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The Standard Bank of Canada

Head Office: TORONTO

Record of Business as at 31st January, 1911

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Gold, Silver and Government Notes	$3,084,584.35	Capital paid up $2,000,000.00	
Due by Banks	1,508,928.93	Reserve Fund and Profits 2,616,556.69	
Government and other Bonds	2,910,243.84		$4,616,556.69
Loans on Call and Bills Discounted	24,994,553.09	Notes in Circulation	1,967,102.00
Government Deposit to secure Circulation	100,000.00	Deposits	26,413,503.17
Bank Premises	677,965.32	Due to Banks	370,148.28
Other Assets	151,052.61	Dividends	60,018.00
	$33,427,328.14		$33,427,328.14

Dividends on paid up Capital—Twelve per cent. per annum.

Toronto, 31st January, 1911. GEO. P. SCHOLFIELD, General Manager.

VICINITY CHIPS

A.E. Bellamy was in Toronto last week.

Miss Sadie Colgan has returned home from the city.

Rob Down of Hatherton visited at F.G. Karstedt's on Sunday.

F. L. McGillivray visited his wife at Stayner last week.

James Bowler of Pilot Mound, Man., returned to Ontario last week.

Geo. Mitchell and son, Harold, were in Alliston on Sunday, visiting the former's mother.

Miss DeLeRee has taken charge of F.G. Karstedt's millinery department for the season.

Mrs. Herb. Smith, Mrs. Andrew Bentham and Mrs. W. J. Bellamy have been seriously ill.

Mrs. Arch. Sinclair of Teeswater is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hales, for a week.

The Spring Assizes are being held in Owen Sound this week. There are no cases from this section of the county.

Mrs. Wm. Rountree and son, Dan, of Elmvale, and Miss Fegan of Medonte visited Mrs. Richard Bentham last week.

The electric light service has been so very poor this winter that numbers of our business places are putting in gasoline lights.

The Advance has been flooded with correspondence this week and we are obliged to hold over several columns of matter until next week.

Mr. R. Wilcock and his sister Allie and Miss M. Wilson are attending the wedding of their cousin, Mr. George Taylor, to Miss Buie at Singhampton.

The A.O.U.W. lodge here held an enjoyable at home on Thursday evening last. An interesting program was given, and a tasty lunch served, after which the younger set engaged in dancing.

The W. I. of Flesherton will give a first class concert on Wednesday, March 15, in the town hall. An excellent program is being prepared by local talent. Fuller particulars next week.

Mr. Charles Doupe, of the west back line, celebrated last week his 91st birthday at his home, where he enjoyed the company of his many friends and a very pleasant evening was spent.

Mr. Wm. Henderson and family of Wareham have moved to town. They will reside with Dr. Murray in his handsome new residence. We extend a public welcome to Mr. and Mrs. Henderson and Misses Agnes and Mabel.

A public meeting will be held in Feversham on Wednesday, March 8, at 3 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of organizing a rural telephone system throughout the township of Osprey. Everyone interested is invited to attend.

Messrs. J. McClocklin, who has been doing a butcher business at Ceylon for the past three years, and Mark Wilson of Flesherton, have formed a partnership. Mr. McClocklin will again have charge of the business here, and is moving his family back to town. We heartily welcome Mr. and Mrs. McClocklin back to the village.

Judging by the Redvers, Sask., paper, Mr. Foster Ross, late of Maxwell, is making quite a name for himself out west. He has been engaged for a time to act as demonstrator for a cold tire setter in Winnipeg. The Redvers Observer says: "Foster has shown considerable mechanical ability in the past and thereby earned the position he fills this week."

The Recorder, Lang, Sask., refers to a former townsman as follows:—We understand that this year will be the fifth year in which Mr. David Clayton has filled the honorable post of secretary-treasurer for the Lang School District. Surely this speaks very highly for our esteemed citizen. The post has been filled with unflinching energy should go out to him for the office which he has filled so satisfactory.

