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## Law Union & Crown INSURANCE COMPANY OF LONDON

Total Cash  
Assets Exceed **\$24,000,000**

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## WATERLOO MUTUAL FIRE INS. CO.

ESTABLISHED IN 1863.

HEAD OFFICE, - WATERLOO, ONT

Total Assets 31st Dec., 1900 ..... **\$361,361 03**  
Policies in Force in Western Ontario over ..... **25,000 00**

**GEORGE RANDALL,** President. **WM. SNIDER,** Vice-President.  
**FRANK HAIGHT,** Manager. **R. T. ORR,** **T. L. ARMSTRONG,** Inspectors.

## The London Mutual

Fire Insurance Co. of Canada

Established 1859.

Losses Paid, - - - **\$3,500,000 00**  
Assets - - - - **\$736,796 55**

**HON. JOHN DRYDEN,** President. **Geo. GILLIES,** Vice-President.  
**H. WADDINGTON,** Sec'y and Man. Director.  
**H. A. SHAW,** City Agent, 9 Toronto Street.

## The Metropolitan Fire Insurance Company

CASH-MUTUAL and STOCK

HEAD OFFICE, - TORONTO

Authorized Capital, \$500,000

**D. HIBNER,** Berlin, Pres. **W. G. WRIGHT,** Inspector.  
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## QUEEN CITY

Fire Insurance Co.

## HAND-IN-HAND

Insurance Company.

## MILLERS & MANUFACTURERS

Insurance Company.

## Fire Ins. Exchange

Corporation.

Authorized Capitals, \$1,250,000

Special attention given to placing large lines on mercantile and manufacturing risks that come up to our standard.

Head Offices—Queen City Chambers, Toronto

**SCOTT & WALMSLEY,**

ESTABLISHED 1858.

Managers and Underwriters.

looked for in the course of the next few weeks. Prices of sole continue very steady on the basis of 24c. for No. 2 manufacturers'. Black leathers are dull, but their prices are unchanged, best Western splits bringing 21c.; Quebec ditto, 15 to 17c.; grain, 12 to 13c.; harness, 30 to 31c.; pebble and buff, 11½ to 12c.

Metals and Hardware.—The situation is just about as described last week. Orders for hardware are fair for the time of year, and deliveries will be actively begun on the 1st prox., when spring freight rates go into effect. In heavy metals, apart from some good transactions with the railways, the movement of merchandise is not specially active. Quotations as last given will stand.

Oils, Paints and Glass.—Goods are now beginning to move out quite freely, and orders from travellers keep up well. For window glass there is an active demand, while stocks are low, and prices are very strongly held on the basis of \$3.75 per 100 feet for first break, the lately advanced figures. Linseed oil is rather firmer, raw being quoted at 42 to 43c., according to quality; boiled, 45 to 46c., these figures being steadily adhered to. White lead is steady at \$4.50 for pure.

### INSURANCE COMPANIES

ENGLISH (Quotations on London Market)

No. Shares or amt. Stock.	Yearly Dividend.	NAME OF COMPANY	Share value	Amount paid	Last Sale Mar. 10
50,000	8 ps	Alliance.....	20	21-5	11½ 12
50,000	35	C. Union F. L. & M	50	5	60 61
200,000	8½	Guardian F. & L.	10	5	10 10½
35,862	20	London Ass. Corp.	25	12½	56 57
10,000	17½	London & Lan. L.	10	2	83 94
289,155	24	London & Lan. F.	25	2½	24 24½
45,640	90	Liv. Lon. & Globe.	Stk	2	45 46
130,000	30	Northern F. & L.	100	10	76 78
10,000	30 ps	North Brit. & Mer.	25	6½	38 39
153,776	35	Phoenix.....	50	5	34½ 35½
25,234	63½	Royal Insurance..	20	3	49 50
10,000	...	Standard Life.....	50	12	...
10,000	8/6 ps	Sun Fire.....	10	10	11 11½

### RAILWAYS

	Par value	London Mar. 10
Canadian Pacific \$100 Shares, 3%.....	\$100	151 151½
C. P. R. 1st Mortgage Bonds, 5%.....	...	110 ...
do. 50 year L. G. Bonds, 3½%.....	...	100 102
Grand Trunk Con. stock.....	100	20½ ...
5% perpetual debenture stock.....	...	132 134
do. Eq. bonds, 2nd charge 6%.....	...	119 121
do. First preference 5%.....	10	111 112
do. Second preference stock 4½%.....	...	102 102½
do. Third preference stock.....	...	48 49
Great Western per 5% debenture stock..	100	...
Midland Stg. 1st mtg. bonds, 5%.....	100	...
Toronto, Grey & Bruce 4% stg. bonds, 1st mortgage.....	100	105 107

### SECURITIES.

	London Mar. 10
Dominion 5% stock, 1903, of Ry. loan.....	101 103
do. 4% do 1904, 5, 6, 8.....	101 105
do. 4% do 1910, Ins stock.....	104 106
do. 3% do. ns. stock.....	101 105
Montreal Sterling 5% 1908.....	...
do. 5% 1874.....	100 102
do. 1879, 5%.....	101 103
City of Toronto Water Works Deb., 1906, 6%.....	102 105
do. do. gen. con. deb. 1920, 5%.....	108 110
do. do. stg. bonds 1928, 4%.....	103 105
do. do. Local Imp. Bonds 1913, 4%.....	100 102
do. do. Bonds 1929, 3½%.....	94 96
City of Ottawa, Stg. 1904, 6%.....	101 103
City of Hamilton Debs. 1934 5%.....	102 104
City of Quebec, con., 1905, 6%.....	100 103
do. do. sterling deb 1923, 4%.....	101 103
City of Vancouver, 1931, 4%.....	101 103
do. do. 1932, 4%.....	100 102
City of Winnipeg, deb 1914, 4%.....	07 109

## Central Life Insurance Co., of Canada.

Authorized Capital, \$1,000,000  
Capital Subscribed, 500,000  
Head Office. TORONTO.

Our rates are most favorable to the insuring public. Our Policies are unconditional from date of issue. Our Reserves are based on the highest Govt. Standard. First-class positions for men of character and ability. Write to the Head Office of the Company for particulars.  
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President. Man. Dir.

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INCORPORATED 1889.

Head Office: Excelsior Life Building, TORONTO

Business for 1904 largest and most satisfactory in Company's career.

Assets ..... **\$1,250,000.00**  
New Insurance ..... **2,233,132.00**  
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Desirable positions vacant on Agency Staff for good men.

**E. MARSHALL,** Secretary. **D. FASKEN,** President.

## Atlas Assurance Company, Limited

with which is incorporated the

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Total Security for Policyholders exceeds Twenty-five Million Dollars. Claims paid exceed One Hundred and Thirty Million Dollars.

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A. WARING GILES, - LOCAL MANAGER.

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AGENTS—i.e., Real Agents who Work—wanted in unrepresented districts.

Head Office for Canada—MONTREAL.

**MATTHEW C. HINSHAW** Branch Manager.

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does not affect

## THE DOMINION LIFE

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