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The 11th Annual Statement of the Bank of Nova Scotia, of which Mr. McLeod is President, shows the usual strong position.



H. D. BURNS  
General Manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia whose 11th Annual Statement shows increased assets and strong position.

**The Bank of Nova Scotia Shows Strong Report With Record Assets and Deposits**

The 11th Annual Statement of the Bank of Nova Scotia, as at December 31st, 1942, shows total assets at a record level of \$410,467,055, an increase of over \$30,000,000 compared with the previous year. Deposits totalling \$345,601,552 are increased almost \$42,000,000 in the year. Investment Account is up \$28,000,000. Analysis shows position well maintained with increases reflecting in the enlarged disbursements to industry and the Bank's participation in government war financing. Net earnings for the year, \$1,890,262, after taxes of \$1,397,773, compare with last year's figures of \$1,935,502, after taxes of \$1,061,948.

**Strong Liquid Position**  
Cash, clearings and due from other banks, \$80,102,723, represents 23.87 per cent of liabilities to the public, while cash and balances with the Bank of Canada alone represent 11.90 per cent. Total Quick Assets including the above items, together with investments and Call and Short Loans secured by stocks and bonds, represent 68.10 per cent of the liabilities to the public compared with 63.10 per cent last year.

**Investment Account Increased**  
Investments amount to \$160,521,400, an increase of approximately \$28,000,000 in the year. The total is made up as follows:—Dominion and Provincial securities maturing within two years, \$76,035,762 an increase in the year of \$25,128,575; other Dominion and Provincial securities, \$61,215,064, increase of \$2,690,094; Municipal securities, \$9,995,690, reduced by \$1,533,628; Public securities other than Canadian, \$3,991,794, up \$1,362,403; and other, \$10,488,056, increased \$757,811. Short-term Dominion and Provincial securities represent 47 per cent of all investments and the total of both short and long term Dominion and Provincial securities represents 85 per cent.

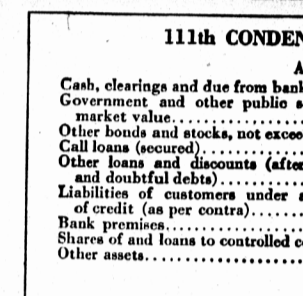
**Loans Show Net Increases**  
Call loans \$4,538,836, show a small increase. Other loans, \$126,777,447, are increased \$3,083,393. Current loans to business and individuals actually total over \$5,000,000 above last year's figure. Loans of this nature in Canada are up \$5,324,758 and those outside of Canada are up \$1,122,244. Reductions are shown in loans to Provincial and Municipal Governments which are down \$1,976,000 and in non-current loans, the total of which at \$333,301 is down \$47,705.

Liabilities of customers under Acceptances and Letters of Credit a \$21,244,614, down \$10,237,500 in the year, reflecting reduced opportunities for business and a running off of special transactions. Notes in circulation, \$5,033,211, which were down \$1,951 in accordance with Bank Act requirements.

**Deposits in New High Totals**  
Total deposits of \$345,601,552 are increased \$42,000,000. Of this total non-interest-bearing deposits of the public, \$180,413,570, are practically unchanged from the year ago notwithstanding the substantial withdrawals made during the year for two Victory Loan campaigns. Deposits of Dominion and Provincial Governments, \$28,590,846, are increased \$17,001,916.

Deposits by and balance due to other banks, \$8,006,572, are up \$1,702,925. Increases are almost all other stocks and business accounts and in government securities, both of which reflect increased volume for war purposes.

**PROTECTION is a natural instinct**



The Canadian mother of early pioneer days is symbolic of the natural instinct to protect the things worth fighting for. Every man is a joint inheritor of our civil liberties and freedoms, the right to "life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness." These are the basic things which are at stake in the world today.

Confidence in a democratic civilization and in established institutions—the right to enjoyment and protection of personal property and the assurance that human ingenuity and enterprise will continue to be encouraged, lend immeasurable strength and support to our Fighting Forces and to the men and women on the "Home Front." They fight on—they work on—to preserve and progressively extend these ideals.

The figures shown here are those of a Canadian organization, which, for 111 years has provided essential banking services at home and abroad and today is serving the country in a vast variety of wartime activities.