The Farmers Club meets on Friday night in the town hall. Wm. Caswell and Roy Thistlethwaite will speak on how to obtain best results from soil; Thos. Sled and Rob. Chard, seed selection; Miles Thistlethwaite and Chas. Best, early lambs for market.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs N. Dinsmore, Owen Sound, on Monday, Feb. 20th, a son.

Mr. W. G. Begg, Collinwood, one of the largest merchants in Northern Ontario, has assigned to Mr. N. L. Martin, Toronto. The liabilities will be in the neighborhood of $72,000 with nominal assets, $42,000. It is said the failure was due to a pricecutting war and Toronto wholesalers will lose heavily.

The man who handles the local department of a newspaper learns after due experience not to expect even briefly expressed thanks from a column of pleasant things but he knoweth as surely as cometh the Winter that a single line in which there is an unintentional misrepresentation will cause someone to be heard from as if from a housetop. And we may add that when he has made pleasant mention 999 times of some persons, place or thing but on the thousandth time fails to do so, he must expect to be forgotten. The omission may have been from accident, inadvertence or even an entire lack of knowledge. It matters not. The simple fact remains and he will be judged by that.

Deaths

Oliver—In Artemesia on Wednesday, Feb. 15, Ann, beloved wife of Robert Oliver, aged 82 years. The funeral took place to the South Line cemetery on Friday, Feb. 17. The deceaaed lady was Mr. Oliver's second wife, and besides her aged and sorrowing husband she leaves two children—Mrs. A. Niven of Durham and a son in the west.

Division Court

Division Court was held in Dundalk on Wednesday of last week. A couple of hours' work completed the list. The following cases were tried:

Wiltschire v. Robinson—Action on contract for $23.10. Judgment in full for plaintiff.

Karstedt v. T. Lever—Action on promissory note. Judgment for full amount.

Hales v. Stevia and Artemesia High School Board garnishee—Action to recover $73.25, wages. Judgment for full amount.

Ryan v. McKinnon—Ryan sued Wolsey to recover $60 as value of timber which he claimed was taken after expiry of time limit. He was allowed $30. The parties reside in Proton.

Heavy Damages at Meaford.

Mr. Justice Teetzel has issued judgment for the plaintiff for $5,700 and costs against both of the defendants in the suit brought by the Meaford Elevator Company against James Playfair and the Montreal Transportation Company, Limited. The case was tried at Toronto in January. In his finding of fact Mr. Justice Teetzel says that the barge Mount Stephen, owned by the first defendant, was moored to the plaintiff's dock unloading a cargo of wheat into the plaintiff's elevator. The second defendant's barge, the Kinmount, entered the harbor and by the action of propeller drove a large quantity of water with considerable force between the Mount Stephen and the dock, causing the latter barge to surge aft, breaking the forward cable and bowline and causing serious damage to the marine leg of the elevator which was entered at one of the hatches of the barge. As a result the plaintiff was put to expense repairing the elevator and was so inconvenced that it was unable to do business for the remainder of the season. His Lorhship finds negligence on the part of the captains of both barges and assesses the total damages at $5,700, of which $700 was for damage to the elevator and $5,000 for the loss of business.

Through Colonist Cars to Winnipeg and West—Comfortable Travel for Settlers, Etc.

New leather seated colonist cars in which berths are free are now running between Toronto, Winnipeg and Vancouver on the Canadian Pacific "Winnipeg Express" leaving Toronto 10.10. p. m. daily. The cars are new, bright, clean and ensure a comfortable journey to the West without change of cars en route.

A little Parry Sound girl fell off a load of logs. The sleigh ran over her and crushed one leg to a jelly.

Lady Bank

Died—At her residence, 14th con. of Osprey, on Feb. 15th, 1911, Mrs. Chas. Barber, aged 72 years. Mrs. Barber is one of the oldest residents of Osprey township, having resided in the neighborhood for over fifty years. Mr. Barber predeceased her sixteen years ago. She leaves to mourn her loss three daughters and nine sons. The friends have the sympathy of all in their bereavement.

