' QUEBEC, Q., Mar. 24, '09

H. H. MILLER, Esq.,
　　　　Chairman of the Banking and Commerce Comte.,
　　　　　　House of Commons, Ottawa.

Our local association passed at a meeting held today strong resolutions against Clauses Nos. 53 to 58 and 88 of Insurance Bill now before your committee, copies of said resolution mailed and their consideration urgently requested.

(Sgd.)

The Quebec City Life Ass'n. Agents Association.

J. B. MORRISETTE,
Chairman.

FRANK GLASS,
Secretary.'

' HALIFAX, N.S., Mar. 24, '09

H. H. MILLER,
　　　　Chairman Banking and Commerce Comte.,
　　　　　　Ottawa.

The Nova Scotia Life Underwriters' Ass'n. in session convened, urge upon your honourable committee the necessity of eliminating sections fifty-three to fifty-eight of Insurance Bill in the interest of policyholders and field men.

(Sgd.)　　W. J. MARQUAND,
President.

H. S. CROSBY,
Secretary.'

'MONTREAL, March 29th, 1909.

To the Chairman and Members of the Committee on Banking and Commerce,
　　　　　　Ottawa, Ont.

Gentlemen:—

We, the undersigned, Merchants, Manufacturers, and others, would respectfully ask your special consideration of Section No. 71 of the Insurance Bill now before Parliament:—

1.—That the said section in its present form will have the effect of creating a monopoly and combine of the insurance business of Canada.

2.—That it is admitted, even by the Fire Underwriters Association, that Companies licensed to do business in Canada cannot handle the total fire insurance business of the country.

3.—That the insured should have the right to purchase insurance in the cheapest market.

We, therefore, humbly ask that nothing shall be incorporated in the new Insurance Act which shall restrict freedom in obtaining insurance outside Canada either directly or through Brokers resident in Canada.

The Canadian Pacific Rly. Co., T. Shaughnessy, President.
H. & A. Allan.
Jas. McCready Co., Ltd.
Dominion Park Co., Per W. A. Ross, Director.
Montreal Street Rly. Co., Per W. A. Ross, Man. Director.
Montreal Light, Heat & Power Company, H. F. Holt, President.