

**THE WESTERN BANK OF CANADA**

HEAD OFFICE, OSHAWA, ONT.

Capital Authorized.....\$1,000,000  
 Capital Subscribed.....500,000  
 Capital Paid-up.....377,336  
 Rest.....105,000

**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, Paisley, Penetanguishene, and Port Perry.  
 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.

**La Banque Nationale.**

On and after Saturday, the First of May  
 next, this Bank will pay to its Shareholders a Divi-  
 dend of Two and One-half per cent. upon its Capital  
 for the six months ending on the 30th April next.

The transfer book will be closed from the 16th to  
 the 30th April next, both days inclusive.

The Annual Meeting of the Shareholders will take  
 place at the Banking House, Lower Town, on Wed-  
 nesday, the 19th May next, at 3 o'clock p.m.

The powers of attorney to vote must, to be valid,  
 be deposited at the bank five full days before that of  
 the meeting, i. e. before 3 o'clock p.m. on Thursday,  
 the 13th May next.

By order of the Board of Directors.

P. LAFRANCE,

Quebec, 23rd March, 1897. Manager.  
 March 24, 1897.

**The Traders Bank of Canada.**

**DIVIDEND No. 23.**

Notice is hereby given that a Dividend of three  
 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 its Banking  
 House in this city and at its Branches on and after

**Tuesday, the First Day of June Next.**

The Transfer Books will be closed from the 17th  
 to the 31st of May, both days inclusive.

The Annual General Meeting of Shareholders  
 will be held in the Banking House in Toronto, on  
 Tuesday, the 15th day of June.

The chair to be taken at 12 o'clock, noon.

H. S. STRATHY,

The Traders Bank of Canada, General Manager.  
 Toronto, 30th April, 1897.

**ST. STEPHEN'S BANK.**

INCORPORATED 1836.

5T. STEPHEN'S, N.B.

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, N.B.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

**SLOW  
 pay**

And Bad Accounts are  
 specialties with our col-  
 lecting department.  
 Don't write anything  
 off until we see what we  
 can do with it.

R. G. DUN & CO.  
 Toronto and Principal Cities  
 of Dominion.

**CANADA PERMANENT  
 LOAN & SAVINGS COMPANY**

Subscribed Capital.....\$ 5,000,000  
 Paid-up Capital.....2,600,000  
 Assets, over.....12,000,000

HEAD OFFICE—TORONTO ST., TORONTO.  
 Branch Offices—WINNIPEG, MAN., & VANCOUVER, B. C.

The ample resources of this Company enable its Direc-  
 tors to make advances on Real Estate, without delay,  
 at low rates of interest, and on the most favorable terms  
 of repayment. Loans granted on Improved Farms and  
 on Productive Town and City Properties. Mortgages  
 and Municipal Debentures Purchased.  
 Applications will be received at the offices of the  
 Company.

J. HERBERT MASON,  
 Man'g Director, Toronto

**FREEHOLD LOAN AND SAVINGS COMPANY.**

**Dividend No. 75.**

Notice is hereby given that a dividend at the rate of  
 six per cent. per annum on the Capital Stock of the  
 Company, has been declared for the current half-year,  
 payable on and after the first day of June next, at the  
 office of the Company, corner of Victoria and Adelaide  
 streets, Toronto. The transfer books will be closed  
 from the 17th to the 31st May, both days inclusive.

Notice is hereby given that the General Annual Meet-  
 ing of the Shareholders of the Company will be held at  
 2 p.m., TUESDAY, JUNE 1ST, at the office of the Com-  
 pany, for the purpose of receiving the annual report, the  
 election of Directors, etc.

By order of the Board.

S. C. WOOD,

TORONTO, 31st April, 1897. Managing Director.

**The Hamilton  
 Provident and Loan Society.**

**Dividend No. 52.**

Notice is hereby given that a Dividend of Three  
 per cent. upon the paid-up capital stock of the Soci-  
 ety, has been declared for the half-year ending 30th  
 June, 1897, and that the same will be payable at the  
 Society's Banking House, Hamilton, Ont., on and  
 after Friday, the Second Day of July, 1897.

The Transfer Books will be closed from the 16th  
 to the 30th June, 1897, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board.

C. FERRIE, Treas.

**LONDON & CANADIAN  
 Loan & Agency Co. (Ltd.)**

SIR CASIMIR S. GZOWSKI K.C.M.G., President  
 Capital Subscribed.....\$5,000,000  
 " Paid-up.....700,000  
 Rest.....210,000  
 Reserve.....200,000

MONEY TO LEND ON IMPROVED REAL ESTATE.  
 MUNICIPAL DEBENTURES PURCHASED.

**TO INVESTORS—Money received  
 on Debentures and Deposit Receipts.  
 Interest and Principal payable in  
 Britain or Canada without charge.**

Rates on application to J. F. KIRK, Manager.  
 Head Office, 103 Bay Street, Toronto.

