T. EATON Co. LIMITED

Sensational Prices for Monday

We're turning things topsy-turvy in some of our departments for Monday, and offering shoppers values and prices that are little less than sensational. For instance:

$5.00 to $8.00 Jackets for $1.98.

668 Women's Jackets; in all-wool cheviot, frieze and beaver cloth; double-breasted, and fly front; lined throughout with mercerized Italian and serge-silk; others unlined; in black, navy, brown, Oxford, light grey and fawn; sizes 32 to 42; regular prices $5 to $8; clearing Monday **1.98**

$1.00 and $1.50 Felt Boots for 50c.

704 pairs Women's Best Quality Black All-wool Felt Boots; in felt laced, foxed with leather; felt house boots, with fur trimming; low heels and wide soles; also felt button, turn soles; and plain felt with elastic side; sizes 3 to 8; regular price $1 and $1.50; Monday your choice for.. **.50**

So we might continue picking out bargain gems, but your shopping instinct is keen enough to recognize offerings of genuine merit, and you'll find heaps of satisfaction reading these prices and buying on Monday. We can't tell of all the things. A glance at our windows or a visit to the store will present many others. Come and share them.

35 only Hall Racks. Two patterns in quarter-cut oak, golden finish, richly carved and polished, large British bevel mirror. Regular price $14.75 and $15.25, Monday..... **9.90**

36 Iron Bedsteads. Complete with a Hercules woven wire spring and cotton top mattresses; a heavy bedstead with brass knob and caps, in sizes 3 feet, 3 feet 6 inches and 4 feet 6 inches wide. Regular price $8.50, Monday..... **5.90**

25 only Sideboards. Quarter-cut oak, hand carved and polished, large British bevel plate mirror, two patterns. Regular price $25.00. Monday..... **16.90**

Toweling.

3,500 yards 19-inch Red and Blue Check Linen Glass or Tea Toweling; also a 17-inch Crash Roller Toweling, with plain or colored borders; regular price 7c a yard; Monday to sell at..... **.5**

Flannelette.

3,000 yards Soft-finished Canadian Flannelette; in plain colors of cream, blue and white; also some very new striped patterns, 30 inches wide; selling to-day at 7c a yard; Monday ..... **.5**

Sham Holders

300 Pillow Sham Holders; adjustible and will fit any size of wooden bedstead; the regular price 25c each; Monday on furniture floor, while they last ..... **.15**

Curtains and Shades.

301 pairs Extra Quality Nottingham Lace Curtains; made from fine quality cotton; colors white or ivory; single borders; cord edge finish; in floral and spray patterns; all 3½ yards long; this lot comprises some of our best-selling lines; with only 6 to 12 pairs of a pattern left; regular value $1 to $1.25 a pair; Monday, while they last ..... **.63**

360 only Opaque Window Shades; 36x70 inches long; cream only; trimmed with fancy lace or insertion (assorted patterns); in different widths; mounted on good spring rollers; complete with tassel; regular value 75c to $1 each; Monday, all one price ..... **.35**

Carpets and Linoleums.

960 yards Best English Tapestry Brussels Carpet; seventeen different patterns; in pretty colorings of green, red, terra cotta, fawn, brown and ecru; these are the finest goods of their kind made, being full 10 wires to the inch; 5-8 borders to match; our regular price 80c a yard; on sale Monday at..... **.65**

685 square yards Scotch Linoleum; 2, 3 and 4 yards wide; your choice of twenty-one new, up-to-date designs; in floral, block, tile and parquetry effects; an extra heavy, well painted and thoroughly seasoned cloth; for kitchens, dining-rooms, halls, vestibules, etc.; regular price 55c and 60c a square yard; on sale Monday at ..... **.40**

Our Basement Bargains for Monday

Chinaware

660 only Fancy China Moustache Cups and Saucers; good shape; nicely tinted in pink and green, and decorated with floral designs; gold traced and lined; regular price 20c each; Monday..... **.9**

16 only English China Tea Sets; a very pretty shape; the complete 44-piece set; gold lined edges and handle; also a 40-piece set; chrysanthemum decoration; gold lined; regular prices $5.50 and $5.75 set; your choice Monday..... **3.25**

Glassware

800 dozen Clear Glass Water Tumblers; with fluting around bottom; good shape; regular price 35c dozen; Monday, each, at..... **.2**

Crystal Tea Sets, consisting of a butter dish, spoon holder, cream jug, and sugar bowl; cut glass pattern; regular price 50 set; Monday..... **.35**

Gas Fixtures

100 only Two-light Gas Chandeliers; all brass; curved arms; complete with fancy crystal globes; regular price $2.05; Monday..... **1.19**

60 only, Three-light, to match above; regular price $2.70 each; Monday..... **1.69**

Put up free of charge within city limits.

