DIVIDENDS

THE BRITISH COLUMBIA PERMANENT LOAN AND SAVINGS CO.

Dividend No. 21

Notice is hereby given that a dividend at the rate of NINE PER CENT. per annum has been declared on the Permanent Stock of the Company for the half year ending December 31st, 1908, and that the same is payable at the Head Office of the Company, 330 Pender Street, Vancouver, B.C., on and after JANUARY 15th, 1909.

By Order,

CEO. J. TELFER, Ass't Manager

Vancouver, B.C., January 14th, 1909.

MEXICO TRAMWAYS COMPANY

Notice is hereby given that a dividend of one and one-half per cent. has been declared on the capital stock of Mexico Tramways Company, for the quarter ending the 31st of December, 1908, payable on the 1st of February, 1909, to shareholders of record at the close of business on the 27th of January, 1909. The stock transfer books of the company will be closed from January 28th, 1909, to February 2nd, 1909, both days inclusive.

Dividend cheques for shareholders resident in Canada, the United States of America, and Mexico, will be payable at par, without cost of exchange, at any branch of the Bank of Montreal in Canada, or at the agencies of the said bank in New York City and Mexico City.

Dated Toronto, January 16th, 1909.

C. H. S. COOKE,
Secretary Mexico Tramways Company.

DIVIDEND NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that a dividend of two and one-half per cent. for the quarter ending 27th February, 1909 (being at the rate of ten per cent. per annum), on the Capital Stock of the Bank, has this day been declared, and that the same will be payable at the Bank and its branches on and after Monday, 1st March next.

The transfer books will be closed from the 20th to the 27th February next, both inclusive.

By Order of the Board,

J. TURNBULL, General Manager

Hamilton, 18th January, 1909.

DEBENTURES FOR SALE

The Lacombe Roman Catholic School District No. 1, of Calgary, Alberta, offer for sale and solicit tenders for $65,-000 worth of school debentures to be issued at once for the purpose of purchasing site and erecting an eight-room school, also securing sites and erecting one or two ward schools.

The separate school assessment for last year	$1,667,452
Rate of taxation	5 mills.
Estimated Catholic population	2,000

Outstanding debt of debentures $3,000, against which there is on hand and due the separate school from the city approximately $2,800. Bonds to be delivered and payable at the Merchants Bank of Canada at Calgary, Alberta. In tendering for these bonds state whether you would supply blank forms.

The face values of bonds to be $1,000 bearing interest at 4½ per cent., date of issue February 1st, 1909, and to run over a period of thirty years, payable in thirty equal annual instalments with interest added.

A. H. ESCH,
P.O. Box 2088,
Calgary, Alberta.

NOTICES

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Is hereby given that the Annual General Meeting of the Policyholders and Guarantors of the

NORTH AMERICAN LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY

will be held at the Head Office of the Company, North American Life Building, 112-118 King street West, Toronto, Ont., on

THURSDAY, 28TH JANUARY, 1909,

at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the reception of the Annual Report, a Statement of the Affairs of the Company, the election of Directors and the transaction of all such business as may be done at a general meeting of the company.

Participating Policyholders have one vote in person for each $1,000 of insurance held by them.

L. GOLDMAN,
Managing Director.

January 14th, 1909.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that it is the intention of The Western Bank of Canada and the Standard Bank of Canada to apply to the Governor in Council of Canada for approval of an Agreement between the said Banks for the purchase by the Standard Bank of Canada of the entire Assets of The Western Bank of Canada.

This notice is given pursuant to Section 106 of The Bank Act, and such application will be made after this Notice has been published for at least four weeks as required by the said Section.:

THE WESTERN BANK OF CANADA,
By T. H. McMillan, Cashier.

THE STANDARD BANK OF CANADA,
By G. P. Scholfield, General Manager.

Dated at Oshawa and Toronto, 7th January, 1909.

NOTICE

is hereby given that application will be made to the Parliament of the Dominion of Canada at the next Session thereof for an Act to amend the Acts relating to the Canada Life Assurance Company by changing the date of the annual meeting and making necessary changes as to notices of meetings consequent thereon and providing for any further changes in the date of such meeting, defining the provisions as to division of profits, extending the powers of the Company as to holding real estate in Ontario and for other purposes.

Dated at Toronto, this 4th January, A. D., 1909.

ALEXANDER BRUCE,
Solicitor for the Company,
Canada Life Building, Toronto, Ont.

For Sale or to Let

The premises just vacated by the Bank of Commerce in Dillon Block, Sydney, N.S. Good stand for Bank, Loan Society or store.

Apply to W. W. DILLON, Sydney, N.S.

Mr. Grayson Burrus and Mr. H. Stanley Sweatman, of Toronto, have formed a co-partnership for the conduct of a general insurance business, and have secured the general agency of the Acadia Fire Insurance Company, of Halifax, N.S., with offices in the Norwich Union Building, 12-14 Wellington Street West.

At the fourth annual convention of the Union of British Columbia Municipalities held recently at Vernon, B.C., the following resolution was passed:—"That the Government be urged to pass a special act for licensing and regulating electricians and those engaged in wiring buildings, poles or other structures; for providing for a board of examiners and the examination of such electricians and other persons and the granting of certificates of efficiency, according to the dergee of efficiency, to the same and to prohibit electrical work by persons not possessing such certificates or carrying on their business contrary to law.