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DIVIDEND NUMBER 382
A dividend of 10c per share has been declared by the Directors on the Capital Stock of the Company, payable on the 28th day of December, 1944, to shareholders of record at the close of business on the 2nd day of December, 1944.

P. C. FINLAY,
Secretary.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. John Monaghan and family wish to thank their many friends and neighbours for their thoughtfulness and kindness and messages of sympathy, and beautiful floral tributes, extended in the loss of our dear baby, especially thanking Drs. J. B. McCollinton and W. G. Watt, and the Rev. J. A. Breckenridge.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. G. Ursulak and family, of 70 William Ave., South Porcupine, wish to thank all neighbors and friends for their kind help and sympathy in their recent tragic bereavement.

LOCALS

Mrs. Neil McPhee, of Cochrane, was a Timmins visitor last week.

Mrs. James McDonald visited last week at Kirkland Lake.

Clayton Campbell was a visitor last week to Latchford.

Mrs. R. E. Wilson of Cochrane, visited Timmins last week.

Joe Lee, manager of the Royal Bank at Noranda, is the president of the Noranda Kiwanis Club for 1945.

Mrs. K. D. Eady and small son, Brian, of Kirkland Lake, were holiday visitors to Timmins last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Bennett and little daughter, Jean, of Port Arthur, were Timmins visitors this week.

Mr. Lester Goddard, of Ottawa, spent a few days in town this week, the guest of friends here.

Mrs. R. D. MacMillan and son, Alex, of Cochrane, were recent visitors to Timmins and district.

Mr. and Mrs. Hurd and daughters, Mrs. C. Spear and Miss Wanda Hurd, of Cochrane, returned home last week after a visit to Timmins.

Mrs. W. S. Carter, of Cochrane, was a visitor last week to the Pamour Property, the guest of Dr. and Mrs. W. S. Paul.

George Sharp picked a couple of pansies at his place on Nov. 20th, and suggests that this seems to be a ear record for late summer flowers in the North.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Dupuis returned to their home in Cochrane last week after spending some days the guest of friends in Timmins.

The weather these days has certainly given all the breaks to those gentlemen who were betting or willing to bet that the war in Europe would be over before winter was here.

At Halleybury court last week there were six divorce applications granted, five of them in an hour and a quarter. Five were from Kirkland Lake and the other from Toronto. Four of the six were cases by men on service overseas or just returned from such service.

Harry Baptiste, arrested by Provincial Constable Stromberg near Matachewan on a charge of being drunk failed to answer his name when his case was called at Halleybury court. His bail of \$25 was estreated and a bench warrant issued for his arrest.

Mrs. W. Rinn and Miss Betty have returned home after a visit to Toronto and other southern points.

W. O. Ellis Matson, who recently returned from overseas, and has been spending a leave at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Matson, Elm Street, South, left this week for Toronto.

His many friends will regret to know that Mr. John Tasker, another old-timer of Timmins, is ill in St. Mary's hospital, though late reports are that he is making progress to recovery.

Corp. Symons, who has been recruiting here for the C.W.A.C.s, and who spent some time here last year on similar duties, is ill in St. Mary's hospital, and the many friends she has made during her stay here will wish her a speedy return to health.

Mrs. Myrtle Johnson, of Halleybury, was hit and injured by a hit-and-run driver while walking on the Lake Shore Road near Halleybury. She was taken to Misericordia hospital where it was found that her injuries were not as serious as at first feared. The police have been unable to trace the hit-and-run driver.

It is a good idea to lock your hotel room door in Cobalt. J. S. Fortin, of Temagami, lost a lot of irreplaceable things because he didn't lock that door. He reported to the police that he lost \$21 in cash, his watch, a half case of beer, a bottle of Scotch whisky and a couple of bottles of wine. All those articles are scarce and difficult indeed to get these days.

Many friends will regret that it was necessary last week to take Mr. R. Hall, one of the pioneer residents of the Camp, to St. Mary's hospital. In the early days of Timmins Mr. Hall was well known as an accountant and office man. In more recent years he was with Dwyer's Bus Service at Schumacher, leaving there some time ago owing to poor health.

