

## The British Canadian Loan and Investment Company, (Limited).

### Dividend No. 49.

Notice is hereby given that a Dividend at the rate of Five per Cent per Annum, on the Paid-up Capital of the Company, for the half-year ending 30th of June, 1902, has this day been declared, and that the same will be payable on the

### Second Day of July next.

The Transfer Books will be closed from the 23rd to the 30th proximo, both days inclusive.

By order of the Directors.

ERNEST S. BALL,

Manager.

Toronto, 7th May, 1902.

## 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 June 30th, 1902, and that the same will be payable on and after

### Wednesday, the 2nd Day of July next.

The transfer books will be closed from the 16th to the 30th June, inclusive.

By order of the Board

GEO. H. SMITH.

Secretary.

Toronto, May 28th, 1902.

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## DOMINICA.

Interposed between the French islands of Martinique and Guadeloupe, and about thirty miles from the former is the English island of Dominica, among the lesser Antilles. "The overwhelming disasters to Martinique and St. Vincent have cast quite a damper over us," writes our correspondent on 5th June from that island, "and we are so particularly near to the former island, that we have been a little nervous. The sympathetic display of munificence from Canada towards the suffering is worthy of all appreciation. We were hoping that the vast increase to the population of the West Indian islands of Antigua and Dominica by the coming of some 7,000 Boer prisoners and their guards would have given quite a boom in Canadian products, especially flour, but 'peace' having been proclaimed our hopes cannot be realized. Still Canadian products will assert sway in these islands yet. We wonder whether Canada would like to take us over and federate us to the Dominion. The thought is much more pleasant than being under the American flag. We have been looking out for the report of the delegation of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, which recently visited us, in charge of their able and worthy travelling president, Mr. Robert Munro. It is worth noting that lots of West Indian limes have been shipped hence to London, Ont., by the Pickford & Black steamers. It is hoped they will be preferred to lemons, and a chance be thus given us. In this hot weather what can be more appreciated than a glass of iced limeade. A good deal of lime juice has also gone on to Montreal and Halifax. Canadian butter has recently been very scarce, but a supply of 'Blue nose' has just arrived; yet we still continue to import Danish butter, which is not quite the thing."

## THE PARIS FIRE BRIGADE.

British residents in Paris often express wonder at the small number of serious fires which occur there. With half-a-dozen families in every house, with fenderless hearths, and candles and lamps still largely used instead of gas or electric light, the opportunities for accidents seem to be frequent. And yet a house destroyed by fire is a rare sight. This immunity is generally ascribed to the carefulness of the French nature, to the solidity of their buildings, and the excellence of their fire brigades. The Prefect of Police has just published some statistics of the work of the Parisian firemen in 1901. During the year 1,422 fires broke out in the city, causing damages estimated by the victims at 5,900,000fr. In 1,268 cases the engines were on the spot within five to ten minutes. In only eight cases 25 to 30 minutes elapsed before their arrival. In 928 cases the fire was extinguished in less than five minutes. In one case only it lasted three hours and a half. The brigade, it may be added, consists of 1,805 men, 52 of whom

are officers. The expenditure on it during 1901 amounted to £140,000.—Insurance Record.

## NEW CORPORATIONS.

Following is a list of new companies, lately organized throughout Canada, that have received Government charters, or have been granted supplementary Letters Patent. The object of the company, amount of capital stock, location of principal office, and names of incorporators are given, so far as possible, and whether the charter has been granted by Provincial or Dominion Governments:

The G. Carter, Son & Co., limited, St. Mary's, Ont.; \$90,000. To carry on the business of a flour and oatmeal miller, a storekeeper and produce merchant, and to acquire the business of G. Carter, Son & Co., and the J. D. Moore Co., limited. J. H. Carter, H. L. Rice and Clarence Freeman. Ontario charter.

The E. D. Tillson Estate, limited, Tillsonburg, Ont.; \$200,000. M. A. Tillson, G. W. Tillson, E. Van N. Tillson, L. C. Sinclair and H. A. Harrison. Ontario charter.

The Toronto Junction Lumber Co., limited, Toronto Junction, Ont.; \$25,000. W. C. Irvine, R. L. McCormack and R. E. Gibson. Ontario charter.

The Bear Creek Cemetery Co., limited, Bridgen P.O., Ont.; \$1,000; J. A. McBean, J. R. Duncan, George McFarlane, David McDonald, J. S. Morrison, Angus Shaw, Alexander Gray, P. A. McBean and John Young. Ontario charter.

The Thomson Drug Co., limited, Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.; \$40,000; H. W. Thomson, R. J. Easson and Walter Thomson. Ontario charter.

McGregor & McIntyre, limited, Toronto, Ont.; \$100,000. To manufacture and sell structural and ornamental iron-work, and, generally to carry on the business of an iron and steel foundryman and manufacturer of machinery and tools. J. H. McGregor, R. L. McIntyre, Jean McIntyre and Ella McGregor. Ontario charter.

The Colonial Weaving Co., limited, Toronto, Ont.; \$60,000. W. C. McBurney, John Nugent, F. J. Jameson, G. L. Hay and R. M. Glover. Ontario charter.

Prime & Rankin, limited, Toronto, Ont.; \$75,000. To manufacture and deal in laces, embroideries, muslins and dry goods. F. A. Prime, Alexander Rankin, Samuel Roether and E. A. Prime. Ontario charter.

The Globe-Wernicke Co., limited, Stratford, Ont.; \$100,000. To manufacture and sell furniture, office specialties, fittings and supplies. J. J. Mason, A. J. McPherson, George McLagan, E. C. Cole and Thomas Rowe. Ontario charter.

Messrs. J. W. Mellor & Co., limited, Victoria, B.C.; \$25,000. To carry on a general business in paints, oils, etc. B.C. charter.