M. Richey, D. D.
bbath-school Addresses.
McKeown.
P. Crestwood.
Lockhart.
. Milligan, A. M.
. H. W. Pickie.
W. Smith.
., James Dove.
, J. Winterbotham.

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. W. H. Heartz.
, June 21.
G. Angwin.
John Cassidy.
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, June 23.
A. Rogers.
. J. A. Clark, A. M.
, June 24.
Addresses on Sabbath-
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, R. Wilson.
, June 26.
H. Pickard, D. D., Pres.'t
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Love Feast.
. Stewart, D. D.
, R. A. Temple.
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Lathern.
, Fred. Harrison.
J. S. Addy.
W. Nicolson.
Brettle.
C. H. Paisley, A. M.
D. Morton, A. B.
W. W. Lodge.
a. m., William Ryan.
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y, June 27.
Ordination Service.
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Jost, A. M.
. Smith.
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. C. B. Pitblado.
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MMITTEES FOR 1870.

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June 16, at 9 o'clock, a.m.
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Plan of Conference Educa-
y, June 17, at 2 1-2 p.m.
Fund for Ministers' Chil-
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the Newfoundland Dis-
he following Address and

EN J. HILL, Esq.,
mmander-in-Chief in and
y of Newfoundland and

OUR EXCELLENCY,—
ters composing the Wes-
District of Newfoundland,
n our Annual Meeting at
to present to your Excel-
ordial congratulations on
s appointment as the Gov-
of Britain's most ancient
nly do we desire to do this
our profound respect and
your Excellency's person,
ool of our loyalty to our
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first time our District has
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to present your Excellency
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which we as a people and
desire to manifest toward

the Divine blessing may
your Excellency, and that
administration of the
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behalf of the District
ing,
JOHN S. PEACH,
Chairman.

The Wesleyan
Newfoundland.

address with peculiar gra-
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possible, greater intensity
Britain's most ancient colo-

I pray that the Divine blessing may always rest upon your labours, and that the happiness and prosperity of your people may be the result of all your undertakings.

STEPHEN J. HILL.

Government House, N. F.,
June, 3870.

General Intelligence.

NOVA SCOTIA.

THE ACADIA COLLEGE ANNIVERSARY.—The exercises of the Collegiate Year in this Institution were brought to a successful termination on Thursday last with the usual public Exhibition. The graduating class consisted of two members, each of whom delivered a very good essay as his closing under graduate task. We regret that we have not room at our command this week to notice at length the other very interesting exercises of the day. We rejoice to know that perseverance is overcoming the difficulties of the past, and that the Institution is now in comparative comfort accomplishing the important work in preparation for which the Fathers and sons of the Baptist Church have labored long and sometimes very hard.—We wish the Institution ever increasing prosperity. We should not omit to mention an event at the close of the day which was very honorable to all concerned—the presentation to the Rev. Dr. Cramp,—who last year retired from the Presidentship of the College after eighteen years of arduous and successful labor in it,—of a very elegant solid silver epergne, said to have cost $500—at its presentation by Mr. Barss in the name of the friends of the Institution, an address was read which must have been exceedingly gratifying to the venerable Doctor.

NEW BRUNSWICK.

FIRE AT FREDERICTON.—The Saw Mill at Fredericton owned by Messrs. Temple & Pickard, formerly Scott's Mill was destroyed by fire last night, together with the two story dwelling house adjoining—The mill was valued at $20,000. It was insured for $6,000—$2,000 with Mr. Jarvis, and $4,000 with Mr. Allison. Some lumber was destroyed, and the adjoining buildings were partially injured.—[St. John Globe, 10th inst.]

KING'S COUNTY SHIRE TOWN.—This question has been settled at last, the Lieutenant Governor having selected Ossekeng.—[Globe.]

To-day (Thursday) the Hon. George E. King will be sworn in as Attorney General of this Province, in the room of Mr. Justice Wetmore, now elevated to the Bench.—[News.]