A number of the friends and neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hanley gathered at their residence on Thursday evening for the purpose of expressing the kindly feelings they entertain towards them, and the regret they feel at their departure from the neighborhood. During the evening an address was read, and Mr. and Mrs. Hanley presented with a handsome tea set. The address is as follows:

To Mr. and Mrs. Hanley and family,—

Dear Friends—We have gathered together to-night in your home to express our regret that you are about to remove from our neighborhood, to wish you a farewell, and to give you our heartiest well-wishes for your prosperity and happiness in your new home.

As neighbors we will miss your genial company and kind sympathies. As the people of Providence church, we are very loth to part with you and your family. You, Mrs. Hanley, have been exceptionally faithful and energetic in your work in connection with the choir and organ. We believe you made many sacrifices for the sake of the church's work. We pray God's blessing to rest upon you and trust that in the church with which you will have fellowship you will have abundant opportunities to use the talents God has graciously bestowed upon you.

We ask you to accept this token of our appreciation, to be a little remembrance of the kind esteem in which you are held by your many friends.—Signed on behalf of the friends and members of Providence church,

Mr. and Mrs. Hanley replied in a few well chosen words, after which the remainder of the evening was spent in a very enjoyable manner. We believe that all present spent a very happy evening.

A Word from Dr. Bond.

Dear Mr. Editor,—

To one who spent some years in your vicinity The Advance is as welcome and as newsy as a letter from home. I enclose herewith a renewal subscription. It may not be uninteresting to your readers in and about Maxwell to have a few words from this part of the west, central Alberta. We are nearing the end of our winter season, which has been delightful. No very cold weather till January which was very cold, 30 to 40 below, but very dry, no storms and just enough snow for sleighing. What little snow there is seems to fall at night and so gently as to be almost unnoticed. During February the temperature has been almost uniform, a few degrees below zero at sunrise to 40 above zero by 10 a.m., and simply delightful. Decidedly a contrast to Odprey, where, if my memory serves me, twenty-four hours without a "snow" or a "blow" was a very rare occurrence—no blizzards or snow banks here.

This section is adapted for mixed farming. Land can be had from from $15 upwards, depending on quality and location. There is no stone or swamps. Stone is worth $12 to $15 per cord. With three railroads no land is very far from stations. Land is relatively cheaper here than anywhere else in the west, though with the special publicity being given to central and northern Alberta the influx of settlers will raise the prices. This land has plenty of wood, streams and drinking water. It reminds one of old Ontario and after several days travelling over barren and wind-swept prairies it looks like the promised land. Coal is sold at the mines for $2.00 or delivered in your cellar for $4.00.

By June the three transcontinentals will be giving us six trains a day. The town of Camrose owns its electric light plant. This spring we will instal sewers and waterworks, and $10,000 of cement sidewalks.

Trusting I have not trespassed on your valuable space with best wishes to my many old and tried friends among your readers, I am

Your sincerely,
A. T. BOND.

Deathly Cramps, Stomach was Bloated

A Bad Case That Proves Cramps and Stomach Disorders are Cured Fast by Nerviline.

"The distress I suffered from cramps last summer was so severe I thought it meant death," writes P. R. Emerson, of Guys Hill, P. O. "I was doubled up with pain and in such bad shape I couldn't walk a hundred feet. I remembered having Nerviline on hand and took half a teaspoonful in sweetened water. In five minutes I was well and my stomach derangements disappeared entirely."

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F. T. HILL & CO., Markdale

Important Announcement

To the Public

WE wish to inform the general public, customers and friends that the General business carried on by F. T. Hill & Co. will on and after March the 1st be conducted under the firm name of **HILL BROS.** and the management in charge will be Messrs. W. Hill, W. H. Hill and F. T. Hill. Messrs. W. Hill and W. H. Hill will look after the store, and Mr. F. T. Hill in charge of the Grain, Produce, Seed and Financial end of the business. We hope in this way to be able to give the general shopping and business public a service not to be excelled by any large up-to-date firm in the country, and by continuing to do business along broad liberal lines and straightforward dealing we hope to add many new customers to this already extensive business.

