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NAME OF COMPANY.	No. Shares.	Last Dividend per year.	Share par value.	Amount paid per Share.	Canada quotations per ct.
British American Fire and Marine....	10,000	3¼-6mos.	350	\$50	127½
Canada Life.....	2,500	5-6mos.	400	50	67½
Confederation Life.....	5,000	7¼-6mos.	100	10	....
Western Assurance.....	25,000	5-6mos.	40	20	164½
Guarantee Co. of North America.....	13,372	6	50	50	....

BRITISH AND FOREIGN.—Quotations on the London Market, Apl. 30, 1898 Market value p. p'd up eh.

Alliance Assur.....	250,000	.....	20	2 1-5	10	11½
Atlas.....	24,000	24 p. s.	50	6	£30	£31
British and Foreign Marine.....	97,000	25	20	4	23½	23½
Caledonian.....	21,500	24	25	6	£34--(1)	£30
Commercial U. Fire, Life and Marine.....	50,000	25	60	5	44	45
Guardian Fire and Life.....	200,000	8¼	10	5	11	11½
Imperial Fire.....	60,000	20 p. s.	20	5	20	20
Lancashire Fire.....	186,493	5	20	2	41	41
Lion Fire.....	100,000	3	8¼	1¼	3	1
London and Lancashire Fire.....	85,160	22	25	2½	18½	19
London Assurance Corporation.....	35,862	20	25	12¼	59	61
London & Lancashire Life.....	10,000	10	10	2	62	7½
Liv. & Lon. & Globe Fire and Life.....	391,762	85	56.	2	51½	52½
Northern Fire and Life.....	30,000	*23½	100	10	80	82
North Brit. & Merc. Fire and Life.....	110,000	20 p. s.	25	8¼	41½	42½
Norwich Union Fire.....	11,000	*33¼	100	12	124	127
Phoenix Fire.....	33,776	55	60	5	£41½	£42½
Royal Insurance Fire and Life.....	125,234	38¼	20	3	63	4
Sun Fire.....	240,000	8s 6d p. s.	10	10	10½	11½
Union.....	45,000	15 p. s.	10	4	21	5

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Assets, - \$184,935,690.80

Reserve on Policies (American Table, 4 p.c.) .....	\$168,221,916
Liabilities other than Reserve .....	1,623,951
Surplus.....	16,089,822
Receipts from all sources .....	41,253,146
Payments to Policy-holders .....	20,685,472
Whole Life Risks assumed and renewed, 219,305 policies.....	637,726,276
Risks in force, 273,213 policies, amounting to .....	802,567,478

NOTE.—The above statement shows a large increase over the business of 1892 in amount at risk, new business assumed, payments to policy-holders receipts, assets and surplus; and includes as risks assumed only the number and amount of policies actually issued and paid for in the accounts of the year.

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