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SEMI-ANNUAL STATEMENT

30th April, 1931

#### LIABILITIES

LIABILITIES	
LIABILITIES TO THE PUBLIC	
Deposits	. \$665,750,090.45
Notes of the Bank in Circulation	. 33,667,943.00
Letters of Credit Outstanding  Financial responsibilities undertaken on behalf of customers for commercial transactions (see offsetting amount [x] in "Resources").	. 8,973,911.94
Other Liabilities .  Items which do not come under the foregoing headings.	. 2,334,491.71
Total Liabilities to the Public	\$710,726,437.10
LIABILITIES TO THE SHAREHOLDERS	
Capital, Surplus and Undivided Profits & Reserves for Dividends  This amount represents the shareholders' interest in the Bank, over which liabilities to the public take precedence.  Total Liabilities	. 76,171,269.11
Total Liabilities	\$786,897,706.21
RESOURCES	
To meet the foregoing Liabilities the Bank has	
Cash in its Vaults and in the Central Gold Reserves .	\$ 79,312,099.47
Notes of and Cheques on Other Banks	36,759,328.49
Money on Deposit with Other Banks	16,937,790.32
Government & Other Bonds and Debentures Gilt-edge Securities practically all of which mature at early dates.	216,329,624.76
Stocks	1,299,802.11
Secured by bonds, stocks and other negotiable securities of greater value than the loans and representing moneys quickly available with no disturbing effect on conditions in Canada.	34,040,768.27
Call Loans in Canada  Payable on demand and secured by bonds and stocks of greater value than the loans.	11,347,487.68
OTAL OF QUICKLY AVAILABLE RESOURCES .  (equal to 55.72% of all Liabilities to the Public)	\$396,026,901.10
Other Loans To manufacturers, farmers, merchants and others, on conditions consistent with sound banking.	361,918,245.42
Bank Premises  Three 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 the books at \$1.00 in each case. All other of the Bank's premises, the value of which largely exceeds \$14,500,000, appear under this heading.	14,500,000.00
Real Estate and Mortgages on Real Estate  Acquired in the course of the Bank's business and in process of being realized upon.	1,780,837.77
Customers' Liability under Letters of Credit	8,973,911.94
Other Assets not included in the Foregoing	3,697,809.98
Making Total Assets of	
to meet payment of Liabilities to the Public of	\$786,897,706.21
ving an excess of Assets over Liabilities to the Public of	\$ 76,171,269.11
PROFIT and LOSS ACCOUNT	The Property
Profits for the half year ending 30th April, 1931.  Dividends paid or payable to Shareholders . \$2,160,000.00  Provision for Taxes Dominion Government . 280,000.00  Reservation for Bank Prominer	\$2,771,753.71
	\$ 131.753.71
Balance of Profit and Loss Account, October 31st, 1930	\$ 131,753.71 917,047.38 \$1,078,801.09

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been in the forefront of Canadian finance.

## HOLSTEIN LEADER

#### LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Rev and Mrs Mercer and family, spent the holiday with Miss Johnston at her home at Bluevale.

The annual meeting of the Women's Institute took place Thursday last at Mrs R. Irwin's, all the former officers being elected. Mrs Tuck spent a few days with her brother in Georgetown.

Mr and Mrs McGuire and family, Niagara Falls last week. It was like going thru fairy land, the blossoms were beautiful. If the frost doesn't destroy, there is every indication of a bumper crop of small fruits. The Women's Association of the United Church, will entertain Varney branch at Mrs Thorne's

Mrs McPhaden and Miss Margaret, spent the week end with Mr and Mrs

Mr and Mrs Williamson and daughter, Toronto: Mr and Mrs L. Williamson and daughter, Fergus: Mrs. Jno. Chambers, Mrs Carter and R Chambers, Harriston, spent the 'day' with Mr and Mrs Jas Horsburg. Mr and Mrs Starling, Mr and Mrs. Melvin Reid, Mr and Mrs Mitchell, all of Hamilton, visited Mrs H Reid the first of week.

Mrs Pinder and Harry, with Mrs. Bell and Miss Thelma, visited with by this time many of them on the

family, with Mrs T Bunston, Toronto gone by and the evidence of strong spent the week end with Mr and Mrs faith in a benevolent Creator is pro-J. Manary and Mr and Mrs E. Smith. ven by their persistent efforts in Mr and Mrs Geo. Smith, Durham, carrying in under prevailing condi-

children, Riverview, visited Mr and out Canada an abundance of every-Mrs Geo Burrows first of the week. | thing needed to take comfort and en-Mrs Adams, Hamilton, spient over community in the midst of this store the holiday with Mr and Mrs John of plenty, evidences of hardship, pov-Manary, also Mr and Mrs E. Smith. erty and want. It is an unnatural is visiting Mr and Mrs Jno. Moore. every hand why should it exist and Mrs Strong and . Miss Harris, of what is the remedy?.

visited Mr and Mrs Brebner last mists are agreed that the most efweek and accompanied by the former fectual means of bringing conditions

William. He intends prospecting as as possible and above all things not he has some claims in that vicinity. borrow any money for new construction out of this year's produce; they character and we count ourselves The Orangemen are making ar- tien work of any kind. This is good have no fat wad in the bank that fortunate to have him here Monday

'EYES OF LOVE" WELL PRE-

The play put on by Mr B. Brebner and his dramatic club, was a success in every way. There was a full house. It would not be wise to say which did his cr her part the best as they all did well. There was not a weak character in the bunch. The orchestra composed of Mrs McDougall, Miss Marie Aitken, Messrs B. Eccles, C. McDougall and A. Brown, gave splendid music. Why send away for an crchestra, when we have just as good as any at home.