Six in Field for Four Places on the Whitney Council

Four Qualify for Three Places on School Board

At the nominations for the Whitney township for the 1945 council board on Friday last there were two nominated for reeve of the township—W. Bannerman, the present reeve, and Jack Gauthier, one of the present reeve's councillors. Mr. Gauthier withdrew, leaving Reeve Bannerman re-elected by acclamation. Reeve Bannerman has served the township ably and well for a number of years and his reelection by acclamation is deserved tribute to the public spirit and ability.

For the council all the present council were nominated with four new candidates. The members of the 1944 council are: Claude Dillon, Dan McLellan, J. Gauthier, J. K. Morrison. The new candidates were: Irvine Lane, Norris Lett, L. Riopelle, I. P. Wilson. All these qualified with the exception of J. Gauthier (of the present council), and Norris Lett (a new candidate).

There were four qualified for the three places on the school board. Those nominated were: C. B. Stevenson (present member), K. Cooms, Cecil Herbert, Roy Denny and Herbert Woodrow. Elections in the township of Whitney will be held on Monday, Dec. 4th, from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Civilian Postal Service Resumed to Several Lands

Postmaster E. H. King informs The Advance that civilian postal service has been resumed to several overseas lands. While the service still is restricted, it will be of interest and pleasure to many in this district who have loved ones or other interests in the countries referred to.

Civilian postal service has been resumed between Canada and all areas in Greece, except Macedonia, Western Thrace and Crete. Until further notice the service will be restricted to non-illustrated postcards containing messages of purely personal and family nature.

Civilian postal service has been resumed between Canada and Belgium. Until further notice the service will be restricted to non-illustrated postcards containing personal or business matters. Communications of a business character must be confined to those ascertaining facts and exchanging information. Trading facilities have not yet been opened. The service is available to all parts of Belgium, but any postcards for the area east of Hasselt, Liege and Bastogne will be held by Belgian post office until delivery is possible.

The busy bee takes a hand in the war effort. We didn't think about it that way until we read an item tucked away in a Department of Agriculture bulletin. It appeals to beekeepers and lots of them read this column to conserve every scrap of beeswax possible this coming winter. Do you know a beeswax is mixable with oils and fats, plays a prominent part in the manufacture of ointments and cerates for wounded. (Cerates is a pharmaceutical preparation for external application.) Beeswax is also used in making casts, modelling profile maps of war, and candles—by Jim Greendiat

Mrs. Robt. Wilson Dies at Age of 80

Had Lived in Timmins for Sixteen Years

Mrs. Francis Wilson, widow of the late Robert Wilson, died on Monday after an illness of about four years. The late Robert Wilson was one of the early residents of the town, being on the Hollinger staff for a great many years. He was prominent and popular in hockey and other sports.

The late Mrs. Wilson was a native of Kingston, Ont., and came to Timmins some sixteen years ago. She was eighty years of age at the time of death. She is survived by her son, Robert, and two sisters, one of Toronto and the other living in Kingston. The funeral took place yesterday afternoon from Walker's Funeral Home, funeral services were conducted by Rev. Dr. Geo. Aitken, minister of Mackay Presbyterian Church. Interment was made at Timmins cemetery.

Member of the Kiwanis for Over Twenty-one Years

Secretary W. H. Wilson of the Timmins Kiwanis Club calls attention to the fact that Kiwanian W. Rinn has the distinction of having been continuously a member of the Timmins Kiwanis Club for over twenty-one years. This is a record that will be hard to equal. Kiwanian Rinn was one of the charter members of the club, and he has continued an active connection with the club through the twenty-one years. There are three other members of the Timmins Kiwanis who are still with the club, but all of the three have dropped out for a year or more since 1923.

Close to Kiwanian Rinn's record is that of Secretary Wilson himself. For twenty years "Scotty" has been a member of the local club.

Another charter member of the Timmins Kiwanis, W. F. B. Cadman, has continued his membership in Kiwanis since the opening of the Timmins Club in 1923, though unlike Kiwanian Rinn he has not been a member here for the twenty-one years. Some years ago Kiwanian Cadman moved to New Liskeard, and he has been an active member of that club since going there. Like Kiwanian Rinn he has had a continuous record of twenty-one years in Kiwanis.

