

British and Foreign.

It has been decided to place a memorial to the late Bishop of Carlisle, Dr. Bardsley, in the cathedral. Churchmen in the Diocese of Rochester are collecting a fund for the purpose of presenting a pastoral staff to the Bishop.

Sir Charles Lawes-Wittewronge has given sufficient land for the erection of a new church for the parish of St. John, Harpenden.

DEATH BY INDIGESTION.

A Long Train of Fatal Ills is the Direct Result of Undigested Food.

Undigested food, by fermenting, forms a poison in the stomach, and this is absorbed in the blood. If this goes on very long, and your heart happens to be weak, you'll be found some morning dead in bed, or you may fall back down the stairs about an hour and a half after dinner, and the doctor will call it heart disease. Yes, that may be the result, but not the cause. The cause is indigestion. Indigestion is a simple, common word, but it has a terrible import.

And so you may get apoplexy, and die suddenly while you're standing.

If you have a weak liver, the poison of undigested food will attack it and you will get jaundice. If you have weak kidneys, you will get Bright's Disease or diabetes, from which there is no rescue for any man.

It was a learned physician who said that the progress of a race depended upon the stomachs of its members.

And you have at some time in your life eaten a heavy meal, or eaten in a hurry, and felt that "lump of lead" immediately afterward. That lump of lead is a hard ball of undigested food. The stomach can't digest it, and finds it hard to throw it out. And so it sours, and it makes you sour and everybody sour who talks with you. It gives you a bad breath, and is building for you the road to dyspepsia and death, unless you stop it.

Stop it with Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. Just think, these little tablets are every bit as powerful as the gastric juice in your stomach. One grain will digest 3,000 grains of food. Isn't this wonderful? And it is true. Just try it, and prove it.

If you have any brash, gas on the stomach, fermentation, burning, bloaty feeling, indigestion, dyspepsia, or heartburn. Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets will make it disappear before it can do any harm to your heart or other organs.

They will invigorate the stomach, relieve the stomach of two-thirds of its work and give it a chance to rest. They will increase the flow of gastric juice, and if you ever "live" in your lifetime, it will be after you have eaten a good, hearty meal, and taken one of these little tablets immediately afterward. You'll just feel fine.

Take Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets after your next meal to-day and you will use them ever afterward. You will be cheerful, vigorous and your mind will be clear; you'll have snap and vim, and add many a day to your life. You can get these wonderful little tablets at any druggist's for 50c. a package.

The trustees of the late Mrs. Finnie have placed the sum of £5,000 at the disposal of the Bishop of Worcester for raising the incomes of the benefices in his gift.

The Rev. John Curtis, B.A., curate of Christ Church, Leeson Park, Dublin, has been presented with the Archbishop of Dublin's gold medal for the study of theology.

Additions and embellishments costing £3,851 have been made to Proboscus Parish Church, Cornwall, by Mrs. Hawkins, chiefly as memorials of her husband, the late Mr. Christopher H. T. Hawkins.

The wood and metal of the organ in the Gainsborough parish church, which is being dismantled after 112 years' service, will be made into ornaments and sold for the benefit of the new organ fund.

Mr. E. G. Tew, of Carleton Grange, Pontefract, and the Moorlands, York, has generously built a mission hall and reading-room for the Rawcliffe District of the parish of Clifton, York, and promised £40 a year towards the stipend of a curate.

It has been suggested that Churchmen in the Exeter Diocese should give the Bishop a motor-car to enable him to get into the remote parts of his see with greater facility. There are close upon 500 parishes in the diocese, many of which are miles from a railway station.

A RECORD YEAR

Some Figures of the

Sun Life of Canada for 1905

Assurances Issued & paid for in cash \$18,612,056 51

Increase over 1904.. 2,700,152 27

Cash Income from Premiums, Interest, Rents, etc., 5,717,492 23

Increase over 1904.. 1,155,556 04

Assets as at 31st December, 1905.. 21,309,384 82

Increase over 1904.. 3,457,623 90

Increase in Surplus during 1905..... 1,177,793 50

Out of this there was set aside to complete the placing of all policies on the 3 1/2% standard the sum of..... 616,541 00

(Although the law allows until 1915 to do this).....

Surplus over all Liabilities and Capital according to the Hm. Table, with 3 1/2% interest..... 1,735,698 59

And in addition Profits were paid Policyholders in 1905..... 166,578 30

Surplus by Canadian Government standard..... 2,921,810 00

Death Claims, Matured Endowments, Profits and all other payments to Policyholders during 1905..... 1,648,285 78

Payments to Policyholders since organization..... 13,118,868 35

Life Assurances in force December 31st, 1905..... 95,290,894 71

Increase over 1904.. 9,963,231 86

PROSPEROUS AND PROGRESSIVE

Head Office—Montreal

R. MACAULAY, President

T. B. MACAULAY, F.I.A., Secretary

Agency Department

F. G. CAPE, Superintendent of Agencies

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The rich, shredded whole-wheat wafer—full of nourishment—and it's tasty. Makes toothsome toast.

Send for the "Vital Question Cook Book," postpaid. CANADIAN SHREDDED WHEAT CO., Limited, Niagara Falls, Ont. Toronto Office, 32 Church St.

Western Assurance Co.

