

ESTABLISHED 1875

IMPERIAL BANK OF CANADA

Capital Paid Up \$7,000,000 Reserve Fund \$7,000,000

PELEG HOWLAND, President E. HAY, General Manager

HEAD OFFICE—TORONTO

VANCOUVER—J. M. LAY, Manager

BRANCHES:

FAIRVIEW: J. S. GIBB, Manager
HASTINGS AND ABBOTT ST.: F. B. THOMSON, Manager

The Bank of Toronto

Capital and Surplus - \$11,000,000.00

We invite the banking accounts of business people, corporations and others; also private and savings accounts. All business, whether small or large, is given the best of attention.

Vancouver Branch: Hastings and Cambie Sts.

Incorporated 1832.

The Bank of Nova Scotia

Capital, \$6,500,000 Reserve, \$12,000,000
Total Assets over \$110,000,000

190 Branches in Canada, Newfoundland, Jamaica, Cuba, Porto Rico, and at Boston, Chicago, New York (Agency)

Safety Deposit Boxes for rent. Rental includes special room for the use of Box holders

BRANCHES IN VANCOUVER:

418 Hastings St. W. 1215 Granville St.

The Molsons Bank

One of the oldest chartered banks in Canada
Incorporated 1855

Capital Authorized - - - - \$5,000,000
Capital Paid Up - - - - 4,000,000
Reserve Fund - - - - 4,800,000

General Banking Business Transacted
One Dollar opens Savings Account

Main Office: - - - HASTINGS AND SEYMOUR STREETS
East End Branch: - - - 150 HASTINGS STREET EAST
VANCOUVER

Established 1865.

Union Bank of Canada

HEAD OFFICE—WINNIPEG

Paid Up Capital.....\$ 5,000,000
Reserve 3,400,000
Total Assets (over)..... 109,000,000

London, England, Branches: 6 Princes St., E. C., and West End Branch, Haymarket, S. W.
New York Agency: 49 Wall Street.

Attention is particularly drawn to the advantages offered by the Foreign Exchange Department of our London, England, office; and merchants and manufacturers are invited to avail themselves of the Commercial Information Bureau established at that Branch, and also at our New York Agency.

Vancouver Office - - - J. G. GEDDES, Manager

THE MERCHANTS' BANK OF CANADA

ESTABLISHED 1864
HEAD OFFICE, MONTREAL

Paid-up Capital.....\$7,000,000
Reserve Fund..... 7,250,984

President.....Sir H. Montagu Allan
General Manager.....D. C. Macarow

233 Branches in Canada, extending from the Atlantic to the Pacific.

GENERAL BANKING BUSINESS TRANSACTED
SAVINGS DEPARTMENTS AT ALL BRANCHES

Deposits received of one dollar and upwards, and interest allowed at 3 per cent. per annum.

MOST MODERN OFFICES. SAFETY DEPOSIT BOXES FOR RENT.

VANCOUVER, B. C.
Granville and Pender Streets.....G. S. Harrison, Mgr.
Hastings and Carrall Streets.....G. N. Stacey, Mgr.

GOVERNMENT REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE

Revenue:	Month of May		Two months ending May	
	1917	1916	1917	1916
Customs	\$16,255,782	\$12,258,723	\$30,404,939	\$22,605,295
Excise	2,059,025	2,088,105	3,612,910	3,704,368
Post Office	1,450,000	1,300,000	3,050,000	2,800,000
Public Works.....	1,965,816	2,221,766	3,060,041	3,261,008
Miscellaneous	1,118,876	629,113	1,366,119	802,083
	\$22,849,499	\$18,497,707	\$41,494,009	\$33,172,754
Expenditure	\$ 3,838,075	\$ 4,416,094	\$ 4,437,553	\$ 5,276,715
Capital Expenditure:				
War	\$11,064,207	\$ 9,309,474	\$11,399,875	\$ 9,733,843
Public Works.....	813,790	2,619,683	1,045,791	2,794,163
Rail Subsidies				185,293
	\$11,877,997	\$11,929,157	\$12,445,666	\$12,713,304
Net Debt.....	31 May, 1917	30 Apr., 1917	31 May 1916	
	\$828,793,770	\$814,565,050	\$577,896,691	

FOREIGN TRADE

	Month of May		Twelve months ending May	
	1917	1916	1917	1916
Imports:				
Merchandise	\$107,596,379	\$69,697,812	\$919,889,449	\$564,846,555
*Coin & Bullion	1,123,489	632,369	28,609,813	34,129,108
Total Imports	\$108,719,868	\$70,330,181	\$948,499,262	\$598,975,663
Exports:				
Can. Produce.....	\$149,057,236	\$94,653,138	\$1,215,833,280	\$820,583,436
Foreign Produce	3,233,110	11,833,364	30,879,984	46,306,738
Total Mdse.	\$152,290,346	\$106,486,502	\$1,246,713,264	\$866,890,174
Coin & Bullion..	479,477	156,783	*186,208,571	97,364,676
Total Exports	\$152,769,823	\$106,643,285	\$1,432,921,835	\$964,254,850

*The imports and exports of coin and bullion are exceptional owing to special transactions between the Imperial and Canadian Governments, and, therefore, are not to be taken as an indication of the trade of Canada.