STATEMENT OF BANKS acting under Dominion Gov't charter, for the month ending Dec. 31, 1897.

			CAPITAL.				LIABILITIES.						
			Capital authorized.	Capital subscribed.	Capital paid up.	Amount of Rest or Reserve Fund.	Rate per cent. of last Dividend declar'd	Notes in circulation.	Bal. due to Dom. Gov. after deducting advances.	Bal. due to Provincial Governments.	Deposits by the Public payable on demand.	Deposits by the Public payable after notice or on a fixed day.	
	ONTARIO.												
1	Bank of Toronto	Toronto	$2,000,000	2,000,000	2,000,000	1 800,000	10	1,634,092	35,351	120,000	4,433,352	5,863,638	1
2	Canadian Bank of Commerce	do	6,000,000	6,000,000	6,000,000	1,000,000	7	3,459,508	33,818	299,399	6,088,455	15,393,558	2
3	Dominion Bank	do	1,500,000	1,500,000	1,500,000	1,500,000	12	1,342,989	25,206	165	3,363,406	8,864,920	3
4	Ontario Bank	do	1,000,000	1,000,000	1,000,000	65,000	5	332,188	16,251	122,774	1,498,410	3,300 892	4
5	Standard Bank	do	2,000,000	1,000,000	1,000,000	600,000	8	904,234	18,766	18 840	1,995,360	1,537,621	5
6	*Imperial Bank	do	2,000,000	2,000,000	2,000,000	1,200 000	8	1,761,644	18,534	303 373	3,918,723	6 855,183	6
7	Traders Bank of Canada	do	1,000,000	700,000	700,000	40,000	6	695,690	.....	76,126	1,172,429	3,559,124	7
8	Bank of Hamilton	Hamilton	1,250,000	1,250,000	1,250,000	725,000	8	1,220,563	20 519	49 287	2,589,430	4,808,328	8
9	Bank of Ottawa	Ottawa	1,500,000	1,500,000	1,500,000	1,125,000	8	1,313,895	20,465	400	1,512,060	4,476 676	9
10	Western Bank of Canada	Oshawa	1,000,000	500,000	384,136	112,000	7	281,590	.....	.....	206,822	1,154,411	10
	QUEBEC.												
11	Bank of Montreal	Montreal	12,000,000	12,000,000	12,000,000	6,000 000	10	5,798,811	3,638,773	59,115	25,254,712	15,063.941	11
12	Bank of B. N. A.	do	4,866,666	4,866,666	4,866,666	1,338,333	5	1,232,265	3,937	200	3,523,203	5,977.333	12
13	Banque du Peuple	do	1,200,000	1,200,000	1,200,000	.....	...	19,963	.....	.....	.....	1,860,104	13
14	Banque Jacques-Cartier	do	500,000	500,000	500,000	235 000	6	471,694	20,325	50,000	489,839	2,498.412	14
15	Banque Ville-Marie	do	500,000	500,000	479,620	10,000	6	335,870	4,751	.....	263,580	997,598	15
16	La Banque d'Hochelaga	do	1,000,000	1 000,000	999,600	400,000	7	946,932	18,397	59,250	923 653	3,254.485	16
17	*Molsons Bank	do	2,000,000	2,000,000	2,000,000	1,500,000	8	1,768,298	29,715	10,298	4,570,789	6,708.184	17
18	Merchants Bank of Canada	do	6,000,000	6,000,000	6,000,000	3,000,000	8	3,051,406	210,790	123,542	3,911,803	8,545,940	18
19	Banque Nationale	Quebec	1,200,000	1,200,000	1,200,000	50,000	6	1,064,250	2,730	118,184	972,756	2,199 021	19
20	Quebec Bank	do	3,000,000	2,500 000	2,500,000	600,000	6	1,207,953	19,465	93,398	2,541 765	1 982,023	20
21	Union Bank of Canada	do	1,500,000	1,500,000	1,487,878	325,000	6	1,348,502	3,432	577,054	1,291,954	3,915,252	21
22	Banque de St. Jean	St. Johns	1,000,000	500 200	261,499	10.000	4	104 525	.....	60,592	48 745	210,375	22
23	Banque de St. Hyacinthe	St. Hyacinthe	1,000,000	504,600	312.790	65,000	6	198,464	.....	30,161	68,235	993.163	23
24	Eastern Townships Bank	Sherbrooke	1,500,000	1,500,000	1,500,000	785,000	7	965.279	26 292	110,730	704,864	3,521.960	24
	NOVA SCOTIA.												
