# THE CANADIAN BANK OF COMMERCE

HEAD OFFICE - TORONTO, ONTARIO

 CAPITAL AUTHORIZED
 \$6,000,000

 CAPITAL PAID-UP
 \$6,000,000

 REST
 \$1,900,000

DIRECTORS:

HON. WILLIAM MCMASTER, PRESIDENT. HON. ADAM HOPE, VICE-PRESIDENT. NOAH BARNHART, ESQ. T. S. STAYNER, ESQ. WM. ELLIOT, ESQ. GEORGE TAYLOR, ESQ. JAMES MICHIE, ESQ. J. J. ARNTON, ESQ. A. R. MCMASTER, ESQ.

W. N. ANDERSON, General Manager.

J. H. PLUMMER, Inspector.

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# GENERAL STATEMENT

### AS AT 30TH JUNE, 1877.

### LIABILITIES

### To the Public.

Notes of the Bank in circulation	\$1,365,828	ĊO
Deposits not bearing interest	1,351,632	14
Deposits bearing interest	6,231,587	21
Due to other Banks in Canada	101,201	84
Due to other Banks or Agencies in the United Kingdom	304,735	67
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\$9,354,984 86

### To the Shareholders.

Capital paid-up	\$6,000,000	00	
Rest	1,900,000	00	
Reserve for rebate of interest on current dis-			
counts	105,604	00	
Reserve for interest on deposit receipts	35,065	29	
Dividends unpaid	4,139	60	
Dividend No. 20, payable 3rd July	240,000	00	
Balance of Profit and Loss Account carried			
forward to next half year	67,401	15	_
			8,352,210 04

\$17,707,194 90

### ASSETS.

Specie \$ 881,	305 09
Dominion Notes	834 00
Notes of and Cheques on other Banks 334,	634 58
Balances due from other Banks in Canada 889,	255 67
Balances due from Agencies of the Bank, or	
from other Banks or Agencies in foreign	
countries 1,297,	536 85
Government Debentures or Stock 493	,178 35
Immediately available	744 54
	970 10
Loans, Discounts or Advances, for which	9/0 10
Shares of the Capital Stock of any other	
	884 18
Loans, Discounts or Advances, for which the	
Bonds or Debentures of Municipal or	
other Corporations, or Dominion, Pro-	
vincial, British or Foreign Public Securi-	
ties are held as Collateral Securities 423,	956 13
Loans, Discounts or Advances on Current Ac-	
	398 80
Notes and Bills Discounted and Current11,521,	322 94
Notes and Bills Discounted, Overdue, and not	
specially Secured 187,	770 52
Overdue Debts secured by Mortgage or other	
Deed on Real Estate, or by Deposit of or	
Lien on Stock, or by other Securities 226,	528 05
Real Estate, the property of the Bank (other	
than Bank premises), and Mortgages on	
Real Estate sold by the Bank 64	543 44
	,167 27
Other Assets not included under the fore-	
going heads II	,908 93
	\$17,707,194 90

W. N. ANDERSON, General Manager,

THE CANADIAN BANK OF COMMERCE, Toronto 20th June 1877

## BRANCHES

QUEBEC-	
MONTREAL	inager
ONTARIO-	
BARRIE	nager.
BRANTFORDW. ROBERTS	**
CAYUGAE. COWDRY	**
CHATHAMW. S. IRELAND	**
COLLINGWOOD,JOHN MCMASTER	**
DUNDASD. H. CHARLES	"
DUNNVILLEF. O. CROSS	**
GALTW. A. SAMPSON	4.6
GODERICHA. M. Ross	44
GUELPHWM. SMITH	**
HAMILTONJNO. C. KEMP	64
LONDONR. W. SMYLIE	**
LUCANAg	ent.
ORANGEVILLER. T. HAUNMa	nager.
OTTAWARobert Gill	**
PETERBOROW. MANSON	44
ST. CATHARINES	44
SARNIA	**
SIMCOEF. W. HOLMESTED	**
STRATFORD A. H. IRELAND	"
STRATHROYJ. HALE	" "
THOROLDW. J. ROBERTSON	44
TORONTO J. S. LOCKIE	**
TRENTONP. H. FAUQUIER	**
WALKERTOND. JUST	44
WINDSORB. E. WALKER	**
WOODSTOCK	"

UNITED STATES-

NEW YORK	Agents.
CHICAGOJ. G. ORCHARD	.Agent.