**THE DOMINION**

**Savings and Investment Society**

LONDON, CANADA.

Capital Subscribed.....\$1,000,000 00  
 Capital Paid-up.....832,962 79  
 Total Assets.....2,230,692 48

ROBERT REID (Collector of Customs), PRESIDENT.  
 T. H. PURDOM (Barrister), Inspecting Director.

NATHANIEL MILLS, Manager.

**The Farmers' Loan and Savings Co.**

OFFICE, No. 17 TORONTO ST., TORONTO.

Capital.....\$1,057,250  
 Paid-up.....611,430  
 Assets.....1,385,000

Money advanced on improved Real Estate at lowest  
 current rates.  
 Sterling and Currency Debentures issued.  
 Money received on deposit, and interest allowed pay-  
 able half-yearly. By Vlo. 42, Chap. 20, Statutes of Ontario,  
 Executors and Administrators are authorized to invest  
 trust funds in Debentures of this Company.

WM. MULOCK M.P. GEO S. C. BETHUNE

**Western Canada Loan and Savings Co.**

INCORPORATED 1863.

Subscribed Capital.....\$3,000,000  
 Paid-up Capital.....1,500,000  
 Reserve Fund.....776,000

OFFICES, No. 76 CHURCH ST., TORONTO,  
 and Main St., WINNIPEG, Man.

**DIRECTORS:**

Hon. Geo. W. Allan, Pres.; Geo. Gooderham Vice-Pres.  
 Thomas H. Lee, Alfred Gooderham, Geo. M. Lewis,  
 Geo. F. Galt.  
**WALTER S. LEE,** - Managing Director

DEPOSITS received and interest allowed thereon—  
 compounded half-yearly. Debentures issued for terms  
 of 2 to 5 years, interest paid half-yearly. Trustees are  
 empowered to invest in these securities. Loans granted  
 on Improved Farms and Productive City Property.

**HURON AND ERIE**

**Loan and Savings Company.**

LONDON, ONT.

Capital Subscribed.....\$3,000,000  
 Capital Paid-up.....1,400,000  
 Reserve Fund.....790,000

Money advanced on the security of Real Estate on  
 favorable terms.

Debentures issued in Currency or Sterling.  
 Executors and Trustees are authorized by Act of Par-  
 liament to invest in the Debentures of this Company  
 Interest allowed on Deposits.

W. LITTLE, President. G. A. SOMERVILLE, Manager.

**The Home Savings and Loan Company**

LIMITED.

OFFICE: No. 78 CHURCH ST., TORONTO

Authorized Capital.....\$3,000,000  
 Subscribed Capital.....2,000,000

Deposits received, and interest at current rates allowed  
 Money loaned on Mortgage on Real Estate, on reason-  
 able and convenient terms.  
 Advances on collateral security of Debentures, and  
 Bank and other Stocks.

Hon. SIR FRANK SMITH, JAMES MASON,  
 President. Manager.

**The London and Ontario Investment Co., Ltd.**

Cor. of Jordan and Melinda Streets,

TORONTO.

President, SIR FRANK SMITH.  
 Vice-President, WILLIAM H. BRATTY, Esq.

**DIRECTORS.**

Messrs. William Ramsay, Arthur B. Lee, W. B.  
 Hamilton, Alexander Nairn, Henry Gooderham, Fred-  
 erick Wyld and John F. Taylor.

Money advanced at current rates and on favorable  
 terms, on the security of productive farm, city and town  
 property.

Money received from investors and secured by the  
 Company's debentures, which may be drawn payable  
 either in Canada or Britain, with interest half yearly at  
 current rates. A. M. COSBY, Manager.

Cor. Jordan and Melinda Sts., Toronto.

**BUILDING & LOAN ASSOCIATION**

Paid-up Capital.....\$ 750,000  
 Total Assets, now.....1,738,456

**DIRECTORS.**

President, Larratt W. Smith, Q.C., D.C.L.  
 Vice-President, Geo. R. Cockburn, M.A.  
 Wm. Mortimer Clark, W.S.Q.C. Joseph Jackson,  
 Robert Jenkins. C. S. Gzowski, Jr.

A. J. Somerville.

WALTER GILLESPIE, Manager.  
 OFFICE, COR. TORONTO AND COURT STREETS

Money advanced on the security of city and farm prop-  
 erty.  
 Mortgages and debentures purchased.  
 Interest allowed on deposits.  
 Registered Debentures of the Association obtained on  
 application.

**THE ONTARIO LOAN & SAVINGS COMPANY**

OSHAWA, ONT

Capital Subscribed.....\$300,000  
 Capital Paid-up.....200,000  
 Reserve Fund.....75,000  
 Deposits and Can. Debentures.....605,000

Money loaned at low rates of interest on the security  
 of Real Estate and Municipal Debentures  
 Deposits received and interest allowed.

W. F. COWAN, President.  
 W. F. ALLEN Vice-President.

T. H. McMILLAN, Sec-Treas.