Mr. F. T. Hill wishes to thank the general public for their liberal patronage in the past, and as he hopes to continue with the new firm he promises them the same fair and liberal consideration for the future that has been the great stepping-stone to the success of this business in the past and under the new management a still better service which militates to the advantage of all. An old and established firm with young blood and ambitious ideas should prove to be an advantage, not only to the people who have shopping to do, but also to the making of Markdale as a bigger market centre for the marketing of all lines and products of the farm at the highest market prices obtainable. When in Markdale we extend you an invitation to make your headquarters at this store. We are, Yours Truly to Serve,

HILL BROS.

N.B.—In conclusion we wish to say that all accounts due F. T. Hill & Co. which have been contracted in the last year will be taken over by the new firm, HILL BROS., but all accounts that are over one year old will have to be settled and paid to MR. SOLOMON HILL, who wishes to get all his business affaiss straightened up. The prompt attention of all customers having overdue accounts will oblige

—SOLOMON HILL

Odds and Ends

MISCELLANEOUS

W. A. Armstrong issuer of marriage licenses.

Meals served at Mrs. M. McDonald's, opposite Advance office.

Room for a few boarders at Mrs. M. McDonald's, opposite Advance office.

I have just received a fine stock of spring Suitings and Pantings. Call and see them —F. Morely, Flesherton.

FOR SALE or TO RENT

Colt for Sale—heavy—rising 3. Apply to R. Richardson, Flesherton.

3½ acres of land for sale in Flesherton, belonging to the late Wm. Wilson. Thos. Clayton.

Baled Hay for Sale—Apply to Geo. Binnie, near Proton Stn. $9 50 per ton and special price for any one wanting 5 tons. jan5tf

For Sale—General store business, post office in connection, stock about $3,000. Will sell on easy terms. Apply to—J. E. LARGE, Eugenia.

A good house and lot with stable to rent in Eugenia. John H. Jamieson, owner, or apply to Mrs. Robert McMaster, Eugenia P.O.

Farm for Sale—Lot 37, con. 4, Artemesia, containing 100 acres, about 90 acres cleared. For terms, etc., apply to R. J. McKee, Rock Mills P.O.

Farm to Rent—Lots 184-5, con. 2, S. W. T. and S. R., contains 100 acres, better known as the old Neilson farm. Apply to W. A. Armstrong, Flesherton.

For Sale or Rent—Lot 5, con. 8, Osprey. On the lands are good frame barn, basement, stables, and a good frame dwelling. For terms and conditions apply to John Osborn, Batteau P. O., or W. J. Bellamy, Flesherton.

LOST AND FOUND

Hound Came astray—Came to my premises, lot 6, con. 7, one mile west of Maxwell, on Saturday, Feb. 11, 1911. The owner is requested to pay expenses and take the same away. Thornton Pallister, Maxwell P.O.

AUCTION SALES

Lot 2, con. 6, Osprey. Live stock, implements and household furniture. Wednesday, March 15. John Phillips, auctioneer. See advertisement on last page.

Lot 5, con. 8, Osprey, on Friday, March 10, the property of Wm. Osborne. Live stock, implements and household furniture. Wm. Kaitting auctioneer. See large bills.

The death took place at Smith's Falls recently of "Colonel" Loucks, one of the heaviest men in that part of the country. At the time of his death he only weighed three hundred pounds, but his normal weight until he was ill last November was three hundred and sixty pounds.

Selling Out

We want to clear out our stock of Hardware, etc., in the next two months. We have everything cut down to the lowest possible price. Come in and see us. We will give you a bargain. Everything must go.

Having rented my outfit to F. L. McGILLIVRAY he is prepared to do all kinds of tinsmithing. Repairing promptly attended to.

C. J. Bellamy, - Flesherton

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Oats	31	to	31
Peas	75	to	75
Barley	50	to	50
Hay	10 00	to	10 00
Butter	20	to	20
Eggs, fresh	20	to	20
Potatoes per bag	50	to	50
Geese	12	to	12
Ducks	12	to	12
Chickens	12	to	12
Turkeys	15	to	16
Wool	21	to	23

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