

61-261

c.2

CANADA  
DEPARTMENT OF TRADE AND COMMERCE  
DOMINION BUREAU OF STATISTICS  
GENERAL STATISTICS BRANCH

ANNUAL REPORT  
of  
BANK DEBITS TO INDIVIDUAL ACCOUNTS  
or  
Amount of Cheques Passing Through the Banks  
at  
Clearing House Centres in Canada

1927

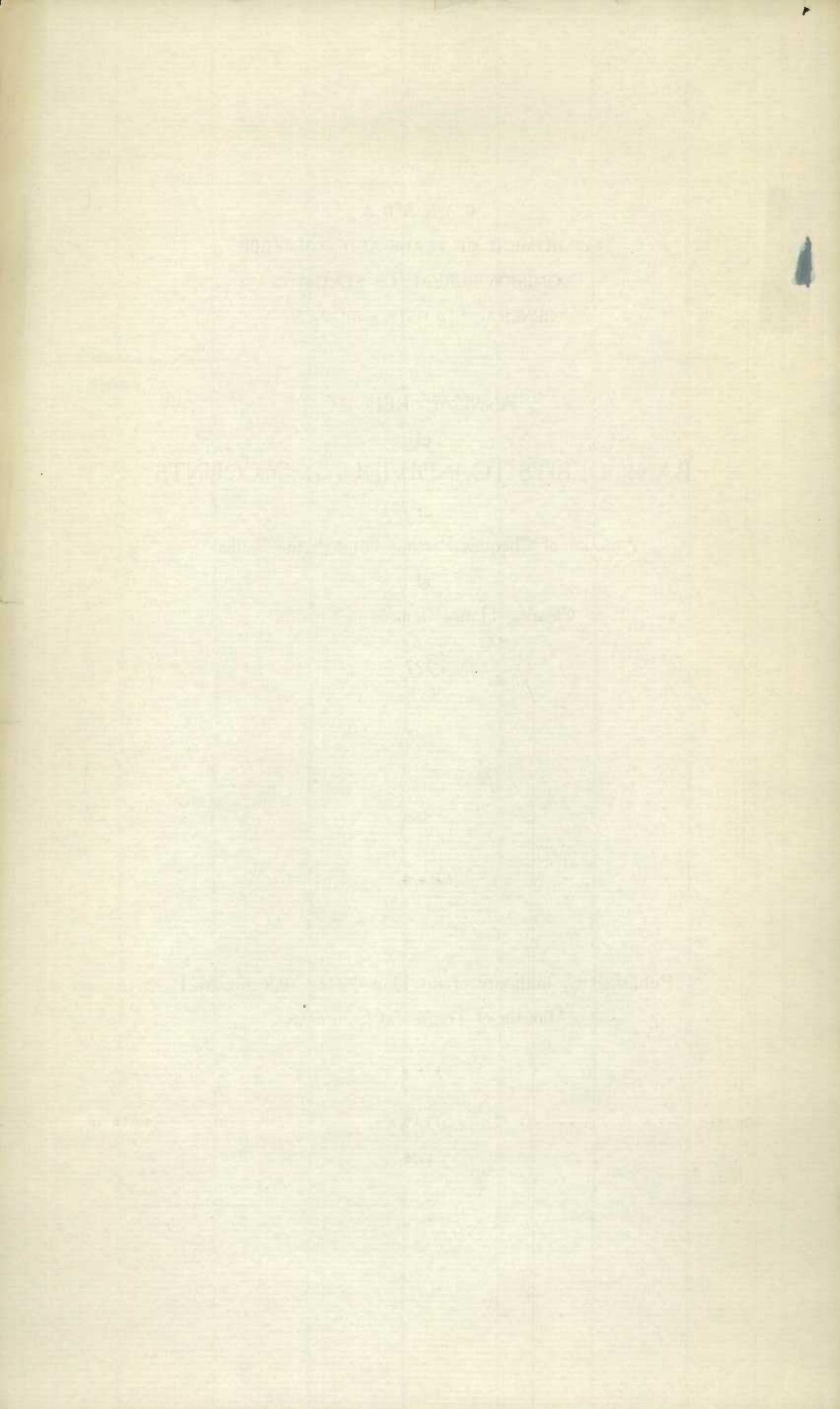
+ + +

Published by authority of the Hon. James Malcolm, M. P.,  
Minister of Trade and Commerce

+ + +

OTTAWA

1928



DOMINION BUREAU OF STATISTICS  
GENERAL STATISTICS BRANCH  
OTTAWA

Dominion Statistician: R. H. Goulet, B.A., F.S.S.(Hon.), F.R.S.C.  
Chief, General Statistics: S. A. Cudmore, M.A., F.S.S.

BANK DEBITS TO INDIVIDUAL ACCOUNTS

or

Amount of Cheques Charged against Bank Accounts at the  
Clearing House Centres in 1927.

The dollar volume of Canadian business in 1927, as measured by bank debits was nearly 19 p.c. greater than in the preceding year, while the increase over 1925 was 28 p.c. The debits in 1927, as reported to the Dominion Bureau of Statistics by the Canadian Bankers' Association, were \$36,094,000,000, compared with \$30,358,000,000 in 1926 and \$28,126,000,000 in 1925.

Increases were especially marked in Quebec and Ontario, and moderate advances were shown in the remaining economic areas. Montreal and Toronto, consequent upon active trading on the mining and stock exchanges, showed the substantial increases of 29 p.c. and 28 p.c. respectively.

The original decision to secure records of bank debits to individual accounts was due to the realization that as a consequence of the bank amalgamations which had been taking place, bank clearings were recording a steadily decreasing proportion of the country's business. The change which became effective January 1, 1924 makes available a comparable record of the dollar volume of business and the approximate velocity of circulation of Canadian bank deposits. Since the inauguration of the change, the number of chartered banks in Canada has declined through amalgamations, and there are now only eleven chartered banks as compared with sixteen at the end of 1923. This decline in the number of banks vitiates the comparability of bank clearing statistics and gives a misleading idea of the volume of business transactions. Bank debits in 1927 showed an increase of 30 p.c. over 1924, while the gain in clearings was only 21 p.c.