Woodenware

100 only "Canadian" Washing Machine; the favorite style; a round shape; easily run and very satisfactory; regular price $3.50; Monday..... **2.25**

300 only Wood Wash Tubs; the small size; suitable for a small washing or for a rinsing tub; regular price 50c each; Monday..... **.25**

Tinware

144 only Copper Tea Kettles; nickel-plated; well-made, with seamless body; No. 8 size; regular price $1.10 each; Monday.. **.79**

432 Medium-size Pieced Tin Colanders; regular price 10c each; Monday..... **.5**

300 only Seamless Tin Dish Pans; tenquart size (wine measure); reg. price 28c each; Monday..... **.15**

Club Bags

50 only Club Shape Bags; good strong style; with Japanned frame and brass mountings; regular price $1.35; Monday..... **.89**

Brooms at 10c

100 dozen Three-string Corn Brooms; good value at 15c each; Monday..... **.10**

75c All-wool Dress Serge for 33c

800 yards Imported Worsted Serge, all wool, fine smooth finish, fast dye, black only, 56 inches wide, regular price 75c, Monday to clear..... **33c**

Fur Jackets

4 only Women's Black Persian Lamb Jackets; bright glossy curl; 24 inches long; satin lined throughout; regular $100 jacket; Monday **72.50**

Fur-lined Coats

7 only Men's Fur-lined Overcoats; made of fine English beaver; dark muskrat lining; natural otter collar, regular $50 to $60; Monday..... **35.00**

Caperines

25 only Women's and Misses' Astrachan and Electric Seal Caperines; good quality lining; regular $5.50; Monday..... **2.95**

Children's Caps

30 Children's Grey Lamb Caps; medium, light and dark shades; satin lined; regular $2.50; Monday..... **1.19**

Silk Drapes

110 only Japanese Silk Mantel or Piano Drapes; heavy knotted silk fringe; richly hand embroidered; in assorted designs with silk and gold thread; the colors are pink, blue, Nile, gold, crimson and others; in real Shanghai silk; our regular $3 and $3.50 drapes; Monday for..... **2.19**

Flannel Shirts

23 dozen Men's Fine English Unshrinkable Ceylon Flannel Shirts; with collar attached; yoke and pearl buttons; double stitched seams; neat and fancy stripes; sizes 14 to 18 inches; selling to-day at $1; to clear Monday..... **.69**

Men's Underwear

17 dozen Men's Fine Shetland Wool Underwear; shirts and drawers; shirts are double-breasted; sateen trimmings; pearl buttons; overlocked seams; ribbed skirt and cuffs; in fancy blue stripes; small, medium and large sizes; selling today at $1 each; Monday..... **.59**

Boys' Suits

140 Boys' Two-piece Suits; made from imported and Canadian all-wool tweed; some with Norfolk coat; and neatly pleated single-breasted style; good linings; sizes 23, 24, 25, 26; our regular price $2.50 to $4; Monday bargain..... **1.89**

Men's Trousers

90 pairs Men's Trousers; made from good heavy Canadian tweed; dark-grey stripes; good trimmings; two side and one hip pocket; sizes 32 to 44; regular price $1.25; Monday bargain for..... **.98**

Muslins

650 yards White Muslin; large and small check and stripe; suitable for dresses and aprons; 28 inches wide; extra fine quality; special for children's wear; selling to-day at 10c and 12 1-2c a yard; to clear Monday..... **.7**

Linings

550 yards 54-inch Mercerized Farmer Satin; in colors golden brown, old rose, cerise, bluette, navy, myrtle, yellow and white; nice soft finish, very close weave; selling to-day at 50c yard; to clear on Monday at..... **.30**

Skirts

50 dozen Skirts; fine cambric and cottons; several styles; trimmed with lace insertion, lace frills; others with embroidery insertion, tucks and frills of embroidery; sizes 38, 40 and 42 inches long; regular price $1.25, $1.45 and $1.75; Monday **.68**