FIRES IN THE WOODS IN THE NORTH.—During the past fortnight the whole country, north and south, east and west has been on fire. On Wednesday evening, the fire which had been raging in the woods of Lower Newcastle came down towards the river like a race horse, burning fences, and everything that stood in its path, but the heavy rain that fell that evening quenched it. In Tabusintac we learn that five of the principal bridges on the Great Road leading to Gloucester have been destroyed, also a number of others on the Bye Roads. Seven houses with the barns attached, together with a large number of cattle and sheep, fell a prey to the fiery enemy.

In conversation with a person from that neighborhood yesterday, we learn that the fire is still raging, and the whole inhabitants of the Settlement are busily engaged trying to save their property. This it is considered will be almost impossible to do unless rain falls. The following are the names of several of the persons who have been burnt out, losing almost everything they possessed:—John Savoy, A. Grattan, Wm. Edmonds, Widow Beattie, Chas. Thibedo, Robert Blake, and also a School House. Last evening the fire in Lower Newcastle burnt up brightly again, but we have not heard as we go to press, whether any damage was done by it.—*Gleaner.*

EXTRACTS.

I obtained a bottle of Fellows' Compound Syrup of Hyphosphites, and took it until it made a permanent cure of Bronchitis, from which I had suffered nearly two years.

MENDAL CROCKER.

Freeport, Digby Co., N. S., Jan. 1868.

In the practice of Medicine I have recommended Fellows' Compound Syrup of Hypophosites, and have found invariably the following results:—

Greater freedom to the action of the Lungs, ncreased and more easy expectoration in cases indicated by dry cough, and decided augmentation of tone to the whole nervous system.

JAMES SALMON, M. D.

Chipman, Queen's County N. B.

Sold by Apothecaries. Price 1.50 per bottle or six for $7.50.

NEWFOUNDLAND.

The St. John's *Ledger*, of the 9th inst., in publishing an address which was presented to the Rev. John Prince, by the Trustees of the Wesleyan Church, Carbonear, refers in terms of the highest commendation to Mr. Prince. The crowded state of our columns alone prevents our giving both the address and the *Ledger's* editorial.

NEWS BY TELEGRAPH.

GREAT BRITAIN.

(From the Evening Express.)

In the House of Commons on the evening of the 10th, Mr. Monck introduced a resolution respecting the Intercolonial Railway loan, and pronounced the disposal of the funds a palpable misappropriation. Mr. Monsell insisted that Canada faithfully complied with the terms of the bargain, and was now finishing the road to Halifax. The resolution was withdrawn.....

The Corporation of London has addressed an invitation to the Canadian valunteers to join the volunteers of England in a shooting match for a silver cup..... The following are the particulars of Mr. Charles Dickens' death. He was seized with a fit while dining on Wednesday at his residence at Gads Hill near Rochester in Kent. Dr. Strood, his family physician, was immediately called and remained until midnight, when, becoming much worse, physicians from London were summoned and several arrived at Gad's Hill on Thursday morning. A consultation was held and the case was at once pronounced hopeless. The patient sank gradually and died at fifteen minutes past six on the evening of the 9th. Mr. Dickens had been ill for several days, but not seriously. He had visited Rochester and other points during the previous week. The Queen sent a message of condolence, and the public institutions suspended business on the day after Mr. Dickens' death, as a mark of respect. Among the prominent men who, in person or by letter, expressed condolence to the family, were the Prince of Wales, Tennyson, Gladstone, Carlyle, Trollope, Kingsley, Victor Hugo, and Matthew Arnold. Mr. Dickens leaves a comfortable fortune and the copyright of most of his books to his family. The physicians of Mr. Dickens state that they had long warned their distinguished patient of the danger of his intense mental and bodily exertions.....It is understood the Queen will confer upon Mrs. Dickens, with reversion to her eldest son, a peerage.

THE DOMINION.

On Saturday afternoon last, in St. Patrick's Hall, at Montreal, Prince Arthur was invested by the Governor General with the Order of St. Michael and St. George, in the presence of a large and brilliant assemblage. After his investiture of the Order the Prince unveiled the statue of the Queen in the Crystal Palace.

