

# ECONOMICAL

Fire Ins. Co. of Berlin, Ont.

Cash and Mutual Systems.

Total Net Assets.....\$ 300,089 52  
Amount of Risk.....15,307,774 12  
Government Deposit.....36,300 00

JOHN FENNEL, President.  
GEO. LANG, Vice-President. HUGO KRANZ, Manager

## The Canada Accident Assurance Co.

Head Office, MONTREAL.

A Canadian Company for Canadian Business.  
ACCIDENT and PLATE GLASS.

Surplus 50% of Paid-up Capital above all liabilities—  
including Capital Stock.

T. H. HUDSON, Manager. R. WILSON SMITH, President  
Toronto Agts.—Medland & Jones, Mail Bldg.

## The Dominion of Canada Guarantee & Accident Ins. Co., Toronto, Ont.

BONDS for the fidelity of employees.  
COMPENSATION for accidental injuries.  
INSURANCE against sickness.

GEO. GOODERHAM, President. J. E. ROBERTS, Gen Manager

Established 1824

## The MANCHESTER FIRE Assurance Co.

Head Office—MANCHESTER, ENG.

WILLIAM LEWIS, Manager and Secretary.  
T. D. RICHARDSON, Assistant Manager.

Assets over \$13,000,000

Canadian Branch Head Office—TORONTO.  
JAS. BOOMER, Manager.

City Agents—GEO. JAFFRAY  
J. M. BRIGGS  
JOSEPH LAWSON.

## The Dominion Life Assurance Co.

Head Office, WATERLOO, ONT.

Progress in 1900

The 20th Century finds this Company in a splendid position. Security, solidity, progress and equity are our watchwords. We have increased our Subscribed Capital from \$507,000 to \$400,000.  
We have increased our Paid-up Capital from \$64,000 to \$100,000.  
We have placed all our old business on a 4 per cent. Reserve Standard—higher than Government requirements.  
We have increased our Surplus over all liabilities from \$21,210 to \$35,852.  
We have increased our Assets from \$416,897 to \$539,266.  
All forms of regular sound life and endowment assurance are issued.  
See an one of our Agents or write Head Office for particulars.

THE

## Queen City Fire Ins. Co.

ESTABLISHED 1871.

THE

## Hand-in-Hand Ins. Co.

FOUNDED 1873.

Fire and Plate Glass

THE

## Millers' & Man'rs' Ins. Co.

ESTABLISHED 1885.

## The Fire Ins. Exchange Corp'n

INCORPORATED 1886.

Special rates on all risks that come up to our standard.

Head Offices—Queen City Chambers, Toronto  
SCOTT & WALMSLEY,  
Underwriters

can buyers have been in the local market during the past fortnight trying to buy up all available lots of light coke tins, but are said to have been only able to get some small parcels at from \$3.75 to \$4, as dealers are disposed to hold on to their stocks. For standard weight cokes, \$4.50 is now asked for fair lots, and in a small jobbing way as much as \$4.75 is asked, while the English market is very nervous and excited. Of black sheets, 28-gauge, local supplies are practically exhausted, and from \$2.70 to \$2.80 is asked. For Canada plates, 52 sheets to the box, some dealers are now quoting \$2.75, and a leading house has put up Ternes to \$8.20. Tin is easier at 31 to 32c., also lead at \$3.30; copper, 17½ to 17¾c.; spelter, 4½c. for Silesian and American; V.M. a little higher. The discount on lead pipe remains at 30 per cent. off list; iron pipe, \$4.60 to \$4.65 for one-inch. Domestic bar iron is stiffer at \$1.85 to \$1.90, with some difficulty reported in getting orders filled. Nails and wire are unchanged.