ECONOMIC AREAS

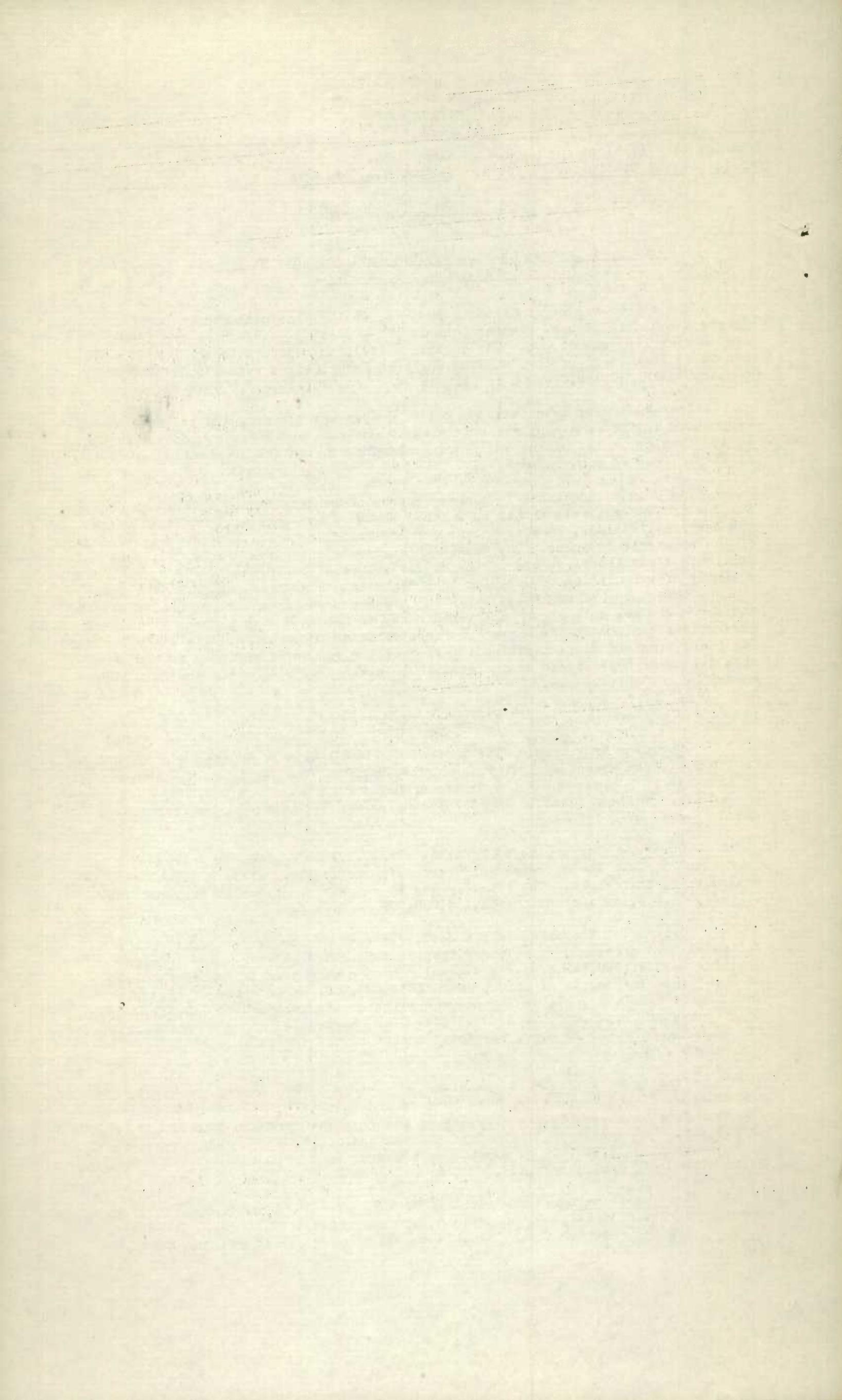
Maritime Provinces. - The increase in the debits in Halifax was \$14,000,000 or 4.6 p.c., the amount in 1927 being \$324,500,000. The debits in Moncton showed an increase of 5 p.c., while the debits of Saint John were \$219,000,000, an increase of 2.2 p.c. The net total in the three centres was \$627,700,000, an increase of nearly 4 p.c. over 1926.

Quebec. - The debits of Montreal were \$11,779,700,000, an increase of no less than 29 p.c. The increase in Quebec city was 14 p.c., while a slight decline was shown in Sherbrooke. The total in the three centres of Quebec province was \$12,644,000,000, an increase of \$2,734,000,000 or 27.6 p.c.

Ontario. - Increases in the debits in each of the 12 centres of Ontario indicated more prosperous conditions than in the preceding year. The increase in Hamilton was \$51,000,000 or 8.2 p.c., while London showed an increase of \$61,000,000 or 20.8 p.c. The debits of Windsor were \$452,000,000, an increase of 19.3 p.c. The largest gain was shown in Toronto where the debits amounted to \$10,537,000,000, an increase of \$2,327,000,000 or 28.3 p.c. The aggregate increase in the Province was \$2,643,000,000 or 22 p.c., the total amount of the debits in 1927 being \$14,642,000,000.

Prairie Provinces. - Eight clearing centres in the Prairie Provinces and the Branches of the Weyburn Security Park showed increases in 1927. The debits in Edmonton increased \$39,000,000 or 9.9 p.c. while Regina showed a gain of \$37,000,000 or 9.2 p.c. The debits of Winnipeg were in excess of \$4,000,000,000, representing an increase of \$128,000,000 or 3.3 p.c. The total for the eleven centres and the Weyburn Security Bank was \$6,127,000,000, an increase of 4 p.c.

British Columbia. - The increase in Vancouver was \$42,700,000 or 2.7 p.c. and a larger gain of \$44,900,000 or 13.6 p.c. was shown in Victoria. The debits in the three centres of British Columbia showed an increase of \$93,000,000 or 4.8 p.c.



COMPARISON WITH 1925.

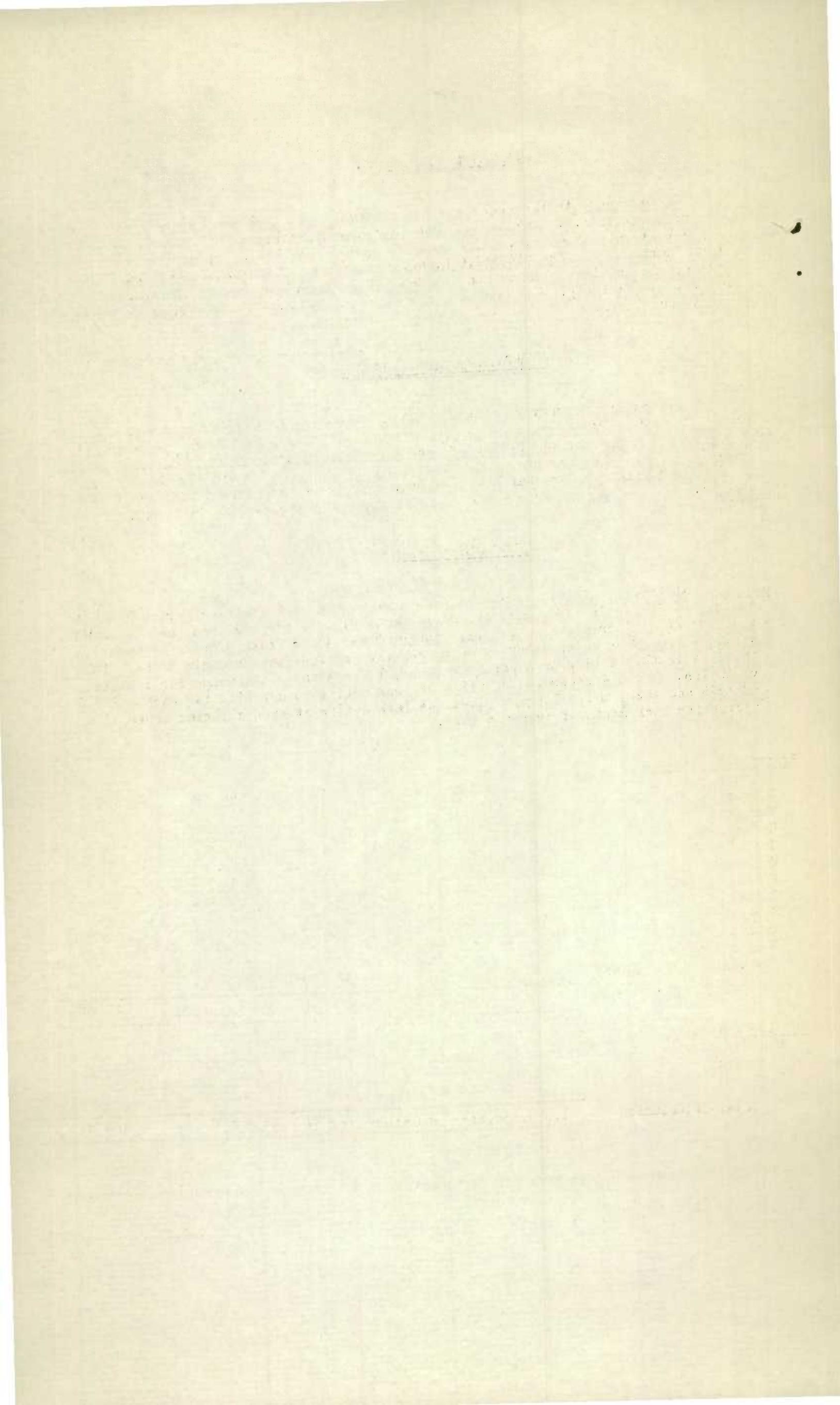
The increase in the bank debits in Canada during 1927 as compared with 1925 was about 28 p.c. Each of the economic areas participated in the advance, the greatest gain of 49 p.c. being shown in Quebec Province. The debits in Ontario during 1927 were \$14,642,000,000, an increase of 30 p.c. over 1925. The increases in British Columbia and in the Maritime provinces were 11.5 p.c. and 9.6 p.c. respectively. The more moderate increase of 2.1 p.c. was shown in the Prairie Provinces.