Millinery Flowers

The odds and ends of a manufacturer's stock — some eighty dozen pieces—at almost giveaway prices for Monday. The assortment comprises:

—Black and Gold Silk Poppies.
—Black Silk Violets.
—Black Chrysanthemums.
—Black Velvet Roses.
—Large Colored Silk Roses, with Foliage.
—Large Colored Muslin Roses.
—Large Silk Poppies.
—Colored Chrysanthemums in velvet, silk and muslin.
—Natural Violets, velvet and silk.
—Assorted Small Flower Sprays, in velvet, muslin and silk.

Monday your choice of any flower for..... **.10**

Corset Covers

50 dozen Corset Covers; made of fine cambrics and nainsooks; several different styles; trimmed with fine embroideries and Valenciennes insertion and lace; mostly full front; French style; gathered at waist; regular price $1.25, $1.50, to $2; Monday..... **.58**

Handkerchiefs

Men's Pure Linen Handkerchiefs; hemstitched; wide or narrow hems; splendid quality and good large size; regular 15c each; Monday, 3 for..... **.25**

Wall Paper

2,400 rolls American and Canadian Glimmer Wall Paper; complete combinations of wall, border and ceiling; pretty floral and chintz designs; cream, old rose, yellow and blue colors; for bedrooms, sitting-rooms and kitchens; regular price 8c and 10c per single roll; on sale Monday..... **.4**

Shield Bows

Ladies' Shield Bow; neat small shape; square ends; the latest for spring wear; fancy colorings in light, dark and medium shades; regular 20c each; Monday..... **.9**

Hosiery

Women's and Children's Ribbed Black Cashmere Hose; heavy weight; just the thing for cold weather, being soft, warm and elastic; double heel, toe and sole; children's with 6-fold knee; wear and comfort guaranteed; sizes 6 1-2 to 10; regularly sold at 25c; Monday..... **12½**

Men's Gloves

27 dozen Heavy Working and Driving Gloves; also Men's Mitts (some with 1 finger); some with wool wrist; others with cord and button fastener; these lines are wool lined and unlined, and the same goods you have been paying us $1.25, $1.50, and $1.75; Monday..... **.59**

Note Paper

350 packages Square-shaped Society Paper; linen finish; five quires in each package; regularly sold at 10c per quire, or 50c package; Monday, a package for..... **.25**

Envelopes to match; regular 10c a package; Monday..... **.5**

Books

300 Copyright Novels; illustrated paper covers; by such authors as David Lyall, Stockton, Doyle, Munroe, Kingsley, Barr, Davis, Churchill, etc.; published to sell at 65c and 75c a copy; our price to clear at..... **.19**

Cottons

2,000 yards Pure Bleached Cotton; cambric finish; fine even thread; entirely free from dressing; regular price 12 1-2c per yard; Monday..... **.10**

Sheetings

1,000 yards 72-inch Heavy Twill Unbleached Sheeting; also 800 yards 80-in. plain; extra strong, and free from filling; regular value 22c; Monday..... **.18**

Silverware

106 pieces of Useful Table Pieces, in finest finish and quality, including Nut, Fruit and Salad Bowls, shell-shape pattern; gold-lined with fancy feet; Fern Holders, filigree design; separate inner dish; bright finish, also Syrup Jugs; satin; engraved fancy feet; bright burnished lid; fancy knob; regular price of these pieces is $3 to $3.75; Monday, your choice..... **1.59**

150 Odd Pieces, including Salt and Pepper Shakers, Napkin Rings, Jewel Trees, Table Bells, Cream Jugs, with colored glass lining, and several other useful odd pieces; all embossed in fancy patterns and finest finish; regular $1.00 to $1.75; Monday..... **.25**

