



**FORBES' PATENT ACME CLUB SKATES**

The most reliable self-fastening Skate ever invented. Made by the **Starr Manufacturing Comp'y** They have now a WORLD WIDE REPUTATION and have superseded all others. Also

**STEEL SCABBARD RAIL JOINTS,**

Made by FORBES' PATENT BENDING MACHINE, either with or without side plates or bolts. These joints have been adopted on several of the Dominion Railways and are pronounced to be the most perfect rail-joint ever made.

**BOLTS, NUTS, NAILS, SPIKES, and OTHER WORK** furnished to order at short notice.

Works at DARTMOUTH, N.S.; Office—72 BEDFORD ROW, HALIFAX, N. S.  
20th July, 1874.

**DOMINION LINE.**

This Line is composed of the following first-class, full powered Clyde-built Steamships, and is intended to perform a regular service between Liverpool, Quebec and Montreal in summer, and Liverpool and Portland in winter:—

MONTREAL	.....3,250 Tons....	(Building)
DOMINION	.....3,200 Tons....	Capt. Bouchette.
ONTARIO	.....3,200 Tons....	Capt. French.
VICKSBURG	.....2,500 Tons....	Capt. Roberts.
MEMPHIS	.....2,500 Tons....	Capt. Mellon.
TEXAS	.....2,350 Tons....	Capt. Laurenson.
MISSISSIPPI	.....2,200 Tons....	Capt. Wrakes.
QUEBEC	.....2,200 Tons....	Capt. Bennett.
ST. LOUIS	.....1,824 Tons....	Capt. Reid.

These vessels have very superior accommodation for Cabin and Steerage Passengers, and prepaid Tickets are issued at reduced prices to those desirous of bringing out their friends.

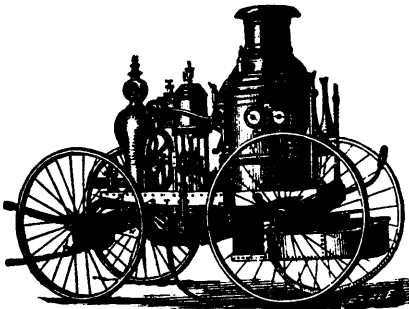
Sailing from Liverpool every Wednesday, calling at Belfast Lough to take in Cargo and Passengers.

Through Tickets can be had at all the principal Grand Trunk Railway Ticket Offices in Canada.

For Freight or Passage apply in Liverpool to  
**FLINN, MAIN & MONTGOMERY,**  
In Montreal to Lancelot's-key.

**DAVID TORRANCE & Co.,**  
Exchange Court.  
Or **JOHN N. LAKE,** 20 Toronto Street, Toronto.

**STEAM FIRE ENGINES**



MANUFACTURED BY  
**HYSLOP & RONALD,**  
**CHATHAM, ONT.**

*For Power, Efficiency, and Durability*

are not excelled on this Continent. Raises steam from cold water in four to six minutes. Throws two streams of water. Capacity 500 gallons per minute. Weight about 5,300 lbs. Eight or ten men can easily run through Town with them. Full particulars furnished on application.

Refer to Towns using our Engines—St. Catharines, Galt, Strathroy, Napanee, Owen Sound, Chatham, &c. Insurance Rates reduced about 20 to 25 per cent. with these Engines, thus paying for themselves shortly, besides the great security derived.

**THE DECASTRO SYRUP COMPANY,**  
88 KING STREET,  
MONTREAL,

Offer to the trade the following brand

Capillaire.	Sugar Loaf.
Pale Amber.	Amber.
Unexcelled Honey.	Honey.
Diamond Drips.	Gilt Edge.
Silver Drips.	Maple.
Extra Golden.	Golden.
Standard.	IXL Syrup in small punch'ns

**STARCH, STARCH**

PURE WHITE, PURE BLUE,  
SATIN, SILVER GLOSS.

ESTABLISHED 1858.

**Edwardsburg Starch Co.**

**PREPARED CORN**

For Puddings,

**BLANC MANGE, INFANTS' FOOD,**  
&c., &c., &c.

Office—Montreal.

Works—Edwardsburg, Ont.

**Canada Bolt Company,**

TORONTO,

MANUFACTURERS OF ALL KINDS OF

**BOLTS AND NUTS,**

FOR

Fish Plates, Bridges, Cars, Machinery, Carriages, &c.

PRICE LISTS ON APPLICATION.

W. J. MORRIS,

General Manager.

SIR H. ALLAN President.

Toronto, 1874.

**Galt Edge Tool Works.**

IN STOCK AND MADE TO ORDER.

