

CANADA LIFE ASSURANCE CO.

ESTABLISHED 1847.

Head Office, Hamilton, Ontario.

Capital and Funds about \$7,000,000
Annual income over 1,200,000

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RATES REDUCED.

THE STANDARD LIFE ASSURANCE CO.

ESTABLISHED 1825.

HEAD OFFICE:

EDINBURGH, SCOTLAND, AND MONTREAL, CANADA.

Total Risks.....about \$100,000,000
Invested funds.....do 30,000,000
Annual Income.....do 4,000,000
or over \$10,000 a day.
Claims paid in Canada.....do \$ 1,300,000
Investments in Canada.....do 2,000,000
Total amount paid in Claims during the last 8 years, over FIFTEEN MILLIONS OF DOLLARS, or about \$5,000 a day.

W. M. RAMSAY, Manager, Canada.

THE EQUITABLE LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY

OF THE UNITED STATES.

Amount of NEW BUSINESS in 1883 \$81,129,756.00
Largest Business of any company in the World.
Total Outstanding Assurance 275,160,588.00
Total ASSETS December 31st, 1883 53,030,581.70
Total UNDIVIDED SURPLUS 12,109,756.79
PAID POLICY-HOLDERS Since organization 73,877,699.51

All Policies Incontestable after three years.

Such Policies are payable immediately upon receipt of satisfactory proofs of death, WITHOUT THE DELAY of Sixty or Ninety days, as usual with other Companies.

R. W. CALE, Manager

223 ST. JAMES STREET, MONTREAL.

A. & T. J. DARLING & CO.
BAR IRON, TIN, & SHELF HARDWARE
CUTLERY A SPECIALTY.
FRONT ST., East. TORONTO.

CAUTION! CAUTION!!

It having come to the knowledge of the undersigned that attempts have been made to introduce for sale in the Dominion of Canada an imitation of our

ACME SKATES

in violation of our patent rights:

This is to Caution all dealers against purchasing the same, as parties found importing or dealing in those imitations will be prosecuted.

The Starr Manufacturing Co.

Halifax, N.S., May 1st, 1884.

THE CANADA BANK NOTE ENGRAVING AND PRINTING CO.

(LIMITED.)

Incorporated by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the Dominion

CAPITAL: \$100,000.

526 & 528 Craig Street, Montreal.

PRESIDENT: GEORGE E. DESBARATS.

VICE-PRESIDENT: W. C. SMILLIE.

SECRETARY-TREASURER: G. HERMANN DRECHSEL.

THE CANADA BANK NOTE COMPANY IS NOW PREPARED TO EXECUTE ORDERS FOR BANK NOTES, BONDS, DEBENTURES, CERTIFICATES, BILLS OF EXCHANGE, DRAFTS, CHEQUES, AND ALL OTHER FORMS OF STEEL PLATE ENGRAVING AND PRINTING, IN THE HIGHEST STYLE OF ART AND AT MODERATE PRICES.

THE COMPANY WILL ALSO MAKE A SPECIALTY OF RAILROAD PRINTING AND OF MAP ENGRAVING, BY LITHOGRAPHY, ON ZINC, AND BY THE WAX PROCESS, AND WILL CONTINUE THE ARTOTYPE, CHROMO-LITHOGRAPHY, GENERAL ENGRAVING & ARTISTIC TYPE PRINTING BUSINESS HITHERTO CARRIED ON BY GEO. E. DESBARATS & CO. A SHARE OF THE PUBLIC PATRONAGE IS RESPECTFULLY SOLICITED.

ESTABLISHED 1839.

WM. DARLING & CO.,

Wholesale Shelf and Heavy

HARDWARE,

26, 28 & 30 ST. SULPICE ST.
MONTREAL.

LONSDALE, REID & CO.,

IMPORTERS OF

Fancy & Staple Dry Goods,

SMALL WARES, &c.,

18 ST. HELEN STREET, MONTREAL.

We call particular attention to a new

5 Cent Cigar

—CALLED—

‘‘NOISY BOYS,’’

—WHICH IS—

UNEQUALLED FOR VALUE.

The Trade is solicited to send their orders to the

CREME DE LA CREME CIGAR FACTORY,
MONTREAL.

The Journal of Commerce

FINANCE AND INSURANCE REVIEW.

MONTREAL, DECEMBER 1, 1884.

INTERNATIONAL TREATIES.

A most extraordinary delusion seems to prevail in the minds of a large portion of the community. It is imagined by many that our Government has only to demand from foreigners the establishment of more liberal commercial relations and that it would be certain to succeed. Again it is almost universally the rule that when treaties between nations are successfully negotiated the people of each country are fully convinced that their interests have been sacrificed. We were struck by a passage in the speech recently delivered in Montreal by Sir Richard Cartwright in which he refers ‘‘to the Ashburton surrender, and the Washington capitulation,’’ his object having been to convince his hearers that Canadian statesmen could negotiate more successfully than British, with the diplomatists of the United States. This sentiment was received with tumultuous applause by his audience, who likewise greeted with tremendous cheering a most extraordinary and wholly incorrect notice of the fishery arbitration at Halifax, N.S.