Sergt. Jack McInnis Awarded the M. M. for Devotion to Duty

South Porcupine, Nov. 29th. Special to The Advance.

Chief and Mrs. C. McInnis received this week from their son, Sgt. Jack McInnis, a copy of the citation presented him when he was notified recently of his winning the Military Medal.

While not wishing us to print the whole of this the Chief allowed us to read it, and we congratulate heartily our fellow-townsmen, Jack, on his bravery, and his parents who are so justly proud of him.

Jack was given the M. M. for gallant and distinguished conduct during the St. Andre and Orme battle. He personally made several trips with needed supplies (rations), crawling, and running between the dug-in forward positions. He brought rations and ammunition to men when they were badly needed. He did this "with complete disregard for the danger involved and the intensity of the fire," and is commended for his "coolness, courage, and devotion to duty."

Jack is now in hospital in England but is hoping to get back into action very soon.

WOULD NAG ABOUT IT

Two women neighbors were in a shelter while an enemy plane was dropping overhead.

Said one of them: "Good gracious, my husband is still in bed. I forgot to wake him."

"Don't worry," said the other, "let him sleep, if he can."

"Sleep!" said the first woman. "You don't know my husband; if a bomb drops on him he'll nag me about it for months."—Milverton Sun.

BE THANKFUL

Jill had only been to school for a few days so she was still full of excitement.

"Mummy," she said one day, "teacher asked me all about you and daddy, and if I had any brothers and sisters."

"That was nice of her. What did you say?"

"I said I was the only one."

"And what did she say to that?"

"Oh, just 'Thank Heaven!'"—North Bay Nugget.

RIGHT NOTE

Sir Arthur Sullivan of Gilbert and Sullivan fame, set out with a companion one afternoon to attend a tea at a house where he had been once before. When they reached the right street, Sir Arthur could not remember the house number.

"Never fear, I will find it," he said. Then he proceeded to walk up to each door, give its bootscraper a gentle tap with his foot, and listen closely to the tone it gave out.

"Here we are," he said finally. "E flat—I remember the note from my last visit here." North Bay Nugget.



By James W. Barton, M.D.

That Body of Ours

Fat May be a Good Investment

A woman consulted a physician because she felt so weak and tired, after a thorough examination the physician was unable to find any organic condition and stated:—"You are free of disease but seem to be very much run down, heart lacks power your blood pressure is low, your blood is thin and we must try to increase your weight; you need a little fat in and on your body."

"But," said the patient, "I don't want any fat. I have just finished three months of dieting and have my weight down to where I like it. I thought a tonic was what I need."

"But, Madam," replied the doctor, "you have no fuel supply in the body, hardly the full amount of 'fixed' fat that Nature intended should be present to maintain the body processes and maintain the heat needed by the body day and night. Nature has put little or large fat depots in various parts of the body—under the skin, about the abdominal organs, in the long bones. In fact except within the skull, fat is found almost everywhere in the body."

The patient was surprised and stated that she thought fat was useless, disfiguring, and interfered with the workings of the body processes. The physician replied that it was "excess" fat that was useless, disfiguring and interfered with the proper working of the body.

In his book, "Obesity", Dr. W. F. Christie, London, from which I have quoted before, states, "Each storehouse of fat subserves other useful functions besides being a fuel depot. As an investment for the body the layer of fat under the skin is excellent; it conserves body temperature, for fat is a bad conductor of heat. People who are forced to withstand low temperature, for instance, the Eskimoes, feel the cold less when well covered with a layer of fat. Cross channel swimmers need to be fat in order to stand prolonged immersion in the cold water. The prevention of heat loss by a thick fatty covering is felt in the tropics. Fat under the skin also acts as a cushion protecting the underlying body from injury. The deposits of fat in abdominal cavity help to keep the various organs in their places, providing for the more delicate of these, the kidney, a soft resting place and protection against violence from without. Lastly one must forget the aesthetic (beauty) use to which Nature puts its fat supply; by filling surface hollows and rounding bony angles, it moulds the face and figure into attractive form."

