

The usefulness of the above statement is very much impaired from the fact of so many Banks not making the required returns.

The following table shows the Bank and Government circulation respectively and combined for each month of the last fiscal year :

**BANK AND GOVERNMENT CIRCULATION FOR FISCAL YEAR 1876-77.**

Months.	Bank Circulation.	Government Circulation.	Total Circulation.
1876.	\$	\$	\$
July.....	19,192,159	11,476,494	30,668,653
August....	19,760,815	11,551,680	31,312,495
September	22,114,736	11,413,142	33,527,878
October ...	24,634,372	11,111,183	35,745,555
November	22,791,808	11,099,297	33,893,105
December.	22,283,660	11,123,657	33,407,317
1877.			
January...	21,756,920	11,151,443	32,908,363
February..	20,783,581	11,442,794	32,226,375
March....	20,623,088	11,065,223	31,688,311
April.....	19,962,352	11,051,142	31,013,494
May.....	18,946,275	10,767,214	29,713,489
June.....	18,265,364	10,680,493	28,945,857

**GOVERNMENT SAVINGS BANKS.**

Balance due depositors in Government Savings Banks, 30th June, 1877.

Provinces	Deposits for June.	Withdrawn in June.	Balance due Depositors 30th June.
	\$	\$	\$
P. E. Isla'd	33,785 09	17,220 44	388,271 23
N. Scotia.	114,378 38	125,144 80	1,879,146 33
N. Bruns'k	86,642 00	57,591 15	1,234,739 19
Ontario . .	11,144 70	20,680 09	144,250 83
Manitoba..	5,566 00	5,367 70	31,053 24
B. Colu'bia	132,199 00	100,618 04	974,678 17
Totals....	\$384,215 08	326,621 22	4,652,138 99
Do. 1876.	\$270,880 42	261,760 41	4,121,178 74

**POST OFFICE SAVINGS BANKS.**

(From Canada Gazette.)

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1. Balance in hands of Receiver-General 30th June, 1876 .....	\$2,740,952 59
2. Deposits during year.....	1,521,000 00
3. Interest on accounts closed .....	14,690 86
4. Interest accrued during year made principal.....	89,377 00
	<u>\$4,366,020 45</u>

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Repayments (cash paid) during year .....	\$1,525,682 98
Amounts written off depositors' accounts inscribed in 5 per cents.....	200,400 00
Balance due depositors 30th June, 1877.....	2,639,937 47
	<u>\$4,366,020 45</u>

Decrease of Deposits 1876-77.. \$101,015 02

**TOTAL CHARTERED BANKS AND SAVINGS BANKS DEPOSITS [at June 30th, 1877.]**

Chartered Banks....	\$71,284,797 00
Gov't Savings Banks.	4,652,138 99
P. O. Savings Banks..	2,39,937 47
Savings Banks .....	6,271,506 99

Total 30th June, 1876.. \$84,848,379 45  
88,291,229 66

Decrease ..... \$3,443,050 21

Five Banks were not returned in June, in either 1876 or 1877.

**SAVINGS BANKS.**

Deposits June 30th, 1877 :

City and District Savings Bank, Montreal .....	\$3,905,997 34
Caisse d'Economie Notre Dame de Quebec.....	2,365,599 65

\$6,271,596 99  
Deposits Sept. 30th, 1876..... 6,784,057 36

Decrease ..... \$512,540 37

**BUILDING SOCIETIES DEPOSITS INVESTMENTS.**

The deposits in Building Societies in 1876 amounted to \$6,126,377.51.

Total amount invested in Building Societies.....	\$24,497,077 39
Against, in 1875 .....	20,81,677 17
An increase of .....	\$4,415,530 28