If *Johnson's Anodyne Liniment* is half as valuable as people say it is, no family should be without it. Certainly no person, be he Lawyer, Doctor, Minister, or if any other profession, should start on a journey without it. No Sailor, Fishermen, or Woodsman, should be without it. In fact it is needed wherever there is an Ache, Sprain, Cut, Bruise, Cough, or Cold.

Farmers and "Horse Men," are continually enquiring, what we know of the utility of "Sheridan's Cavalry Condition Powders," and in reply we would say, through the columns of the *Provincial Wesleyan* that we have heard from hundreds who have used them with gratifying results; that is also our experience.

EDITOR'S AND BOOK STEWARDS' NOTICES, &c.

We very much regret that in our haste this week we have erred in our calculations, so that we find scarcely any space left for our summary of news, certain Literary Notices and editorial reference which we had designed making to the Annual Conference about to open at Yarmouth. We can only urge, in a brief word, all the friends of Methodism within the Conference to make increasing supplication on behalf of the approaching assembly.

We shall endeavor to keep our friends advised of Conference proceedings. The attention of the Editor for the ensuing fortnight will be engrossed mainly by his duties as a member of the Conference, and he would crave pardon in advance for any special defects which may be observed in the getting up and out of the next two or three numbers of the paper as well as for those in the present one.

RECEIPTS FOR THE PROVINCIAL WESLEYAN.

To 14th June, 1870.

Gabriel Seaboyer	$1.00	By Rev J Dove—	
By Rev Wm Tweedy—		Roger Down	2.00
R Donkin	2.00	J Bemister	2.00
Hazen Black	2.00	John English	1.00
B Sayer	1.00		$5.00
	$5.00		
Rev. D. Smith	1.50	By Rev J. Goodison—	
Henry Boyver	1.12	Chas Bennet,	1.00
By Rev. C. Comben—		Thos Birkett	2.00
Wm Batt	1.00	Geo Courtney,	1.00
Thos Hilliard	2.00	Morgan Foot,	1.00
John Hudson	2.00	Robt Horsey,	2.00
P. Halliban	2.00	Jona Hickman,	1.00
Wm Lacy	2.00	R J Haddon,	1.00
Wm. Perfect	2.00	Dr Haddock,	3.00
Jabez Pike	2.00	Josiah Hiscock,	2.00
Philip Goadie	1.00	Wilson Lovell,	1.00
		John Lake,	1.00
	14 00	James Lake,	1.00
By Rev John Prince—		P Lake,	1.00
D H Burbidge, A.B	1.80	Thos Lake,	1.00
L Parsons	1.80	E Mager,	1.00
J Biggs	1.80	John Scott,	1.00
G Tuffin	1.80	T Symes	1.00
John Rourke	1.00	John Spencer	2.00
B F Gould	2.00	Chas Patten	3.00
		John Piercy	2.00
	$10 20	Geo Tibbs	1.00
By Rev John Reay—		Geo. Tuck	2.00
John Evans	2.00		$32.00
Ed Genge	2.00		
John Pool	2.00	By Rev C Ladner—	
Wm Warren	3.00	John Benson	2.00
John B Howson	1.00	Wm March	2.00
J P LeGros	2.00	Leon March	2.00
P H Sorsoliel	2.00		6.00
G Strickland	2 00		
George Troke	2.00	By Rev Jas Duke—	
Robt Baker	1.00	John Bugdor.	2.00
		Wm Collins	2.00
	$19.00	Mrs. Mitchell	2.00
By Rev H L Crawford		Thos Foot	2.00
Joseph Minty	2.00	Henry Hallett	2.00
John Pierce	2.00	George Inkpin	2.00
E Roberts	2.00	Mrs Pine	2.00
James Travers	2.00	Wm Paul	2.00
		Lona Parsons	2.00
	$8.00	Abraham Street	2.00
By Rev J S Phinney—		Richard Willey	2.00
Stephen Abbot	2.00	George Bishop	2.00
David Candon	2.00	Thos Bradley	1.00
Thomas House	2.00		
Abednego Hobbs	2.00		27.00
Wm Oldford	2.00	By G H Connell, Esq—	
Geo Reader	2.00	For self	1.00
Jas Saint	2.00	Hon G Connell	1.00
Jas Saint, jr.	2.00		
Jabez Saint	2.00		$2.00
Alex Strathie	2.00		
John Swyres	2.00		
	$22.00		

Marriages.

