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DOMINION BANK IS A STRONG INSTITUTION

Net Profits for the Year Were \$901,000 and Assets Over \$79,000,000.

With net profits of over \$901,000 for the year ended Dec. 31, 1912, and total assets of over \$79,000,000, the Dominion Bank ranks as one of the strongest and most progressive of our financial institutions. The net profits were at the rate of 18.38 per cent on the paid-up capital, and show a gain of almost \$200,000 over the earnings for the previous year. The bank had \$1,698,000 available for distribution at the close of their year, made up of a balance carried forward from 1911 of \$500,000, net profits of \$901,000, and premium on new stock of \$297,000. After paying the regular dividend of 12 per cent and a bonus of 2 per cent, the bank contributed \$25,000 to the officers' pension fund, and transferred \$297,000 to the reserve fund, leaving a balance carried forward of \$838,000.

During the year the bank increased its paid-up capital to \$5,000,000, and its reserve is now \$6,000,000. It made large gains in circulation, in deposits, and in total assets. The deposits now stand at over \$15,342,000—a gain of \$5,300,000 during the year, an indication that the bank is growing in favor and in the confidence of the public. The extent to which the Dominion Bank is providing for the business needs of the public is shown by the fact that the outstanding loans amounted to \$46,415,000. This indicates that the bank is doing an increasingly large business in the communities where its branches are located, which is further evidenced by the fact that the paid-up capital is being increased by \$1,000,000, to be issued at \$200 a share, thus giving the bank additional facilities of \$2,000,000.

An analysis of the report shows that it is particularly strong in specie, bullion and other quickly available assets. These amount to 43.58 per cent of the total liabilities of the bank.

Another proof of the bank's rapid growth is shown in the large increase in total assets. These amount at the present time to \$79,224,000—a gain of \$9,000,000 during the year. Altogether the showing is a highly creditable one, and reflects favorably on the management of the bank.

It is apparent that the bank's business in the west is growing in importance, as two new directors were appointed—one a resident of Winnipeg, and one of Vancouver.

DIED AT WYANDOTTE
Mrs. Laura Parsons Was a Native of Talbotville, Ont.
[Special to The Advertiser.]
St. Thomas, Jan. 31.—The funeral of Mrs. Laura Parsons, wife of George Parsons, was held this afternoon at St. Thomas Cemetery on the arrival of the Michigan Central train from Wyandotte, Michigan, where deceased died on Wednesday. Mrs. Parsons was born at Talbotville, and was a daughter of Mrs. Mary Tucker. Besides her husband and mother, she leaves one daughter, Gladys, at home; three brothers, James, of St. Thomas, and John and Frank Tucker, of Wyandotte, and one sister, Mrs. L. Hunt, of Delaware Township.

Mother (at telephone, giving order to grocer, and scolding him in mischief): "Send me a pound of fresh-baby—butter and—oh, that's two dozen eggs—or mother'll spank you—the last you sent were stale—you naughty boy!"—Life.

Sale of Parsons' Fair.
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BOARD WILL NOT WAIT FOR SEWERS

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CARLING CREEK TROUBLE

Action Is Threatened Against the City By the Owners of the Stanley Estate—A Meeting Last Night.
The condition of the city streets and the urgency of repairing the thoroughfares came under discussion at the meeting of the board of works Thursday night. Those present were: Ald. Bennett, Ald. Glass, Ald. Saunders, Ald. Robinson, City Clerk Baker and City Engineer Brazier.

The committee deemed it absolutely necessary to repair some of the streets this year, and all work to be done is to be advertised and tendered for without delay.

That portion of Queen's avenue from Maitland to Adelaide street, and Waterloo, Colborne and Maitland streets, from King street to Queen's avenue, were the principal streets which were introduced into the discussion, and steps will be taken to have asphalt pavement laid on these.

The board decided not to wait until the storm sewers are put down.

Ald. Saunders stated that delay in paving these streets was proving costly. The street railway is to be forced to pave its share of Ridout street, extending from Horton street to Elmwood avenue.

A Threatened Suit.
The proprietors of the Stanley estate on Colborne street, in the vicinity of the C. P. R. tracks, are threatening the city with legal proceedings on account of the floods of Carling's Creek. The land on this part of the estate is very low and much damage is wrought.

Engineer Brazier considered that the city could not be held liable. The creek ran in its natural channel, and he was sure that it was not the fault of anyone that the stream overflowed its banks.

The matter of granting the application of the Bell Telephone Company to erect telephone poles on certain streets was laid over until the city solicitor is heard from and states the legality of such action. The company claims that the application is only a matter of form.

The sum of \$27.26 will be recommended as a rebate by the board to George Roberts, of Edward street, who requested the reduction in the cost of a storm sewer constructed in 1908. Mr. Roberts failed to bring this matter before the court of revision, and the matter of a refund has thus been delayed.