Oils, Paints, and Glass.—The usual quarterly meeting of the Lead Grinders' Association was held some days ago, when prices were reduced 25 cents a hundred, though some held this was inadvisable, owing to the high price of oil. Fish oils are dull and easier. Other lines are reported to be unchanged. Quotations are: Single barrels, raw, and boiled linseed oil, respectively, 83 and 86c. per gallon, for one to four barrel lots; 5 to 9 barrels, 82 and 85c.; net, 30 days, or 3 per cent. for four months' terms. Turpentine, one barrel, 55c.; two to four barrels, 54c.; net, 30 days. Olive oil, machinery, 90c.; Cod oil, 32 to 35c. per gallon; steam refined seal, 47½ to 50c. per gallon; straw, ditto, 40 to 45c.; Castor oil, 9 to 9½c.; in quantity; tins, 10 to 10½c.; machinery castor oil, 8½ to 9c.; Leads, (chemically pure and first-class brands only), \$6.00; No. 1, \$5.50; No. 2, \$5.25; No. 3, \$5.00; No. 4, \$4.50; dry white lead, 5½ to 6c.; for pure; No. 1, do., 5c.; genuine red, ditto, 5c.; No. 1, red lead, 4½ to 4¾c.; Putty, in bulk, bbls., \$2; bladder putty, in bbls., \$2.20; ditto, in kegs, or boxes, \$2.35; 25-lb. tins, \$2.45; 12½-lb. tins, \$2.75. London washed whiting, 45 to 50c.; Paris white, 75 to 80c.; Venetian red, \$1.50 to \$1.75; yellow, ochre, \$1.25 to \$1.50; spruce ochre, \$1.75 to \$2; Paris green, in barrels, 16¾c.; 50 and 100-lb. drums, 17¾c.; 25-lb ditto, 18c.; in lb. packages, 18½c.; Window glass, \$2.10 per 50 feet for first break; \$2.20 for second break.

## TORONTO MARKETS.

Toronto, Aug. 22nd, 1901.

Breadstuffs.—Locally, wheat is quiet at fairly steady prices; there is little or no exporting at present. Old No. 2 white and red is being offered for export at 65 and 66c., middle freights. No 2 goose is quoted at 64 and 65c., middle freight. No. 1, Mnitboa hard, is worth 84½c., g.i.t., and No. 2 hard is fetching 82½ to 83c., g.i.t. For Toronto and the west, prices are from 1 to 2c. lower. There is

## LIVERPOOL PRICES

Liverpool, August 1st, 1.30 p.m.

	s.	d.
Wheat, Spring	5	8
Red Winter	5	8
No. 1 Cal.	6	3
Corn new	4	6
" old	4	7
Peas	6	13
Lard	43	3
Pork	68	6
Bacon, heavy	46	0
" light	46	3
Tallow	27	0
cheese, new white	46	6
cheese, new colored	47	6

## STRONGER THAN THE BANK OF ENGLAND

### The Mutual Life Insurance Co. of New York

RICHARD A. McCURDY, President

The capital of the four great banks of the world is:

Bank of England .....\$ 86,047,935  
Bank of France .....36,500,000  
Imperial Bank, Germany.....28,560,000  
Bank of Russia .....25,714,920

Total .....\$176,822,855

Held in trust for Policy-holders by the Mutual Life, Jan. 1, 1901:

\$325,753,152.51

Total Assets in Canada including deposit as required by law:

\$5,387,954.76

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The Mutual Life is the largest, strongest Life Insurance Company in the world

Income, 1900:

\$60,582,802.31

Paid Policy-holders:

\$26,361,863.83

Insurance and annuities in force:

\$1,141,497,888.02

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For full particulars regarding any form of policy apply to

THOMAS MERRITT, Mgr.  
31-33 Canadian Bank of Commerce Building, Toronto, Ont.

## WATERLOO MUTUAL FIRE INS. CO.

ESTABLISHED IN 1863.

HEAD OFFICE, WATERLOO, ONT.

Total Assets 31st Dec., 1900 .....\$361,361 03

Policies in Force in Western Ontario over .....25,000 00

GEORGE RANDALL, President. WM. SNIDER, Vice-President.

FRANK HAIGHT, Manager. R. T. ORR, Inspector.

62nd YEAR

## THE "GORE"

FIRE INSURANCE CO.

Head Office, GALT, ONT.

Total Losses Paid.....\$1,932,419 89

Total Assets .....407,233 07

Cash and Cash Assets ... 230,360 27

Both Cash and Mutual Plans

PRESIDENT, HON. JAMES YOUNG  
VICE-PRESIDENT, - A. WARNOCK, Esq.

Manager, R. S. STRONG, Galt.

## OF INTEREST

Every man investing in a Life Policy and every Life Insurance Agent should read the statement of

Interest Earnings of Life Insurance Companies

published by INSURANCE AND FINANCE CHRONICLE of Montreal, of date December 21st, 1900. Reference to that statement will satisfy both buyer and seller that it pays best to do life insurance business with and for

## The Great-West Life Assurance Co.

According to that statement the average rate of interest earned in 1899 was

By Canadian Companies, 4.52 per cent.

By British Companies, 3.92 per cent.

By American Companies, 4.69 per cent.

While The Great-West Life earned 6.50 per cent.

A few openings in good districts for good agents. Address Head Office, Winnipeg, or Branch Office in Toronto, Montreal, St. John, N.B., Vancouver, B.C. or Victoria, B.C.