On the 17th of May, at the residence of the bride by the Rev. John Prince, assisted by the Rev. G. Forsey, Mr. D. A. Burbidge, A. B., of Cornwallis, N. S., to Leah P., youngest daughter of the late Mr. George Joyce, of Carbonear, Newfoundland.

By the Rev. G. M. Barratt, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. James Lockhart, to Miss Jane, youngest daughter of Mr. Robert Lawrence, all of Falmouth, Hants County.

On the 7th inst., at Christ Church, Amherst, by the Rev. George Townshend, A. M., Rural Dean-assisted by the Rev. D. Bliss, Rector of Westmorland, J. Albert Black, Esq., Editor and Proprietor of the Amherst Gazette, to Sarah, eldest daughter of Peter Etter, Esq.

On the 9th inst., at St. Luke's Church, by Rev. Mr. Bullock Mr. Charles DeWolfe Laurilliard, to Miss Sarah Mason, of Guysboro'.

At Wallace, April 25th, by the Rev. T. Watson Smith, Amos P. Smith, to Margaret E., eldest daughter of Mr. Henry Fulton.

At Malagash, on the 17th ult., by the same, John McCormach, of East Branch River Philip, to Emily, eldest daughter of Mr. James Purdy.

Shipping News.

PORT OF HALIFAX.

ARRIVED.

TUESDAY, April 7

Strs Alpha, Hunter, Bermuda and St Thomas; Chase, Mulligan, Portland; schrs Abeona, Forest, Sydney; Emelite, Butler, Amherst; J H Hiltz, Hiltz, Mahone Bay; Active, Lantz, do.

WEDNESDAY, May 8

Barque Huegin, Heneen, Liverpool; brigts Alexander William, Duane, Portland; Delta, West, Cienfuegos; schrs Life Boat, Foster, Port Medway; Baronet, Ernst, Mahone Bay; Matilda, McKinnon, Whycomagh; Native, Muggah, Sydney; Abeona, Forest, do.

THURSDAY, June 9

Str Tyrian, Smith, Glasgow; barque Margaret Evens, Smiley, Liverpool; schrs Villager, Ritcy, Little Glace Bay; Zenobia, Tutty, do; Emma, Burke, Gowrie Mines; Eugenie, Boulett, Gaspe; Mary, Murray, P E I; J P Corkum, Cohoon, do; Spray, Colford, Pictou; Challenge, Porteous, Sydney.

FRIDAY, June 10

Str Alhambra, Wright, Charlottetowy; brigt Mirella, Smith, Falmouth, Jam; schrs Sable Belle, Giffin, Liverpool; Mary Star of the Sea, Boutilier, Gaspe.

SATURDAY, June 11

Strs. City of Halifax, Jamieson, St John's, NF; M A Starr, Doane, Yarmouth; brigt Constance, McFarlane, Demerara; schrs Caleb McKean, Howlett, P E I; Hiram, McDonald, Glace Bay; Mary, Watt, Sydney.

SUNDAY, June 11

Brig America, Doody Boston; brigt Amanda J, Doyle, Portland.

MONDAY, June 13

Strs Commerce, Doane, Boston; Chase, Mulligan, Portland; barques Celia, Turner, Cienfuegos; Salus, Penderson, Charente; brig W H Bigelow, Gordon, Trinidad—bound to Cork; brigts Express, Fudge, Cienfuegos; Alert, Hopewell, do; schrs Victory, Thompson, Bedeque; Phoebe, Labolt, Mahone Bay; Lady Mulgrave, Farlain, Sydney; John Franklyn, Farley, Ketch Harbor.

CLEARED.

