

THE METROPOLITAN LIFE INSURANCE CO.

(Incorporated by the State of New York)

The Company OF the People, BY the People, FOR the People

ASSETS, \$176,429,015.04

Nearly three hundred thousand Canadians of all classes are policyholders in the Metropolitan. In 1906 it here in Canada wrote as much new insurance as any two other life insurance Companies—Canadian, English or American. The number of Policies in force is greater than that of any other Company in America, greater than all the regular Life Insurance Companies put together (less one) and can only be appreciated by comparison. It is a greater number than the Combined Population of Greater New York, Chicago, Philadelphia, Boston, Toronto, Montreal, Quebec, Ottawa.

THE DAILY AVERAGE OF THE COMPANY'S BUSINESS DURING 1906.

412 per day in number of Claims Paid.

6,163 per day in number of Policies Issued.

\$1,320,403.09 per day in New Insurance Written.

\$38,909.09 per day in Payments to Policyholders and addition to Reserve

\$81,465.58 per day in Increase of Assets.

Full particulars regarding the plans of the Metropolitan may be obtained of any of its agents in all the principal cities of the United States and Canada, or from the Home Office, 1 Madison Ave., New York City.

Amount of Canadian Securities deposited with the Dominion Government for the protection of Policyholders in Canada, over \$4,000,000.00.

CONFEDERATION LIFE ASSOCIATION.

Head Office, - Toronto, Canada

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POLICIES ISSUED ON ALL APPROVED PLANS



The Altar Of Friendship

Do not hazard your all on the altar of friendship. Thousands of men have been ruined by going surety for friends. Better far for you to pay a strong surety company the premium on the bond. It will pay you to enquire about our policies.

Employers' Liability Assurance Corporation,
MONTREAL - - TORONTO

GRIFFIN & WOODLAND,

MANAGERS.

COLONIAL WOOL SALES.

The quantity of wool sold in London amounted to 791,500 bales, as compared with 724,000 bales in the previous season—an increase of 67,500 bales. It is estimated that 306,000 bales (38½ per cent.) were taken for Europe, and 42,000 bales (5½ per cent.) for America, leaving 443,000 bales (56 per cent.) for the English trade.

The "KEYS TO SUCCESS"

in the Life Insurance business are—An attractive Policy to sell, good territory to canvass, a liberal contract under which to work, and the cordial support of one's Company.

All these essential conditions are offered to competent agents by The Great-West Life Assurance Company, and excellent territory is available at the present time at the following points in Ontario:

Orillia, Sudbury, Cobalt, Pembroke, Kingston, Napanee, Galt, Orangeville, Petrolia, Seaforth and Strathroy.

The Great-West Life Assurance Company

HEAD OFFICE - WINNIPEG.

Some Facts from the Report of 1906

SUN LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF CANADA.

1 Cash Income from Premiums, Interest, Rents, etc.....	\$6,212,615 02
Increase over 1905	495,122 79
2 Assets as at 31st December, 1906.....	24,202,692 65
Increase over 1905	2,953,307 83
3 Surplus earned during 1906	921,721 34
Of which there was distributed to policyholders entitled to participate that year.....	208,658 97
And set aside to place reserves on all policies issued since December 31st, 1902, on the 3 per cent. basis	207,765 51
Surplus over all Liabilities and Capital (according to Hn. Table, with 3 and 3 per cent. interest)	2,225,247 45
4 Death Claims, Matured Endowments, Profits and other payments to Policyholders during 1906.....	1,920,855 52
5 Payments to Policyholders since organization	15,099,223 87
6 Assurances issued and paid for in Cash.....	17,410,054 37
7 Assurances in force December 31st, 1906	102,566,398 10

THE

Federal Life Assurance Co.

HEAD OFFICE, - - HAMILTON, CANADA.

Capital and Assets..... \$3,580,702 62
Total Assurance in Force..... 17,884,078 61
Paid to Policy-holders 1906..... 247,695 31

Most Desirable Policy Contracts.

DAVID DEXTER, - - - President and Managing Director.

The custom of requiring Guaranty Company Bonds on employees is rapidly growing. Employers realize that the investigation of character by a good Guarantee Company, coupled with the strong moral effect on men bonded, prevents many losses. This Company, with over 3,500 agents and over 10,000 attorneys connected with it in North America, makes a specialty of the Guaranty business, gives a service that cannot be excelled.

THE UNITED STATES FIDELITY AND GUARANTY CO. of Baltimore, Md.

Head Office for Canada - 6 COLBORNE ST., TORONTO
A. E. KIRKPATRICK, Manager.

The season 1906-1907 has added, says a letter to the Monetary Times from Willans & Overbury, wool brokers, of London, Eng., some 220,000 bales to the Australasian clip, and the increase during the previous twelve months amounted to 274,000 bales, it may, therefore, be claimed that the most striking feature of the period under review is the closing month, when merino wools, in which grades nearly all this great increase has taken place, advanced in the September auctions 10 to 15 per cent., thus constituting a level to-day of 20 per cent. above the corresponding date last year.

The comparatively small fluctuations experienced in crossbreds are to some extent due to the judicious holding over of wool, which has been one of the features of the season; growers in the Dominion have profited by the London system of auctions, which, occurring at fixed intervals, enable those responsible to regulate the amount offered, and to correct any temporary excess in supplies by not forcing upon the trade, within a short period, wool which will be eagerly purchased later in the year when new arrivals are becoming scarcer.