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Vaults of  
**The Provincial  
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**The Canada Permanent and Western  
Canada Mortgage Corporation**

**HALF-YEARLY DIVIDEND**

Notice is hereby given that a dividend of three per cent. (3%) on the paid-up capital stock of this Corporation has been declared for the half-year ending December 31st, 1900, and that the same will be payable on and after

**Wednesday, the 2nd Day of January next**

The transfer books will be closed from the 15th to the 31st Dec., inclusive.

By order of the Board.

WALTER S. LEE, General Manager

Toronto, Nov. 28th, 1900.

**The BANK OF OTTAWA** HEAD OFFICE, OTTAWA, CAN.

Capital Authorized ..... \$2,000,000 Capital Subscribed ..... \$1,994,900  
Rest ..... \$1,572,982 Capital Paid-up ..... \$1,957,310

**Directors**  
CHARLES MAGEE, President. GEORGE HAY, Esq., Vice-President.  
Hon. Geo. Bryson, Jr., Fort Coulonge. Alex. Fraser, Esq., Ottawa.  
Denise Murphy. John Mather. David Maclaren.  
**Branches**—Arnprior, Alexandria, Avonmore, Bracebridge, Carleton Place, Hawkesbury, Keewatin, Lanark, Mattawa, Pembroke, Parry Sound, Kemptville, Rat Portage, Renfrew, Smith's Falls, Toronto, Vankleek Hill, Rideau Street and also Bank Street, Ottawa, Winchester, in Prov. of Ontario; Winnipeg, Dauphin, and Portage la Prairie, Manitoba; Montreal, Lachute, Hull, Shawinigan Falls, Que. GEO. BURN, General Manager.

**Eastern Townships Bank**

**Dividend No. 82**

Notice is hereby given that a dividend of three and one-half per cent. upon the paid-up capital stock of this bank has been declared for the current half-year and that the same will be payable at the head office and branches on and after Wednesday, 2nd day of January next. The transfer books will be closed from the 15th to 31st December, both days inclusive. By order of the Board.

WM. FARWELL, General Manager

Sherbrooke, 6th Dec., 1900.

**The Western Bank of Canada.**

Head Office, - OSHAWA, ONT.

Capital Authorized ..... \$1,000,000  
Capital Subscribed ..... 500,000  
Capital Paid-up ..... 388,240  
Rest ..... 128,000

**Board of Directors**

JOHN COWAN, Esq., President  
REUBEN S. HAMLIN, Esq., Vice-President  
W. F. Cowan, Esq. W. F. Allen, Esq. J. A. Gibson, Esq.  
Robert McIntosh, M.D. Thomas Paterson, Esq.  
T. H. McMILLAN, Cashier  
Branches—Midland, Tilsonburg, New Hamburg, Whitby, Pickering, Paisley, Penetanguishene, Port Perry, Tavistock, Ont.  
Drafts on New York and Sterling Exchange bought and sold. Deposits received and interest allowed. Collections solicited and promptly made.  
Correspondents in New York and in Canada—The Merchants Bank of Canada. London, Eng.—The Royal Bank of Scotland.

**THE HAMILTON PROVIDENT AND LOAN SOCIETY**

**DIVIDEND NO. 59**

Notice is hereby given that a dividend of Three per cent. upon the paid-up capital stock of the Society has been declared for the half-year ending 31st December, 1900, and that the same will be payable at the Society's head office, Hamilton, Ont., on and after Wednesday, the 2nd day of January, 1901.

The transfer books will be closed from the 15th to the 31st December, 1900, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board.

FERRIE, Treasurer.

November 19th, 1900.

**LONDON & CANADIAN**

LOAN & AGENCY CO., Limited.

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

Subscribed Capital ..... \$1,000,000  
Rest ..... 210,000

**MONEY TO LEND**

on Bonds, Stocks, Life Insurance Policies and Mortgages.

Rates on application.

V. B. WADSWORTH, Manager.

103 Bay Street, Toronto.

**PEOPLE'S BANK OF HALIFAX**

Paid-up Capital ..... \$700,000  
Reserve Fund ..... 240,000

**Board of Directors:**

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

Head Office, Halifax, N.S.

**AGENCIES:**

North End Branch—Halifax. Edmunston, N. B., Wolfville, N. S., Woodstock, N. B., Lunenburg, N. S., Shediac, N. B., Port Hood, C. B., Fraserville, Que., Canso, N. S., Levis, 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.  
The Union Bk. of London, London, G. B.  
The Bank of New York, New York.  
New England National Bank, Boston.  
Bank of Toronto, Montreal.

**BANKERS**

**HALIFAX BANKING CO.**

Incorporated 1872.

Capital Paid-up ..... \$500,000  
Reserve Fund ..... 400,000

**HEAD OFFICE, HALIFAX, N.S.**

H. N. WALLACE Cashier

**DIRECTORS**

ROBIE UNIACKE, President C. W. ANDERSON, Vice-President  
W. N. Wickwire John MacNab W. J. G. Thomson  
BRANCHES—Nova Scotia: Halifax, Amherst, Antigonish, Barrington, Bridgewater, Canning, Lockeport, 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.

**Agricultural Savings & Loan Co**

Notice is hereby given that Dividend No. 57 at the rate of six per cent. per annum, has been declared for the current half-year upon the capital stock, payable on and after 2nd January next.

Transfer Books will be closed from 15th to the 31st instant.

C. P. BUTLER, Manager.

London, 3rd December, 1900.

**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 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.

**LA BANQUE NATIONALE**

Head Office, - - - QUEBEC

Paid-up Capital ..... \$1,200,000  
Rest ..... 200,000

**Board of Directors:**

R. AUDETTE, Esq., Pres. A. B. DUPUIS, Esq., Vice-Pres.  
Hon. Judge Chauveau N. Rioux, Esq. N. Fortier, Esq.  
V. Chateaufort, Esq. J. B. Laliberte, Esq.  
P. LAFRANCE, Manager N. LAVOIE, Inspector

**Branches**

Quebec, St. John Suburb Sherbrooke, P. Q.  
St. Roch. St. Francois N.E. Beauce  
Montreal Ste. Marie, Beauce  
Roberval, Lake St. John Chicoutimi  
Ottawa, Ont. St. Elyscien, P. Q.  
Joliette, Que. St. John's, P. Q.  
Rimouski, Que. Murray Bay, P. Q.  
Fraserville, P. Q. Montmagny, P. Q.  
St. Casimir, P. Q.

**Agents**

England—The National Bank of Scotland, London.  
France—Credit Lyonnais, Paris and branches.  
United States—The National Bank of the Republic, New York  
York Shoe and Leather National Bank, Boston.  
Prompt attention given to collections

**ST. STEPHEN'S BANK** St. Stephen's, N. B.

INCORPORATED 1836  
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, 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.