

DIVIDENDS AND NOTICES

BANK OF MONTREAL

Notice is hereby given that a dividend of two and one-half per cent. upon the paid-up Capital Stock of this Institution has been declared for the three months ending 30th April, 1913, also a bonus of one per cent., and that the same will be payable at its Banking House in this City, and at its Branches, on and after **Monday, the Second Day of June next**, to Shareholders of record of 30th April, 1913.

By order of the Board,

H. V. MEREDITH,
General Manager.

Montreal, 18th April, 1913.

THE CANADIAN BANK OF COMMERCE

DIVIDEND 105

Notice is hereby given that a quarterly dividend of 2½ per cent. upon the Capital Stock of this Institution has been declared for the three months ending the 31st May, 1913, together with a bonus of one per cent., and that the same will be payable at the Bank and its branches on and after **Monday, 2nd June, 1913**. The Transfer Books will be closed from the 17th to the 31st May, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board,

ALEXANDER LAIRD,
General Manager.

Toronto, 18th April, 1913.

THE ROYAL BANK OF CANADA

DIVIDEND No. 103.

Notice is hereby given that a dividend of three per cent. (being at the rate of twelve per cent. per annum) upon the paid-up capital stock of this bank has been declared for the current quarter, and will be payable at the bank and its branches, on and after **Monday, the 2nd day of June next**, to shareholders of record of 15th May.

By order of the Board,

E. L. PEASE,
General Manager.

Montreal, P.Q., April 15th, 1913.

CROWN-RESERVE MINING COMPANY, LIMITED

Dividend No. 40

Notice is hereby given that a dividend of 2 per cent. for the month of May, 1913, and bonus of 3 per cent. for the same period, making a total payment of 5 per cent., has been declared payable on the 16th June, 1913, to shareholders of record the 31st May.

Transfer books will not be closed.

Dividend cheques will be mailed on the 14th June by our Transfer Agents, "The Crown Trust Company," and shareholders are requested to advise them of any change of address.

By order of the Board.

JAMES COOPER,
Secretary-Treasurer

Montreal, May 14, 1913.

CALGARY MAY BE CENTRE FOR MEAT PACKING

A proposal to make Calgary the meat packing centre of Western Canada by establishing great union stock yards, operated by the three transcontinental railways, now that the Canadian Northern and Grand Trunk Pacific lines are laid to the city, has awakened civic interest. Calgary is the city of Western Canada through which more live stock passes than any other place except Winnipeg. The Livestock Associations all have their headquarters there. The activity in the live stock industry is exemplified in the fact that upwards of 100,000 head of breeding stock were imported into the province last year.

Soon the effect of the efforts to produce more stock will be apparent, for although Alberta has had for many years a world-wide reputation as a cattle country, the work of so many interests during the past two years, directed towards increasing the production, will in a year or two more be apparent in the very largely increased offerings on the market. To prepare for this the stockyard scheme is put forward.

Every indication is that the big railway companies will

NORTHERN CROWN BANK

Head Office—Winnipeg

DIVIDEND No. 13

Notice is hereby given that a dividend at the rate of six per cent. per annum upon the paid-up Capital Stock of this Bank has been declared for the six months ending May 31st, 1913, and that same will be payable at its Banking House in this city and at all its branches on or after the second day of June next to shareholders of record of the fifteenth day of May, 1913.

By order of the Board,

Winnipeg, April 14th, 1913.

ROBERT CAMPBELL,
General Manager.

IMPERIAL BANK OF CANADA

The annual meeting of the shareholders will be held at the Head Office of the Bank on Wednesday, 28th May, 1913. The chair to be taken at noon.

By Order of the Board,

D. R. WILKIE,
General Manager.

Toronto, March 19th, 1913.

NATIONAL BRICK COMPANY OF LAPRAIRIE, LIMITED

DIVIDEND NOTICE

A Dividend of One and one-quarter per cent. (1¼%) being at the rate of five per cent. (5%) per annum has been declared on the Capital Stock of the National Brick Company of Laprairie, Limited, for the three months ending the Thirty-first May, Nineteen Hundred and Thirteen, said Dividend being payable the First June, Nineteen Hundred and Thirteen, to shareholders of record on May Twentieth, Nineteen Hundred and Thirteen.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from May Twenty-eighth to Thirty-first, inclusive.

By order of the Board.

FRED WESTBROOK
Secretary.

UNION BANK OF CANADA

DIVIDEND No. 105.

Notice is hereby given that a dividend at the rate of eight per cent. per annum upon the Paid-up Capital Stock of this institution has been declared for the current quarter, and that the same will be payable at its Banking House in this city, and also at its branches, on and after **Monday, the second day of June next**.

The Transfer Books will be closed from the 17th to the 30th of May, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board.

G. H. BALFOUR,
General Manager

Winnipeg, April 19th, 1913.

regard the scheme favorably as they are all anxious to develop the stock raising industry of Alberta and encourage mixed farming.

The plan in brief is to have the city expropriate the land necessary for the big stockyards, with the understanding that the Canadian Pacific will put in the 30 acres which that railway already uses for stockyard purposes, and nearby are some additional 50 acres which the city might expropriate. At the present time the owners ask about \$6,000 an acre for the land, but the city officials say it can be secured much cheaper by expropriation proceedings.

Traffic rights would be granted to the Grand Trunk Pacific and the Canadian Northern to operate their stock trains into these yards, and the yards probably placed under the control of a city commission.

In connection with these yards, large abattoirs and packing facilities would be arranged and every effort made to afford farmers the greatest convenience in disposing of their stock along the lines followed in the union stockyards in Chicago which have made that city the greatest centre of animal industry and packing on the American continent.