FIFTY-FIFTH ANNUAL STATEMENT 31st December, 1905.

| ASSETS | | LIABILITIES | |
|--|----------------|---------------------------------------|----------------|
| United States and State Bonds | 157,118.00 | Capital Stock..... | \$1,500,000.00 |
| Dominion of Canada Stock | 65,350.00 | Losses under Adjustment.. | 175,359.36 |
| Bank, Loan Company and other Stocks | 425,698.05 | Dividend payable Jan. 5th, 1906 | 43,697.50 |
| Company's buildings | 110,000.00 | Reserve Fund..... | 1,742,020.42 |
| Municipal Bonds and Debentures | 1,128,949.32 | | |
| Railroad Bonds | 403,533.64 | | |
| Cash on Hand and on Deposit | 329,379.92 | | |
| Bills Receivable..... | 98,480.89 | | |
| Mortgages | 20,100.00 | | |
| Due from Other Companies (Re-assurances) | 150,840.38 | | |
| Interest Due and Accrued.. | 21,786.95 | | |
| Office Furniture, Maps, Plans, etc..... | 34,125.47 | | |
| Agents' Balances and Sundry Accounts | 515,714.66 | | |
| | \$3,461,077.28 | | \$3,461,077.28 |

Capital

Reserve Fund.....

Security to Policyholders

Losses paid from the organization of the Company to date

DIRECTORATE:

HON. GEO. A. COX, President; J. J. KENNY, Vice-President and Managing Director; Hon. S. C. Wood, H. N. Baird, Geo. R. R. Cockburn, W. R. Brock, Geo. McMurrich, J. K. Osborne, E. R. Wood.

The Dean of St. Paul's attained his eighty-seventh birthday on Friday, the 16th ult. Dr. Gregory has now been connected with the Cathedral for thirty-eight years, having been appointed to a canonry by Mr. Disraeli in 1868.

An offer has been accepted from the Bishop Ryle Memorial Committee of £500 for the erection of a memorial in the new Liverpool Cathedral to the late Bishop Ryle, the suggested form being that of a recumbent marble effigy.

The Bishop of Southwell recently laid the foundation stone of the new Episcopal Palace. It is to be built on the site of the ruins of the old palace of the Archbishops of York at Southwell. These picturesque and beautiful remains are to be preserved as far as possible and many of the windows and archways are to be built into the new fabric.

Mrs. J. S. Thompson, widow of the late Churchwarden of St. Stephen's, Woodville, Leicestershire, has again shown her generosity to the Church by presenting a new set of beautiful sanctuary curtains, which form a welcome addition to the chancel. A few months ago she gave two handsome stained-glass windows to beautify the chancel in memory of her late husband.

Handsome marble steps to the chancel have been erected in All Saints' Church, South Acton, in memory of the late Mrs. Macarthur, wife of the Bishop of Southhampton, who was formerly Vicar of Ipswich. The gift of the late Mrs. Macarthur's

personal friends, the memorial adds greatly to the beauty of the church, wherein the Bishop of Southhampton had previously erected a brass tablet to his wife's memory.

Popular Cure For Croup.

Anyone who has tested Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine as a cure for croup will not hesitate to pronounce it an unqualified success.

It is wonderfully prompt in loosening the cough, clearing the air passages of the head, and soothing the excited nerves.

People who realize the suddenness with which croup comes on, and the danger which accompanies it, usually keep some of Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine in the house for use in case of emergency.

For bronchitis, whooping cough, asthma, and every form of throat and bronchial trouble, this great family medicine is a quick and certain cure.

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The seventh annual meeting (being the twenty-fourth of the corporation, on the 28th February, 1906).

Among those present were Jaffray, J. L. Blaikie, Dr. Jas. Wyld, J. G. Scott, K.C., Hon. Goodwin, J. W. Langmuir, E. M.P., James Hedley, J. J. Keir, A. D. Langmuir, Frederick Jar H. Ingersoll, Geo. Porter, John M. Waddell, A. L. Malone.

The president, Dr. Hoskin, was appointed to act as the various financial state ended 31st December, 1905, and commented upon by him.

The report to the shareholders of the Toronto General To the Shareholders:—

The directors of the Toronto annual report (being the twenty financial results of the same the new business taken over shown by the following summary:

Executorships ..
Administrations ..
Trusteeships ..
Investment agencies ..
Estate agencies ..
Guaranteed mortgage ..
Committeeships ..
Guardianships ..
Lunatic estate agents ..

Total

In addition to the foregoing issue of bonds and debenture transfer agent, and in other cases the profit and loss statement and plainly sets out the source of the same. The net profits, at 7 1/2 per cent, per annum, are and furnishings of the head to the credit of profit and loss.

Your directors announce the past year, viz., the Hon. Trunk Railway in Canada, action of the aims and objects of All of which is respectfully

J. W. LANGMUIR, Manager Toronto, February 26th,

ASSETS

Capital Account:—
Mortgages on real estate ..
Bonds and debentures ..
Loans on stocks and bonds ..
Real estate—office buildings ..
Ottawa ..

Sundry assets ..
Cash on hand and in bank:

Trust, Guarantee and Ag Mortgages on real estate ..
Debentures ..
Stocks and bonds ..
Loans on stocks, bonds, and Sundry assets ..
Cash on hand and in banks

Trust Estates and Agencies Unrealized original assets, debentures, stocks and bonds

Capital Account:—
Capital stock fully paid ..
Reserve fund ..
Dividend No. 14 ..
Profit and loss ..
Sundry liabilities ..

Trust, Guarantee, and For investment or distribution

Trust Estates and Agencies Inventories value of unrealized administration by the

To salaries, rents, Provincial Winnipeg ..
To fees paid president, vice committees ..
To commission on capital for superintendence of

To balance carried down

To dividends Nos. 13 and To amount written off the To amount written off goodness of the Ottawa Trust To amount of balance written the Winnipeg Trust To amount carried to reserve To balance carried forward

By balance brought forward: Less amount voted by the ber, 1904

By commission earned for By interest earned, included By net rents from office buildings By net rents from safe ..

By balance brought down