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CHTEUTS CLSHED AGAMTS INDIVIDUAL ACCOUNTS，NOVENBER． 1943.
The woun：of cheques cashed in clearing centres rose to a high point in November，the total heving been $\$ 5,9 i 3$ million against $\$ 4,967$ million in the same month of last yoar．The incraase reflecting heary payments on the Fifth Tictory Loan and nccaleration of economic actirities，amounted to no less than 19 poc．Goins were recorded in each of the five econouic areas，the greatest percentage increase having been shown in the Prairie Frovinces．The total in that area rose from $\$ 763$ million in November last year to $\$ 1,155$ million in the month under review．The gain in Winnipeg was from $\$ 455$ gillion to $\$ 719$ milisorn Gains ware recorded in each of the ten centres in the aren；the Let result being an edvance of wore than $51 p_{0} c_{0}$

The incromect autivity of tine Maritime Favinces wos reflected in the increase of $28,8 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{c}$ ．in the cheques cashed in the thee clearing centres．The iotal was $\$ 139$ million against $\$ 203$ milifon one year ago．The gain in Saint John was from $\$ 29$ million to $\$ 42$ million：a eain of 43 poc

Cheques cashea in Quebec were $\$ 1.729$ millione a gain of 21.6 p．c．over the same month last year．The adranee in Vontreal was from $\$ 1,295$ million to $\$ 1,555$ million． Increases were show th twelve of the fouttoen centres of ontario，the total having been $\$ 2.551$ aillion açifist $\$ 2,399$ miliion．The iacrease wes $6.3 \mathrm{p}_{0} \mathrm{c}_{\text {．．The AgEregate for }}$ Jiritish Columbia wias \＄3ks． 5 million aganat $\$ 283$ nillion in November：194：。The increase wh 23,3 poc．refleuting eatns in ean of the three clearing centras．

## Comparison with the fiast Gleven months of 1942．

Pank ciabits in the first eleven months of the present year were $\$ 48,946$ million
 in each of the five eccmanic areas，the increase in the aggregnte haring been 18.4 p．c． The reatest percentane increase was show in the Frairie Provinces where the total aoved up by $\$ 2, \% 20$ to $\$ 3, z^{2} \%$ million the ficcrease being $36.3 \mathrm{p}, \mathrm{c}$ 。

The gatn in the Maritimes was $15.4 p_{0} c_{0}$ An increase of $20.7 \mathrm{p}, c_{0}$ was shown in Quebec，the fotai hering been in excess of \＄14 billion．The ascregate in Cntario was $\$ 22,521$ millicm recorling in fain of $\$ 2,42^{\prime} 4$ million over the same period of last year． The increase in British Coiumbla was $16.6 p_{0} c_{0}$ ，the total in the first eleron anths havine been $\$ 3,016$ million．

## Comprison with octoiber，1943．after seasonal nd．fustment

 after seasonal adfustritni was no less than 26 poc．The gains by ecnnomic areas were of
 tie usual adjustment，showed a gain of 60 p，$c$ ．The Maritime Provinces and Quebec recorded ains of $26.7 p_{0} c$ and $31.5 p_{n} c_{0}$ ，rospectively．A riarked increase was shown in Toronto， the ageresace in：the Province of Cntario having been 10.4 poc．The gains in Vancouver

Comparison with other foctors．
Cheques cashed against current accounts including Dominion and Provincial ralances and demaid ceposits were $\$ E, 531$ aillion in November，representing a turnover of C 62，the tntel deposits at the heginning of the month having beer $\$ 2,146$ nillion．The tarnover of notice deposits wae 14，cheques cashed having been $\$ 2.55$ milion against $\$ 1,961$ million on depogit at the beriming of the month．The turnover of current accounts was greever than in ajv other worth of the present year．

Circrietutne acdia in the hands of the public was estimated at $\$ 823$ milion in November as compare？with $\hat{\$}$ ． lands of the puhlic rose frox $\$ 323.5$ million to $\$ 767.3$ millior．d moderate increase was recoried in the suostalamy coin held by the puiblic．The deposit liabilities of the chartered berks，inciuding four main classes，were $\$ 4,107$ million at the beginning of the
 was from $\$ 4,280$ giliton one year ago to $\$ 4,933$ million，anounting to ahout $15 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{c}$ ．

As casi parmants wore ostimated aj $\$ 1,221$ million in November， 1942 and at \＄1，559 million in the wonth under reiow，the cash and cheque payments，including an estinate for dehits outside of clearing centres，were placed at $\$ 8,212$ million in the nonth under review acrifus $\$ 6,803$ fitilion one year ago．The indicated gain was more than $20 \mathrm{p}, \mathrm{c}$ 。

