



# THE DOMINION BANK

Condensed Statement as at 31st December, 1934

ASSETS	
Cash on Hand and in Banks	\$ 21,364,316.18
Deposit with Central Gold Reserves and Minister of Finance	719,730.35
Government and Other Securities	34,317,605.72
Call Loans	10,094,821.84
	\$ 66,496,474.09
Commercial Loans and Discounts	50,994,877.51
Bank Premises	5,900,000.00
Liabilities of Customers under Letters of Credit and Sundry Other Assets	2,415,771.56
	\$125,807,123.16
LIABILITIES	
Deposits	\$ 98,269,160.34
Deposits by Other Banks	2,145,193.42
Advances under the Finance Act	1,500,000.00
Notes in Circulation	6,683,623.00
Letters of Credit and Sundry Other Liabilities	2,668,003.48
	\$111,265,980.24
Capital, Reserve and Undivided Profits	14,541,142.92
	\$125,807,123.16

The General Manager,  
The Dominion Bank,  
Toronto, Ontario.

We report that we have examined the above condensed Balance Sheet as at December 31, 1934, and compared it with the books and vouchers at Head Office and with the certified returns from the Branches. We have examined the cash, and the securities representing the Bank's investments, held at the Head Office and certain of the larger Branches as at December 31, 1934, and in addition we examined the cash and the securities held at certain of the important Branches during the year. We have obtained all the information and explanations that we have required, and in our opinion the transactions of the Bank which have come under our notice have been within the powers of the Bank.

In our opinion the Balance Sheet discloses the true condition of the Bank and is as shown by the books of the Bank.

A. B. SHEPHERD, F.C.A.,  
of Peat, Marwick, Mitchell & Co.  
D. McK. McLELLAND, F.C.A.,  
of Price, Waterhouse & Co.

Toronto, Ontario,  
January 17, 1935.

## Province May Train Young Prospectors

Story from Toronto Says that Government May Finance or Otherwise Assist Young Men in Prospecting.

A story comes from Toronto this week to the effect that a plan is even now under way for the Hepburn Government to select, train and finance certain young men who may prove in the eyes of the Government to be adaptable as prospectors in the far north.

Prospectors and others spoken to about the matter in Timmins to-day refused to evince any enthusiasm in the matter. Some of them point out the many difficulties in such a scheme and the great danger of it degenerating into nothing more nor less than a political jam pot. Some prospectors admit that it would be of wonderful value to the North if it would work out with even a minimum of success.

Both Hon. David Croll, Minister of Public Welfare, and Hon. Paul Leduc, Minister of Mines, have refused to discuss the matter. The fact that they do not entirely deny the matter leaves it practically certain that there is something to it.

Tuesday afternoon a committee of mining experts met under the chairmanship of Colonel F. Fraser Hunter and drew up certain plans of action. The committee, it is understood, intends to offer its advice to the Hepburn administration as to proper methods of training to be enforced and the qualifications to be demanded from all the young men who make application for assistance. Colonel F. Fraser Hunter, Russell Cryderman, Karl Springer, John E. Hammeil and Robert Cockeram were among those who played prominent parts in Tuesday's committee meeting.

"I knew that such a committee existed," the Hon. Paul Leduc, minister of mines, said last night, "but I have nothing to say with regard to the matter."

The Hon. David Croll, minister of welfare, begged to be excused from discussing the situation, while Robert J. Jowsey, president of the Ontario Prospectors' Association remarked that the plans were not ready to be made public yet.

While no official explanation of the proposition was forthcoming, it was rumored that the government may either close certain townships for staking or that they may even attempt the financing of gold discoveries.

The plan is expected to find strong opposition from the experienced prospectors who may lay first claim to Government financial backing, and there are also men who annually await some grub-staking before they set out to enter the far north in search of new mines.

## T. N. O. May Switch Telegraph to C.N.R.

Canadian Pacific Notified that Agreement May Cease in Ninety Days. Plans Now Being Studied.

Re-routing of T. and N. O. telegraph business over the lines of Canadian National Telegraphs when destined beyond North Bay, is an innovation which is being studied by officials of the T. and N. O. Railway, and if adopted will become effective about the middle of April, A. H. Cavanaugh, general manager of the T. and

N. O. admitted to The North Bay Nugget on Monday.

As messages are at present routed, if they originate at a T. and N. O. office, they travel via a direct circuit to Toronto from which point they are relayed to their destination, the circuit in use at present is owned by Canadian Pacific Telegraphs, but the working agreement now in effect may be terminated on ninety days' notice. This notice has already been given.

As far as the North Bay offices of the two telegraph companies are concerned, when the change becomes effective it will mean that the T. and N. O. business formerly handled by Canadian Pacific Telegraphs will be routed over the Canadian National. Considerable new equipment will be required in the office of the Canadian National Telegraphs at North Bay. While they have received no official notice of the contemplated change, C.N. officials said that if the change were made, considerable new equipment would be required locally.

