Extreme Weakness

RESULTING FROM POORWAT-ERY, BLOOD.

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Heiress and Wife.

CHAPTER XXVI.

Rex and Pluma talked for some time out in the moonlight, then Rex

The answer sprung quickly to his light to the constant of th

power you think you possess, you would send the note over by Daisy could really compel me to be your Brooks, my mother's companion.

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CEYLON GREEN OR BLACK,

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Its greater strength combined with its absolute purity make it the

stone,
About eighteen months ago Mrs.
Black, who was a woman of unusually good health and development and weighed nearly two hundred pounds, was taken with a feeling of languor that refused to give way to ordinary

Body Has Been Petrifying Gradually for Do not worry thyself with the trou-Mrs Mary Black, wife of a well- ble of to-morrow; perhaps thou wilt known insurance official, of Laporte, have no to-morrow, and why shouldst Ind., is slowly but surely turning to thou trouble thyself about a world stone,

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AN IRISHMAN'S CALENDAR. It is always fair weather with the residents of the Emerald Isle. The tourist may be drenched to the skin with the wettest of rain, but every native he meets will assure him it is

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54th Annual Report.

The 54th annual Meeting of the Canada Life Assurance Company was held on the 27th of February. The meeting was harmonious, and the following report shows the Company to be in a sound and flourishing condition:

The Year's Business. The number of policies with first premiums actually paid for in cash during 1900 was 2809, representing assurances of \$6,397,943.33. This was \$863,242.52 larger than the new business paid for in the previous year. Of the above amount, \$4,515,510.33 represents the Canadian business. Coming now to business originating strictly within the past year, the number of applications received was 2210 for \$5,108.334. The number of policies issued and revived was 2170, and the amount of assurances granted (including new reversionary additions), was \$5,556,635.55. It is gratifying to be able to announce that a satisfactory increase in our business has been shown for the first two representations.

satisfactory increase in our business has been shown for the first two mouths of the current year over the corresponding period of the last and provious years, the total assurances now in force amount to \$81,039,83. he Income.

A substantial incresse has taken place in our premium income, which amounted to \$2,951,687.33, or, including considerations for acquities, to \$3,055,905.33. The income from Interest amounted to the large sum of \$906.420.27. These figures exceed the highest point yet reached by the Company, both The Income.

The Payments. For the first time in the Company's history, the claims by death exceeded the million dollar mark, the payments amounting to \$1,112,367.43, which however was well within the amount expected. Including bonus additions, the death claims and endowments paid amount to \$1,291,

480.28, while the dividends to policy-holders reached the large sum of \$865,880.75, The total payments to policy-holders and annuitants amounted to \$2.282,840.68.

Omitting all annuity transactions, the actual expenses of management for the year fineluding taxes and government fees) amounted to 14.00 per cent. of the income from premiums and interest. This percentage is less than the corresponding one for the provious year. In this connection, a respectful protest should be entered against the unfair measure of faxation which life insurance companies are subjected to by some Provincial and State enactments.

he Assets. Owing to the temporary stringency in the money market during past year, little difficulty was experienced in securing desirable in ments. The assets of the Company increased during the year by \$1,281,142.02, notwithstanding the large payments to policy-holders. The total assets now amount
to \$22,618,204.08, being more than double the amount reported ten years ago.

The Liabilities. The valuation basis at present adopted is Actuaries 4 per cent, for old business, Hm. 3; per cent, for new bonus additions and annuities, and Hm. 3 per cent, for per c

A Retrospect and Forecast. With a valuable accumulated experience of nearly 64 years; with a long-established reputation for solidity, integrity and economy; with assets revalued and held upon a conservative basis; with reserves largely in excess of Government requirements; with new plans of assurance and liberal policy contracts, the Company enters upon the new century with renewed energy and with resources and equipment requisite to meet the strain of a financial crisis, if it appears, or to reap

Financial Abstract AS AT 1ST JANUARY, 1901

the advantages of prosperous periods as they recur.

Assets Government, Municipal and other Bonds, Stocks and Debentures \$10,050,041 10 Mortgages on Real Estate - - 3,841,383 23 Loans on Bonds, Stocks, Policies, Etc. 5,964,883 99 Real Estate (including Company's buildings in Toronto, Montreal and Hamilton) Premiums in Transit, deferred Premiums and Interest accrued Other Assets (including Cash in Banks) 306,851 77 \$22,648,204 08 Liabilities Assurance Reserve Fund (Actuaries'
4% for all business prior to 1st of
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issued since then, and Hm. 3½%
for new bonus additions)
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Paid Policyholders and Annuitants \$2,282,840 56 All other payments • • 653,451 83 \$2,936,292 39

PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS. The President, Hon. George A. Cox, in moving the adoption of the report, said:

I venture to think that our Financial Statement this year is one that will commend the confidence of the public in the sound and prosperous condition of the Company. Indeed, the Balance Sheet, does not, perhaps, fully reveal the strength of the Company. As most of you are aware, the Directors or this Company, as far back as 1890, commenced to look forward to a change of valuation basis from 4½ per cent, rate of interest, and the progress we have made from that time to this is best tiling and by a showing what surplies magnify the Company would

from that time to this is best illustrated by showing what surplus margin the Company would now have, if its policy liabilities were valued first, upon the usual American standard; as descendly upon the Dominion Government standard.

THE STRENGTH OF THE COMPANY. The surplus upon policy-holders' account, according to the Company's standard, is now \$1,005,513.53. Now, if we adopted the usual American valuation standard (Actuaries a per cent.), and had set aside no special reserve fund for a higher standard, our surplus upon policy-holders' agrount would have been \$1,073,415.00.

Similarly, upon the Dominion Government Spandard (Hm. 42 per cent. and 32 per cent.

for new business), our corresponding surplus would have been approximately \$2.671.000.00. The being too strong, in view of the transformations that are now taking place in the financial world generally, and, by many leading companies in particular. The great benefits that will accruete our policyholder: on account of the increased carning power now established will

come more and more manifest as time elapses. The large benefits that are now conferred upon the holders of the Company's policies are shown by the report, from which it will be seen that \$2.282,813,35 was di tributed to policy-holders by way of death claims and matured endowments, profits. surrender values and

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