When there is a lack of "necessary" fat in and on the body such ailments as the severe type of gotter and tuberculosis may develop even in those with no previous nor no family history of these dangerous ailments. In fact, should any ailment arise during the reduction of weight in an overweight the full diet is resumed as fat may be needed to fight the ailment.

While most nervous and emotional individuals are not overweight, there are many who are overweight and in these cases when an illness occurs the reducing diet is stopped and the patient put on the full diet for the time being. In fact Dr. Christie states that as reducing weight means considerable self denial or self discipline this may put too much strain on the emotional unstable individuals when the body is not receiving sufficient nourishment. "It is unwise, therefore, to submit neurotics to strenuous diets into discipline them too severely."

Another point about reducing weight concerns those overweights with low blood pressure. Most overweights have high blood pressure and it is therefore wise to reduce weight to prevent heart stroke and brain stroke. In overweights with low blood pressure weight reducing must be done slowly as a sudden fall in blood pressure and it is dangerous.

The thought then is that fat is valuable, in fact a good investment in those who are underweight with thin blood and no energy.

Eating Your Way to Health
Do you know which foods contain proteins, minerals, starches, or fat? Do you know just what and how much you should eat daily? Send today for this useful booklet by Dr. Barton entitled "Eating Your Way to Health." It answers the above questions and includes a calorie chart and sample menus. Send your request to the Bell Library, P.O. Box 75, Station O, New York, N.Y., enclosing Ten Cents to cover cost of service and mention the name of this newspaper.

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MIXED

The colonel was defending the climate of India, "All nonsense," he said. "There's no better climate in the world. But there are a lot of young fellows who come out to India and they eat and drink and they eat and they die, and then they write home to their friends and tell them that the climate has killed them. Of course, lots of people die in India. Tell me where they don't and I'll go and end my days there."—Sudbury Star.

Sudbury Star:—Sometimes one wonders about stories of the fuhrer's paperhanging past. The fellow seems too dizzy to have worked on ladders.

NOTES FROM OTTAWA

(By Jim Greenblat)

The Canadian Army is being quick to act against a rising incidence of T. B. rates, and a survey of a 5,000 man "test group", selected from every military district in Canada, is being made. There has been a gradual increase in pulmonary tuberculosis in the army overseas, higher than among active troops in Canada. Only five cases were returned to Canada up to July, 1941. An officer of the Army Medical Service headquarters said: "Because of bombing damage to hospitals, bombing casualties and subordination of civilian interests to the war effort in Britain, the T. B. rate

rose, and unavoidable exposure of the Canadian troops, through contact with civilians, led to increased incidence in our army". This survey should catch many cases in their early stages, provide information for counter-measures. Our medical men are on the job.

The mushrooming of Canada's chemical research and production, impelled by the needs of war, will make a thrilling chapter in the history of World War II; it will be the story of an astounding job by our scientists and industry. "Canada at War", August issue, lets us get a peek behind the scenes. Starting practically at scratch in 1939, Canada "merely" completed 50 projects for explosive,

chemical and shell-filling plants. Only nine of these plants were privately owned. The remainder owned by the people of Canada. The whole programme entailed an expenditure of \$150,000,000 on properties owned by the Dominion, excluding the \$48,000,000 synthetic rubber plant. By the end of 1943 this somewhat small nation of ours contributed to victory by producing some 100,000,000 rounds of gun ammunition, grenades, mines, bombs, etc., and hundreds and hundreds of millions of small arms ammunition, and our high explosives are used on every fighting front. Some record!