June 7—Str Chase, Mulligan, Portland; barque Enchantress, Byrne, Dublin; schrs Caroline, Ernst, Mahone Bay; Starlight, Power, North Bay; Ann Maria, Shenkel, do; Quickstep, Grimm, do; Zillah, Schrader, do; Guardian Angel, Higgins, do; J H Hiltz, Hiltz, Labrador; Mariner, Risser, do; Rover's Bride, Fralick, do; Jas Fraser, Larty, do; John McKean, Smith, do; Herbert, Smith, Liverpool.

June 8—Barque Seringapatam, Wyeth, Richibucto; brigts Grace Kelly, Richibucto; Ida E, Capstick, Ragged Islands; schrs Havelock, Townsend, Canso; Perseverance, Dotten, Wallace; Atalanta, Pikles, Port Medway; Golden Eagle, Smeltzer-Mahone Bay; Willie, Hubley, P E I; Vigil, Coney, North Bay; John Lawrence, Higgins, do; Janet, Beverly, do; Mary Jane, Brooks, do; Daisy, Wilkie, do; Roving Bird, Brown, do; Ada Ann, Lattar, do; Handy Andy, Heckman, Labrader; J S Retsey, Ritcey, do; Golden West, Richard, do; Swan, Publicover, do; Prince Consort, Mason, do; Riverdale, Publicover, do.

June 9—Barque Othere, Cameron, Picton; brigts Empress, Watkins, Kingston, Jam; Mayflower, Nauffts, Boston; schrs Rival, Smith, Liverpool; Active, Lantz, Mahone Bay; True Blue, Tripp, C Breton; Harriet, Sampson, L'Ardoise; Celerity, Greaser, Labrador; Mediator, Romkey, do; Sturgeon, Cook, North Bay.

June 10—Str Tyrian, Smith, St John, N B; bgt Kenneth, Stevens, Porto Rico; schrs Effie, McCoy, F W Indies; Seriole, Jordan, Boston; Palmerston, Mahoney, Guysborough; M Hopewell, Ormistou Louisburg; Lianet, Glawson, Canso; Express, Conway, North Bay.

June 11—Str Alhambra, Wright, Boston; brigt Spanish Main, Ham, Demerras; schrs Ada, Whitman, Canso; Valiant, Crossley, Cape Breton; Emelite, Burke, Magdalen Islands; Arctic, McLeod, Baddeck; Life Boat, Foster, Labrador; Rocket, Giffiin, Isaac's Harbor; Sea Foam, Curry, Pictou; Morven, McDonald, Antigonishe.

June 13—Schrs Delight, Conrad, Labrador; Sea Slipper, Burns, do; Northern Light, Mahone Bay; Teaser, Burns, North Bay.

First Mortgage Bonds
OF
The Saint Stephen Railroad,
GUARANTEED BY THE
TOWN OF ST. STEPHEN,
ISSUED AND ENDORSED
Under Legislative Enactment.

These Bonds were prepared under the careful supervision of the Company's Solicitor, the present Judge Stevens, who used the utmost caution to have them in accordance with law. They are a *first* charge on both Road and Town; are in denomination of $100, $300, $500, and $1000; have 16 years to run and bear six per cent interest. The coupons are payable on the 1st of January and July at Saint Stephen, or should purchasers prefer at St. John.

The road cost $400,000. Its earnings are steadily increasing, and for some time past has been paying the interest on the first mortgage for $100,000, and also that on a second for $50,000. The completion of Western Extension and the construction of the Houlton Branch, now under contract, must add materially to its receipts.

The Town was incorporated for the express purpose of *guaranteeing* the payment of the *first* Bonds. The real estate of the incorporated district has *doubled* in value during the last six years. A report from the Assessors shows the valuation for 1869 to be about $600 000.

The DOUBLE security amounting to $1,000 000 or ten dollars security for one of debt, constitutes these bonds a FIRST-CLASS investment. An limited number only are now offered at 95, which yields over SIX AND A HALF per cent. per annum.

Further particulars may be had on application by mail or otherwise.

C. W. WETMORE,
102 Prince William Street, St. John,
Phœnix Square, Fredericton.

May 4

NOVA SCOTIA RAILWAY.

NOTICE.

Local Train between Halifax and Bedford.