25	Bank of Nova Scotia	Halifax	2,000.000	1,500,000	1,500,000	1,600.000	8	1,320,250	425 820	.....	2,478 649	7,390.518	25
26	Merchants Bank of Halifax	do	1,500,000	1,500,000	1,500.000	1,175,000	7	1,187,392	86,448	.....	2,112.180	4,726.474	26
27	People's Bank of Halifax	do	800,000	700,000	700,000	200,000	6	482,930	7,252	.....	619 332	749.086	27
28	Union Bank of Halifax	do	500,000	500,000	500.000	205.000	6	404,190	5,230	.....	299,624	1,391,285	28
29	Halifax Banking Co.	do	500,000	500,000	500.000	350.000	7	452,054	29,951	.....	531,301	2,314.723	29
30	Bank of Yarmouth	Yarmouth	300,000	300,000	300,000	40,000	6	79,474	19,585	.....	57,792	521,084	30
31	Exchange Bank of Yarmouth	do	280.000	280,000	250 075	30,000	5	33 312	.....	.....	22,721	91,168	31
32	Commercial Bank of Windsor	Windsor	500,000	500,000	348,380	108,000	6	152,865	6,255	.....	130,302	564,342	32
	NEW BRUNSWICK.												
33	Bank of New Brunswick	St. John	500,000	500,000	500,000	600,000	12	445,118	46,626	.....	548,352	1,347,556	33
34	People's Bank	Fredericton	180 000	180,000	180,000	120,000	8	127,194	9 193	.....	61 398	219 455	34
35	St. Stephen's Bank	St. Stephen	200,000	200,000	200,000	45,000	5	96.819	15,641	.....	114,604	185,416	35
	BRITISH COLUMBIA.												
36	*Bank of British Columbia	Victoria	9,733,332	2,919,996	2,919,996	486,666	4	993,705	280,024	3,845	3,494,666	925,831	36
	P.E. ISLAND.												
37	The Summerside Bank	Summerside	48,666	48,666	48,666	16,000	7	44,864	.....	.....	34 069	80.029	37
38	The Merchants Bank of P. E. I.	Charlottetown	200,020	200,020	200,020	55,000	8	114,356	.....	.....	142,371	60.968	38
	Grand total		73,758,681	63,050.148	62,289,326	27,515,999	.....	37,935,123	5,100,145	2,286 763	81,881,687	140,120,460	

ASSETS.

	BANK	Specie.	Dominion Notes.	Deposits with Dom Gov. for security of note circulation.	Notes of and Cheques on other Banks.	Loans to other Banks in Canada secured	Demand deposits or at notice or on a fixed day with other Banks in Canada.	Bal. due from other Canad'n Banks in daily exch'ge.	Balance due from agents of the B'k or from other Banks or agencies abroad.	Balance due from agents of Bank or from other banks, etc., in United Kingdom.	Dominion Government debentures or stocks.	Public and Munic. securities not Canadian.	Canadian, British and other Railway securities.	Call Loans on Bonds and Stocks.	Current Loans.	
	ONTARIO.															
1	Bank of Toronto	$613,474	1,110.311	71,200	554,187	.....	31 814	41	469,970	640,647	237,601	252,206	686,521	1,387,681	10,051 824	1
2	C. Bk. of Commerce	409,879	790.308	165,001	1,377,093	.....	70,260	41,716	5,781.267	.....	766,116	4,549,473	1,635,458	2,878.130	13,350.052	2
3	Dominion Bank	531 363	611.265	77,250	591,128	.....	263.543	.....	748,390	160,915	.....	427.421	3,218,230	1,336 246	8,295 042	3
4	Ontario Bank	77,369	229,045	42.000	359,423	.....	13,128	.....	41,639	.....	.....	117 961	646,341	641,659	4,919,818	4
5	Standard Bank	164 361	678,258	37,184	250.363	.....	302,614	.....	276,874	323,840	373,666	1,188,782	290.300	91,251	5,099 971	5
6	Imperial Bank Can.	557 425	1,022,036	84,872	489,747	.....	404,242	1,083	576,928	378,711	239,970	1,238,032	1,520,233	1,201,745	7,902.432	6
7	Traders Bk. of Can.	96 899	187 538	34.220	151,509	.....	139,986	.....	47,245	128,855	52,560	444,296	.....	1,811.094	3,037 745	7
8	Bank of Hamilton	169,092	422,580	60,000	355,661	.....	67,383	.....	434,830	.....	44.469	451.297	958,317	1,116 161	6,363.905	8
9	Bank of Ottawa	154 199	485,652	60,000	163,754	.....	425,761	.....	167,507	196,549	394,702	136 187	.....	351,698	7,381.334	9
10	Western Bk. Can	24,570	22,187	18,135	28,376	.....	450,049	17,493	18.834	11,600	31,018	331,968	.....	.....	1,125 267	10
	QUEBEC.															