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MR. ROSS AND THE REFERENDUM

Those who have read Premier Ross' speech may have been impressed, as it was the evident intention of the speaker that they should be, with the thought that it was by much study and research that he had arrayed such an army of authorities in support of his referendum proposal. Lord Salisbury, Mr. Lecky, Mr. Strachey, Miss Willard, Dr. Lyman Abbott and others were all quoted in a way calculated to create the impression that the Premier is a man of wide reading, who had given deep and earnest study to his subject, and finds his referendum device for escape from political shipwreck sanctioned by high authority. But Mr. Ross was simply posing and pretending. He had never read one of the speeches or articles from which he pretended to quote. He found every one of his quotations in the appendix of one book, a sort of compilation of arguments and opinions favorable to the idea of direct legislation, made by Mr. Eltwood Pomeroy of Newark, N.J. Mr. Ross' use of these quotations was the reverse of honest. Each one appears in Mr. Pomeroy's book, divorced from its context, and he did not know, and had no means of knowing, whether they accurately expressed the opinions of the writers or speakers. As a matter of fact, Mr. Pomeroy, when using the excerpts which Mr. Ross borrowed, did not attach to them the meaning the Premier did. He was dealing with the subject of direct legislation, which includes the initiative as well as the referendum, and nowhere within the three hundred and twenty odd pages of his book does he so much as hint at, much less advocate or seek to justify, a referendum like the one Mr. Ross proposes. What Mr. Pomeroy contends for, and what he quotes Lord Salisbury, Miss Willard and others in support of, is the incorporation of direct legislation—the initiative and referendum—into the regular machinery of government, a very different thing from applying the referendum alone to one isolated question, and that for no better purpose than to enable an embarrassed politician to escape the consequences of his own duplicity. Mr. Pomeroy and Mr. J. W. Sullivan are the leading advocates of direct legislation in the United States, and neither they nor any other honest advocate of direct legislation would dream of proposing that the referendum should be used for the convenience of politicians, to help them overcome the troubles sure to spring up in the pathway of the tricky and uncandid. They advocate direct legislation as a means of "giving the people a veto on corrupt legislation," to quote the words of Hon. John Wanamaker; because they think "it will do away with the boss, the boodler and the lobbyist"; because they hope that it will "put corrupt, purchaseable politicians out of business, by taking from them the power 'to deliver the goods.'" But they advocate it always as a definite, permanent system, never as something to be applied now and again at the convenience of politicians.

Mr. Ross could have found, no doubt he did find, in Mr. Pomeroy's book many sound and cogent arguments in support of the incorporation of the principle of direct legislation into our Ontario system. How long would the scrap iron law or the Conmee Act stand if the people, by means of the initiative, could compel the submission of an Act for their repeal, and could then, by the use of the referendum, put them out of existence? How much sooner would the Liberal leaders have been compelled to withdraw their protection from their campaign-fund-contributing friends, the Michigan lumbermen, had it been possible to submit to the direct vote of the people the question whether Canadians or foreigners should have the benefit of Canada's timber resources? With such a weapon as the referendum in their hands, how long would the long-suffering people of Ontario submit to the robbery of the school book ring? What would have been the fate of the government's various pulpwood deals if they had to run the gauntlet of the referendum?

But not only did Mr. Ross make dishonest use of Mr. Pomeroy's excerpts by making them appear to support that which they did not and never were intended to support. He had the audacity to absolutely misrepresent what he found in the book. This is a serious charge to make against the Premier of the province, but the facts warrant it, and would justify the use of stronger language. Let us quote Mr. Ross' words: "In the United States, every constitutional amendment—and every state of the union, except Delaware, has the power to make constitutional amendments in that way—has been submitted to the people, and in every one of these cases, so far as I can ascertain, they are approved by a two-thirds majority." The first part of this statement Mr. Ross got from Mr. Pomeroy's book, page 2; the latter part is the coinage of his own brain and wholly untrue. In no case when one of the amendments to the constitution of any state, cited in Mr. Pomeroy's book, was submitted to a vote of the people was a two-thirds majority or anything more than a majority of the votes polled required. Mr. Ross' object in making his statement about the two-thirds majority is plain, but it is entirely untrue, and he cannot be allowed to plead even that he was mistaken. In Mr. Pomeroy's book, on the page from which he was quoting, is a foot note referring the reader to Appendices No. 26, "The Referendum in Use"; and No. 28, "A Review of Michigan Referendums." Appendix No. 26 covers 16 pages, and deals with referendum votes in 17 states. Some, but not all, of these were on constitutional amendments, but in not one single case was a two-thirds majority, or anything more than an ordinary majority, required. Appendix No. 28 tells of the submission of several votes to the people of Michigan one of them a prohibitory liquor law, and here again only a bare majority was required in any case.

