

The Chartered Banks.

THE CANADIAN BANK OF COMMERCE.

HEAD OFFICE, TORONTO. Paid-up Capital, 88,000,000 Rest, 1,000,000

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*Head Office, 19-25 King St. W. City Branches: 712 Queen St. E.; 450 Yonge St., cor. College; 791 Yonge St.; 263 College St.; cor. Spadina; 546 Queen St. W.; 418 Parliament St. and 138 King St. E. *Main Office, cor. St. James and St. Peter Sts., City Branch: 19 Chabotillez Square. Commercial credits issued for use in Europe, East and West Indies, China, Japan and South America. Sterling and American Exchange bought and sold. Collections made on the most favorable terms. Travellers' letters of credit issued for use in all parts of the world.

Interest allowed on deposits. BANKERS AND CORRESPONDENTS. Great Britain—The Bank of Scotland. India, China and Japan—The Chartered Bk of India, Australia & China; Germany, The Deutsche Bk Australia & New Zealand—The Union Bk of Australia. Paris, France—Crédit Lyonnais, Lazard Freres & Cie Brussels, Belgium—J. Mathieu & Fils. New York—The Am. Ex. National Bk of New York Chicago—The Am. Ex. National Bank of Chicago. San Francisco and British Columbia—The Bank of British Columbia. Hamilton, Bermuda—The Bk. of Bermuda. Kingston Jamaica—The Bank of Nova Scotia.

THE ONTARIO BANK.

Capital Paid-up, \$1,000,000 Reserve Fund, 50,000 HEAD OFFICE, TORONTO.

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AGENTS: London, Eng.—Parr's Bank [Ltd.] France and Europe—Crédit Lyonnais. New York—The Fourth National Bank and the Agents of the Bank of Montreal; Boston—Tremont National Bank.

BANK OF OTTAWA.

HEAD OFFICE, OTTAWA. Capital (fully paid up) \$1,500,000 Rest, 1,000,000

DIRECTORS: CHARLES MAGEE, President. GEORGE HAY, Esq., Vice-President. Hon. Geo. Bryson, Jr., M.L.C., Alex. Fraser, John Mather, David MacLaren, D. Murphy, George Hay, Charles Magee. Branches—Aurpior, Carleton Place, Hawkesbury, Keewatin, Kemptville, Mattawa, Pembroke, Parry Sound, Portage la Prairie, Rideau Street, Bank Street, Ottawa, Renfrew, Ont., Rat Portage, Winnipeg, Man. GEO. BURN, General Manager. D. M. FINNIE, Local Manager.

Eastern Townships Bank.

Dividend No. 74.

Notice is hereby given that a dividend of three and one-half 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 the Head Office and Branches on and after SATURDAY, 2nd DAY OF JANUARY NEXT. The Transfer books will be closed from the 15th to 31st December, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board, WM. FARWELL, General Manager.

Sherbrooke, 2nd Dec., 1896.

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BANK OF HAMILTON.

CAPITAL (All Paid) \$1,250,000 RESERVE FUND, 875,000 HEAD OFFICE, HAMILTON.

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Capital, \$1,600,000 Reserve Fund, \$1,500,000

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OF HALIFAX. Capital Paid-Up, \$1,500,000 Reserve Fund, 975,000 Undivided Profits, 28,520

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BANQUE D'HOCHELAGA.

Capital Paid-Up, \$800,000 Reserve Fund, 345,000

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The Chartered Banks.

UNION BANK OF CANADA.

Capital Paid-up - \$1,200,000 Rest, 300,000

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The Standard Bank of Canada

Capital Paid-up, \$1,000,000 Reserve Fund, 600,000 HEAD OFFICE, TORONTO.

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AGENCIES: Bowmanville, Cannington, Kingston, Brantford, Chatham, Markham, Bradford, Colborne, Parkdale, Toronto, Brighton, Durham, Picton, Brussele, Forest, Stouffville, Campbellford, Harriston.

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Traders Bank of Canada

(Incorporated by Act of Parliament 1855). Authorized Capital, \$1,000,000 Capital Paid-Up, 700,000 Reserve Fund, 85,000

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BANKERS: Great Britain—The National Bank of Scotland. New York—The American Exchange Nat. Bank. Montreal—The Quebec Bank.

HALIFAX BANKING CO.

Incorporated 1872. Capital Paid-Up, \$500,000 Reserve Fund, 300,000

HEAD OFFICE, HALIFAX, N.S.

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