- Tarle 1. - EANK DESITS TO INDIVIDUAL ACCOUNTS AT THE CLEARIVG HOUSE CMNTRES IN CANADA, MUVMBER, 1943, WITH COMPARATIVE FIGURTS FOR OCTOSER, 1943 AND NOVFMBER, 1942. 1/

| Province and Clearing House Centres | INDIVIDUAL ACC Noveňer,1943 | October, 1943 | Noverber, 1982 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Maritine Provinces - |  |  |  |
| Hallfax | 76,035,456 | 57,844,026 | 62,206,007 |
| Moncton | 20,867,975 | 18,362,383 | 16,330,409 |
| Saint John | 42,013,826 | 29,471,657 | 29,308,705 |
| Total - Maritime Provinces | 138,917,257 | 105,678,066 | 107, 845,121 |
| Quebec - |  |  |  |
| Mortreal | 1,555,459,074 | 1,145,506,878 | 1,294,534,894 |
| Quehec | 149,557,707 | 112,836,201 | 105,625, 878 |
| Sherbrooke | 13,796,759 | 12,958,295 | 12,840,542 |
| Total - Quebec | 1,718,813,540 | 1,271,301,374 | 1,413,001,314 |
| Ontario - |  |  |  |
| Srantford | 25,267, 218 | 19,653,342 | 19,935,632 |
| Chatham | 11,700,601 | 11,142,516 | 12,148,966 |
| Fort Willam | 14,983, 238 | 12,667,536 | 12,863,720 |
| Hamilton | 133, 917,961 | 123,444, 929 | 132,569,718 |
| Kincston | 15,996,692 | 12,864,359 | 13,210,744 |
| Kitchener | 34,560,816 | 22,476,462 | 33,850,542 |
| London | 71,053,715 | 48,513,340 | 62,564,825 |
| Ottawa | 675,456,592 | 731, 526, 364 | $718,748,498$ |
| Peterborough | 12,801,996 | 14,134,438 | 12,070,955 |
| St. Catharines | 27,570,517 | $20,895,217$ | $24,295,510$ |
| Sarnia | 16,288,285 | 15,475,665 | 12,809,310 |
| Suabury | 10,211,093 | 9,805,933 | 8,908,455 |
| Toronto | 1,409,573,952 | 964, 944, 215 | 1,248,864,850 |
| ifindsor | 91,605,179 | 85,111,255 | 86,458,042 |
| Total - Ontario | 2,550,988,955 | 2,093,056,2\%1 | 2,399,299,597 |


| rovinces |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Brandon | 7,783,976 | 7,695,161 | 6,780,535 |
| Calgary | 177,142,263 | 113,730, 050 | 102,197,532 |
| Bdmonton | 97,064,722 | 91,534,986 | 76,856,707 |
| Lethbridge | 10,692,016 | 9, 642,101 | 8,110,002 |
| Medicine Hat | 5,900,887 | 6,194:401 | 4,877,780 |
| Moose Jaw | 15, 669,784 | 12,050,047 | 11,231, 208 |
| Prince Albert | 6,305,305 | 5,264,943 | 5,515,386 |
| Regina | 94,994,493 | 52,313, 733 | 74,820,243 |
| Saskatoon | 20,911,197 | 19,221,431 | 17,949,309 |
| Winnipeg | 718,705,757 | 546,369,672 | 454, 585, 239 |
| Total - Prairie Provinces | 1:155,250,900 | 894, 284,524 | 762,924,496 |
| Iritish Columbia - |  |  |  |
| New Westainster | 16,319,082 | 14.2.0, 130 | 13.448,263 |
| Vancoruer | 284,145, 944 | 233,787, 355 | 225,049, 439 |
| Victoria | 49,041,543 | 42,088,970 | 44,989,568 |
| Total - British Columbia | 349,506,569 | 289:806,436 | 283,487,270 |
| GRAND TOTAL FOR CATADA | 5,913,477,221 | 4,654, 206,673 | ,966,558,098 |