At Cochrane and Rouyn, Que., where there are junctions of the C. N. and T. & N. O. telegraph lines, the possibility that the two offices will be amalgamated is seen. While Mr. Cavanaugh declined to say that the offices would be amalgamated, he did say that the possible change would entail a reduction in staff at these offices. He admitted, however, that the consolidation is under consideration.

Messages for transmission between T. & N. O. points will be carried over that company's own lines as in the past, the only change being in the handling of messages that go beyond the T. & N. O. system.

## Why Blame it on Browns or the Town of Timmins?

Apart from the fact that Highgate isn't near London, the man's name is not likely to be "John Brown," the chances are that he didn't hail from Timmins, and probably there are no "city slickers," perhaps the rest of the following dispatch may be approximately near the truth:

Toronto, Jan. 29—"John Brown" an innocent-looking youth from Timmins, who arrived in town a week ago to-day, said before he was through with the big city, it cost him too much.

En route to Highgate, near London, to see his fiancée after a long absence, he fell a victim to the confidence game in a High street hotel, and is now \$58 poorer.

Standing at the information booth at the Union Station he was approached by a man who asked him to go and cat with him. Unsuspecting, John Brown set off with his newly-found friends, for a King street hotel.

Breakfast over, the two of them went into a little-used room and started matching quarters. Another man joined the party.

Brown won at first and then started to lose. He won again and then was finally asked to match for \$70 or nothing. He did and he lost.

Huntingdon Gleaner:—After prayer and everything else had been tried to bring rain to a drought-stricken section in north-western Wisconsin, Herbert Ericson had the following want ad inserted in the Centuria Inter-County Leader: WANTED—About one inch of rain for the coming week-end in the vicinity of Trade River and the rest of the country. Address Herb Ericson, Trade River, Wis. Five hours after the paper went to press a half inch of rain fell in Trade River as well as all over that section of the state. A few days later, more rain came. Who says it does not pay to advertise.

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## Tisdale Hotels Ask Curb on Bootlegger

Township Council Asks that No More Wine and Beer Licenses Be Granted in Township.

South Porcupine, Ont., Jan. 30th, 1934. Special to The Advance.

A regular council meeting was held on Monday evening with Acting Reeve Cooke in the chair, Councillors Harper, McInnis and Helmer also present. Very little business was accomplished but many matters were discussed. Mr. McGuire, of Schumacher, was present representing the Hotelmen's Association. He requested that the council write Mr. Odette, chief commissioner of the Liquor Control Board, requesting that body to issue no more licenses for the township of Tisdale. Clerk was instructed to do so. The Hotelmen's Association have also written the chief commissioner stating that a resolution was passed at their last meeting to put a recommendation to that body.—That having in view the curtailment of the widespread and illicit sale of beer and wine as well as alcoholic liquors which is being carried on in these districts to the detriment of those engaged as hotelkeepers—the bootlegging which is prevailing at the present time in the North Country could be easily stopped or eliminated to a point where it would not pay anyone to break the law, by controlling the sale of beer as in the past, and allowing the hotelkeepers the right to sell one bottle or case or more which could be carried away from the premises on which they are sold, thus eliminating the necessity of the consumer to go to the bootlegger.

Some relief cases came up for discussion and the fire protection question in Schumacher was discussed and referred to the fire and light committee.

The following is a despatch from Paris, France, in regard to the latest in Paris fashions:—

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## Suggests that There's Not Much to New Paris Gowns

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"A sophisticated audience Oh-ed and Ah-ed today as the naughtiest fashions Paris has seen in years were shown on

the 1935 style stage.

"Gowns for evening displayed by Robert Piquet had, above the waist, no top, no back, except a little piece of cloth in front held up by three whalebones which the gaping buyers and newspaper people thought might slip any minute.

"The gowns, fashioned of silver satin, navy taffeta and yellow organdie, were designed with immensely wide skirts, with all the fullness in the back and were finished off with a cluster of bright roses dangerously perched on a little bit of a bodice.

"Other evening gowns were made of the new flowered cotton crepe, with a very low drop shoulder line, puff sleeves and skirts very full below the knees.

"Chanel, too, followed the bareback vogue, showing country suits in plain or dotted wool jersey with the skirts attached to silk blouses slit very low in the back which he called "sunbath suits."

## Small Proportion of Motor Permits

Only 335 Car Licenses Issued up to Noon Yesterday and Only 150 Truck Licenses. Chauffeurs' Licenses, 395.

The number of car licenses issued in Timmins up to noon yesterday was 335, and trucks 150.

Operators' permits at that time totaled 252 and chauffeurs' licenses 395. The total of sets of plates issued for vehicles is 489 as opposed to 647 licenses granted to operate them.

The large number of chauffeurs' licenses issued in comparison with the number of ordinary motor vehicle operators' licenses is explained by the supposition that large numbers of Timmins drivers who have applied for permits this year to date apparently began driving at an early age when it is necessary to have a chauffeur's license and since that time have continued to renew them.