**11th CONDENSED GENERAL STATEMENT AS AT DECEMBER 31st, 1942**

ASSETS		LIABILITIES	
Cash, clearings and due from banks	\$ 80,102,723.02	Notes in circulation	\$ 5,033,211.45
Government and other public securities, not exceeding market value	150,039,541.78	Deposits	345,601,552.33
Other bonds and stocks, not exceeding market value	10,488,056.64	Acceptances and letters of credit outstanding	21,244,614.62
Call loans (secured)	4,538,836.57	Other liabilities	1,300,915.98
Other loans and discounts (after full provision for bad and doubtful debts)	126,777,447.59	Capital	\$12,000,000.00
Liabilities of customers under acceptances and letters of credit (as per contra)	21,244,614.62	Reserve fund	24,000,000.00
Bank premises	5,607,060.44	Undivided profits	1,286,755.62
Shares of and loans to controlled companies	2,050,000.00		
Other assets	624,972.79		
	\$410,467,055.00		\$410,467,055.00

**The BANK of NOVA SCOTIA**  
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**Annual Meeting Confederation Life Insurance Co.**

The increasing part played by life insurance companies in Canada's war time financial programme, and the additional responsibilities placed upon life insurance companies as a result of the war, were emphasized by Mr. C. S. Macdonald, President, and Mr. V. R. Smith, General Manager, at the Confederation Life Association's 71st annual meeting held at Toronto.

The Association reported one of the most successful years in its history. New business paid for and revived amounted to more than \$63,000,000. The gain in business in force actually has exceeded but once before. Business now in force is almost \$494,000,000, and the milestones of one-half billion dollars in force will shortly be exceeded. The mortality rate was much less than in 1941, although war claims were greater in 1942. The earned interest upon invested assets was 4.32 per cent—about 1-3 per cent less than a year ago. The expense rate is substantially reduced, reflecting to some degree the curtailment and elimination of many services, considered unessential in time of war.

Mr. C. S. Macdonald commended the practice of Canadian municipalities in retiring a substantial proportion of their funded debt, and for making a sharp reduction in new borrowings. He also referred with respect to the 177 members of their Canadian staff now on active service and the 87 members

**War—25 Years Ago Today**

(By The Canadian Press)  
Jan. 28, 1918—Col del Rosso and Col d'Eschele captured in Italian offensive east of the Asiago Plateau; 1,500 prisoners taken. Kishinev, capital of Bessarabia, captured by Rumanians. London raided by German aircraft; 58 killed, 173 injured.

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**THE CENTRAL GUARDIAN**

This column is reserved for news of local interest, but advertising of a newsy nature may be inserted at five cents a word, strictly payable in advance.

**CONFEDERATION LIFE INSURANCE**  
THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA—Divine worship will be held at St. Andrew's Church, Montreal on Sabbath next at 11.00 A.M. and 7.00 P.M. Mr. Donald Nicholson will conduct both services. 1-28-11.

**CITY POLICE OFFICER JOINS R.C.A.F.**—Mr. Robert Dalziel, who has been on the staff of the City Police Force for the past year and a half leaves for Moncton the first week in February to join the R.C.A.F. Previous to his departure, Mr. Dalziel was entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Y. Reddin, Brighton Road. Refreshments were served, and complimentary addresses were given by members of the City staff. Violin music by Don Messer, vocal numbers by Charlie Chamberlain and sleight of hand by Duke Neilson were enjoyed.

**A FORGED COMMUNICATION.**—With reference to the Memorandum Card allegedly signed by Mr. and Mrs. Waldron Stewart, Norborne and another advt. which appeared in the issue of The Guardian of 23rd inst. The Guardian has been advised that it was a forgery, and the R. O. M. P. are investigating the matter. The Guardian regrets giving publicity in all good faith to the notice and advt. and has handed over the advt. and letters to Mr. and Mrs. Stewart, with a view to tracing the perpetrators.

