

**WESTERN BANK OF CANADA**  
DIVIDEND NO. 27.

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

**Wednesday, the First Day of April, 1896**  
at the offices of the bank. The Transfer Books will be closed from the 15th to the 30th of March.

Notice is also given that the Fourteenth Annual Meeting of the Shareholders of the bank will be held on Wednesday, the 8th 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, 8th Feb'y, 1896.

**LA BANQUE NATIONALE**

HEAD OFFICE, - - - QUEBEC.  
Paid-up Capital..... \$1,200,000

BOARD OF DIRECTORS.  
R. AUDETTE, Esq., - - - President.  
A. B. DUPUIS, Esq., - - - Vice-President.  
Hon. Judge Chauveau. V. Chateaufort, Esq., M.P.P.  
N. Rioux, Esq. N. Fortier, Esq.  
J. O. Villeneuve, Esq., M.P.P.  
GEORGE CREBASSA, - - - General Manager.  
P. LAFRANCE, - - - Manager Quebec Office.  
Inspector.

BRANCHES.  
Quebec, St. John Suburb. Sherbrooke.  
" St. Roch. St. Francois, N.E., Beauce  
Montreal. Ste. Marie, Beauce.  
Roberval, Lake St. John. Chicoutimi.  
Ottawa, Ont. Winnipeg, Man.

AGENTS.  
England—The National Bank of Scotland, London.  
France—Credit Lyonnais, Paris and Branches, Messrs. Grunbaum Freres & Cie, Paris.  
United States—The National Bank of the Republic, New York; National Revere Bank, Boston.  
Prompt attention given to collections.  
Correspondence respectfully solicited.

**THE TRADERS BANK OF CANADA.**

INCORPORATED BY ACT OF PARLIAMENT 1885.  
Authorized Capital..... \$1,000,000  
Capital Paid-up..... 700,000  
Reserve..... 35,000

BOARD OF DIRECTORS.  
WM. BELL, Esq., of Guelph, - - - President.  
C. D. WARREN, Esq., - - - Vice-President.  
J. Gage, Esq., John Drynan, Esq., J. W. Dowd, Esq.,  
Robt. Thomson, Esq., of Hamilton.

HEAD OFFICE, - - - TORONTO.  
H. S. STRATHY, - - - General Manager.  
J. A. M. ALLEY - - - Inspector.

BRANCHES.  
Avimer, Ont. Ingersoll, Ridgetown,  
Drayton, Leamington, Sarnia,  
Elmira, Newcastle, Ont. Strathroy,  
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 National Bank.  
Montreal—The Quebec Bank.

**ST. STEPHEN'S BANK.**

INCORPORATED 1886.  
ST. STEPHEN'S, N.B.  
Capital, .. \$200,000  
Reserve..... 45,000

W. H. TODD, - - - President.  
F. GRANT, - - - Cashier.

AGENTS.  
London—Messrs. Glyn, Mills, Currie & Co. New York—Bank of New York, N.B.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

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**CANADA PERMANENT LOAN AND SAVINGS COMPANY**

Subscribed Capital..... \$ 5,000,000  
Paid-up Capital..... 2,600,000  
Assets, over..... 12,000,000

HEAD OFFICE—TORONTO ST., TORONTO.  
Branch Offices—WINNIPEG, MAN., & VANCOUVER, B. C

The ample resources of this Company enable its Directors to make advances on Real Estate, without delay, at low rates of interest, and on the most favorable terms of repayment. Loans granted on Improved Farms and on Productive Town and City Properties. Mortgages and Municipal Debentures Purchased.  
Applications will be received at the offices of the Company.  
J. HERBERT MASON,  
Man'g Director, Toronto.

**THE FREEHOLD LOAN AND SAVINGS COMPANY**

COR. VICTORIA AND ADELAIDE STS., TORONTO.

ESTABLISHED IN 1859.  
Subscribed Capital..... \$3,223,500  
Capital Paid-up..... 1,319,100  
Reserve Fund..... 659,550  
President, - - - C. H. GOODERHAM.  
Manager, - - - Hon. S. C. WOOD.  
Inspectors, - - - JOHN LECKIE & T. GIBSON.  
Money advanced on easy terms for long periods; repayment at borrower's option.  
Debentures issued and money received on deposit. Executors and Trustees authorized by Act of Parliament to invest in the Debentures of this Company.

**THE HAMILTON PROVIDENT AND LOAN SOCIETY**

President, G. H. GILLESPIE, Esq.  
Vice-President, A. T. WOOD, Esq.

Capital Subscribed..... \$1,500,000 00  
Capital Paid-up..... 1,100,000 00  
Reserve and Surplus Funds..... 330,027 00  
Total Assets..... 3,230,575 85

DEPOSITS received and interest allowed at the highest current rates.  
DEBENTURES for 3 or 5 years. Interest payable half-yearly. Executors and Trustees are authorized by law to invest in Debentures of this Society.  
Banking House—King St., Hamilton.  
C. FERRIE, Acting Treasurer.

