

59.—Business of the Post Office Savings Banks, March 31, 1917-1921.

Items.	1917.	1918.	1919.	1920.	1921.
Savings banks.....No	1,312	1,318	1,328	1,323	1,328
Deposits.....\$	11,974,434	11,791,967	12,593,190	10,003,068	6,631,685
Transferred from Government S.B. to Post Office S.B.....\$	-	91,649	174,143	184,303	589,247
Interest on deposit.....\$	1,206,528	1,241,578	1,208,559	1,056,545	883,842
Total cash and interest.....\$	13,180,962	13,128,194	13,975,892	11,243,916	8,104,774
Withdrawals.....\$	10,606,901	14,427,194	13,604,411	21,293,282	10,699,749
At credit of open accts.....\$	42,582,479	41,283,479	41,654,960	31,605,594	29,010,619
Open accounts.....No.	135,142	125,735	116,541	97,154	88,563

60.—Business of the Dominion Government Savings Banks, March 31, 1917-1921.

Items.	1917.	1918.	1919.	1920.	1921.
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Deposits.....	2,135,601	2,048,469	2,344,918	2,378,600	2,103,873
Interest on deposits.....	395,447	382,151	340,378	319,800	294,349
Total cash and interest.....	2,531,048	2,430,620	2,685,296	2,698,400	2,398,222
Withdrawals.....	2,417,293	3,886,947	3,460,481	3,371,280	2,977,251
At credit of depositors.....	13,633,610	12,177,283	11,402,098	10,729,218	10,150,189

61.—Total Business of Post Office and Dominion Government Savings Banks, March 31, 1917-1921.

Items.	1917.	1918.	1919.	1920.	1921.
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Deposits.....	14,110,035	13,932,085	15,112,251	12,565,971	9,324,805
Interest on deposits.....	1,601,975	1,626,729	1,548,937	1,376,345	1,178,291
Total cash and interest.....	15,712,010	15,558,814	16,661,188	13,942,316	10,502,996
Withdrawals.....	13,024,194	18,314,141	17,064,892	24,664,562	13,677,000
At credit of depositors.....	56,216,089	53,460,762	53,057,058	42,334,812	39,160,808

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