

The following is a comparative statement of the assets and liabilities of the Banks in Canada on the 30th June, 1898-1901.

BANK STATEMENT, 30TH JUNE, 1898-1901.

LIABILITIES.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1901.
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Capital paid up.....	62,303,137	63,674,085	64,735,145	67,095,718
Circulation:.....	36,539,103	39,097,708	45,577,387	49,119,479
Deposits—				
Payable on demand.....	82,313,900	91,852,400	99,702,599	92,897,813
Payable after notice or on a fixed day	144,749,443	166,549,940	177,554,117	222,877,616
Made by other banks.....	2,553,424	3,529,152	2,322,434	2,539,758
Deposits elsewhere than in Canada.....				21,638,289
Balances due other banks or agencies	3,882,026	7,365,806	6,247,188	9,761,239
Balance due Dominion and Provincial				
Governments.....	6,872,080	7,407,996	7,929,379	6,517,088
Other liabilities.....	497,545	527,476	962,174	11,969,479
Total liabilities.....	277,407,521	316,330,478	340,295,278	417,320,761
ASSETS.				
Dominion notes.....	15,214,505	16,959,927	18,035,608	19,088,896
Specie.....	9,283,030	9,240,810	10,185,868	11,695,053
Deposits with Government for security				
of note circulation.....	1,915,070	2,016,573	2,130,421	2,442,124
Notes of and cheques on other banks.....	9,663,728	11,015,876	10,012,221	11,880,928
Due from agencies and other banks.....	29,722,716	32,124,823	26,715,417	15,887,336
Dominion debentures or stocks.....	4,901,627	4,898,019	4,501,721	12,318,007
Other government, municipal and				
public securities.....	34,264,288	31,107,771	31,754,669	44,655,930
Loans to Dominion and Provincial				
Governments.....	1,649,231	3,150,714	2,099,815	3,167,483
Call loans on bonds and stocks.....	20,066,715	30,659,460	29,272,904	*33,573,539
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Loans to or deposits made in other				
banks.....	3,665,020	3,652,707	4,370,990	5,169,416
Current loans in Canada.....	222,413,538	250,974,389	285,488,152	282,372,134
Current loans elsewhere than in Can-				
ada.....				23,226,982
Debts overdue.....	2,855,867	2,080,089	1,873,564	1,794,376
Mortgages on real estate and real				
estate held by banks.....	2,703,728	2,418,255	1,637,224	1,558,357
Bank premises.....	5,740,154	6,012,083	6,103,359	6,541,498
Other assets.....	1,574,835	2,624,915	6,166,169	11,232,270
Total assets.....	365,634,052	408,936,411	440,348,102	528,304,110

*In Canada.

†Elsewhere than in Canada.