

BANK STATEMENT, 30TH JUNE, 1888 AND 1889.

LIABILITIES.	1888.	1889.
	\$	\$
Capital paid up	60,168,010	60,236,451
Circulation	30,444,643	31,209,972
Deposits—		
Payable on demand	57,212,022	61,288,486
Payable after notice or on a fixed day	71,134,865	74,697,593
Held as security	378,642	307,899
Made by other banks	3,049,765	1,672,507
Due other banks or agencies	3,863,560	5,664,531
Other liabilities	261,354	221,269
Total liabilities	166,344,852	175,062,257
ASSETS.		
Specie and Dominion notes	17,536,113	17,095,912
Notes of and cheques on other banks	5,911,089	6,420,418
Due from agencies and other banks	29,861,519	20,242,670
Dominion debentures or stocks	2,166,617	2,604,670
Other Government securities	3,978,231	5,210,021
Loans to Dominion and Provincial Governments	1,562,060	1,861,794
Loans or discounts for which collateral securities are held	11,436,196	12,039,439
Loans to municipal and other corporations	21,773,368	26,426,706
Loans to or deposits made in other banks	1,211,964	1,193,288
Discounts	137,400,009	149,798,597
Debts overdue, not secured	1,198,902	1,091,979
" " secured	1,368,342	1,364,403
Mortgages on real estate, and real estate held by the banks	1,757,295	1,678,463
Bank premises	3,626,919	3,793,796
Other assets	4,177,598	4,943,475
Total assets	244,975,223	255,765,631

The proportion of liabilities to assets was larger in 1889, being 68·44 per cent., as compared with 67·90 per cent. in 1888, and 65·18 per cent. in 1887. The amount on deposit showed an increase of \$7,568,449, discounts an increase of \$12,389,588, and overdue debts a decrease of \$110,862. Notes in circulation showed an increase of \$765,329.

717. The following statement shows the proportions of the principal items of assets and liabilities to the total amounts in the years 1868, 1877 and 1889 :

Proportions of assets and liabilities.