

ESTABLISHED 1875

# IMPERIAL BANK OF CANADA

Capital Paid Up \$7,000,000 Reserve Fund \$7,000,000

PELEG HOWLAND, President E. HAY, General Manager

HEAD OFFICE—TORONTO

VANCOUVER—J. M. LAY, Manager

BRANCHES:

FAIRVIEW: J. S. GIBB, Manager

HASTINGS AND ABBOTT ST.: F.B. THOMSON, Manager

Incorporated 1832

# The Bank of Nova Scotia

Capital, \$6,500,000 Reserve, \$12,000,000  
Total Assets over \$161,000,000188 Branches in Canada, Newfoundland, Jamaica, Cuba,  
Porto Rico, and at  
Boston, Chicago, New York (Agency)Commercial Credits and Travellers' Cheques Issued, available  
in all parts of the world

BRANCHES IN VANCOUVER:

418 Hastings St. W. Granville and Davie Sts.

N. W. BERKINSHAW, Manager DOUGLAS J. MAIR, Manager  
JAMES A. FIOTT, Assistant Manager

Established 1865

# Union Bank of Canada

HEAD OFFICE—WINNIPEG

Paid up Capital .....\$ 5,000,000

Reserve ..... 3,600,000

Total Assets (over)..... 153,000,000

London, England, Branches: 6 Princess St., E.C., and  
West End Branch, Haymarket, S. W.

New York Agency: 49 Wall Street.

Attention is particularly drawn to the advantages offered  
by the Foreign Exchange Department of our London, Eng-  
land, office; and merchants and manufacturers are invited  
to avail themselves of the Commercial Information Bureau  
established at that Branch, and also at our New York  
Agency.

Vancouver Office - George S. Harrison, Manager

## SALE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA BONDS.

The Province of British Columbia accepted the joint tender of Wood, Gundy & Company and Dominion Securities Corporation, both of Toronto, of 99.32 for \$3,000,000, 20-year 5½% sinking fund gold bonds of the Province. The tender is recognized in financial circles as a very good one and represents a much improved bond market in addition to improved credits of the Province in the financial markets. The tenders received are as follows:

Wood, Gundy & Company and Dominion Securities Corporation .....	99.32
A. E. Ames & Company.....	99.29
Burgess & Company.....	98.82
Mackenzie & Company; Brent, Noxon & Company .....	98.82
Oxford Securities Corporation.....	98.75
G. A. Stimson & Company (\$1,000,000).....	98.53
Matthews & Company, Canada Bond Corp'n,	
Aemilius Jarvis & Co., Hanson Brothers	97.40

# The Molsons Bank

One of the oldest chartered banks in Canada  
Incorporated 1855

Capital Authorized .....\$5,000,000

Capital Paid Up ..... 4,000,000

Reserve Fund ..... 4,800,000

General Banking Business Transacted

One Dollar Opens Savings Account

Main Office - - - Hastings and Seymour Streets  
East End Branch - - - 150 Hastings Street East

G. W. SWAISLAND, Manager, Vancouver

# THE MERCHANTS' BANK OF CANADA

Established 1864

HEAD OFFICE, MONTREAL

Paid-up Capital .....\$7,000,000

Reserve Fund ..... 7,421,292

236 Branches in Canada, extending from the Atlantic to the Pacific

GENERAL BANKING BUSINESS TRANSACTED  
SAVINGS DEPARTMENTS AT ALL BRANCHESDeposits received of one dollar and upwards, and interest  
allowed at 3 per cent. per annum.Most Modern Offices. Safety Deposit Boxes for Rent.  
VANCOUVERGranville and Pender Streets.....A. C. Fraser, Mgr.  
Hastings and Carrall Streets.....W. O. Joy, Mgr.

Mr. Stanley Burke, joint manager of the Vancouver office of Messrs. Pemberton & Son, who handled the tender on behalf of Wood, Gundy & Company, spoke in enthusiastic terms of the satisfactory bid which the Province received. He said that he thought it reflected credit on the present financial condition of British Columbia.

## HOME THRIFT ACCOUNT BOOK

We are in receipt of a copy of the Home Thrift Account Book, presented with the compliments of the Vancouver branch of the Home Bank of Canada, which has worked out with a thoroughness and matter of detail the recording of household expenditures which has not come to our notice hitherto. The Home Bank is to be congratulated on issuing such a valuable pamphlet which can be used by every home in the keeping of its accounts in a detailed way. We venture to remark that if each home should, by the use of this book, keep accurate detailed accounts of its expenditures, we think that the house-wife and the provider would find less difficulty in making ends meet and leave a surprising amount each month for investment in War Savings Stamps.

## PACIFIC GREAT EASTERN RAILWAY OPERATION

The Minister of Railways and Premier, the Honourable John Oliver, stated on the floor of the House that the Pacific Great Eastern Railway, since it had been acquired by the Provincial Government, has involved an expenditure of \$375,000 for construction, \$80,000 for purchase of plant and equipment, exclusive of amounts paid for rails and \$373,335 on operation. Revenue from operations was \$242,517, showing an operation loss of \$137,817.