In going over Mr. Pomeroy's book Mr. Ross discovered another thing which, beyond all question, influenced him in the framing of his Act. This was that in no one instance when a referendum vote was taken in any state did the vote on the referendum equal the vote for governor or for presidential electors, and this tho the vote was taken at the same time and usually recorded on the same ballot. We commend this to the consideration of such gentlemen as Rev. John Potts, J. A. Macdonald, J. F. Ockley, Dr. Sutherland, Principal Caven and some more who are trying to persuade themselves—and others—that Mr. Ross is not asking the prohibitionists to attempt the impossible.

MILBURN'S HEART AND NERVE PILLS FOR WEAK PEOPLE.

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Palpitation, Throbbing or Irregular Beating of the Heart, Dizziness, Shortness of Breath, Distress after Exertion, Smothering Feeling, Spasms or Pain through the Breast and Heart, Morbid Condition of the Mind, Partial Paralysis, Sleeplessness, Nervousness, Anemia, General Debility, After-Effects of Grippe, Loss of Appetite, etc.

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Laxa-Liver Pills cure Constipation.

PRACTICAL V. IMPOSSIBLE TEMPERANCE.

One fact that the pending prohibition controversy has brought to the surface is that this province is ripe for some kind of common sense temperance legislation. Prohibition will never be tolerated, but the people would readily accept any measure that would do away with, or diminish, the sale of liquor in saloons and taverns. People are coming to the conclusion that the saloon-keeper is not a necessary adjunct to the body politic. He could easily be dispensed with, and he will, perhaps soon realize that we would lose nothing if he went away back and sat down. While the people will not stand for prohibition, they will readily listen to proposals for an improved method for the distribution of liquor. The saloon-keeper is a costly middleman, both financially and morally. If the temperance people directed their attention to the middleman and the system of distribution, instead of to the production of liquor, they would accomplish much more good. The country is ready for a radical change in the saloon business. The temperance sentiment in Ontario is strong enough to warrant a decrease of the saloons and taverns by fully 50 per cent. Indeed, many strong anti-prohibitionists would like to see both a big diminution in the number of saloons and taverns and a radical change in the way they are conducted. We believe the country would like to see such a change in the conduct of the liquor business as would do away with the treating system. The elimination of this evil would be welcomed by thousands in Toronto, including a majority of those who are victims of the system. It is a pity that our temperance friends, instead of wasting their strength on the impossible, do not centre their efforts on such practical temperance legislation as is now attainable.

OLD PEOPLE

Have a charm of their own when they are not weak and feeble, but hale and hearty, enjoying the sports and pleasures of youth though they cannot participate in them. The whole secret of a sturdy old age is this: Keep the stomach and organs of digestion and nutrition in perfect order. The young man who does not think of his stomach will be made to think of it as he grows old. It is the "weak" stomach, incapable of supplying the adequate nutrition for the body, which causes the weakness and feebleness of old age.

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery cures diseases of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition. It makes the "weak" stomach strong, and so enables the body to be fully nourished and strengthened by the food which is eaten.

"I suffered for six years with constipation and indigestion, during which time I employed several physicians, but they could not reach my case," writes Mr. G. Popplewell, of Eureka Springs, Carroll Co., Ark. "I felt that there was no help for me, could not retain food on my stomach; had vertigo and would fall helpless to the floor. Two years ago I commenced taking Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and little 'Pellets,' and improved from the start. After taking twelve bottles of the 'Discovery' I was able to do light work, and have been improving ever since. I am now in good health for one of my age—60 years. I owe it all to Dr. Pierce's medicines."

Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser, in paper covers, is sent *free* on receipt of 31 one-cent stamps to pay expense of customs and mailing *only*. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

The Best Year's Work.

That the year 1901 was the very best in the history of the North American Life Assurance Company will be seen by its annual statement, which appears in our columns to-day. The applications received amounted to over six millions, and of this five and one-half millions were accepted, and policies issued, while about half a million was declined—a substantial proof, both of the popularity of the Company amongst insurers, and of the protection given to policyholders in the selection of only the best risks.

The amount of insurance now in force reaches just about $28,000,000, and in all important elements tending to its growth and prosperity the Company has made marked advances.

The income, increased by over $100,000, now amounts to $1,099,396.58.