11	Bank of Montreal	2,149,281	3.834.860	265,000	2,414 746	.....	.....	42,341	10,086,872	11,252,323	91,574	77,839	4,301,504	54 602	33 22.,882	11
12	Bank of B. N. A.	365,343	870,586	67,609	368,109	.....	13,488	.....	646,149	.....	.....	.....	.....	509,574	9 404,661	12
13	Bank du Peuple	12	76	23,525	1,026	.....	89,128	.....	314	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	357,895	13
14	Bk Jacques Cartier	18,567	264,329	22.215	142.987	.....	14,865	7,063	20,402	29 ,000	110,000	100,000	.....	395,000	3,129.673	14
15	Bank Ville-Marie	11.117	53,103	18,000	132,209	.....	233	.....	6,451	127	.....	16,347	.....	157,752	1 230.045	15
16	Bk de Hochelaga	119.198	545,302	41,005	259,771	.....	15,298	15,120	89,338	87,134	337 701	161,883	.....	894.897	2,953,467	16
17	Molsons Bank	403,717	661 719	100.000	831,652	.....	145,457	122	812 643	339,337	327,144	671,028	719.944	606.432	10,972.074	17
18	Merchants Bank	374,298	1,002,393	159,312	946,130	.....	157,718	.....	1,134 358	935,742	1,356,866	513,942	472,922	1,785.640	16,099,752	18
19	Bank Nationale	62,395	148 689	50,000	187.127	.....	100,000	43,323	33.943	.....	35,000	.....	.....	29,850	4,912.949	19
20	Quebec Bank	165 423	632 002	50.000	424,138	.....	.....	4,111	121, 323	16.872	150,633	292,076	274.516	1,846.373	7,836.051	20
21	Union Bank Can	35,961	510,395	52,000	241,154	.....	39,881	382	361,245	79,707	.....	5,050	126,666	608,585	6,493,979	21
22	Bank de St Jean	5,671	16,752	3.309	11,706	.....	46,369	.....	5,539	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	569.351	22
23	B. de St. Hyacinthe	14.581	22,395	15,140	51,471	.....	90,868	1,250	33,806	.....	.....	.....	.....	31.000	1,246,008	23
24	Eastern Tp. Bank	94,292	101 934	51,363	49,564	.....	396,351	19,928	555,638	54,922	13,000	71,666	.....	56,304	6,059,126	24
	NOVA SCOTIA.															
25	Bk. of Nova Scotia	271.686	1,003 987	69.581	772,296	2,000	72,375	.....	411,572	18,199	.....	789,638	1,224 297	1.027,126	9,163.215	25
26	Merchants Bk. Hal.	428,442	544.077	58,100	284,024	.....	102.553	.....	131,150	69,939	108,000	1,214,609	389,612	931,701	6,401.423	26
27	People's Bk. of Hal.	44,760	176.639	27,608	66,283	.....	56,421	.....	7,101	23,021	.....	20,988	.....	7,185	2,231,967	27
28	Union Bk. of Hal'x.	35,627	114,326	25.000	63.669	.....	72,024	.....	8,556	19,522	41,879	248,462	.....	.....	2,141.528	28
29	Halifax Bank'g Co.	67,479	329,178	25,000	82 991	.....	28,546	3,645	41,879	.....	.....	345.700	.....	42,502	3,259 337	29
30	Bank of Yarmouth.	36,310	34,955	4,372	3,120	.....	98,624	.....	38,509	46,735	19,200	56,000	.....	.....	603,522	30
31	Exchange Bk. Yar.	2.395	5,11[2]	3.466	511	.....	17,583	.....	20,321	.....	.....	49,075	.....	.....	301,515	31
32	Com. Bk. Windsor.	18,501	22,90	6,280	14,932	.....	138,941	.....	15,785	8,176	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,040,170	32
	N. BRUNSWICK.															
33	Bk. of N. Brunswick	132,763	162,551	23 953	52,953	.....	50 602	.....	330,226	.....	.....	24,530	127,921	- 59,544	2,659 639	33
34	People's Bank, N.B.	6,727	9,632	7 200	8,629	.....	28,408	.....	4,371	8,061	.....	2,000	.....	.....	653,362	34
35	St. Stephen's Bank.	9,921	10,903	6,381	19,877	.....	42,051	.....	39,287	159	.....	.....	.....	.....	507,267	35
	B COLUMBIA.															
36	Bk. of B. Columbia.	583,779	1,019,947	50,684	119,592	.....	280,525	70,908	12,555	666,397	.....	.....	381,347	.....	3,388,688	36
	P. E. ISLAND.															
37	Summerside Bank	789	4,264	2,255	8.179	.....	5 827	.....	1,974	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	195,685	37
38	Mer. Bk. of P.E.I.	7,336	9,172	4,787	15,353	.....	29,220	.....	18 807	13,400	.....	200	.....	.....	424,016	38
	Grand Total	8,268,023	17,726.048	1,883,067	11,326,314	2,000	4,321.539	268,524	23.547,288	15,519,940	4,731,099	13798,562	16 944,638	19,859,822	205,931,017	

*And bonus 1%. Returns of Banks of British North America and British Columbia include Canadian business only