**LONDON & CANADIAN Loan & Agency Co. (LIMITED).**

SIR CASIMIR S. GZOWSKI, K.C.M.G., - - - President  
Capital Subscribed..... \$5,000,000  
Paid-up..... 700,000  
Reserve..... 310,000  
Rest..... 200,000

MONEY TO LEND ON IMPROVED REAL ESTATE. MUNICIPAL DEBENTURES PURCHASED.

**TO INVESTORS—Money received on Debentures and Deposit Receipts. Interest and Principal payable in Britain or Canada without charge.**

Rates on application to J. F. KIRK, Manager.  
Head Office, 103 Bay Street, Toronto.

**THE DOMINION Savings and Investment Society**

LONDON, CANADA.

Capital Subscribed..... \$1,000,000 00  
Capital Paid-up..... 933,962 79  
Total Assets..... 2,330,693 48

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

**The Farmers' Loan and Savings Co.**

OFFICE, No. 17 TORONTO ST., TORONTO.

Capital..... \$1,057,350  
Paid-up..... 611,430  
Assets..... 1,885,000

Money advanced on improved Real Estate at lowest current rates.  
Sterling and Currency Debentures issued.  
Money received on deposit, and interest allowed payable half-yearly. By Vic. 43, Chap. 20, Statutes of Ontario, Executors and Administrators are authorized to invest trust funds in Debentures of this Company.  
WM. MULOCK M.P., GEO S. C. BETHUNE,

**Western Canada Loan and Savings Co.**

ESTABLISHED 1863  
OFFICES, NO. 76 CHURCH ST., TORONTO.  
Cor. Main St. and Portage Ave., WINNIPEG, Man.

Subscribed Capital..... \$3,000,000  
Paid-up Capital..... 1,500,000  
Reserve..... 770,000  
Contingent Fund..... 70,000

WALTER S. LEE, MANAGER.

**HURON AND ERIE Loan and Savings Company.**

LONDON, ONT.  
Capital Subscribed..... \$3,000,000  
Capital Paid-up..... 1,400,000  
Reserve Fund..... 700,000

Money advanced on the security of Real Estate on favorable terms.  
Debentures issued in Currency or Sterling. Executors and Trustees are authorized by Act of Parliament to invest in the Debentures of this Company Interest allowed on Deposits.  
J. W. LITTLE, G. A. SOMERVILLE,  
President. Manager.

**The Home Savings and Loan Company (LIMITED).**

OFFICE: No. 78 CHURCH ST., TORONTO

Authorized Capital..... \$3,000,000  
Subscribed Capital..... 2,000,000

Deposits received, and interest at current rates allowed Money loaned on Mortgage on Real Estate, on reasonable and convenient terms.  
Advances on collateral security of Debentures, and Bank and other Stocks.  
Hon. SIR FRANK SMITH, JAMES MASON,  
President. Manager

**The London and Ontario Investment Co., Ltd. TORONTO.**

President, SIR FRANK SMITH.  
Vice-President, WILLIAM H. BEATTY, Esq.

DIRECTORS.  
Messrs. William Ramsay, Arthur B. Lee, W. B. Hamilton, Alexander Nairn, Henry Gooderham, Frederick Wyld and John F. Taylor.

Money advanced at current rates and on favorable terms, on the security of productive farm, city and town property.  
Money received from investors and secured by the Company's debentures, which may be drawn payable either in Canada or Britain, with interest half yearly at current rates.  
A. M. COSBY, Manager.  
84 King Street East, Toronto.

**BUILDING & LOAN ASSOCIATION**

Paid-up Capital..... \$ 750,000  
Total Assets, now..... 1,845,688

DIRECTORS.  
President, Larratt W. Smith, Q.C., D.C.L.  
Vice-President, Geo. R. R. Cockburn, M.A., M.P.  
Wm. Mortimer Clark, W.S. Q.C. Joseph Jackes,  
George Murray. C. S. Gzowski, Jr.

WALTER GILLESPIE, - - - Manager.  
OFFICE, COR. TORONTO AND COURT STREETS  
Money advanced on the security of city and farm property.  
Mortgages and debentures purchased.  
Interest allowed on deposits.  
Registered Debentures of the Association obtained on application.

**THE ONTARIO LOAN & SAVINGS COMPANY. OSHAWA, ONT.**

Capital Subscribed..... \$300,000  
Capital Paid-up..... 300,000  
Reserve Fund..... 75,000  
Deposits and Can. Debentures..... 605,000

Money loaned at low rates of interest on the security of Real Estate and Municipal Debentures.  
Deposits received and interest allowed.  
W. F. COWAN, President.  
W. F. ALLEN Vice-President.  
T. H. McMILLAN, Sec-Treas