## 1898. <sup>31st</sup> october. BANK OF MONTREAL.

Statement of the result of the business of the Bank for the half-year ended 31st October, 1898.

Balance of Profit and Loss Account, 30th April, 1898	\$ 952,210.07
Profits for the half-year ended 31st October, 1898, after deducting charges of management, and making full provision for all bad and doubtful debts	629,118.24
	\$ 1,581,328.31
Dividend 5 per cent, payable 1st December, 1898	600,000.00
Balance of Profit and Loss carried forward	\$ 981,328.31

NOTE-Market Price of Bank of Montreal Stock, 31st October, 1898,-24612 %

(equal to \$493 per share.)

(same date last year, 24018%.)