#### BANKERS:

NEW YORK - THE AMERICAN EXCHANGE NATIONAL BANK. LONDON, ENGLAND THE BANK OF SCOTLAND.

### THE CANADIAN BANK OF COMMERCE

#### PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

### TENTH ANNUAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS

HELD AT THE BANKING HOUSE, TORONTO, AT NOON ON TUESDAY, 10TH JULY, 1877.

The President, the Hon. William McMaster, having been called to the chair, it was moved by Æmilius Irving, Esq., of Hamilton, seconded by Maurice O'Connor, Esq., of Toronto, that the following gentlemen be appointed to act as scrutineers: Messrs. James Browne, Henry Pellatt and Lawrence Buchan; and that the General Manager act as Secretary.

The Secretary read the following

### REPORT.

The Directors are pleased again to meet and lay before the Shareholders the result of another year's business.

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Dividend No. 19, of four per cent., for
the six months ending 31st Dec\$240,000 00
Dividend No. 20, of four per cent., for
the six months ending 30th June. 240,000 00
Transferred to Reserve for rebate of
interest on current discounts 10,000 00
Reserved for accrued interest on
deposit receipts 35,065 29
525,065 29
Carried forward at credit of Profit and Loss
Account \$67,401 15

The general depression of trade referred to in last year's Report has continued with unabated severity in almost every branch of industry, rendering it impossible to employ capital at former remunerative rates. This circumstance, together with the determination of the Board to confine the operations of the Bank to business of a legitimate commercial character, has had the effect of materially reducing the profits.

In view of the state of the country, it was not to be expected that even the utmost prudence in the management could keep the Bank entirely free from losses; but having been able to pay a dividend of eight per cent., and make a liberal appropriation for bad and doubtful debts, chiefly from the year's earnings, the Directors believe that the result, under the circumstances, will be satisfactory to the Shareholders.

The Directors will not venture to express an opinion as to the future course of business; they may remark, however, that the Bank was never in a better position to avail itself of any revival which a more favourable condition of things may develop.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

WM. MCMASTER,

President.

The following resolutions were then put and carried unanimously:

Moved by the President, seconded by the Vice-President :

That the Report of the Directors now read be adopted, and printed for the information of the Shareholders.

Moved by V. Cronyn, Esq., of London, seconded by Samuel Risley, Esq., of Toronto:

That the thanks of the meeting are due and are hereby tendered to the President, Vice-President and other Directors for their careful attention to the interests of the Bank during the past year.

Moved by Ernest Crombie, Esq., of Toronto, seconded by John Lyman, Esq., of the same place :

That the thanks of the meeting be also tendered to the General Manager and other officials of the Bank for the satisfactory discharge of their respective duties during the past year.

Moved by A. R. McMaster, Esq., of Toronto, seconded by C. J. Campbell, Esq., of the same place :

That the ballot-box be now opened and remain open until two o'clock this day, for the receipt of ballot tickets for the election of Directors, the poll to be closed, however, whenever five minutes shall have elapsed without a vote being tendered.

The scrutineers presented the following Report :

THE CANADIAN BANK OF COMMERCE,

Toronto, July 10th, 1877.

W. N. ANDERSON, ESQ., General Manager:

We, the undersigned scrutineers, appointed at the general meeting of the Shareholders of The Canadian Bank of Commerce, held this day, hereby declare the following gentlemen duly elected Directors for the ensuing year:---

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HON. WM. MCMASTER	JAMES MICHIE, ESQ.	
HON. ADAM HOPE	T. S. STAYNER, ESQ.	
NOAH BARNHART, ESQ.	GEORGE TAYLOR, ESQ.	
WM. ELLIOT, ESQ.	J. J. ARNTON, ESQ.	
A. R. MCMASTER, ESQ.		
JAMES BR	OWNE,	

HENRY PELLATT,

LAWRENCE BUCHAN.

Scrutineers.

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At a meeting of the newly elected Board of Directors held subsequently, the Hon. Wm. McMaster was re-elected President, and the Hon. Adam Hope Vice-President, by a unanimous vote.

W. N. ANDERSON,

General Manager.

Toronto, 10th July, 1877.