A PASSENGER TRAIN will be run between HALIFAX and BEDFORD, during the Summer Months, to enable parties doing business in the City, to enjoy the advantages of Country life. Commencing on FRIDAY, 10th inst., until further notice:

Leave Halifax,	at 5.50 P.M.
Four Mile House,	6.00 "
Bedford—arrive,	6.15 "
Leave Bedford,	at 8.20 A.M.
Four Mile House,	8.35 "
Halifax—arrive,	8.45 "

Family Tickets will be issued at Richmond and Bedford. The Season Tickets now in use, will *not* be available by Trains between Richmond and Bedford at 5.50 P. M, and 8.20 AM.

The City Railway Co's., Cars connect with all Trains at Richmond Depot.

GEORGE TAYLOR,
General Superintendent.

GENERAL SUPT. OFFICE,
Halifax, 8th June, 1870.
june15 3w

H. G. LAURILLIARD,
TAILOR.

Gentlemen's Dress Materials and Furnishing Goods,

Constantly on hand.

Agent for New York Fashion Plate.

231 HOLLIS STREET, HALIFAX, N. S.
June 15. 3m.

EIGHT PER CENT PER ANN. IN GOLD
Free from U S Government Tax.
THE BALANCE OF THE ISSUE OF
$1,500,000
Of the St. Joseph and Denver City Railroad Company,
NOW FOR SAIL BY THE UNDERSIGNED.

These are a 30-year sinking fund bond, issued only upon a completed road, and bear eight per cent. interest in gold, payable on the 15th August and 15th February, in New York, London, or Frankfort, and are free from tax These bonds are in denominations of $1,000 and $500, coupons or registered, and secured by an absolute and only mortgage upon the entire line, including all description of Rolling Stock and Equipments. This road is 111 miles in length, the largest portion of which is completed and successfully operated in the daily running of regular trains, the earnings of which are now in excess of the interest liabilities on this issue of bonds; over

$1,500,000

Has already been expended upon this road from Stock Subscriptions and Donations The Company are entirely free from debt. We unhesitatingly recommend them, and will furnish pamphlets, maps, and all information.

Price 97 1-2 and accrued interest in currency.

W. P. CONVERSE & CO.,
NO. 54 PINE ST., NEW YORK.
TANNER & CO.,
NO. 49 WALL ST., NEW YORK
June 15 1870 3m

SILVER WINGS.

Silver Wings. **The New Sabbath School Music Book** Silver Wings.

Price in Boards, 35 cents; Paper 30 cents.
Sample copies sent post paid on receipt of retail price.

OLIVER DITSON & CO., Boston.
CHAS. H. DITSON & CO., New York.
june 15.

CUMBERLAND HOUSE RE-OPENED.

THE subscriber begs to inform the public that he has Re-opened the Cumberland House, opposite the Colonial Market, Argyle Street, where permanent and transient BOARDERS can be accommodated on reasonable terms.

GEORGE McLELLAN.
June 8. 3m.

99—GRANVILLE STREET—99
Wholesale and Retail.

JUST RECEIVED
Per Steamer City of Antwerp.
Colored Bonnet Crepes,
Black and Colored Lute Ribbons,
Black and Colored Satin do.
Tulle Bonnet Frames.
Black and White.
Black Silk Spotted Nets,
French Kid Gloves,
Drab Ribbed Cotton Hose,
Satin Trimmings, Fringes, &c.
N. B.—One case STRAW HATS, embracing all the NEWEST SHAPES
june 8 SMITH BROTHERS.

Wholesale—Dry Goods.

ANDERSON, BILLING & CO,

Have received per City of Antwerp.
Cases HOSIERY,
Cases FANCY SOAPS,
Bales Cotton Yarn.
—ALSO—
1000 Grass Glace Laces
And 4 cases Traviss's Sublime Colloid.
June 8 97 & 98 Granville Street.

THE STANDARD
LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY,
Established 1825
Constituted by Special Acts of Parliament.

THE FORTY-FOURTH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the STANDARD LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY was held at EDINBURGH on TUESDAY, the 26th of April, 1870,

ANDREW WOOD, ESQ, M D, in the Chair.

