















The Canadian Bank of Commerce

REPORT OF THE PROCEEDINGS THE ANNUAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS

The forty-third annual meeting of the shareholders of the Canadian Bank of Commerce was held in the banking house yesterday at 12 o'clock.

The president, Mr. B. E. Walker, having taken the chair, Mr. A. St. L. Trigg was appointed to act as secretary, and Messrs. Edward Cronyn and J. A. Glazebrook were appointed scrutineers.

The directors beg to present to the shareholders the forty-third annual report covering the year ending 30th November, 1909, together with the usual statement of Assets and Liabilities:

The balance at credit of Profit and Loss Account, brought forward from last year, ending 30th November, 1908, after providing for all bad and doubtful debts, amounted to \$1,510,695 88

Table with columns for Assets and Liabilities, listing items like Deposits bearing interest, Loans, and other financial figures.

The assets of the bank have all been carefully re-valued in accordance with our customary practice, and all bad and doubtful debts have been amply provided for.

Your directors deeply regret that they have to record the loss by death during the past year of two of their number, Mr. H. D. Warren, who died in March, and Mr. Matthew Leggat, who died only a few days ago.

GENERAL STATEMENT

Notes of the Bank in circulation, Deposits bearing interest, Loans, and other financial details.

201,000,000, against \$142,000,000 in 1908. The growth has been 150 per cent. in the Dominion, 100 per cent. in the Province of Ontario, and 50 per cent. in the Dominion.

The lands and buildings owned by the Bank (carefully appraised and full value of buildings are valued at \$3,172,000. The Bank's holding in the Dominion, through its subsidiaries, is valued at \$1,510,695 88.

The varied interests of our shareholders, have provided another year of reasonable prosperity, although not the general trade of the communities directly concerned.

The President spoke as follows: PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS. Before you, General Manager's comments thereon and his suggestions as to our future, are for your consideration.

little to sell. The farmer finds his profit more and more in dairying, and the price of cattle, horses, pigs, chickens, and other animals, has been low.

Because of the great increase in western and other home consumption of articles produced on eastern farms, the price of these articles has been high.

Partially drought and high prices have apparently lessened the number of animals on the farm. The number of head of cattle and sheep on the farm has been reduced.

The few great land industries of British Columbia, lumber, mining, and agriculture, have been very successful during the year.

Continued From Page 7. The total value of the products of the province in 1909 was \$1,177,000,000, an increase of 10 per cent. over 1908.



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NEW BOARD OF CONTROL GETS DOWN TO ACTION

Controllor Ward Again Chosen Vice-Chairman—Delay Counsel Appointment. The new board of control settled down to regular business yesterday. The first regular session was marked by smoothness, possibly because the two new controllers stand as yet too much in awe of their position to be...

NEW TECHNICAL SCHOOL Superintendent Bishop to Draw Up Ground Floor Plan

That ground floor plans for the proposed new technical school be prepared on the lines laid down by the special technical committee of last year by Superintendent of Buildings Bishop, as soon as possible, and that notices to be issued to the various departments of the board of trade, Canadian Manufacturers' Association and the Trades and Labor Council, requesting that they carry out their respective duties in connection with the project...

PORCUPINE Porcupine Mining Claims bought and sold. Send for information to H. A. Trebilcock, care of Toronto World. Information furnished on any property in Porcupine district.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN In pursuance of the bylaw in that behalf the Annual General meeting of the CONFEDERATION LIFE ASSOCIATION will be held at the Head Office, Toronto, on TUESDAY, JANUARY 25th, 1910.

Table with columns: Receipts, Percentage. Rows: January, February, March, April, May, June, July, August, September, October, November, December. Total: \$3,908,257.50 \$507,827.49

To Confer With M. L. A's. Mr. Maguire, chairman of the committee on legislation and reception, has called a meeting to be held this afternoon. He has asked the city solicitor to have prepared a list of the legislation which it has been decided to apply...

Mergers Unpopular. Sand Filtration Success.

Sand Filtration Success. Sand filtration has proven its merits in a test conducted by the provincial department of health at the experimental station at Stanley Park. Highly contaminated water containing coliform, the typhoid germ, was treated in the experimental tank and emerged pure as the finest lake water.

ONTARIO ARCHITECTS Past Year Most Successful in History of Association.

The 22nd annual convention of the Ontario Association of Architects opened yesterday afternoon in the association rooms, 26 West King-street, east, under the presidency of Mr. G. W. Gounlock. The past year had been the most successful in the history of the architects of Ontario. In this regard some interesting figures were quoted.

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