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Tables and Forms of Application, with all other information, can be obtained by application to

H. L. Routh,

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Agent.

ANNUAL STATEMENT

OF THE

ÆTNA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

OF HARTFORD, CONN.,

ON JANUARY 1ST, 1869:

RECEIPTS.		PAID RE-INSURANCE.	
Balance per statement January 1st, 1868.....	\$7,535,612.35	Paid Re-insurance.....	299,316.67
Less Premiums then uncollected.....	306,482.19	Total Disbursements.....	\$2,881,845.64
	\$7,229,130.16	Balance on hand, Jan. 1, 1869..	\$10,350,512.23
Received for Premiums in 1868...\$5,388,944.23		BALANCE SHEET OF THE COMPANY.	
Do do Interest... 611,283.48		Assets as above.....	\$10,350,512.23
Total Income for 1868.....	6,000,227.71	Add Value of Policies Re-insured.....	112,019.52
	\$13,232,357.87	Total Assets.....	\$10,462,531.75
DISBURSEMENTS.		LIABILITIES.	
Paid Claims by death \$855,034.22		Capital Stock.....	\$150,000.00
Paid Dividends and Returned Premi's 861,040.31		Losses reported but not due.....	262,100.00
Paid Commission, Exchange, Stamp Tax, Rents, &c.....	655,236.33	Dividends unpaid.....	44,432.27
Paid Advertising, Printing, Salaries, Postage, Physicians' Fees and Taxes.....	211,218.11	Other items.....	150.00
Shewing the Company to possess \$135 of Assets for every \$100 of Liabilities, according to the New York standard of valuation. And according to the Massachusetts standard, excluding Capital Stock, \$128 per \$100. In 1868 the ratio, per Massachusetts standard, was \$123; in 1867, \$121, and in 1866, \$119 per \$100 of Liabilities. The average of all the Life Insurance Companies doing business in Massachusetts in 1868 was \$116.		Value of Policies, or amount required to Re-insure all Risks, by N. Y. standard.....	7,330,000.00
		Total Gross Liabilities.....	\$7,786,532.27
		Divisible Surplus.....	\$2,675,999.48

CANADA BRANCH OFFICE:

No. 20 Great St James Street, two doors east of the Post-Office, Montreal.
S. PEDLAR & CO., Managers.

March 23, 1869.

INSURANCE.

SIMPSON & BETHUNE,
Fire, Life, and Marine Insurance Agents.

Office: 102 St. Francois Xavier Street.

ASSURANCES effected before 30th April next in the CANADA LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

obtain a year's additional profits over later entrants, and the great success of the Company warrants the Directors in recommending this very important advantage to Assurers.
Sums Assured.....\$5,300,000
Amount of Capital and Funds.....2,000,000
Annual Income.....200,000
Assets of about \$150 (exclusive of uncalculated capital) for each \$100 of liabilities. The income from interest upon investments is now alone sufficient to meet the claims by death.
Every information afforded by
DONALD MURRAY,
GENERAL AGENT,
77 St. James Street.

INSURANCE.

OFFICE OF THE ORIENT MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY, New York, 28th January, 1869.

THE following STATEMENT OF the AFFAIRS of this COMPANY, on the 31st day of December, 1868, is published in conformity with the provisions of its Charter:—

ASSETS,

31ST DECEMBER, 1868.

Cash in Banks.....	\$123,801 16	
United States Stock.....	447,575 09	
Stocks of States and Corporations, and Loans on demand.....	162,517 09	\$727,893 24
Subscription Notes (of which \$254,826.20 are not yet used).....	565,101 35	
Bills Receivable, Uncollected Premiums and Salvages.....	293,824.21	
Accrued Interest and Unsettled Accounts.....	27,458 50	881,384 06
Total amount of Assets.....	\$1,609,277 30	

The Board of Trustees have resolved to pay Six per cent. Interest on the outstanding Scrip Certificates to the holders thereof, or their legal representatives, on or after the 1st March next.

After allowing for probable losses in the case of vessels out of time, and unsettled claims; they have also (in addition to a Bonus of Ten per cent. paid in cash on the Subscription Notes) declared a Dividend, free from Government Tax, of Twenty-five per cent. on the net amount of Earned Premiums of the year ending 31st December, 1868, for which Certificates will be issued, on and after the 1st March next, to Dealers entitled to the same.

The accumulations of this Company having reached, with the past year's earnings, the sum of \$900,000, they have further resolved, in view of the increased business of the Company, to postpone the redemption of Scrip until the total accumulations exceed \$1,000,000.

By order of the Board,
CHARLES IRVING, Secretary.

TRUSTEES.

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| Joseph Gaillard, Jr., | Leopold Blerwitz, |
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| Cornelius K. Sutton, | Gustav Schwab, |
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EUGENE DUTLH, President.
ALFRED OGDEN, Vice-President.
CHARLES IRVING, Secretary.

NOTICE.

This Company issue, when desired, Policies and Certificates, payable in London and Liverpool, at the Counting Rooms of Messrs. DRAKE, KLEINWORT & COHEN.

The undersigned continues to receive applications for Open and Special Policies, and to effect Insurances on Ships, Cargoes, and Freights, with the above well known Company, payable in Gold or Canadian Funds.

HENRY MCKAY,
No. 1 Merchants' Exchange.
Montreal, Feb. 4, 1869.