

groups, 'other assets' being included in the total. The relative rates of increase of capital and reserve funds may be noted in the table, also the great increase in the proportion of liabilities to the public to total liabilities and the gradually increasing percentage of liabilities to the public to total assets. The declining proportion of chartered bank notes in circulation to total liabilities to the public is also characteristic of the evolution of banking in recent times (see pp. 1128-1129).

12.—Assets and Liabilities of the Chartered Banks, 1943-52

NOTE.—These statistics are yearly averages computed from the twelve monthly returns in each year. Figures for 1867-1880 will be found in the 1938 Year Book, pp. 918-919; for 1881-1915 in the 1941 edition, pp. 815-816; for 1916-26 in the 1946 edition, pp. 963-964; for 1927-36 in the 1947 edition, pp. 1025-1026; and for 1937-42 in the 1952-53 edition, p. 1105.

Year	ASSETS							Public Liabilities to Total Assets
	Gold Reserves, Notes and Deposits with the Bank of Canada	Government of Canada and Provincial Government Securities	Municipal Securities in Canada and Public Securities Elsewhere	Total Securities	Total Loans	Total Assets ¹		
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	p.c.	
1943...	422,561,348	2,404,756,734	232,405,156	2,713,939,940	1,334,080,022	5,148,458,722	94.19	
1944...	538,206,187	2,991,047,582	283,417,399	3,353,259,736	1,343,938,364	5,990,410,837	94.98	
1945...	604,842,928	3,438,830,751	313,061,291	3,857,534,890	1,505,039,333	6,743,217,134	95.48	
1946...	686,368,427	3,734,872,237	381,996,554	4,287,002,710	1,642,519,066	7,429,608,029	95.89	
1947...	679,051,569	3,395,306,552	436,075,580	4,108,441,158	2,125,582,441	7,810,913,975	95.72	
1948...	719,499,043	3,314,539,556	393,841,399	4,120,137,032	2,388,597,680	8,140,145,708	95.81	
1949...	762,901,802	3,573,294,569	387,844,005	4,370,052,504	2,618,421,119	8,657,764,277	95.99	
1950...	769,951,696	3,563,018,724	402,235,668	4,363,401,201	2,872,411,227	9,015,109,853	96.06	
1951...	799,304,753	3,134,186,339	384,481,994	3,930,581,704	3,495,723,921	9,384,800,263	96.11	
1952...	850,995,055	3,271,073,120	416,556,385	4,070,324,029	3,607,883,433	9,760,480,522	96.14	
LIABILITIES								
	Liabilities to Shareholders		Liabilities to the Public					
	Capital	Rest or Reserve Fund	Notes in Circulation	Demand Deposits in Canada	Notice Deposits in Canada	Total on Deposit ²	Total Public Liabilities ³	
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	
1943...	145,500,000	136,750,000	50,230,204	1,619,407,736	1,864,177,700	4,592,336,705	4,849,222,532	
1944...	145,500,000	136,750,000	37,056,187	1,863,793,981	2,272,573,361	5,422,302,978	5,689,443,095	
1945...	145,500,000	136,750,000	28,636,174	1,986,075,142	2,750,358,254	6,159,997,976	6,438,617,676	
1946...	145,500,000	144,666,667	23,172,717	2,155,312,749	3,327,057,442	6,771,555,153	7,123,979,417	
1947...	145,500,000	178,000,000	19,675,994	2,138,771,178	3,681,231,057	7,075,355,884	7,476,627,449	
1948...	145,500,000	182,416,667	17,109,071	2,258,658,693	3,972,159,586	7,402,776,952	7,798,910,335	
1949...	145,500,000	187,000,000	14,731,992	2,353,033,907	4,333,888,999	7,921,694,763	8,310,215,001	
1950...	145,500,000	200,000,000	424,043 ⁴	2,562,813,591	4,547,890,387	8,220,856,332	8,660,173,804	
1951...	146,502,115	200,837,564	279,630 ⁴	2,711,524,845	4,592,929,318	8,464,510,837	9,019,780,755	
1952...	148,522,618	211,798,615	180,369 ⁴	2,931,558,298	4,811,471,906	8,899,236,252	9,384,111,788	

¹ Includes other assets not specified. ² Includes deposits of Federal and Provincial Governments and also deposits elsewhere than in Canada. ³ Includes other liabilities not specified. ⁴ After January 1950, the chartered banks' liability for such notes issued for circulation in Canada as then remained outstanding was transferred to the Bank of Canada; these figures cover notes in circulation outside Canada which were not taken over by the Bank of Canada.