

15.—Cheques Cashed at Individual Clearing-House Centres, 1944-48

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

Clearing-House Centre	1944	1945	1946	1947	1948
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Maritime Provinces—					
Halifax.....	707,345,558	850,393,003	870,735,782	932,830,407	1,049,266,016
Moncton.....	231,547,502	257,723,155	276,711,273	310,451,042	353,563,290
Saint John.....	388,767,904	445,474,600	456,571,211	507,373,274	567,250,089
Totals, Maritime Provinces	1,327,660,964	1,553,590,758	1,604,018,266	1,750,654,723	1,970,079,395
Quebec—					
Montreal.....	15,441,044,068	17,486,992,168	18,828,185,425	20,611,366,139	20,978,798,588
Quebec.....	1,633,078,085	1,648,626,349	1,722,532,681	2,077,761,098	2,433,327,617
Sherbrooke.....	148,165,207	173,714,466	198,641,707	230,782,121	277,706,843
Totals, Quebec	17,222,287,360	19,309,332,983	20,749,359,813	22,919,909,358	23,689,833,048
Ontario—					
Brantford.....	239,304,256	253,506,245	269,742,168	321,206,951	381,128,797
Chatham.....	144,553,172	171,783,508	185,640,451	244,616,255	276,949,470
Fort William.....	168,928,365	171,655,637	185,151,376	209,576,526	225,285,630
Hamilton.....	1,375,830,380	1,360,759,670	1,460,388,257	1,735,130,215	1,952,144,798
Kingston.....	166,553,903	179,185,124	2,05,647,350	213,911,998	232,559,287
Kitchener.....	288,161,663	324,490,838	363,577,527	435,651,884	463,306,010
London.....	667,833,039	819,218,952	871,610,947	1,013,241,572	1,069,977,738
Ottawa.....	7,702,608,563	7,810,891,068	5,170,462,037	3,919,695,689	3,676,301,837
Peterborough.....	149,188,780	166,315,914	197,282,253	231,700,861	260,089,790
St. Catharines.....	246,493,553	241,951,191	253,814,244	307,934,247	343,356,620
Sarnia.....	185,769,583	231,195,323	244,695,664	267,231,455	299,390,423
Sudbury.....	112,651,722	127,466,405	153,372,708	191,809,314	231,991,381
Toronto.....	14,445,952,616	18,760,599,503	19,907,026,302	20,210,585,424	22,655,184,798
Windsor.....	1,009,140,966	924,342,237	933,544,600	1,131,563,994	1,308,938,613
Totals, Ontario	26,902,944,561	31,543,361,615	30,401,955,884	30,433,876,385	33,381,605,192
Prairie Provinces—					
Brandon.....	90,136,926	90,943,819	104,139,525	114,364,031	133,695,331
Calgary.....	1,498,387,721	1,523,535,631	1,602,017,603	1,779,369,851	2,072,825,960
Edmonton.....	1,060,248,757	1,165,857,185	1,213,183,915	1,313,138,121	1,568,264,769
Lethbridge.....	116,810,111	118,733,308	146,971,392	168,987,463	219,442,238
Medicine Hat.....	66,030,272	65,280,363	74,791,412	98,231,596	100,545,349
Moose Jaw.....	169,470,394	173,806,127	185,849,046	207,671,843	231,955,560
Prince Albert.....	81,775,325	84,699,682	104,869,722	108,770,342	123,868,921
Regina.....	1,155,130,243	1,111,542,712	977,251,230	1,286,895,569	1,333,318,232
Saskatoon.....	264,083,618	291,705,073	349,200,751	394,914,872	442,603,392
Winnipeg.....	6,986,366,445	6,936,060,331	6,366,405,086	7,381,392,595	8,375,790,546
Totals, Prairie Provinces	11,488,439,812	11,562,164,231	11,124,679,682	12,853,736,283	14,602,310,298
British Columbia—					
New Westminster.....	175,523,212	199,961,938	226,075,659	289,113,363	326,958,401
Vancouver.....	3,059,154,952	3,615,095,540	4,354,229,708	5,321,162,167	5,765,370,362
Victoria.....	500,943,546	601,306,096	787,288,421	929,640,699	951,290,865
Totals, British Columbia	3,735,621,710	4,416,363,574	5,367,593,788	6,539,916,229	7,043,619,628
Grand Totals	60,676,954,407	68,384,813,161	69,247,607,433	74,498,092,978	80,687,447,561

Subsection 3.—Statistics of Individual Chartered Banks

Assets and Liabilities.—Cash reserves against deposits as shown in Table 16 for the years 1944-48 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.