

ÆTNA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY.**Government Deposit, \$1,582,373.**

The above is the Official Accepted Value of the ÆTNA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY'S Deposit at Ottawa, for the special security of its Canadian Policy-Holders. It is composed of first-class securities, as follows:—

United States Bonds, Original Deposit.....	\$100,000	City of Quebec Debentures.....	\$40,000
" " Additional Deposit.....	700,000	" " Hull.....	40,000
Provincial Bonds, Quebec Government ...	360,500	Town of Coaticook (Q.) Debentures.....	21,000
" " Manitoba ".....	149,893	City of Stratford (Ont.) Debentures.....	19,000
City of Toronto Debentures.....	102,000	Town of Mount Forest (Ont.) Deben-	
Montreal Harbour Debentures.....	60,000	tures	20,000
Total par value of Bonds and Debentures			\$1,612,593
Their market value being upwards of			\$1,800,000

From year to year the ÆTNA'S Government Deposit is being increased, so that, could such a thing be imagined as the old ÆTNA LIFE INSURANCE Co'y becoming insolvent, the full Reserve, or Official Liability under every Canadian Policy it has issued since March, 1878, or will hereafter issue, will be amply covered by the Bonds in the Receiver General's hands at Ottawa.

The following table is from the Official List of Deposits at Ottawa, shewing the amounts now standing to the credit of the principal Life Insurance companies doing business in Canada:—

COMPANIES.	DEPOSITS.	COMPANIES.	DEPOSITS.
Ætina Life Insurance Co.....	\$1,582,373	Ontario Mutual Life	\$92,058
Equitable Life Assurance Co.	644,000	Confederation Life	75,603
Standard Life Assurance Co.....	530,550	Canada Life Assurance Co.....	54,000
London and Lancashire Life	508,042	Sun Life Insurance Co.....	50,400
Travelers' Life Insurance Co.	439,560	Citizens' Life Department	53,256
New York Life Insurance Co.....	424,000	Federal Life Insurance Co.....	50,000
Mutual Life Insurance Co.....	250,000	London Life Insurance Co.....	50,000
British Empire Mutual	240,000	North American Life.....	50,000
Union Mutual Life	202,765	Temp. and General Life	50,000

The ÆTNA'S Official Deposit, it will be seen, is nearly three times larger than that of the next largest and thirty times larger than that of some of the companies. Nothing like being safe.

MATURED ENDOWMENTS.

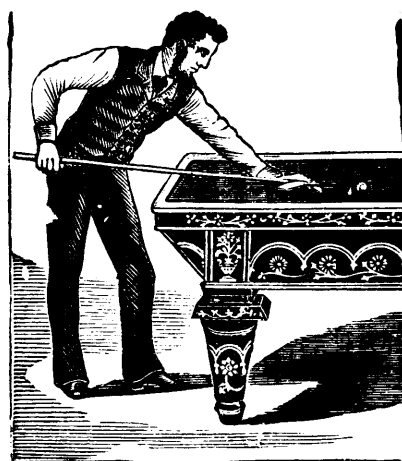
The following statement, taken from the Government blue books of the past four years (see pages 56, 58, 68 and 72), shews the cash paid to Living Policy-holders, in settlement of Endowment Bonds during 1882-3-4-5, by all the above companies. Also during 1886:—

COMPANIES.	1882-5.	1886.	COMPANIES.	1882-6	1886.
Ætina Life	\$367,229	\$51,411	Canada Life	\$29,776	\$10,696
Equitable of New York	\$42,350	\$22,888	Confederation	26,492	None
New York Life.....	41,763	3,201	Sun, Montreal	19,112	11,730
Union Mutual	51,347	29,638	Life Association	11,050	None
Mutual Life	11,173	30,953	Travelers	7,098	4,700
Standard, of Edinburgh.....	8,272	None	Ontario Mutual	3,000	3,000
London and Lancashire.....	2,100	1,250	Citizens, of Montreal	3,800	None

Besides the above \$424,640.00, the ÆTNA paid to Widows and Orphans during the same five years in Canada, \$645,726.00, and in 1886 alone, in Endowment and Death Claims, \$198,804.00.

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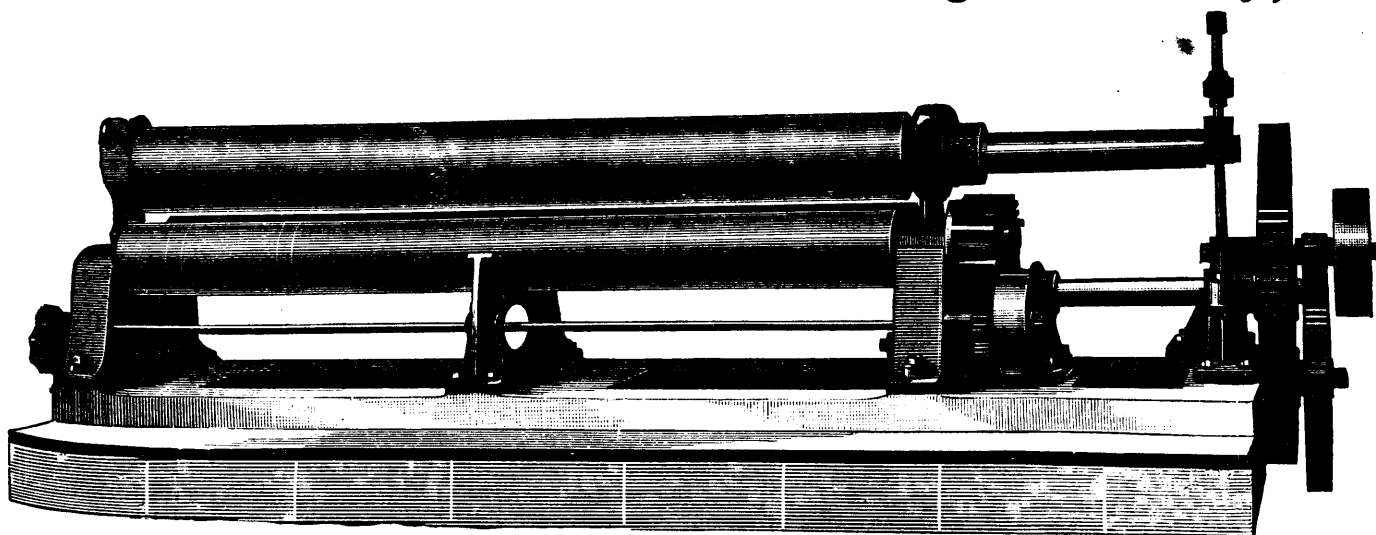
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