### YEOVIL

Once more the "Twenty Fourth of May" holiday has passed. How many -or few-gave a thought to the good Queen Victoria whose birthday is still celebrated?

The orchards with their wealth of blossoms have been visions of loveliness. We hope Saturday night's heavy frost did not spoil the prospects of fruit.

A number have been suffering from a cold and a severe sore throat, but

We are pleased to see Mrs Whyte able to be out again after the weary Miss D. Fisher enjoyed the little

vacation at her Paisley home: Miss M. Brown at Conn. Now comes the last few strenuous weeks for teachers and pupils-reviewing for the fast approaching final examinations. Mr and Mrs Swain and Master Peter, Toronto, were holiday guests in her parental home. Mr and Mrs C. Witherow and children, Calderwood, this year if taxes are not reduced Mr and Mrs J H Sithes and Miss Dorothy, Inglewood, were week end guests also of their cousins.

Miss Myrtle Ross, Toronto, home for the holiday Mrs Hattle and Miss Stella, Wood- is the man who our public men land, were recent guests of Mr and Mrs Jas Nicholson.

John Long came from Fergus enjoy the few days at his home here. speaking, must make up their taxes with Mr and Mrs Alex Nicholson, in their anxiety over their baby Direct Cream

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#### ALLAN'S CORNERS

Mr and Mrs Jos Robinson, Toronto, visited with Mrs Jas Eden, Sun-

Nearly 100 guests assembled on Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs Jas. Webber, where a reception was held in honor of Mr and Mrs Donald Elder, who were recent

Mrs Jno Carson and daughter Ruby accompanied by Mr Clarence Klink of Kitchener, visited the first of the week at J. C. Queen's.

Holstein, May 25, '31 All over the County of Grey Wingham friends the first of the higher land have completed the job. Mr and Mrs Albert Sturrock and as they always have done in years They are sowing in hope this year, spent over the holiday with relatives tons that is most discouraging. But while a kind Providence has given

Mr and Mrs And. Fursman and us in the County Grey and through-Mr Chas Barbour and daughter, joyment in living, we find in every Mrs Jas Main, from near Seattle, condition and people are asking on

Lambton Mills, spent the week end | And many answers are given as to with Mr and Mrs Bert Eccles and the cause and just as many cures suggested to remedy it. But nearly Mr John Marsh and son, Hamilton all the great financiers and econoalso sampled some of the trout back to normal, is for all governing bodies- right down to school trus-Mr Buller left Tuesday for Fort tees, to cut their expendtures as low rangements for a bumper crowd on advice and advice that should be tak- they can take a chunk off to tide ov- evening and have him for a camp en heed to by our Township councils er a period of hard times. Toronto, spent over the holiday with This is getting near home and these will look into this matter seriously. are the only governing bodies of im Mr Chas Fursman, Jr. spent over portance over which we have any imthe holiday with the Smith family. | mediate control. It is current talk that the County Roads Com expect the County Council at its June session to authorize them to spend as SENTED IN HOLSTEIN HALL much, if not more money on the County Roads this year, as they spent last year and the activities of sip and I believe they have already under a shady tree.

Reeve to use their influence in the in 1925. He spent several years in Arrangements will also be made County Council to lessen the deben- Alberta and has now been in Ontario for the athletic competition. constructing a few miles of County Road that can easily wait until con-

ditions improve. And there are several of the other committees in which the costs could be cut down if their minds were set upon it. There are also grants usually made that are not at all justified this year. And if the local press as leaders of thought in the County, would take up this matter and advocate the cutting down of expenditures wherever possible, they would undoubtedly help to lessen the burden of the ordinary taxpayer.

The problem of municipal taxation is in the minds of many people the county at the present time and people who found it very hard to pay their taxes last year when farm products were worth twice as much as this year, will be in sore straits considerably. Conditions in the country are so glaringly bad that no man in public life can be so blind that he cannot see it. The man who is struggling along, endeavoring to build up a home and raising a young family, should try to encourage and there are many such in Grey County at the present time. These men, generally

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ly wedded. Congratulations. Grocery

Mrs Wm Allan, Durham, visited fora few days with her uncle and aunt, Mr and Mrs Jas Webber. Mr and Mrs Sam'l Wright, Hamilton, called on her sister, Mrs Jas. Webber the first of the week

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## Tuxis Boys' Column

SUMMER CAMP!

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done more than they were instruct. We have never had one in Grey on Monday night 19-8 over the Eaged to do at the January session. It Co. for boys. If the boys want one les. The same results remain is to be hoped there are enough men they shall have one this year. So football. in the Co. Council this year who we are asking every boy in Grey Co If the Eagles don't mind their have the ability to see conditions as who is interested, to be present at knitting they will have to provide they really exist. Who will see to it Queen St United Church, Monday the entertainment. The regular footthat there is no money spent on the evening, June 1. Gordon Lapp, Field ball game will be played Friday night County Roads? At least only what Sec'y of the Boys' Work Board, will Put on your best smile and join is really needed to keep them in safe be present. Gordon was Premier of us in Durham Monday night. We condition. It would be well for the the 4th Older Boys' Parliament and need you to make it go. Help to de tax payers of the different Townships represented Ontario boys at the cide when and where the camp will to urge upon their Reeve and Deputy World's Youth Conference at Finland be.

Mr and Mrs Jno Manary and son, and County Councils in Grey Co. It is to be hoped our public men workers Monday evening and boost "We can do it if we will

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