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Thoroughly Modern in Privileges,
Genuinely Protective in Results.

Extended Insurance without Deductions.
Incontestability without Restrictions.
Both Policyholders and Agents Fairly Treated
Always

UNION MUTUAL

LIFE INSURANCE CO.

Incorporated 1848. PORTLAND, Maine

FRED. E. RICHARDS, President.
ARTHUR L. BATES, Vice-President.
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Manchester Fire Assurance Co.

ESTABLISHED 1824.

Assets over . . . \$13,000,000

Head Office—MANCHESTER, Eng.
WILLIAM LEWIS, Manager and Secretary.

Canadian Branch Head Office—TORONTO.
JAS. BOOMER, Manager.
City Agents—GEO. JAFFRAY,
J. M. BRIGGS,
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The Dominion Life Assurance Co.

Head Office, Waterloo, Ont.

Established 1889

The year 1899 was the best the Dominion ever had.
It Gained in the Year:

In amount assured, 23.13 per cent.
In cash premium income, 27.64 per cent.
In interest receipts, 21.43 per cent.
In assets, 19.59 per cent.
Its interest receipts have more than paid all death losses from the beginning.
Separate branches for abstainers and women.
Amount in Force Jan'y 1st, 1900, \$3,646,836.
JAMES INNES, ex-M.P., CHR. KUMPF, Esq.,
President. Vice-President
THOMAS HILLIARD, Managing Director.
J. F. MARTIN, Supt. of Agencies.

**Millers' and
Manufacturers'
Insurance Co.**ESTABLISHED
1885.

Head Office,
Queen City Chambers, Church
Street, Toronto.

DIRECTORS:

JAS. GOLDIE, Pres. L. SPINK, Vice-Pres.
THOS. WALMSLEY, Treas. SCOTT, Mgr. and Sec.
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This Company was organized in 1885, specially for the purpose of insuring manufacturing industries, warehouses and contents.

The primary object being to give protection against loss by fire at a minimum cost consistent with absolute security.

The system adopted has been to inspect all risk before acceptance and fix the rate to be exacted equitably in accordance with the hazard assumed.

Assurers with this company have made a saving, upwards of \$108,000.00 on the current rates charged, in addition to which, on the rates exacted by us, dividends have been declared to policyholders amounting to over \$24,000.00, together, making the very substantial sum of over \$132,000.00 that our policyholders have saved during the eleven years we have been in operation.

As no canvassers are employed dealing directly with the assured, those desiring to avail themselves of the advantages thus offered will please address

Millers' and Manufacturers' Insurance Co.,
Church Street, Toronto Ont.

METALS AND HARDWARE.—Heavy metals tend to quietness. Large holders want to sell, but buyers are unresponsive, and the opinion holds that a large buyer of pig iron could secure shaded figures. Scotch warrants are cabled easier at 66s. 1d. The English market is still strong in plates of all kinds, but it is claimed that indications are apparent of easier prices in the near future. Copper and lead are said to be fairly steady; tin a little easier at 34 cents for L. & F. We quote, as follows: Summerlee pig iron \$25 to \$25.50; Carnbroe, \$30; Calder, \$30; Hamilton, No. 1, \$30.00 to 30.00; No. 2, do., \$30.00 to 30.00; Ferrona, No. 1, \$24 to \$24.50; Midland, \$24 to \$25; machinery scrap, \$19 to \$20; common do., \$30 to \$30; bar iron, Canadian, \$2.35 to \$2.45; Canada plates—Pontypool, or equal, 52 sheets to the box, \$3.15; 60 sheets, \$3.20; 75 sheets, \$3.25; all polished Canadas, \$3.45; Galvanized Canada plates, \$4.75 per box of 52 sheets; Terne roofing plate, 20 x 28, \$8.75; Black sheet iron, No. 28, \$3.40; No. 26, \$3.30; No. 24, \$3.20; No. 16, and heavier, \$3.10; tin plates, Charcoal, I.C., Alloway, \$4.80 to \$5; do., I.X., \$5.25 to \$5.50; P.D. Crown, I.C., \$5.50 to \$5.75; do., I.X., \$4.75; coke, I.C., \$4.40 to \$4.50; galvanized sheets, No. 28, Queen's Head, \$4.75; No. 26, \$4.25 to \$4.50; No. 24, \$2 in case lots; tinned sheets, coke, No. 24, 6½ to 7c.; the usual extra for large sizes. Steel boiler plate ¾-inch and upwards, \$3.15; ½-inch, \$3.25; tank steel, \$2.90; ¼-inch, three-sixteenths, \$3; heads, seven-sixteenths and upwards, \$2.95; Russian sheet iron, 9 to 9½c.; lead, per 100 lbs., \$4.25 to \$4.50; sheet, \$4.75 to \$5; shot, \$6 to \$6.50; best cast-steel, 11 to 12c.; toe calk, \$3.40 to \$3.50; spring, \$3.50; sleigh shoe, \$2.80 to \$2.85; tire, \$2.85; round machinery steel, \$3.57 as to finish; ingot tin, 34c. for L. & F.; Straits, 33c.; bar tin, 35c.; ingot copper, 17¾ to 18c.; sheet-zinc, 7 to 7.50; Silesian spelter, \$5.50 to \$5.75; Veille Montagne spelter, \$5.50; American spelter, \$5.50 to \$5.75; antimony, 10½ to 11c.

