H. WADDINGTON.

PERMANENT STOCK—CLASS F—Permanent—Par value \$100.00. The company is prepared to accept a limited number of applications for this stock, which is now being issued at \$110.00. These shares receive their proportion of profits in cash semi-annually.

J. BLACKLOCK, Manager.

THE DOMINION SAVINGS & INVESTMENT SOCIETY

LONDON, CANADA

Capital Subscribed \$1,000,000 00
Capital Paid-up 932,962 79
Total Assets 2,230,692 48

ROBERT REID, (Collector of Customs), President
T. H. PURDOM (Barrister), Inspecting Director.
NATHANIEL MILLS, Manager.

LONDON & CANADIAN LOAN & AGENCY CO., Limited.

GEO. R. R. COCKBURN, President.
THOMAS LONG, Vice-President.

Subscribed Capital \$1,000,000
Reserve Fund 230,000

MONEY TO LEND

on Bonds, Stocks, Life Insurance Policies and Mortgages.

Rates on application.

V. B. WADSWORTH, Manager.

103 Bay Street, Toronto.

Agricultural Savings & Loan Co.

LONDON, ONTARIO

Paid-up Capital \$ 630,200
Reserve Fund 192,000
Assets 2,252,188

Directors:

Messrs. D. Regan, President. W. J. Reid, Vice-Pres.
Thos. McCormick. T. Beattie.
and T. H. Smallman.

Money advanced on improved farms and productive city and town properties, on favorable terms. Mortgages purchased.

Deposits received. Debentures issued in Currency or Sterling.

C. P. BUTLER, Manager

La Banque Nationale

NOTICE

On and after Wednesday, the first day of May next this bank will pay to its shareholders a dividend of three per cent. upon its capital for the six months ending 30th April next.

The transfer books will be closed from the 16th to the 30th April next, both days inclusive.

The annual meeting of the shareholders will take place at the Banking House, Lower Town, on Wednesday, the 15th May next, at 3 o'clock p.m.

The power of attorney to vote must, to be valid, be deposited at the bank five full days before that of the meeting, i.e., before three o'clock p.m., on Thursday, the 9th May next.

By order of the Board of Directors,

P. LAFRANCE, Manager.
Quebec, 19th March, 1901.

INCORPORATED
1836

ST. STEPHEN'S BANK

St. Stephen's,
N. B.

Capital \$200,000 Reserve \$45,000
W. H. TODD, President F. GLENN, Cashier
Agents—London, Messrs. Glyn, Mills, Currie & Co. New York, Bank of New York, B.N.A. Boston, Globe National Bank. Montreal, Bank of Montreal. St. John, N.B., Bank of Montreal.
Drafts issued on any Branch of the Bank of Montreal.