

## The Standard Trusts Co.

Notice is hereby given that a Dividend of Six per cent, for the year ending December 31st, 1904, on the paid up capital Stock of the Company has been declared, and that the same will be payable at the Company's Offices in Winnipeg, on and after

**January 2nd, 1905.**

The transfer books will be closed from the 16th to the 31st of December, both days inclusive. By order of the Board.

WM. HARVEY,  
Managing Director.

Winnipeg, Nov. 28th, 1904.

## The Peoples Building and Loan Association, LONDON, Ont.

Stock Issue of \$100,000  
now open for allotment in  
sums of \$100 and up. This  
Stock has paid 6 per cent.  
dividends for the past ten  
years.

Annual Reports, Application  
Forms, etc., upon request.

JUDGE EDWARD ELLIOTT, PRESIDENT.  
A. A. CAMPBELL, - - MANAGING-DIRECTOR.  
WM. SPITTAL, - - SECRETARY-TREASURER.

## THE GREAT WEST PERMANENT LOAN AND SAVINGS CO.,

274 Portage Ave., Winnipeg, Man.

**Permanent Preference Stock** of the par value of One Hundred Dollars per Share is being rapidly subscribed for at a 25 per cent. premium. This stock bears Five per Cent. per annum, paid half-yearly. It also participates in the profits in excess of said five per cent. Profits paid yearly.

A dividend at the rate of **Seven** per cent. per annum was declared on the Permanent Stock for the year 1903. **Five per Cent. Full-paid Stock** (is an excellent investment), withdrawable in three years.

Money to Loan on First Mortgage on Real Estate on reasonable and convenient terms.

### Board of Directors:

W. T. Alexander, Esq., President and Manager.  
E. S. Popham, Esq., M.D., - - - Vice-President.  
J. T. Gordon, Esq., M.P.P., Gordon, Ironside & Fares,  
E. D. Martin, Esq., Wholesale Druggist. [Exporters.  
James Stuart, Esq., President Stuart Machinery Co.  
E. L. Taylor, Esq., Barrister-at-Law.  
F. H. Alexander, Esq., - - - Secretary.

## DOMINION SECURITIES

CORPORATION, LIMITED

26 KING STREET EAST, TORONTO

DEALERS IN

## GOVERNMENT

AND OTHER HIGH GRADE

## BOND INVESTMENTS

CORRESPONDENCE INVITED.

## Mercantile Summary.

A fire at Farnham, Que., last week did damage to the Oddfellows' Hall, W. Mann's baker shop, and others to the amount of \$8,000, partly covered by insurance.

Continued good reports come from the St. Eugene mine, at Moyie, B.C. The ore appears to improve with depth, and there is now twice as much blocked out as there was three years ago, before the mine closed down.

Efforts are being made to find a market in South Africa for Cape Breton coal. The Dominion Coal Company shipped 3,000 tons of coal last week from Sydney on the steamship "Melville," consigned to Cape Town and New London.

Mr. W. C. Schultz, representing a company who have taken over large tracts of land near Kennedy Lake, on the west coast of Vancouver Island, is superintending the construction of a very large lumber mill, at Clayoquot Sound. The machinery will be particularly adapted for fir timber, in which it is proposed to work up a large export trade.

A retailer of general and oil clothing in quite a fair way of business, at Halifax, R. R. Kennedy, who was burned out in September last, making some loss over his insurance of \$15,500, finds himself unable to pay in full, and has made an offer to creditors of 75 cents on the dollar. He shows general liabilities of about \$16,000, and some \$4,500 of insurance was on consigned goods.

The Hamilton, Ancaster and Brantford Radial Company are now said to have succeeded in making definite arrangements for running rights through the various townships along their proposed line traversing Wentworth County. The route is now being surveyed, and work is to start in the spring. An arrangement has also been made with the Brantford Street Railway Company, by which the Radial may run cars over the former's lines in order to secure an entrance into Brantford.

Recent Montreal failures are noted as follows: B. Vaillancourt, a manufacturer of boots and shoes, has assigned voluntarily, and is said to owe \$6,000 to \$7,000. A few years ago he was unsuccessful while doing business under the style of the Vaillancourt Shoe Co.—A retailer in the same line, by the name of O. Chicoine, has also assigned, and has likewise had an unsuccessful record, having previously failed in 1896, and again in 1898.—A. Chartrand is another boot and shoe retailer, who is in embarrassed shape, and he makes a proposition to pay his creditors 60 per cent. of their claims, which aggregate some \$7,100. He has been in business since 1898, when he began with assistance from his father.—C. Fregeau & Frere, who began in the grocery line last May, have been obliged to assign, and are said to owe some \$4,000.—Another new beginner, but in the furniture line, L. Therien, by name, has also assigned; in business less than a year.—A demand of assignment has been made upon J. T. Pigeon, a suburban grocer, and he has turned his affairs over to the assignee, showing an indebtedness of about \$2,000.

## Real Estate Department.

This Department has been organized under an experienced officer to furnish property owners, solicitors, executors, or liquidators with a thoroughly reliable agent for the management of their real estate.

The Corporation undertakes the purchase or sale of real property, the collection of rents, payment of taxes, etc., at lowest current rates of commission.

## The Toronto General Trusts Corporation

59 Yonge St., Toronto.

## AGRICULTURAL SAVINGS & LOAN COMPANY

LONDON, - - - - - ONTARIO

Paid-up Capital ..... \$ 630,200 00  
Reserve Fund ..... 235,000 00  
Assets ..... 2,485,469 16

### Directors:

W. J. Reid, Pres. Thomas McCormick, Vice-Pres.  
T. Beattie. T. H. Smallman. M. Masuret.  
Money advanced on improved farms and productive city and town properties, on favorable terms.  
Mortgages purchased.  
Deposits received. Debentures issued in Currency or Sterling.  
C. P. BUTLER, Manager.

## THE DOMINION SAVINGS & INVESTMENT SOCIETY

MASONIC TEMPLE BUILDING,

LONDON, - - - - - CANADA

Capital Subscribed.....\$1,000,000 00  
Total Assets, 1st Dec., 1900.. 2,272,980 88

T. H. PURDOM, Esq., K.C., President.  
NATHANIEL MILLS, Manager.

## The Important Duties

of an executor are very often more than can be taken care of properly by the individual. No matter how large or small is the estate, this company is properly equipped to give every attention it may need.

Write for booklet.

## THE Trusts & Guarantee Co. LIMITED

Capital Subscribed, - - - \$2,000,000.00  
Capital Paid-up, - - - 900,000.00

OFFICE AND SAFE DEPOSIT VAULTS:

14 King Street West, - Toronto.