

## 15.—Cheques Cashed at Individual Clearing-House Centres, 1945-49

NOTE.—Figures for earlier years will be found in the corresponding tables in previous Year Books.

Clearing-House Centre	1945	1946	1947	1948	1949
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
<b>Atlantic Provinces—</b>					
Halifax.....	850,393,003	870,735,782	932,830,407	1,049,266,016	1,065,168,877
Moncton.....	257,723,155	276,711,273	310,451,042	353,563,290	383,934,526
Saint John.....	445,474,600	456,571,211	507,373,274	567,250,089	511,975,434
St. John's <sup>1</sup> .....	...	...	...	...	356,995,091
<b>Totals, Atlantic Provinces...</b>	<b>1,553,590,758</b>	<b>1,604,018,266</b>	<b>1,750,654,723</b>	<b>1,970,079,395</b>	<b>2,317,673,928</b>
<b>Quebec—</b>					
Montreal.....	17,486,992,168	18,828,185,425	20,611,366,139	20,978,798,588	22,037,124,579
Quebec.....	1,648,626,349	1,722,532,681	2,077,761,098	2,433,327,617	2,410,872,120
Sherbrooke.....	173,714,466	198,641,707	230,782,121	277,706,843	284,493,033
<b>Totals, Quebec.....</b>	<b>19,309,332,983</b>	<b>20,749,359,813</b>	<b>22,919,909,358</b>	<b>23,689,833,048</b>	<b>24,732,489,732</b>
<b>Ontario—</b>					
Brantford.....	253,506,245	269,742,168	321,206,951	381,128,797	435,843,033
Chatham.....	171,783,508	185,640,451	244,616,255	276,949,470	315,369,271
Fort William.....	171,655,637	185,151,376	209,576,526	225,285,630	225,286,483
Hamilton.....	1,360,759,670	1,460,388,257	1,735,130,215	1,952,144,798	2,124,308,068
Kingston.....	179,185,124	205,647,350	213,911,998	232,559,287	241,453,150
Kitchener.....	324,490,838	363,577,527	435,651,884	463,306,010	494,710,382
London.....	819,218,952	871,610,947	1,013,241,572	1,069,977,738	1,181,502,918
Ottawa.....	7,810,891,068	5,170,462,037	3,919,695,689	3,676,301,837	4,040,899,636
Peterborough.....	166,315,914	197,282,253	231,700,861	260,089,790	279,739,034
St. Catharines.....	241,951,191	253,814,244	307,934,247	348,356,620	379,037,195
Sarnia.....	231,195,323	244,695,664	267,231,455	299,390,423	310,461,518
Sudbury.....	127,466,405	153,372,708	191,809,314	231,991,381	267,190,931
Toronto.....	18,760,599,503	19,907,026,302	20,210,585,424	22,655,184,798	24,712,385,631
Windsor.....	924,342,237	933,544,600	1,131,583,994	1,308,938,613	1,460,893,330
<b>Totals, Ontario.....</b>	<b>31,543,361,615</b>	<b>30,401,955,884</b>	<b>30,433,876,385</b>	<b>33,381,605,192</b>	<b>36,469,080,580</b>
<b>Prairie Provinces—</b>					
Brandon.....	90,943,819	104,139,525	114,364,031	133,695,331	145,757,042
Calgary.....	1,523,535,631	1,602,017,603	1,779,369,851	2,072,825,960	2,507,516,671
Edmonton.....	1,165,857,185	1,213,183,915	1,313,138,121	1,568,264,769	1,893,296,099
Lethbridge.....	118,733,308	146,971,392	168,987,463	219,442,238	246,492,056
Medicine Hat.....	65,280,363	74,791,412	98,231,596	100,545,349	102,839,449
Moose Jaw.....	173,806,127	185,849,046	207,671,843	231,955,560	248,492,488
Prince Albert.....	84,699,682	104,869,722	108,770,342	123,868,921	133,321,676
Regina.....	1,111,542,712	977,251,230	1,286,895,569	1,333,318,232	1,565,139,921
Saskatoon.....	291,705,073	349,200,751	394,914,872	442,603,392	465,492,857
Winnipeg.....	6,936,060,331	6,366,405,086	7,381,392,595	8,375,790,546	9,186,178,131
<b>Totals, Prairie Provinces...</b>	<b>11,562,164,231</b>	<b>11,124,679,682</b>	<b>12,853,736,283</b>	<b>14,602,310,298</b>	<b>16,494,526,390</b>
<b>British Columbia—</b>					
New Westminster.....	199,961,938	226,075,659	289,113,363	326,958,401	319,810,859
Vancouver.....	3,615,095,540	4,354,229,708	5,321,162,167	5,765,370,362	6,157,070,811
Victoria.....	601,306,096	787,288,421	929,640,699	951,290,865	1,063,710,543
<b>Totals, British Columbia...</b>	<b>4,416,363,574</b>	<b>5,367,593,788</b>	<b>6,539,916,229</b>	<b>7,043,619,628</b>	<b>7,540,592,213</b>
<b>Grand Totals.....</b>	<b>68,384,813,161</b>	<b>69,247,607,433</b>	<b>74,498,092,978</b>	<b>80,687,447,561</b>	<b>87,554,362,843</b>

<sup>1</sup>Included from April, 1949.

## Subsection 3.—Statistics of Individual Chartered Banks

**Assets and Liabilities.**—Cash reserves against deposits as shown in Table 16 for the years 1944-49 comprise the total of Bank of Canada notes in the possession of the chartered banks together with their deposits at the Bank of Canada. Before the establishment of the Bank of Canada in 1935, the figures comprised the totals of the banks' holdings of gold and coin in Canada, Dominion notes, and that part of their deposits in the Central Gold Reserve not required against their note issues.