OILS, PAINTS AND GLASS.—Spring painting has been rather later than usual this year, owing to bad weather, and there is still a fair business doing. No changes are reported in quotations, which rule firm. Turpentine is reported very firm in the South, where very large orders are reported from Europe, aggregating 140,000 barrels. One steamer is now loading 14,000 barrels, said to be the largest single shipment ever made. An English letter anticipates a further advance in linseed oil before September. Following are the quotations: Single barrels, raw and boiled linseed oil, respectively, 84 and 87c. per gallon, for one to four barrel lots; 5 to 9 barrels, 83 and 86c.; net, 30 days, or 3 per cent. for four months' terms. Turpentine, one to four barrels, 75c.; five to nine barrels, 74c.; net 30 days. Olive oil, machinery, 90c.; Cod oil, 37½ to 40c. per gal.; steam refined seal, 47½ to 50c. per gallon; Castor oil, 8 to 8½c. in quantity; tins, 9 to 9½c.; machinery castor oil, 7½ to 8c.; Leads, (chemically pure and first-class brands only), \$6.75; No. 1, \$6.37½; No. 2, \$6; No. 3, \$5.62½; No. 4, \$5.25; dry white lead, 5½ to 6c. for pure; No. 1, ditto, 5c.;

LIVERPOOL PRICES

Liverpool, June 7, 12.30 p.m.

	s.	d.
Wheat, Spring	5	9½
Red Winter	0	0
No. 1 Cal	6	1
Corn new	3	11½
" old	3	11
Peas	5	7
Lard	34	9
Pork	65	0
Bacon, heavy	41	6
Bacon, light	42	0
Tallow	27	0
Cheese, new white	51	0
Cheese new colored	51	0

**The Mutual
Life Insurance Com'y
of New York**

RICHARD A. McCURDY, President

"THE GREATEST OF
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ASSETS:**\$301,844,537.52****INSURANCE AND ANNUITIES
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The Mutual Life Insurance Company issues every form of policy at the lowest rates commensurate with safety.

THOMAS MERRITT,
MANAGER.

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Toronto, Ontario.

WATERLOO MUTUAL FIRE INS. CO.

ESTABLISHED IN 1863.

HEAD OFFICE. WATERLOO, ONT.

Total Assets 31st Dec., 1898 \$349,734 71
Policies in Force in Western Ontario over 18 000 00

GEORGE RANDALL, President. JOHN SHUH, Vice-President
FRANK HAIGHT, Manager. JOHN KILLER, Inspector

62nd YEAR

THE "GORE"

FIRE INSURANCE CO.

Head Office, GALT, ONT.

Total Losses Paid..... \$1,932,419 89
Total Assets 407,333 07
Cash and Cash Assets ... 250,360 27

Both Cash and Mutual Plans

PRESIDENT, HON. JAMES YOUNG
VICE-PRESIDENT, A. WARNOCK, Esq.
Manager, R. S. STRONG, Galt.

The Great-West Life Assurance Co.

The most progressive company
in Canada, with its Head
Office in the most progressive
city in Canada—Winnipeg.

Has an Income of over
\$1,000 per day.

THE GREAT-WEST LIFE ASSURANCE CO.
with its Head Office in Winnipeg, has not found it necessary to increase its premium rates on account of diminished interest earnings.
Insurance in Force \$10,363,259 00
Applications Received in 1899. 3,310,750 00