Simcoe Reformer:—With Premier Bennett's retirement from their ranks Stephen Leacock and W. H. Moore, M.P. are said to be the only remaining rugged individualists in Canada.

## Samples of the Fun at Party in Timmins

Impromptu Answers and Humour for the Occasion Help Along Gathering of Friends in Town.

To the Editor of The Advance, Timmins, Ont., Jan. 26th 1935.

Dear Sir:—Some time ago I attended a party; not a society affair which finds its way into the headlines, but a quiet time among old friends. During the evening I heard things, which if they are not original, they are certainly new to me.

One man, on being asked by the hostess if he would care for a cup of tea, replied—"Thank you, but I am a no-teatotaler."

After the general laugh which went around the hostess asked a lady if there was anything she desired?

The lady held up a sandwich with one hand and pointed with the other to her son, who was enjoying a large piece of cake, and said: "Mother and child are doing well."

Then one man told a tale of a commercial traveller who came to town and then lost his temper because business was not good. One of his listeners grew disgusted at hearing an outsider call names at our town and he told the traveller that he would never wish to leave if he once saw the Northern Lights at their best.

"Northern Lights!" exclaimed the traveller, "I have never seen or heard of them, but I am ready to bet that we have some 'Roman Candles' in Toronto which can beat them."

That reminded another man of the time when he was in England. He entered a public house accompanied by an American and called for two beers. While he was waiting to be served he looked around and noticed a sign over the bar which read:

"Beer drawn from the Wood"

He called the American's attention to the sign and the man after staring at it intently for a while exclaimed:—"Well you have to admit that these people are away ahead of us in some things. Back home we have the 'Spruce Tree' we also have the 'Maple Tree' but I'll be dog-gone if I ever heard tell of a 'Beer Tree' before."

One man, who came from a little village in Somerset, England, told a tale of the village idiot. It appears that this young man was the butt of all the tourists' jokes. But it all narrowed down to one standing joke.

Tourists got into the habit of offering the lad a penny with one hand and a threepenny piece with the other. The young man would always take the

penny. One day a gentleman passing through the village heard of the way people were fooling the young man and he tried it himself to see if it were true. He found that it was.

The gentleman then took the idiot to one side and tried to explain to him that the three-penny piece was just three times as much money as one penny, but he seemed to have an awful time driving it into the lad's head. Just as he was on the point of giving up in disgust, the idiot said:—

"You don't fink I is silly do 'll, zar? Why if I took the froppeche they 'ouldn't offer it to I no more!"

These people really enjoyed themselves and they wondered if you would pass their enjoyment on to your readers. I remain, yours most sincerely,

A. J. Doling.

## Premier MacDonald Called Many Objectionable Names

It is a remarkable story that is told over the radio and by cable from overseas. On Tuesday of this week a Lancashire Laborite told the British House of Commons that demonstrations against the administration of the unemployment assistance board, designed eventually to handle the mechanism of unemployment benefits, have been arranged throughout the country.

John Allen Parkinson, M.P. for Wigan, declared the disorders in the Commons gallery Monday night were only the forerunner.

"The disorders," he declared, "may not be so bad as the demonstrations we shall see ere long."

The members attacking the programme of the Government declared that reorganization of the unemployment benefits system on a national basis reduces the amounts the unemployed receives in many instances.

Detectives were seated in every gallery row on Tuesday to prevent a repetition of spectators' outbursts.

The refusal of radical George Buchanan to withdraw epithets he hurled at Prime Minister Ramsay MacDonald, and the ruling of the chairman of the ways and means committee of the House of Commons that no withdrawal was required, held main attention Tuesday in the lower house.

Mr. Buchanan, one of the trio of Independent Labor members, said today, he was "sorry" if the remarks he had made in the heat of debate last night had offended the House, but, he emphasized, he could not withdraw the remarks.

Mr. Buchanan termed the Prime Minister "a swine, a low dirty cur who ought to be horsewhipped out of politics."

The words did not appear in Hansard, although they were widely re-

ported in the newspapers.

Sir Dennis Herbert, chairman of the ways and means committee, informed Mr. Buchanan, and the House at large, that there was no request for withdrawal of the remarks. He said withdrawal was not asked because no objection had been raised at the time the offending remarks were made.

James Maxton, leader of the I.L.P. group asked a pointed question after G. W. Holford-Knight (Nat. Lab.), had sought assurance from Sir Dennis that the House would be protected from a repetition of such attacks. Mr. Maxton asked if Mr. Holford-Knight's point of order was not itself a reflection on the conduct of the chairman. Sir Dennis retorted that no appeal was made to the chair when the remarks were made and no question of order was raised.

Sharp criticism was launched by George Lansbury, the veteran Labor leader, against the Government's new unemployment relief regulations. He termed them "downright brutal injustice." The Opposition was not prepared to tolerate wholesale starvation.

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