TURNOVER OF BANK DEPOSITS

The average turnover of bank deposits increased in 1927 as compared with the preceding year: the average monthly percentage of bank debits to the demand and notice deposits as at the end of each month was 151.6 in 1927, as compared with 134.0 in 1926. The increase in the turnover of bank deposits was due to the bank debits increasing faster than the deposits. The increase in the debits was nearly 19 p.c., while the increase in the deposits was about 5 p.c. (See Table 4).

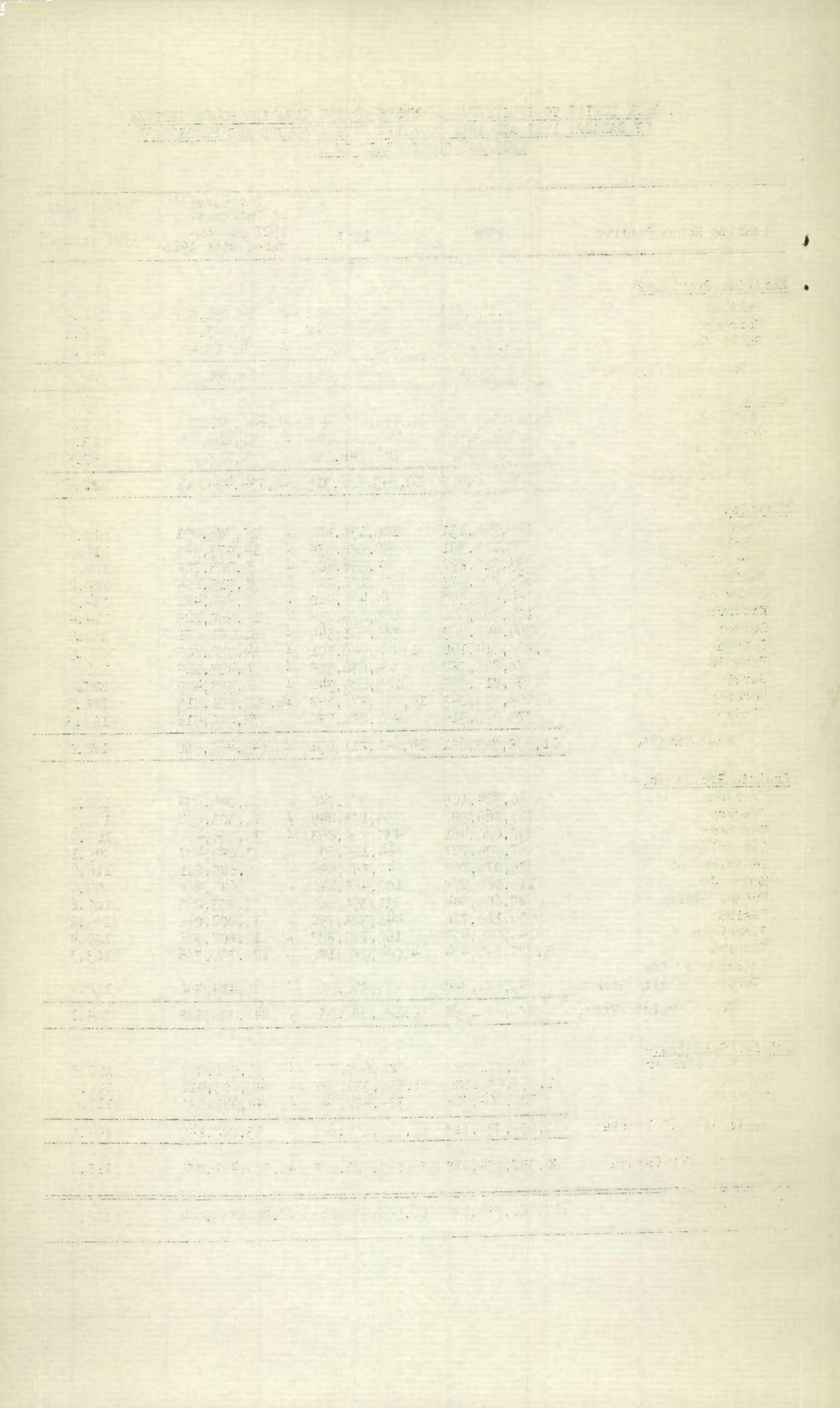
STATISTICAL TABLES.

In Table 1 will be found the bank deposits in each of the clearing house centres of Canada in 1927, with the comparative figures for 1926 and the absolute and percentage increase or decrease. Tables 2 and 3 are index numbers of bank debits in the four chief clearing house centres and the five economic areas, with the 1924 monthly debits as a base; of these, Table 3 makes allowance for seasonal variation. Table 4 shows the relation of bank debits to deposits for each month of 1926 and 1927, while Table 5 gives the bank debits at each clearing house centre for each month of 1926 and 1927.



1. BANK DEBITS TO INDIVIDUAL ACCOUNTS AT THE CLEARING HOUSE CENTRES OF CANADA, 1927 AND 1926 TOGETHER WITH ABSOLUTE AND PERCENTAGE INCREASE OR DECREASE IN 1927.