The assets were increased during the year by $440,000, and now stand at $4,420,773.38.

The investments of the Company are of the highest order, and the fact, as the auditor pointed out at the annual meeting, that the Company has never had default in the payment of interest in any of the debentures it holds, will bear tribute to the care and financial ability exercised by the management of the Company.

The policyholders of the Company, besides desiring to know that it is a thoroughly sound, well-managed institution, are mainly interested in its having a good round sum as net surplus, because from this source alone can profits be paid. In this respect the North American Life stands in the front rank, as it is claimed by the Company that its net surplus, now over half a million, is larger, in proportion to its liabilities, than that of any other home Company.

That it has done well for its policyholders is indicated by the acknowledgments it has received from them of the satisfactory returns paid to them under matured investment policies.

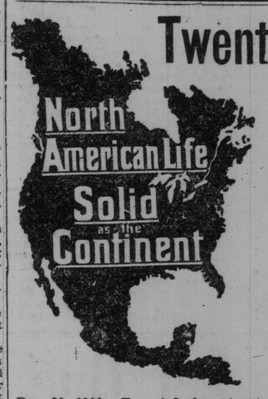
The Company paid out during the last year the large sum of $386,688 for death claims, profits, etc.

The North American Life is recognized amongst the leading established financial institutions; it has already passed its twenty-first year, and the President, in his address at the annual meeting, pointed out that each year in its history has marked a progressive and successful period.

The Company at its formation was exceptionally fortunate in having for its President a man held in the highest esteem and regard by all people—the late Hon. Alexander Mackenzie—and at his death he was succeeded by Mr. John L. Blaikie, who is regarded as one of the leading financial authorities in this province.

The Vice-Presidents are Dr. James Thorburn and Sir William R. Meredith, the Managing-Director—that well-known expert actuary—Mr. William McCabe, F.I.A., ably assisted by Mr. L. Goldman, the Secretary.

Your friends will be delighted if you serve them with Ludella Ceylon Tea.



Twenty-First Annual Statement

OF THE

North American Life Assurance Co.

Head Office:
112-118 King Street West
TORONTO.

For the Year Ended December 31st, 1901.

Dec. 30, 1900. To net Ledger Assets..... $3,773,508 08

RECEIPTS.

Dec. 31, 1901.
To Cash for Premiums..... $922,935 02
To Cash Income on Investments..... 176,461 56
1,099,396 58
$4,872,904 66

DISBURSEMENTS.

Dec. 31, 1901.
By Payment for Death Claims, Profits, etc.. $386,688 35
" all other Payments..... 291,906 70
$678,595 05
$4,194,309 61

ASSETS.

Dec. 31, 1901.
By Mortgages, etc..... $1,200,489 65
" Debentures (market value, $747,205.99)..... 737,848 54
" Stocks and Bonds (market value, $1,371,315.70)..... 1,322,168 92
" Real Estate, including Company's building..... 416,936 41
" Loans on Policies, etc..... 278,827 44
" Loans on Stocks (nearly all on call)..... 215,170 00
" Cash in Bank and on Hand..... 22,868 65
$4,194,309 61
" Premiums Outstanding, etc. (less cost of collection)..... 178,581 85
" Interest and Rents Due and Accrued..... 47,881 92
$4,420,773 38

LIABILITIES.

Dec. 31, 1901.
To Guarantee Fund..... $ 60,000 00
" Assurance and Annuity Reserve Fund..... 3,808,229 00
" Death Losses awaiting proofs, etc..... 45,103 01
$3,913,332 01

Net Surplus..... $507,441 37

Audited and found correct.
J. N. LAKE, Auditor.

The financial position of the Company is unexcelled—its percentage of net surplus to liabilities exceeds that of any other home company.

New Insurance Issued during 1901..... $5,520,067 00
Exceeding the best previous year in the history of the Company by over half a million.
Insurance in force at end of 1901 (net)..... $27,977,794 00

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The report containing the proceedings of the Annual Meeting, held on January 29th last, showing marked proofs of the continued progress and solid position of the Company, will be sent to policy-holders. Pamphlets explanatory of the attractive investment plans of the Company, and a copy of the Annual Report, showing its unexcelled financial position, will be furnished on application to the Head Office or any of the Company's agencies.

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Sat. Matinee—BEYOND HUMAN POWER.
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