**EXECUTIVE MEETING OF D.C. S. HELD.**—An executive meeting of the Diocesan Church Society was held in St. Paul's Sunday School Reading Room Tuesday afternoon at 3 p.m. with the Venerable Archbishop Harrison, B.D., in the chair. There was a good attendance, including representatives from the Diocesan Board of the Women's Auxiliary. After the opening prayer and a brief address of welcome by the chairman, much routine business was transacted, including the reading of the Archbishop's report, and of the Executive report for 1942. Judge H.L. Palmer was present to explain certain changes to be made in the Church Act. A committee to be composed of ladies to be appointed by the W.A., the Past Secretary, Major T. E. Mansfield and the Secretary was appointed to arrange the details of the annual meet of the society. The meeting closed with Benediction pronounced by Archbishop Harrison, B.D.

**Personals**  
Mrs. George Gallant, 42 West St., has received a letter notifying her of the safe arrival in England of her son, John Alfred Gallant.

**Keep Minard's in the home.**

**Mr. George Casford serving somewhere in England for the past three years is the son of Mrs. Raymond Garrahan and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. George Woodside of Margate.**

**Partridge Situation Near Climax**

Game officials who have been studying the Hungarian partridge situation for the past week report that the birds are beginning to show the effects of the severe weather and heavily crusted snow. Coveys which have wintered well in government reserves and substantial withdrawals made during the year for two Victory Loan campaigns. Deposits of Dominion and Provincial Governments, \$28,590,846, are increased \$17,001,916.

**ISLANDERS DANCE.**—Time should not pass without special mention of a New Year's dance in down town, sponsored by the Prince Edward Island dance, which was held at Preston Hall, where the regular island dances are held every Saturday night. The year was danced out and the new year in with the usual merry making of horns, hats and whistles. In the writer's estimation it was on par with any such place of amusement in Montreal. There were upwards of seven hundred present and the pretty gowns worn by the ladies added to the magnificence of the affair which was carried out with good order and lots of fun. The success of the affair is credited to Mr. S. Johnston, an islander, who organizes these popular weekly dances.

**GIRL, CRYING 'MY BABY' CRASHES FIRE LINES TO SAVE BAG OF HEROIN**  
BROOKLYN, Jan. 26.—Mrs. Margaret Remers, 19, of 121 Henry St. Manhattan, returning from shopping yesterday, found the five-story tenement at that address on fire and dashed toward the doorway crying: "My baby! My baby!"

Forced back to safety, she struggled fiercely, and continued to scream. A fireman, under cover of streams from hoses, entered the building and staggered out, having overcome, to report that he could find no baby.

Mrs. Remers thereupon broke free, gained her ground-floor apartment and came out carrying a paper bag. Patrolman James J. Geoghan took a look at its contents and arrested her on a charge of possessing narcotics. In the bag, it is alleged, were 19 packages of heroin.

**IN MEMORIAM**

**MRS. JENNIE PANTON**

The death occurred at her home in Mt. Buchanan on Tuesday, the twelfth of January of Jennie Panton, widow of the late Martin Panton, of Mt. Buchanan, in her 89th year.

During her short illness she was lovingly cared for by her daughter, Mrs. Weston Martin, with whom she made her home.

The deceased was twice married. Her first husband was William MacNeill, of Antigonish, N.S., who predeceased her 44 years ago. By this union there were four children, Nettie May, who died in infancy; William C., who resides in Edmonton, Alberta; Hubert B., of Canal Flats, B.C., and Jennie M., with whom she resided and who all will cherish the fond memory of a loving mother.

The funeral was held from her home on January 14th, and was largely attended. The service was conducted by her pastor, Rev. E.C. Evans. The hymns sung were "The twenty-third psalm," "Safe in the Arms of Jesus" and "There is No Night in Heaven."

**CHEMISTRY HELPS TO WIN THE WAR**



**Their Colours Come first!**

BECAUSE we are in the fourth year of this war, some of the brilliant patchwork of peacetime colours may be missing from our lives, but war, for all its drabness, only tones down some of the colours used. Naturally enough, the service colours dominate the scene—Navy Blue, Airforce Blue, Army Khaki.

The dye chemist's first duty is to ensure that these service colours will stand up under all kinds of exposure and rough treatment. Gone, now, is the dependence of Canada (before the last war) on dyestuffs of German origin. Today, these are fully replaced by dyes from Great Britain and the United States.

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