Clearing House Centres	1926	1927	Increase{+} or Decrease{-}	Increase{+} or Decrease{-}	Percentages of
				1927 as com- pared with 1926	1927 to 1926
	\$	\$	\$	\$	
<u>Maritime Provinces-</u>					
Halifax	310,156,211	324,547,787	+	14,391,576	104.6
Moncton	80,079,852	84,077,248	+	3,997,396	105.0
Saint John	214,503,609	219,119,014	+	4,615,405	102.2
Total-Maritime Prov.	604,739,672	627,744,049	+	23,004,377	103.8
<u>Quebec.-</u>					
Montreal	9,133,357,705	11,779,679,473	+	2,646,321,768	129.0
Quebec	653,974,690	745,180,824	+	91,206,134	113.9
Sherbrooke	122,139,414	119,046,018	-	3,093,396	97.5
Total-Quebec	9,909,471,809	12,643,906,315	+	2,734,434,506	127.6
<u>Ontario.-</u>					
Brantford	104,344,131	120,130,422	+	15,786,291	115.1
Chatham	78,113,391	92,586,934	+	14,473,543	118.5
Fort William	93,312,892	98,596,600	+	5,283,708	105.7
Hamilton	625,859,573	677,172,777	+	51,313,204	108.2
Kingston	64,839,952	74,495,420	+	9,655,462	114.9
Kitchener	107,791,171	123,259,396	+	15,468,225	114.4
London	294,440,263	355,621,944	+	61,181,681	120.8
Ottawa	1,868,014,198	1,922,946,801	+	54,932,603	102.9
Peterborough	76,225,782	84,632,905	+	8,407,123	111.0
Sarnia	96,815,933	103,209,342	+	6,393,409	106.6
Toronto	8,209,525,043	10,536,876,258	+	2,327,351,215	128.3
Windsor	379,061,316	452,282,232	+	73,220,916	119.3
Total-Ontario	11,998,343,651	14,641,811,031	+	2,643,467,380	122.0
<u>Prairie Provinces.-</u>					
Brandon	50,324,105	51,370,740	+	1,046,635	102.1
Calgary	717,869,597	734,173,249	+	16,303,652	102.3
Edmonton	398,020,461	437,356,863	+	39,336,402	109.9
Lethbridge	67,394,727	64,105,290	-	3,289,437	95.1
Medicine Hat	35,076,705	40,757,596	+	5,680,891	116.2
Moose Jaw	110,068,268	109,425,240	-	642,968	99.4
Prince Albert	28,605,444	31,358,667	+	2,753,223	109.6
Regina	404,126,726	441,328,792	+	37,202,066	109.2
Saskatoon	146,930,427	160,732,823	+	13,802,396	109.4
Winnipeg	3,877,247,424	4,004,980,180	+	127,732,756	103.3
Branches of the Weburn Security Bank	49,982,244	51,396,596	+	1,414,352	102.8
Total-Prairie Prov.	5,885,646,068	6,126,986,036	+	241,339,968	104.1
<u>British Columbia.-</u>					
New Westminster	77,071,830	82,663,727	+	5,591,897	107.3
Vancouver	1,553,256,186	1,595,939,598	+	42,683,412	102.7
Victoria	329,504,802	374,452,342	+	44,947,540	113.6
Total-Br.Columbia	1,959,832,818	2,053,055,667	+	93,222,849	104.5
Grand Total for Canada	30,358,034,018	36,093,503,098	+	5,735,469,080	118.9
Bank Clearings	17,720,584,189	20,568,437,227	+	2,847,853,074	116.0



2.- INDEX NUMBERS OF BANK DEBITS IN THE FOUR CHIEF CLEARING HOUSE  
CENTRES AND IN THE FIVE ECONOMIC AREAS

(Average Monthly Debits for 1924 = 100.).

	Montreal	Toronto	Winnipeg	Vancouver	Maritime Provinces
<u>1926</u>					
January	111	103	94	107	101
February	103	98	73	103	106
March	108	95	90	127	100
April	127	121	78	106	103
May	112	101	104	105	102
June	120	127	103	104	103
July	112	103	98	110	120
August	130	97	99	106	104
September	121	99	2	108	94
October	146	106	140	105	103
November	141	113	142	119	99
December	132	123	116	134	102
Average	122	107	102	109	103
<u>1927</u>					
January	128	131	86	107	97
February	116	119	56	92	93
March	129	123	95	109	98
April	132	122	94	108	99
May	150	135	111	121	105
June	172	128	85	112	103
July	140	112	96	105	115
August	126	116	99	113	106
September	144	141	90	110	114
October	188	168	134	117	116
November	234	172	173	128	112
December	235	185	152	139	130
Average	157	153	107	113	107
	Quebec	Ontario	Prairie Provinces	British Columbia	Canada
<u>1926</u>					
January	111	99	104	114	108
February	103	92	82	104	95
March	107	97	106	119	102
April	126	124	91	111	116
May	113	105	104	106	107
June	119	127	104	112	119
July	116	102	101	114	107
August	129	95	102	111	108
September	121	98	93	110	104
October	145	108	137	120	125
November	141	115	136	120	129
December	133	122	123	136	123
Average	122	107	107	114	112
<u>1926</u>					
January	126	120	94	114	116
February	116	109	67	94	101
March	123	115	99	112	115
April	132	117	97	110	117
May	149	133	111	126	132
June	161	124	91	117	127
July	142	110	104	115	119
August	127	111	107	118	115
September	143	129	97	117	126
October	185	150	135	132	155
November	230	167	173	130	183
December	231	183	159	144	189
Average	156	131	111	119	133

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70	71	72	73	74	75	76	77	78	79	80	81	82	83	84	85	86	87	88	89	90	91	92	93	94	95	96	97	98	99	100	101	102	103	104	105	106	107	108	109	110	111	112	113	114	115	116	117	118	119	120	121	122	123	124	125	126	127	128	129	130	131	132	133	134	135	136	137	138	139	140	141	142	143	144	145	146	147	148	149	150	151	152	153	154	155	156	157	158	159	160	161	162	163	164	165	166	167	168	169	170	171	172	173	174	175	176	177	178	179	180	181	182	183	184	185	186	187	188	189	190	191	192	193	194	195	196	197	198	199	200	201	202	203	204	205	206	207	208	209	210	211	212	213	214	215	216	217	218	219	220	221	222	223	224	225	226	227	228	229	230	231	232	233	234	235	236	237	238	239	240	241	242	243	244	245	246	247	248	249	250	251	252	253	254	255	256	257	258	259	260	261	262	263	264	265	266	267	268	269	270	271	272	273	274	275	276	277	278	279	280	281	282	283	284	285	286	287	288	289	290	291	292	293	294	295	296	297	298	299	300	301	302	303	304	305	306	307	308	309	310	311	312	313	314	315	316	317	318	319	320	321	322	323	324	325	326	327	328	329	330	331	332	333	334	335	336	337	338	339	340	341	342	343	344	345	346	347	348	349	350	351	352	353	354	355	356	357	358	359	360	361	362	363	364	365	366	367	368	369	370	371	372	373	374	375	376	377	378	379	380	381	382	383	384	385	386	387	388	389	390	391	392	393	394	395	396	397	398	399	400	401	402	403	404	405	406	407	408	409	410	411	412	413	414	415	416	417	418	419	420	421	422	423	424	425	426	427	428	429	430	431	432	433	434	435	436	437	438	439	440	441	442	443	444	445	446	447	448	449	450	451	452	453	454	455	456	457	458	459	460	461	462	463	464	465	466	467	468	469	470	471	472	473	474	475	476	477	478	479	480	481	482	483	484	485	486	487	488	489	490	491	492	493	494	495	496	497	498	499	500	501	502	503	504	505	506	507	508	509	510	511	512	513	514	515	516	517	518	519	520	521	522	523	524	525	526	527	528	529	530	531	532	533	534	535	536	537	538	539	540	541	542	543	544	545	546	547	548	549	550	551	552	553	554	555	556	557	558	559	560	561	562	563	564	565	566	567	568	569	570	571	572	573	574	575	576	577	578	579	580	581	582	583	584	585	586	587	588	589	590	591	592	593	594	595	596	597	598	599	600	601	602	603	604	605	606	607	608	609	610	611	612	613	614	615	616	617	618	619	620	621	622	623	624	625	626	627	628	629	630	631	632	633	634	635	636	637	638	639	640	641	642	643	644	645	646	647	648	649	650	651	652	653	654	655	656	657	658	659	660	661	662	663	664	665	666	667	668	669	670	671	672	673	674	675	676	677	678	679	680	681	682	683	684	685	686	687	688	689	690	691	692	693	694	695	696	697	698	699	700	701	702	703	704	705	706	707	708	709	710	711	712	713	714	715	716	717	718	719	720	721	722	723	724	725	726	727	728	729	730	731	732	733	734	735	736	737	738	739	740	741	742	743	744	745	746	747	748	749	750	751	752	753	754	755	756	757	758	759	760	761	762	763	764	765	766	767	768	769	770	771	772	773	774	775	776	777	778	779	780	781	782	783	784	785	786	787	788	789	790	791	792	793	794	795	796	797	798	799	800	801	802	803	804	805	806	807	808	809	8010	8011	8012	8013	8014	8015	8016	8017	8018	8019	8020	8021	8022	8023	8024	8025	8026	8027	8028	8029	8030	8031	8032	8033	8034	8035	8036	8037	8038	8039	8040	8041	8042	8043	8044	8045	8046	8047	8048	8049	8050	8051	8052	8053	8054	8055	8056	8057	8058	8059	8060	8061	8062	8063	8064	8065	8066	8067	8068	8069	8070	8071	8072	8073	8074	8075	8076	8077	8078	8079	8080	8081	8082	8083	8084	8085	8086	8087	8088	8089	80810	80811	80812	80813	80814	80815	80816	80817	80818	80819	80820	80821	80822	80823	80824	80825	80826	80827	80828	80829	80830	80831	80832	80833	80834	80835	80836	80837	80838	80839	80840	80841	80842	80843	80844	80845	80846	80847	80848	80849	80850	80851	80852	80853	80854	80855	80856	80857	80858	80859	80860	80861	80862	80863	80864	80865	80866	80867	80868	80869	80870	80871	80872	80873	80874	80875	80876	80877	80878	80879	80880	80881	80882	80883	80884	80885	80886	80887	80888	80889	80890	80891	80892	80893	80894	80895	80896	80897	80898	80899	80900	80901	80902	80903	80904	80905	80906	80907	80908	80909	80910	80911	80912	80913	80914	80915	80916	80917	80918	80919	80920	80921	80922	80923	80924	80925	80926	80927	80928	80929	80930	80931	80932	80933	80934	80935	80936	80937	80938	80939	80940	80941	80942	80943	80944	80945	80946	80947	80948	80949	80950	80951	80952	80953	80954	80955	80956	80957	80958	80959	80960	80961	80962	80963	80964	80965	80966	80967	80968	80969	80970	80971	80972	80973	80974	80975	80976	80977	80978	80979	80980	80981	80982	80983	80984	80985	80986	80987	80988	80989	80990	80991	80992	80993	80994	80995	80996	80997	80998	80999	809100	809101	809102	809103	809104	809105	809106	809107	809108	809109	809110	809111	809112	809113	809114	809115	809116	809117	809118	809119	809120	809121	809122	809123	809124	809125	809126	809127	809128	809129	809130	809131	809132	809133	809134	809135	809136	809137	809138	809139	809140	809141	809142	809143	809144	809145	809146	809147	809148	809149	809150	809151	809152	809153	809154	809155	809156	809157	809158	809159	809160	809161	809162	809163	809164	809165	809166	809167	809168	809169	809170	809171	809172	809173	809174	809175	809176	809177	809178	809179	809180	809181	809182	809183	809184	809185	809186	809187	809188	809189	809190	809191	809192	809193	809194	809195	

