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There are a great many people in a large or small way who have money that they wish to place in a safe and reputable investment.

We pay five per cent. on our Debentures; interest coupons payable half yearly. . . .

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THE STANDARD LOAN CO.,

24 Adelaide Street East, TORONTO W. S. DINNICK, - - - MANAGER

THE funds placed with THE CANADA PERMANENT AND WESTERN CANADA MORTGAGE COR-PORATION, TORONTO, for investment, increased during the year 1901 from -

\$14,967,889 to \$15,436,879.

Will it interest you to see a Miniature Specimen of the Four Per Cent. Bond issued by the Corporation, and a copy of Order of the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council, authorizing Trustees to invest Trust Funds therein? If so, send us your name and post office address. . . .

EASTERN TOWNSHIPS BANK

Established 1859.
Authorized Capital...\$2,000,000
Capital paid up....... 1,742,535
Reserve Fund 1,050,000

Board of Directors R. W. Heneker, - President. Hon. M. H. Cochrane, Vice-President.

Jersel Wood, J. N. Galer, N. W. Thomas, G. Steven, C. H. Kathan, H. B. Brown, K.C., S. Mitchell. Head Office, Sherbrooke, Que. Wm. Farwell, Gen'l Manager. Branches—Province of Quebec: Montreal, Waterloo, Cowansville, Rock Island, Coaticook, Richmond, Granby, Huntingdon, Bedford, Magog, St. Hyacinthe, Ormstown, Windsor Mills. Province of B. C.: Grand Forks, Phœnix.
Agents in Canada—Bank of Montreal and Branches. Agents in London, Eng.—National Bank of Scotland. Agents in Boston—National Exchange Bank. Agents in New York—National Park Bank. Collections made at all accessible points and remitted.

PEOPLE'S BANK
OF HALIFAX

Paid-up Capital... \$700,000 Reserve Fund...... 260,000 Board of Directors:
J. J. Stewart...... President George R. Hart, Vice-Pres't W.H. Webb, Hon. G. J. Troop, John Murphy, Andrew Mackinlay.

D. R. CLARKE, Cashier. Head Office, HALIFAX, N.S.

Head Office, HALIFAX, N.S. D. R. CLARKE, Cashier.

Agencies—North End Branch—Halifax, Edmundston, N.B., Wolfville, N.S., Woodstock, N.B., Lunenburg, N.S., Shediac, N.B., Port Hood, C.B., Fraserville Que., Canso, N.S., Levis, P.Q., Lake Megantic, P.Q., Cookshire, P.Q., Quebec, P.Q., Hartland, N.B., Danville, P.Q., Grand Falls, N.B., Mahone Bay, N.S., Mabou, C.B., St. Raymond, P.Q., Grand Mere, P.Q., Bankers—The Union Bk. of London, London, G.B.; The Bank of New York, New York; New England National Bunk, Boston; Bank of Toronto, Montreal.

The Western Bank of Canada **DIVIDEND No. 39**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Dividend of Three and One-half per cent. has been declared upon the Paid-up Capital Stock of the Bank for the current six months, being at the rate of Seven per cent. per annum, and that the same will be due and payable on and after Tuesday, 1st Day of April, 1902. at the Offices of the Bank. The Transfer Books will be closed from the 1sth to the 3oth of March.

Notice is also given that the twentieth Annual Meeting of the Shareholders of the Bank will be held on Wednesday, oth day of April, 1902, at the Head Office of the Bank, Oshawa, Ont., at the hour of Two o'clock p.m., for the election of Directorand such other business as may legally come before the meeting.

By order of the Board.

T. H. McMILLAN,

By order of the Board. Oshawa, Feb. 19th, 1902

THE HALIFAX BANKING CO.

Capital Paid-up......\$600,000 Reserve Fund...... 500,000 DIRECTORS

RORIE UNIACKEPresident C. WILLOUGHBY ANDERSON, Vice-President

MacNab W. J. G. Thomson W. N. Wickwire A. ALLAN, Inspector BRANGES — In Nova Scotia: Amherst, Antigonish, Barrington, Bridgewater, Canning, Lockeport, Lunenburg, Middleton, New Glasgow, Parrsboro, Shelburne, Springhill, Truro, Windsor. New Brunswick: Sackville, St. John.

CORRESPONDENTS—Dominion of Canada: Molsons Bank and branches. New York Fourth National Bank. Boston: Suffolk National Bank. London, England: Parr's Bank Limited.