**AXES:**

Double and Single Steel Chopping, Scoring, Broad Hunters', Boys' and Bench.

ALL KINDS OF

Drawing Knives, Chisels, Hammers, Hatchets, Picks, and Coopers' Tools.

**MACHINE KNIVES:**

Stave Cutting, Stave Jointer, Shingle, Wood Planing, Wood Moulding, Wood Tenoning, Saw Cutting, Turnip Root, Paper, Flax Scutching, Cheese Box and Butchers' Cleavers, &c.

**CARRIAGE SPRINGS:**

Elliptic, Concord, and Side Sulky, Bright and Common Seat, made from the best English Steel, oil tempered and warranted.

**JAMES WARNOCK & Co.,**

GALT, Ont.

January 1st, 1874.  
**EIGHTH ANNUAL REPORT**  
OF THE  
**ATLANTIC MUTUAL LIFE**  
**INSURANCE COMPANY,**  
ALBANY, N. Y.

**ASSETS, \$1,159,197.69.**

LIABILITIES, or amount required to safely re-insure all outstanding Policies, as required by Laws of State of New York ..... **\$956,711**

**Surplus as regards Policy-holders,**

**\$202,486.69.**

**RECEIPTS DURING THE YEAR.**

Premiums received	.....	\$394,569 48
Interest received on Investments, Loans, and Deposits..	.....	69,201 01
Total	.....	<b>\$463,790.47</b>

**DISBURSEMENTS.**

Return premiums and surrender values on surrendered and cancelled Policies, including Premium Notes cancelled and surrendered.....	\$134,169 61	
Paid claims by death.....	87,185 06	
Re-insurance and Commuted Commissions.....	13,907 62	
Dividends paid Policy-holders.....	19,368 63	
Legal Interest on Capital.....	8,050 00	
Taxes and Licenses.....	5,319 41	
Home Office Expenses, including Salaries, Postage, Expressage, Exchange, Stationery, &c.....	\$8,742 54	
Agency Expenses, including Commissions, Rents, Medical Examinations, Advertising, and other expenses.....	53,520 83	
Total expenses of conducting the business.....	62,263 37	
Total	.....	<b>\$329,648.50</b>

**ASSETS.**

United States 5-20 Bonds.....	\$75,156 25	
United States Currency sixes.....	125,400 00	
Gold deposited with Minister of Finance for Dominion of Canada.....	88,622 95	
Loans on Bonds and Mortgages (first liens) Schenectady City Bonds.....	331,150 00	
Saratoga Town Bonds.....	10,500 00	
Cash on deposit (drawing interest) in Bank and on hand.....	18,000 00	
LOANS ON COLLATERALS.		
	Par Market value. Amount loaned.	
Albany Gas Light Co.'s St'k.....	\$3,000 \$12,000	
Tenth Nat. Bk. Stock, N.Y.....	5,000 5,000	
Albany Railway Co.'s St'k.....	6,000 6,000	
Ronne, Ogdensburg & Wattertown R. B. Stock.....	2,000 2,000	
Alb. & Susquehanna R. R. Stock, int. secured by Del. & Hud. Canal Co.....	10,000 10,000	
First Nat. Bank St'k Alb'y.....	10,000 14,000	
First Nat. Bank Stock, New Bedford, Mass.....	2,000 2,400	
Net actuarial value of Commuted Commissions.....	25,000 00	
Premium Notes and Loans (drawing interest) on Policies in force.....	234,694 54	
Premiums in course of collection through Agencies.....	46,276 80	
Quarterly and Semi-annual Premiums, due subsequent to Jan. 1st, 1874.....	26,276 12	
Interest accrued but not due.....	23,269 15	
Value of Agency Supplies, Printed Matter, Furniture, &c. (not estimated).		
Total	.....	<b>\$1,159,197.69</b>

**OFFICERS.**

**ROBERT H. PRUYN,** **JAMES HENDRICK,**  
President. Vice-President.

**WALTER BROWN,** Secretary.

The following communication, from two of the most eminent Actuaries of the country, speaks for itself:

HON. ROBT. H. PRUYN,  
President Atlantic Mutual Life Ins Co.

DEAR SIR,—After a careful examination, we are satisfied that the Atlantic Mutual Life Insurance Company has a securely invested Reserve, more than sufficient for its liabilities—estimated according to the standard of the State of New York. This fact, together with the care, and very remarkable economy of its management, makes the Company worthy of public confidence.

We are, very respectfully yours,  
D. P. FACKLER,  
SHEPPARD HOMANS.  
**WINFORD YORK, M. D.,**  
Manager for Ontario.