3.- INDEX NUMBERS OF BANK DEBITS IN CANADA BASED ON THE AVERAGE FOR  
 1924 EQUALLING 100, CORRECTED FOR SEASONAL VARIATION ACCORDING  
 TO EXPERIENCE WITH BANK CLEARINGS FOR EACH CENTRE IN THE TWELVE  
 YEARS 1913-1924 INCLUSIVE

	Montreal	Toronto	Winnipeg	Vancouver	Canada
<u>1926</u>					
January	118	104	106	115	112
February	126	118	102	121	118
March	119	102	115	123	114
April	136	127	87	111	124
May	104	97	103	106	103
June	116	125	123	106	120
July	109	103	129	107	110
August	138	106	151	101	119
September	132	110	99	103	112
October	130	89	80	97	104
November	119	101	87	110	105
December	118	108	83	128	108
<u>1927</u>					
January	137	134	98	115	123
February	143	143	78	107	127
March	142	131	122	115	129
April	142	127	105	114	125
May	141	130	109	122	127
June	158	126	101	114	129
July	136	112	126	102	122
August	134	126	151	107	127
September	157	157	98	105	136
October	188	142	88	109	129
November	198	154	106	119	150
December	210	164	108	132	148

4.- BANK DEPOSITS AND BANK DEBITS, AND RATIO OF  
 DEBITS TO DEPOSITS 1926 AND 1927.

	Demand and Notice Deposits in Canada as at last day of preceding month	Bank Debits (000's omitted)	Percentage of Bank Debits to Deposits in Canada %
<u>1926</u>			
January	1,916,325	2,368,210	123.5
February	1,840,297	3,132,220	116.0
March	1,842,302	2,309,312	125.2
April	1,897,262	2,631,481	138.9
May	1,877,713	2,415,276	128.6
June	1,840,297	2,684,157	145.7
July	1,880,723	2,424,356	128.9
August	1,868,987	2,446,245	131.0
September	1,875,592	2,357,181	127.0
October	1,894,311	2,830,783	149.5
November	1,923,494	2,915,659	151.5
December	1,970,178	2,843,154	144.4
Average.....	1,885,623	2,529,836	134.0
<u>1927</u>			
January	1,981,653	2,618,831	132.0
February	1,941,218	2,293,077	118.1
March	1,926,134	2,600,368	135.0
April	1,947,947	2,639,971	135.5
May	1,970,085	2,986,236	151.5
June	1,973,122	2,879,704	145.9
July	1,975,750	2,687,429	136.0
August	1,930,142	2,607,321	135.0
September	1,961,637	2,843,934	145.0
October	1,961,637	2,713,724	146.4
November	2,024,494	2,152,724	152.2
December	2,182,272	4,274,678	199.5
Average.....	1,982,855	3,047,792	151.0

192

192  
192

5.- BANK DEBITS, CLEARINGS AND PERCENTAGE OF BANK DEBITS TO CLEARINGS BY MONTHS DURING 1926 AND 1927.

Months	Bank Debits	Bank Clearings	Percentage of Bank Debits to Bank Clearings
<u>1926</u>			
January	\$ 2,368,210,435	\$ 1,360,527,147	174.0
February	2,132,219,922	1,242,017,999	171.9
March	2,309,312,348	1,347,825,461	171.4
April	2,631,481,440	1,472,408,348	179.0
May	2,415,275,589	1,465,171,669	164.9
June	2,684,156,996	1,469,252,796	182.9
July	2,424,355,669	1,444,014,544	168.0
August	2,446,344,992	1,403,506,918	174.4
September	2,357,181,127	1,383,628,097	170.5
October	2,830,782,750	1,648,177,107	171.9
November	2,915,658,907	1,737,742,667	167.7
December	2,843,153,843	1,746,311,436	163.0
Total.....	30,358,034,018	17,720,584,189	171.3
<u>1927</u>			
January	2,618,830,630	1,514,206,719	172.9
February	2,293,076,943	1,303,763,659	176.0
March	2,600,367,571	1,506,275,855	172.6
April	2,639,971,080	1,538,651,564	171.5
May	2,986,235,659	1,716,975,010	173.9
June	2,879,703,851	1,654,615,026	174.0
July	2,687,428,944	1,544,361,169	174.0
August	2,607,321,486	1,542,320,379	169.0
September	2,843,933,991	1,651,747,261	127.3
October	3,511,830,245	1,976,388,747	177.9
November	4,150,724,796	2,238,338,084	185.6
December	4,274,077,902	2,380,883,750	179.5
Total.....	36,093,503,098	20,568,437,223	175.5

6.- BANK DEBITS AT THE CLEARING HOUSE CENTRES OF CANADA, BY INDUSTRIAL CENTRES AND BY MONTHS, DURING 1926 AND 1927.