BANK OF YARMOUTH THE HAMILTON PROVIDENT AND NOVA SCOTIA

- - - Assis ant Cas e

Directors: .

John Lovitt, Pres. S. A. Crowell, Vice-Pres. H. Cann Augustus Cann J. Leslie Lovitt

CORRESPONDENTS AT
Halitax—The Royal Bank of Canada.
St. John—The Bank of Montreal.
Montreal—The Bank of Montreal and Molsons Bank.
New York—The National Citizens Bank.
Boston—The Eliot National Bank.
Philadelphia—Consolidation National Bank.
London, G. B.—The Union Bank of London.
Prompt attention to Collections.

LA BANQUE NATIONALE.

NOTICE.—On and after Thursday, the first of May next, this Bank will pay to its Shareholders a Dividend of Three per Cent. upon its capital for the six months ending on the 30th April next. The transfer books will be a six months and the six months are six months. be closed from the 16th to the 30th April next,

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 Wednesday, the 14th May next, at three o'clock, p.m. The power of attorney to vote must, to be valid, be deposited at the Bank five full days before that of the meeting. i.e., before three o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, the 7th May next. By order of the Board of Directors.

P. LAFRANCE, Manager.

Ouebec, 18th March, 1902. rectors. P. LAFRANCE, Manager. Quebec, 18th March, 1902.

LOAN SOCIETY

- HON. A. T. WOOD, I - ALEXANDER TURNER, Esq.

President - HON. A. T. WOOD, I Vice-President - ALEXANDER TURNER, E Capital Subscribed . \$1,500,000 00 Capital Paid-up . 1,100,000 00 Reserve & Surplus Funds 365,771 28 DEBENTURES ISSUED FOR

Interest payable halt-yearly at the highest current rates. Executors and Trustees are authorized by law to invest in Debentures of this Society.

Head Office-King St., Hamilton

C. FERRIE, Treasurer

UNION BANK OF HALIFAX

Incorporated 1856.

Capital Authorized, Capital Subscribed, Capital Paid-up, Reserve Fund, DIRECTORS

WM. ROBERTSON, - - President.
WM. ROCHE, M.P., Vice-President.
John H. Symons, C. C. Blackadar,
Geo. Mitchell, M.P.P., E. G. Smith, A. E. Jones

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HEAD OFFICE, - HALIFAX, N.S.
E. L. THORNE, General Manager.
C. N. S. STRICKLAND, - Inspector.
Correspondents—Bank of Toronto and Branches,
Upper Canada. Royal Bank of Canada, St. John, N.B.
National Bank of Commerce, New York. Merchants'
National Bank, Boston. London and Westminster
Bank, Limited, London, England.

INCORPORATED

St. Stephen' ST. STEPHEN'S BANK

Capital.....\$200,000 Reserve.....\$45,000
W. H. TODD, President
Agents—London, Messrs. Glyn, Mills, Currie & Co.
G'obe National Bank. Montreal, Bank of Montreal. St. John, N.B., Bank of Montreal.
Drafts issued on any Branch of the Bank of Montreal.

LONDON & CANADIAN LOAN & AGENCY CO.

Limited.

GEO. R. R. COCKBURN, President. THOMAS LONG, Vice-President.

Subscribed Capital\$1,000,000

MONEY TO LEND

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V. B. WADSWORTH, Manager,

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The RELIANCE Loan and Savings Company

Of Ontario-84 KING ST. E., TORONTO Vice-President JAMES GUNN, Esq. Manager J. Blacklock

Secretary W. N. Dollar

BANKERS Imperial Bank of Canada | Bank of Nova Scotia

Progress of the Company

End'g Dec. 31. Perm. Stock. End'g Dec. 31. Perm. Stock 1st year. 1896. \$24,800 00 4th year. 1899. \$354,434 08 2nd ". 1897. 1966,575 00 5th ". 1900. 441,345 81 3rd ". 1898. 251,514 45 6th ". 1901. 533,290 00

| Ending Dec. 31st. | Total Assets. | Earnings. | 1st year. | 1896 | \$40,751 79 | \$1,105 71 2nd | 1897 | 255,334 91 | 9,500 48 3rd | 1898 | 488,423 28 28,155 93 4th | 1899 | 757,274 40 | 49,133 80 5th | 1900 | 944,316 03 | 66,637 85 6th | 1901 | 1,036,853 60 | 77,009 02

By an order of the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council, dated July 10, 1901, the Company is authorized to issue PERMANENT STOCK in shares of \$10.00 each. These shares are now offered for subscription at a Premium of Ten per Cent.