Pay for Steam Roller.
Thomas Martin, a road contractor, who had an account for \$120 rendered to him by the city engineering department for 12 days' use of the steam roller, objected to paying the full amount. Mr. Martin declared that he had only used the roller at certain times, and should only be charged for three days. Owing to the disagreeable weather he found it was impossible to work on the roadway, and hence the roller lay idle.

City Engineer Brazier pressed the claim, and stated that the roller had been used on ten different days, and that Mr. Martin should keep to his agreement.

Ald. Saunders and Ald. Robinson both considered that the contractor should not pay the full amount of \$120. Ald. Bennett advised Mr. Martin to pay the full amount and dispute the claim in the court. The matter will come up at the next meeting of the council.

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CONTINUATION SCHOOL QUESTION UP AGAIN

A Deputation Waited on Councilors and Asked That Change Be Made in Nissouri.

The first report of the finance committee, as presented at the session of the county council yesterday afternoon, recommended that a grant of \$750 be given to the Greater Middlesex Publicity Campaign. A number of the advocates of the scheme, however, wished that the grant be increased to \$1,000, and the council went into committee of the whole to discuss the question. Mr. J. W. Laidlaw acted as chairman.

Several of the councillors were of the opinion that the grant should not be increased as the city of London was expected to give assistance. When the vote was finally taken the council was in favor of making the grant \$1,000, by a vote of 16 to 13. The grant of \$200 made at the December session was withdrawn.

A List of Grants.
The finance committee also recommended that the council make the following grants: \$50 to the Salvation Army Rescue Home, 25 cents per day to the officers, non-commissioned officers and men of the Twenty-sixth Regiment who attend the annual camp of instruction in June; \$25 each of the Farmers' Institutes of North-East and West Middlesex, and \$25 to the Sick Children's Hospital in Toronto. They also advised that no action be taken in regard to "B" Squadron of the First Hussars.

Three deputations appeared, and each one, after presenting its case, was promised the careful consideration of the council. A deputation from the vicinity of Middlesex asked that the county co-operate with the county of Elgin in erecting a bridge, the estimated cost of which was \$17,000, to replace the present low water bridge, which is in a dangerous condition.

The annual deputation of those interested in a bridge at Giesies also renewed their plea that a bridge be constructed at that point. The members of the deputation stated that the erection of the bridge would be of great benefit to the people in the southern portion of Caradoc, as it would bring them from one to seven miles closer to the London market.

Against the School.

Over thirty ratepayers of West Nissouri asked the council to rescind the bylaw making that township a continuation school district. When the bylaw was passed, it was stated, the majority of the ratepayers were in favor of the school, but as they found out that the cost of building and maintaining such a place of education had been misrepresented to them, they were now greatly in favor of discontinuing the school. The matter will come up later.

The report and account of the superintendent of Victoria Hospital was referred to Trustee Turnbull, with power. Mr. Turnbull stated that last year there were 96 county patients in the hospital, for a total stay of 4,106 days. The account of the county amounted to \$42,145, of which \$1,511.46 remains to be paid. Mr. Turnbull said that the cost of county patients in the hospital during 1913 would be from 15 per cent to 20 per cent lower than in 1912, on account of the annexation of certain parts of the county by the city of London.

The request of the Children's Aid Society that the annual grant be increased to \$100, was referred to the finance committee.

Martin vs. Middlesex.
Solicitor J. C. Elliott addressed the council and asked that a new committee be appointed to consider the judgment in the case of Martin vs. Middlesex. Mr. Elliott also stated that he had interviewed the city solicitor in connection with the resolution of the council passed in December condemning the city roads, and that the city wished to have the roads referred to specified. In the opinion of the solicitor litigation would not be needed.

Reeve Laidlaw, of Westminster, asked if the city had power to bar county pupils from the schools in the newly-annexed districts before any settlement had been made. He had been told that all the pupils residing

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In the county and attending the school in Chelsea Green had been told that they were allowed to attend.

Engineer's Report.
The report of the county engineer was referred to the board for consideration. That official stated that at present there were 13 wooden bridges in the county and all needed repairs. He recommended that those that were in decay be replaced by new structures.

The first report of the board of road directors was adopted after it had been amended in committee of the whole. The committee recommended that the designated road in Metcalfe Township be left as previous to the passing of Bylaw 710, but the council decided to change the road, as suggested by Reeve Toohill, of that municipality. The council was even divided in regard to this clause, and Reeve Hawshaw, who presided, cast the deciding vote.

A large amount of business was transacted at the evening session, including the reading of the report of the physician attending the house of refuge and a discussion of the good roads system. A number of resolutions were also passed.

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