	1. Maritime Provinces			Total for Maritime Provinces
	Halifax	Moncton	St. John	
<u>1926</u>				
January	26,381,413	6,131,705	19,050,760	51,563,878
February	29,208,488	6,139,581	16,456,626	51,804,695
March	24,669,713	6,655,023	17,489,663	48,814,399
April	24,939,409	6,350,250	18,662,905	49,952,564
May	25,047,830	6,780,009	17,935,567	49,763,406
June	24,958,787	6,557,724	18,538,076	50,054,587
July	32,658,837	7,721,787	18,189,991	58,570,615
August	24,326,351	6,333,039	19,849,176	50,508,566
September	23,102,856	6,661,526	15,954,062	45,718,444
October	26,841,749	6,756,953	16,520,743	50,119,445
November	24,511,732	6,697,728	16,908,511	48,117,971
December	23,509,046	7,294,527	18,947,529	49,751,102
Total.....	310,156,211	80,079,852	214,503,609	604,739,672
<u>1927</u>				
January	23,999,966	6,357,153	16,940,733	47,297,852
February	24,029,858	5,805,771	15,601,195	45,436,824
March	24,546,709	6,308,058	16,941,619	47,796,386
April	25,494,374	6,552,451	16,219,735	48,266,560
May	25,161,285	6,610,646	19,218,806	50,990,737
June	25,039,781	7,157,490	17,746,029	49,943,300
July	30,185,561	7,734,659	18,208,415	56,128,635
August	25,470,260	7,197,520	19,020,007	51,687,787
September	30,087,430	7,328,525	17,994,585	55,410,540
October	29,290,262	7,460,369	19,829,622	56,580,253
November	28,142,458	7,623,118	18,992,373	54,757,949
December	33,099,843	7,941,488	22,405,895	63,447,226
Total.....	324,547,787	84,077,248	219,119,014	627,744,049

BRITISH MUSEUM

卷之三

卷之三

卷之三

卷之三

$\frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{4}$

6. BANK DEBITS AT THE CLEARING HOUSE CENTRES OF CANADA, BY INDUSTRIAL CENTRES  
AND BY MONTHS, DURING 1926 AND 1927. (Con't.)

2. Province of Quebec.				
Months	Montreal	City of Quebec	Sherbrooke	Total for Quebec Province
<u>1926</u>				
January	691,182,915	53,344,805	7,916,559	752,444,279
February	644,006,431	44,897,270	7,488,733	696,392,434
March	675,764,914	42,599,895	9,071,739	727,436,548
April	794,411,560	48,105,602	8,432,317	850,949,479
May	696,986,600	57,086,096	8,162,378	762,235,074
June	746,965,441	52,265,801	8,336,480	807,567,722
July	700,798,855	68,419,786	14,248,994	783,367,635
August	810,744,553	50,958,285	10,438,564	872,141,402
September	755,965,516	49,165,864	10,598,810	815,730,190
October	910,542,707	58,363,686	15,834,587	984,740,980
November	881,422,382	60,540,605	10,791,153	952,754,140
December	824,665,831	68,226,995	10,819,100	903,711,926
Total	9,133,357,705	653,974,690	122,139,414	9,909,471,809
<u>1927</u>				
January	798,715,756	46,143,623	9,315,632	854,175,011
February	727,355,514	47,234,635	8,572,482	783,162,631
March	805,197,624	50,167,606	10,119,317	865,484,547
April	824,147,770	56,754,841	9,842,540	890,745,151
May	939,069,499	60,924,604	10,375,009	1,010,369,112
June	1,012,728,429	66,585,943	9,951,662	1,089,266,034
July	878,829,366	70,126,219	9,725,881	958,681,466
August	786,457,037	62,630,101	9,552,864	853,640,002
September	899,185,665	56,162,515	9,724,818	965,072,998
October	1,176,191,468	64,565,682	10,342,785	1,251,099,935
November	1,460,606,701	84,900,162	10,544,083	1,556,050,946
December	1,471,194,644	78,984,893	10,978,945	1,561,158,482
Total	11,779,679,473	745,180,824	119,046,018	12,643,906,315
3. Province of Ontario				
	Brantford	Chatham	Ft. William	Hamilton
<u>1926</u>				
January	7,876,762	6,009,983	5,929,270	49,745,099
February	7,304,571	5,400,153	5,080,360	44,397,070
March	7,858,867	5,602,620	5,468,406	51,533,962
April	8,056,876	6,093,800	5,478,604	46,761,931
May	8,053,513	7,671,747	8,430,577	44,902,053
June	8,800,002	7,128,767	7,640,359	54,765,031
July	9,466,172	7,078,680	8,356,858	54,147,600
August	9,919,538	6,689,893	10,419,986	52,201,799
September	7,375,024	6,296,353	7,939,172	57,880,688
October	9,131,149	5,702,111	8,172,959	58,218,614
November	9,601,921	6,142,401	11,000,406	56,383,794
December	10,899,736	8,296,883	9,395,935	54,921,932
Total	104,344,131	78,113,391	93,312,892	625,859,573
<u>1927</u>				
January	8,329,263	6,801,713	7,184,403	52,952,112
February	8,294,360	6,061,357	6,855,456	47,399,913
March	9,229,445	7,579,656	6,671,739	51,617,080
April	8,908,544	7,997,032	7,218,355	55,547,260
May	9,479,768	8,008,712	8,769,525	56,368,974
June	9,830,069	7,641,338	7,692,342	62,303,181
July	9,814,722	8,166,147	9,045,060	57,315,506
August	11,449,991	7,664,943	8,500,945	54,787,339
September	10,508,253	7,995,692	7,940,661	57,838,062
October	11,662,465	7,654,915	8,433,776	62,237,441
November	10,278,643	8,045,569	10,223,027	57,824,840
December	12,344,899	8,969,860	10,061,311	60,981,001
Total	120,130,422	92,586,934	98,596,600	677,172,777



6. BANK DEBITS AT THE CLEARING HOUSE CENTRES OF CANADA, BY INDUSTRIAL CENTRES  
AND BY MONTHS DURING 1926 AND 1927. (Cont'd.)

