52.—Total	Business	of	Post	Office	and	Dominion	Government	Savings
		B	anks,	fiscal	years	, 1913-1917.		

Items.	1913	1914	1915	1916	1917	
	\$	\$	*	\$	\$	
Deposits	13,873,739 1,664,633 15,538,372 16,617,217 57,140,483	13,850,421 1,627,142 15,477,563 17,050,597 55,567,449	12,431,342 1,580,062 14,011,404 15,577,289 54,001,564	10,739,234 1,567,231 12,306,465 12,779,756 53,528,273	14,110,035 1,601,975 15,712,010 13,024,194 56,216,089	

LOAN AND TRUST COMPANIES.

Loan and Trust Companies.—Up to and including the year 1913 tables were given in the Year Book of the assets and liabilities, with comparative figures for a series of years, of loan companies and building societies. These tables were taken from the "Annual Report of the Affairs of Building Societies, Loan and Trust Companies in the Dominion of Canada," as issued by the Department of Finance. The statistics in this Report were compiled by the Department of Finance partly from the statements required to be furnished under legislation of the Dominion Parliament and partly from returns voluntarily made by corporations operating under provincial charters. The laws relating to loan and trust companies incorporated by Acts of the Parliament of Canada were revised by the Loan and Trust Companies Acts of 1914 (4-5 Geo. V, cc. 40 and 55), and since the passing of these Acts the Annual Report issued by the Department of Finance up to and including the year 1913, has been replaced by "Annual Statements of the Loan and Trust Companies incorporated by Acts of the Parliament of Canada." Tables 53 and 54 show therefore the liabilities and assets of the loan and trust companies as compiled from the statements furnished to the Department of Finance. They relate to 14 loan and 13 trust companies, and do not include companies or societies operating under provincial charters.

53.—Liabilities and Assets of Loan Companies, 1914-1917.

LIABILITIES.

Year.	Capital paid up in cash.	Reserve Fund.	1	Debentures		Deposits		041	m.4.1
			payable in Canada.	payable elsewhere.	Stock issued.	payable on demand.	payable after notice.	Other liabilities.	Total liabilities.
1914 1915 1916 1917	\$ 19.238,512 19.401,856 19.673,934 19,813,217	9,878,266 10,319,176	6,889,946	22,279,861 20,101,111	\$ 1,296,480 1,390,869 1,447,205 1,509,491	5,618,554	\$ 2,492,898 3,721,839 3,369,166 3,110,713	3,083,784 3,453,207	71,992,666 70,872,297