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ANNUAL STATEMENT

31st October, 1944

RESOURCES

Cash in its Vaults and Money on Deposit with Bank of Canada	\$184,473,969.24
Notes of and Cheques on Other Banks	56,397,561.85
Payable in cash on presentation.	
Money on Deposit with Other Banks	31,264,469.84
Available on demand or at short notice.	
Government and Other Bonds and Debentures	955,538,246.28
Not exceeding market value. The greater portion consists of Dominion Government and high-grade Provincial and Municipal securities which mature at early dates.	
Stocks	382,539.67
Industrial and other stocks. Not exceeding market value.	
Call Loans	51,165,850.69
In Canada	\$ 6,652,049.80
Elsewhere	44,533,800.89
Payable on demand and secured by bonds, stocks and other negotiable collateral of greater value than the loans.	
TOTAL OF QUICKLY AVAILABLE RESOURCES	\$1,279,222,637.57
(equal to 88.30% of all Liabilities to the Public)	
Loans to Provincial and Municipal Governments including School Districts	11,576,134.02
Commercial and Other Loans	203,104,015.12
In Canada	\$194,487,531.12
Elsewhere	8,616,484.00
To manufacturers, farmers, merchants and others, on conditions consistent with sound banking.	
Bank Premises	12,900,000.00
Two properties only are carried in the names of holding companies; the stock and bonds of these companies are entirely owned by the Bank and appear on its books at \$1.00 in each case. All other of the Bank's premises, the value of which largely exceeds \$12,900,000.00 are included under this heading.	
Real Estate and Mortgages on Real Estate Sold by the Bank	327,291.46
Acquired in the course of the Bank's business and in process of being realized upon.	
Customers' Liability under Acceptances and Letters of Credit	16,604,876.48
Represents liabilities of customers on account of Letters of Credit issued and Drafts accepted by the Bank for their account.	
Other Assets not included in the foregoing (but including refundable portion of Dominion Government taxes \$975,703.75)	2,999,296.88
Making Total Resources of	\$1,526,734,251.53

LIABILITIES

Due to the Public	
Deposits	\$1,420,811,136.87
In Canada	\$1,244,528,982.86
Elsewhere	176,282,154.01
Payable on demand or after notice.	
Notes of the Bank in Circulation	8,568,045.00
Payable on demand.	
Acceptances and Letters of Credit Outstanding	16,604,876.48
Financial responsibilities undertaken on behalf of customers (see off-setting amount in "Resources").	
Other Liabilities	2,784,728.47
Items not included under the foregoing headings.	
Total Liabilities to the Public	\$1,448,768,786.82
To meet which the Bank has resources as indicated above amounting to	\$1,526,734,251.53
Leaving an excess of Resources over Liabilities, which represents the Shareholder's interest over which Liabilities to the Public take precedence.	
Capital	\$36,000,000.00
Reserve Fund, Profit & Loss Account, and Reserves for Dividends	41,965,464.71
	\$ 77,965,464.71

PROFIT and LOSS ACCOUNT

Profits for the year, ended 31st October, 1944, after making appropriations to Contingent Reserve Fund, out of which Fund full provision for Bad and Doubtful Debts has been made, and after making provision for estimated Income and Excess Profits Taxes amounting to \$3,725,000 (of which \$340,000 will be refundable under the provisions of the Excess Profits Tax Act)	\$3,194,300.19
Dividends paid or payable to Shareholders	\$2,160,000.00
Written off Bank Premises	500,000.00
	2,660,000.00
	\$ 534,300.19
Balance of Profit and Loss Account, 30th October, 1943	\$1,879,321.13
Balance of Profit and Loss carried forward	\$2,413,821.32

NOTE REGARDING SPECIAL ADJUSTMENT OF TAXES IN RESPECT OF THE YEAR ENDED 30th OCTOBER, 1943

The Minister of Finance has expressed the opinion that the transfers made in 1943 to Contingent Reserve Fund from the earnings of this Bank were in excess of the reasonable requirements of the Bank. The management and the auditors of the Bank do not agree with the Minister in this matter but having been advised of the Minister's views and of his purpose to act in accordance therewith, we have estimated that approximately \$2,200,000 of such transfers must be added to income of that year for tax purposes. As a result the Bank will be called upon to pay additional taxes for the year 1943 of a like amount under the Income & Excess Profits Tax Act. Provision has been made from Contingent Reserve Fund for this tax liability, of which twenty per cent, or \$440,000, will be refundable under the provisions of the Excess Profits Tax Act.

GEORGE W. SPINNEY, President
B. C. GARDNER, General Manager

The strength of a bank is determined by its history, its policy, its management and the extent of its resources. For 127 years the Bank of Montreal has been in the forefront of Canadian finance.