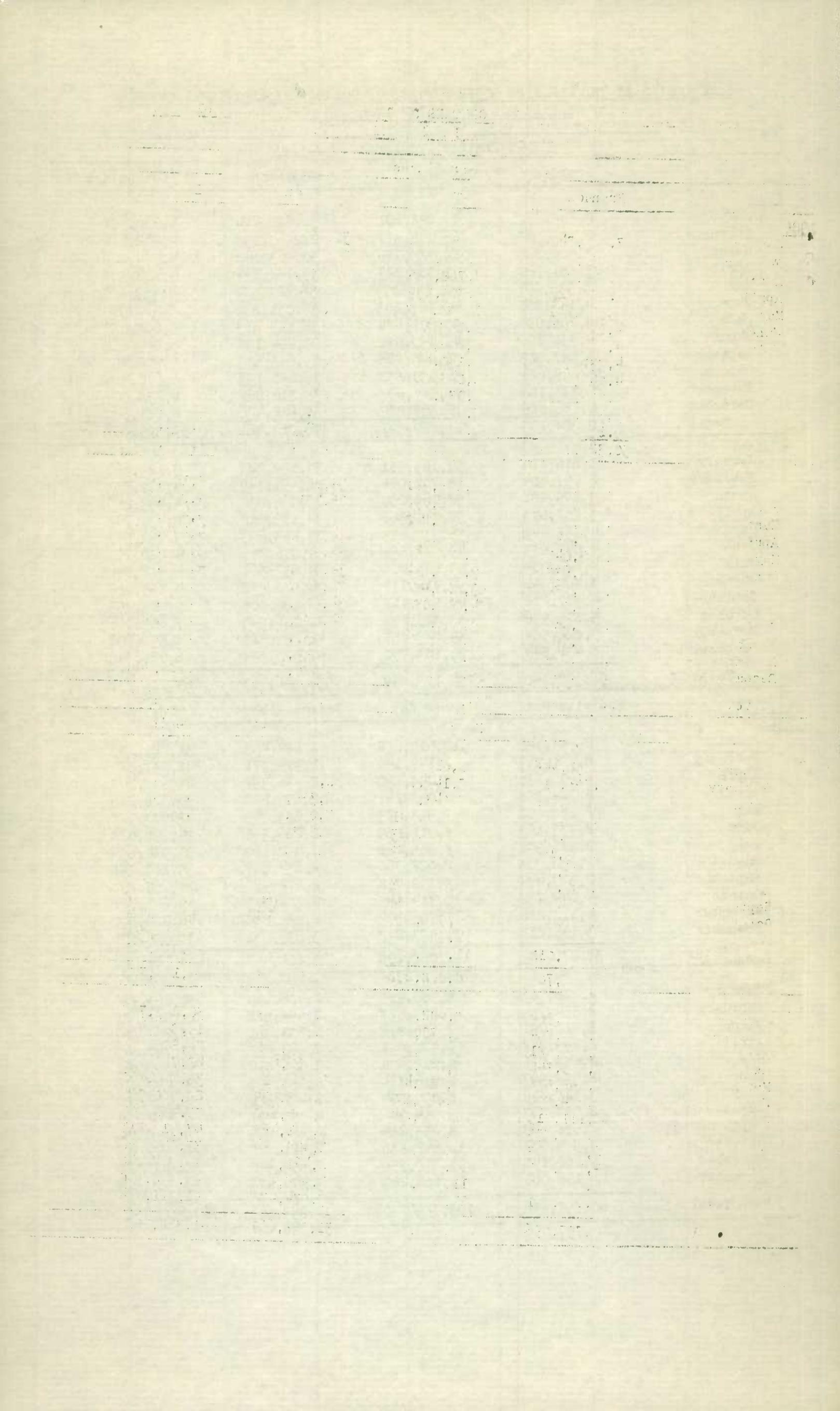
	Province of Ontario.			
	Kingston	Kitchener	London	Ottawa
<u>1926</u>				
January	5,209,387	9,249,839	22,361,829	126,129,755
February	4,267,216	7,932,510	18,193,039	107,988,910
March	4,503,732	7,654,699	20,762,641	161,244,993
April	4,872,897	8,662,595	25,445,231	232,330,573
May	5,189,144	8,956,071	28,385,338	169,209,512
June	5,535,036	9,472,917	26,142,861	198,128,823
July	6,078,454	8,411,001	23,767,423	127,633,533
August	4,831,840	8,014,282	26,617,726	117,377,048
September	5,280,356	8,038,278	22,475,622	116,753,996
October	6,319,976	9,926,495	26,967,693	155,398,848
November	6,356,837	10,059,053	25,170,555	187,545,945
December	6,395,083	11,413,431	28,150,305	168,272,262
Total	64,839,958	107,791,171	294,440,263	1,868,014,198
<u>1927</u>				
January	5,399,021	9,385,870	26,958,320	121,687,899
February	4,598,430	8,068,874	23,489,342	111,978,688
March	5,009,752	9,877,280	25,078,562	127,572,820
April	5,534,344	9,387,365	29,085,877	141,708,915
May	6,331,258	10,995,392	31,110,427	189,650,705
June	6,207,803	10,285,802	30,868,536	141,292,347
July	6,771,517	9,662,983	30,421,283	126,270,603
August	6,268,132	9,546,050	25,933,074	123,720,922
September	7,300,846	9,559,223	27,006,565	124,921,777
October	7,339,346	12,115,574	31,425,365	127,171,714
November	6,745,232	11,242,737	38,662,698	267,246,818
December	6,985,739	13,132,246	35,581,895	319,723,593
Total	74,495,420	123,259,396	355,621,944	1,922,946,801
	Peterborough	Toronto	Windsor	Total for Ontario 1/
<u>1926</u>				
January	5,976,930	654,630,187	25,844,383	924,989,899
February	4,857,195	625,450,340	22,923,277	858,887,564
March	5,872,751	604,628,113	26,882,702	908,373,494
April	6,826,775	774,004,977	30,722,291	1,155,085,080
May	6,235,631	644,689,372	36,427,046	975,205,752
June	6,579,185	813,457,501	41,767,910	1,188,223,667
July	6,582,177	659,732,475	34,541,547	954,801,928
August	5,733,812	619,141,573	27,321,552	898,598,704
September	6,283,243	631,815,663	31,554,151	910,956,754
October	6,884,114	676,556,603	35,324,707	1,009,842,978
November	6,875,271	718,407,848	31,008,724	1,078,140,710
December	7,518,698	787,010,391	34,743,026	1,135,237,121
Total	76,225,782	8,209,525,043	379,061,316	11,998,343,651
<u>1927</u>				
January	7,004,181	832,194,064	28,721,524	1,120,590,208
February	5,546,601	762,243,581	29,041,503	1,019,539,877
March	6,530,457	776,882,253	40,860,060	1,073,432,247
April	7,174,744	777,881,330	39,309,742	1,096,294,808
May	7,028,234	859,618,380	42,931,584	1,253,156,019
June	7,112,975	818,280,048	47,621,210	1,154,146,732
July	6,992,618	714,130,887	38,500,829	1,026,088,849
August	6,025,280	737,430,103	33,702,584	1,035,153,797
September	6,933,504	901,792,956	36,453,817	1,208,181,028
October	8,222,912	1,072,033,582	37,905,958	1,396,931,330
November	7,308,440	1,094,644,141	37,576,279	1,561,056,691
December	8,752,959	1,182,744,933	43,657,142	1,712,259,445
Total	84,632,905	10,536,876,258	452,282,232	14,641,811,031
	1/ The Sarnia debits in 1926 and 1927 were as follows:-			
	1926	1927	1926	1927
Jan.	6,026,475	6,971,838	July	9,006,008
Feb.	5,092,923	5,961,772	Aug.	10,329,655
March	6,360,008	6,523,134	Sept.	9,264,208
Apr.	5,828,530	6,541,291	Oct.	11,239,709
May	7,055,748	7,843,060	Nov.	9,587,955
June	8,805,275	9,011,081	Dec.	8,219,439
			Total	96,815,933
				103,209,342



BANK DEBITS AT THE CLEARING HOUSE CENTRES OF CANADA, BY INDIVIDUAL CENTRES  
AND BY MONTHS, DURING 1926 AND 1927. (Contd.)