[^0]| DCCNOMLC AREAS | CURERIT ACCOINTS |  | SAVINES ACCOUTTS |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Noverher, 1943 | Ocrober, 1943 | Noverter: 1943 | October, 1943 |
|  | \$ | \$ | \$ | \$ |
| Muritime Provinces | 131,853,005 | 99,494, 298 | 7,054, 252 | 6,103,76\% |
| Que bac | 1,620,725,246 | 1,199,155,132 | 98,084,294 | 72,146,242 |
| Ontario | 2,427, 025,550 | 1, 997, 326, 407 | 123,167.405 | 95,729,364 |
| Frnitio Erovinces | 1: 127,410:242 | 664,297,039 | 27,840,658 | 29, 987,435 |
| ritish Colunbia | 323,135,151 | 265,508,420 | 26,371,408 | 24,298,010 |
| GEAID TOIAL FOR CATJADA | 5:530,949,204 | 4,425,861,346 | 262,520,017 | 228, 345, 327 |
| AITK DEMIS | First mleven Months of 1943 | First Eleven Months of 1952 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Increase }(+) \\ & \text { Decrease (-) } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Fercentace } \\ & \text { of } 1943 \\ & \text { to } 1942 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | \$ | \$ | \$ | \% |
| Rivisitime Provinces | 1,136,735,007 | 584, 942,077 | + 151,642.930 | 115.4 |
| bue hec | 14,000, 621:372 | 11,596,193,126 | +2,402,428,246 | 120.7 |
| Ontario | 22,521,303,400 | 20,093,993,511 | +2,427,205,097 | 112.1 |
| Vrairie Protinces | 3,277,079,436 | 6,067,989,437 | +2,203,039,949 | 136.3 |
| -ritish Columbia | 3,015,717,592 | 2,505,532,526 | + 423,155,065 | 115.6 |
| GRAND MONAL TOR CAITEDA | $48,946,286,815$ | $41,331,640,727$ | $+7,614,646,008$ | 118.4 |


| SEASOITLLY ADJUSTED <br> ECOIOMC THEETSS | $\frac{1942}{\text { IN overiber }}$ | sune | July | $\frac{1 \quad 9}{\text { Autust }}$ | $\frac{43}{\text { Septeaber }}$ | October | vember |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Cant Deltits 1935-39-100 | 164,0 | 147.5 | 158.2 | 157.1 | 171.6 | 155.0 | 195,4 |
| Fhysical Volune of Iusiness | - 20\%.3 | 232.4 | 236.3 | 241.0 | 230.7 | 239.5 | - |
| Cormon Stncks 1035-39=100. | 67. 5 | 06.3 | 91.0 | 88.9 | 89.3 | 66.4 | - |
| Cost of Living | 113.6 | 118.5 | 110.0 | 119.2 | 119.4 | 119.3 | 119.4 |
| Employment in manufac-tu二保, 1026:100 | 216.4 | 219.7 | 221.8 | 222.6 | 223.4 | 223.9 |  |
| Wholesaie Erices 19¢6:100. | 86.9 | 99.5 | 100.1 | 100.4 | 101.2 | 101.2 |  |
| CIRC:MTTINO Naila | Millions of Dollars |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Anit of Sanada Notes | 65\%. 0 | 745.8 | 758.4 | 776.1 | 796.7 | 815.1 | 836.6 |
| Circulation of Jank lotes. | 70.1 | 51.3 | 49.8 | 46.5 | 47.4 | 45.8 | 45.8 |
| Total Notes in Hands of Finhlic | 623.5 | 674.8 | 633.6 | 710.6 | 724.6 | 746.7 | 767.3 |
| Susintary Goin in Hands of Fublic ( $x$ ) ..... | 47.6 | 51.1 | 52.0 | 53.3 | 53.4 | 54.1 | 55.5 |
| Circulating Madia in Hands of Eublic ( m ) | 671.j. | 725.9 | 745.6 | 771.9 | 778.2 | 200. 8 | 622. 6 |

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Tintice Deposits ...........1:708.7 1,732.3 1,782.1 1,825.8 1,915.7 1,988.9 1,961.2 Jemand Deproits .......... I, 609.1 1,451.6 1,539.0 1,476.1 1,652.7 1,767.7 1,826.0
Dmanion Government

Erorincial Covernment
Devosits .............. 101. 1 20.3 93.3 i01.9 100,7 107.8 17.3 .0
Total Deposits (M1) $\ldots . .3,603.9$ 4,151.6 $4,100.9$ 3,959.1 $\quad 3,977.7$ 4,085.3 $4,107.1$


ank Dohits + $12 \frac{1}{2}$ D.C.
(M1V1) …......... b,583. 4, 893. 4,957. 4:523 5,046. 5,236. 6,653.
Velocity of Jank

Thnk Dabits less 5 lerge
centres …e........0.05
Onsh Faytuents (MV) ..... 1, 221.
Cash and Oherue Payments

Index of Cash end Cheque
Foyments
157.8 171.3
$174.7 \quad 161.3 \quad 150.2 \quad 187.0 \quad 238.5$

(x) Revisen Series.


[^0]:    1/ The collection of statistics of bank clearings was aiscontinued as from the end of September lat.