4. Prairie Provinces

	Brandon	Calgary	Edmonton	Lethbridge
<u>1926</u>				
January	3,722,740	77,048,291	31,880,210	6,476,231
February	2,933,152	66,046,577	28,540,135	4,802,811
March	3,406,868	78,788,286	30,403,742	4,924,229
April	3,887,720	67,800,299	34,952,849	4,402,928
May	3,935,201	41,738,053	35,827,987	4,759,407
June	4,147,961	48,123,153	32,031,270	5,312,044
July	4,288,087	50,606,624	32,817,613	5,663,032
August	4,331,192	49,150,031	29,404,198	5,859,685
September	4,047,905	32,043,725	29,673,613	5,502,351
October	5,099,681	56,039,832	36,650,139	6,672,315
November	5,337,189	77,587,697	38,316,269	6,238,004
December	5,186,409	72,897,029	37,522,436	6,781,690
Total	50,324,105	717,869,597	398,020,461	67,394,727
<u>1927</u>				
January	3,616,710	59,165,381	34,158,282	5,123,662
February	2,797,404	56,701,098	26,491,749	4,020,983
March	3,299,251	58,768,260	29,936,030	4,493,219
April	3,707,643	52,741,566	34,173,688	4,435,743
May	4,195,047	56,938,615	33,493,633	3,752,577
June	4,044,633	49,488,554	34,986,396	4,080,792
July	4,226,084	59,605,400	39,235,561	4,412,896
August	4,469,392	54,716,177	34,976,532	5,189,002
September	4,377,212	47,573,117	34,188,705	5,513,053
October	5,375,956	53,326,234	41,036,545	7,619,066
November	5,829,564	89,045,057	46,759,324	8,536,952
December	5,431,844	96,103,790	47,920,328	6,927,345
Total	51,370,740	734,173,249	437,356,863	164,105,290
	Medicine Hat	Moose Jaw	Prince Albert	Regina
<u>1926</u>				
January	2,952,446	10,615,658	2,282,453	31,720,189
February	2,701,419	7,149,140	1,779,771	22,231,872
March	2,848,196	8,043,590	2,336,397	25,693,245
April	2,724,186	8,043,241	2,699,642	30,928,279
May	2,198,000	7,553,923	2,283,345	33,933,188
June	2,733,163	8,915,689	2,226,996	35,890,022
July	2,986,908	8,965,266	2,352,669	31,910,654
August	2,292,905	8,028,761	2,234,087	35,210,358
September	2,339,474	8,899,758	2,172,460	34,767,290
October	4,044,730	10,714,645	2,304,013	43,821,728
November	4,110,266	11,705,304	2,693,680	46,280,600
December	3,145,012	11,433,233	3,239,931	31,939,201
Total	35,076,705	110,068,208	28,605,444	404,126,726
<u>1927</u>				
January	2,476,766	8,982,985	2,406,549	30,263,722
February	2,524,754	7,077,023	2,555,622	19,866,479
March	2,910,281	7,796,874	2,633,361	28,200,967
April	2,799,842	7,770,051	2,462,595	27,790,043
May	2,655,576	8,212,494	2,306,812	33,330,161
June	2,984,993	8,416,274	2,453,635	28,840,922
July	3,111,719	8,855,884	2,491,682	39,486,307
August	2,953,393	9,094,342	2,591,467	47,519,111
September	2,998,223	9,053,254	2,425,294	37,997,268
October	4,575,907	10,692,836	2,461,725	46,363,348
November	5,600,141	11,810,956	2,995,450	50,358,580
December	5,166,001	11,662,267	3,574,475	51,311,924
Total	40,757,596	109,425,240	31,358,667	441,328,792



6.- BANK DEBITS AT THE CLEARING HOUSE CENTRES OF CANADA, BY INDIVIDUAL CENTRES  
AND BY MONTHS, DURING 1926 AND 1927 (Contd.)

4. Prairie Provinces (Contd.)

	Saskatoon	Winnipeg	Weyburn Security Banks	Total for Prairie Provinces
<u>1926</u>				
January	10,380,349	295,421,891	2,962,773	475,463,231
February	8,631,879	229,616,742	1,961,632	376,395,130
March	10,716,564	284,054,152	2,943,828	454,159,097
April	11,940,003	246,458,540	2,807,243	416,644,930
May	11,074,112	329,597,073	2,361,787	475,262,076
June	11,379,032	324,197,804	2,449,854	477,405,988
July	12,507,566	309,248,387	3,058,847	464,405,653
August	13,073,434	313,311,871	3,207,063	466,103,585
September	12,730,275	289,900,641	5,037,720	427,115,712
October	14,625,968	440,935,837	7,932,480	628,641,368
November	15,416,919	448,114,513	8,734,895	664,535,136
December	14,454,526	366,389,973	6,524,122	559,513,662
Total	146,930,427	3,577,247,424	149,982,244	5,885,646,068
<u>1927</u>				
January	10,403,388	272,754,925	3,442,696	432,795,066
February	8,910,680	176,053,379	2,466,008	309,465,139
March	10,448,458	301,059,462	3,784,110	453,330,273
April	11,289,881	296,623,807	3,208,875	447,003,734
May	12,361,086	345,728,212	3,078,621	506,052,834
June	12,731,968	267,187,343	3,010,849	418,226,359
July	13,007,179	302,814,572	3,687,257	480,934,541
August	15,672,108	311,560,411	3,632,786	492,374,721
September	14,416,831	284,090,855	4,185,677	446,819,579
October	15,752,191	422,934,380	7,991,384	618,129,572
November	18,028,924	545,303,765	7,169,976	791,438,689
December	17,710,129	478,869,069	5,738,357	730,415,529
Total	160,732,823	4,004,980,180	51,396,596	6,126,986,036

5. British Columbia.

	New West- minster	Vancouver	Victoria	Total for British Columbia	Total for Canada
<u>1926</u>					
January	5,563,013	125,865,633	32,320,502	163,749,148	2,368,210,435
February	5,227,333	120,554,003	22,958,763	148,740,099	2,132,219,922
March	6,672,974	136,849,431	27,006,405	170,528,810	2,309,312,348
April	6,335,380	124,358,951	28,155,056	158,849,387	2,631,481,440
May	6,244,729	123,266,101	23,298,451	152,809,281	2,415,275,589
June	6,880,063	122,311,182	31,712,787	160,904,032	2,684,156,996
July	6,834,349	129,231,509	27,141,980	163,209,838	2,424,355,669
August	6,282,263	124,086,659	28,523,813	158,892,735	2,446,244,992
September	6,947,969	126,121,131	24,591,427	157,660,527	2,357,181,127
October	6,857,893	122,975,550	27,604,536	157,437,979	2,830,782,750
November	6,119,401	139,774,360	26,217,189	172,110,950	2,915,658,907
December	7,104,463	157,861,676	29,973,893	194,940,032	2,843,153,843
Total	77,071,830	1,553,256,186	329,504,802	1,959,832,818	30,358,034,018
<u>1927</u>					
January	6,399,076	125,670,234	31,903,183	163,972,493	2,618,830,630
February	5,773,671	107,392,296	22,306,505	135,472,472	2,293,076,943
March	6,437,778	127,259,535	26,626,805	160,324,118	2,600,367,571
April	6,420,620	126,549,988	24,590,219	157,660,827	2,639,971,080
May	7,605,834	142,267,493	30,873,630	180,686,957	2,986,235,659
June	7,326,039	131,139,732	29,655,655	168,121,426	2,879,703,851
July	6,942,971	123,099,284	35,553,198	165,595,453	2,687,428,944
August	7,157,862	132,819,804	29,487,513	169,465,179	2,607,321,486
September	7,142,221	129,133,985	32,173,640	168,449,846	2,843,933,991
October	7,838,635	137,820,499	43,430,021	189,089,155	3,511,830,245
November	6,743,055	149,888,080	30,789,386	187,420,521	4,150,724,796
December	6,875,965	162,858,668	37,062,587	206,797,220	4,274,077,902
Total	82,663,727	1,595,939,598	374,452,342	2,053,055,667	36,093,503,928

STATISTICS CANADA LIBRARY  
BIBLIOTHÈQUE STATISTIQUE CANADA



1010536179