The Manager submitted to the Meeting—

The ANNUAL REPORT by the Directors and BALANCE SHEET of the Company's affairs.

The ANNUAL REPORT on the BOOKS and ACCOUNTS by the Auditor of the Company, certifying that he had found the whole Accounts accurately stated and properly vouched.

THE FOLLOWING ARE EXTRACTS FROM THE REPORT:—

The progress of the Company during the past year has been of a very satisfactory character, and it is matter of congratulation that during a period of great distrust and dissatisfaction in the Assurance world, the business of this Company has increased, not decreased.

THE NEW ASSURANCE TRANSACTIONS PROPOSED to the Company from 15th November, 1868, to 15th November, 1869 the Company's financial year, amounted to the large sum of £1,460,867 2s 9d, contained in 2026 Proposals—of which 407, for assuring £350,520, were not considered eligible, and declined.

THE NEW POLICIES ISSUED during the year were 1619 in number, and the Assurances effected amounted to the large sum of £1,110,347 2s 9d; the new Annual Premiums being £38,532, 2s 8d.

THE CLAIMS BY DEATH amounted to £322,117 11s 8d, the number of deaths being 564; and the Bonus Additions to the Policies which became claims amounted to the further sum of £36,649 10s 10d.

THE INCOME OF THE COMPANY received during the year ended 15th November, 1869, amounted to £710,428 16s 3.

THE INVESTED FUNDS, as shown in the Balance-sheet which follows, had reached the sum of £4 284,648 7s 3d.

These are the results of the year; but the following additional particulars as to the Company may also be interesting:—

The new business offered to the Company since the last Division of Profits in 1865—that is, in 4 years—has amounted to £5,659,481 12s 7d, the number of proposals being 8788.

The new Policies issued during the same period have been 7254, for Assurances to the amount of £4,532 414 3s 5d.

The Claims by Death which the Company have met during the four years have amounted to £1,258,126 4s 6d, with Bonus additions to the amount of £178,132 5s 7d.

AND

The Subsisting Assurances at 15th November, 1869, were £16,345,419 2s 6d, of which £931,819 12s was re-assured with other offices.

THE BALANCE SHEET of the Company's affairs, as at 15th November, 1869 is as follows:—

BALANCE SHEET OF THE STANDARD LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

AS AT 15TH NOVEMBER, 1869.

LIABILITIES.		ASSETS.	
Capital paid up	£120 000 0 0	Mortgages on Landed Estate	£2,632 338 6 2
Assurance Fund	3 679 732 10 11	Freehold and Leasehold Properties and Landed Estate	276,523 4 10
Annuity Fund	228,058 1 3	Loans on the Company's Policies (within the Surrender Value thereof)	213,288 13 10
Reversionary Transactions	71 500 0 0	British Gov. Securities	57,933 17 10
Claims admitted but not yet due	167,257 16 2	Indian Gov. Securities	15 168 15 0
Amount held on deposit in connection with uncompleted transactions	16,795 10 5	Canad an Gov. Securities	33,901 13 11
Dividends outstanding	1,304 8 6	Invested Abroad in Connection with Col. Business	36,742 16 8
		Stocks of Scottish Chartered Banks	24,154 8 4
		Railway Debentures, Debenture Stocks, and Preference Stocks	277,849 4 6
		Life Interests, Reversions, & Annuities purchased	77,180 3 6
		Loans upon Personal Security in connection with Policies	43,235 17 6
		Premiums in course of Collection at Head Office & Agencies	174,930 18 4
		Proportion of Int. Current	26,245 4 4
		Cash—On Deposit with Bankers....£14,829 14 7	
		Current Acct. with Bank. 69,979 19 0	
			84 809 13 7
		Value of Re-assurances with other Companies	244 406 16 10
		Other Assets	66,440 11 1
	£4,284,647 7 3		£4,284 648 7 3

This BALANCE SHEET shows distinctly how the Funds of the Company are invested; and a Special Committee has been appointed to examine and report on each separate transaction, preparatory to the declaration of Profits next year. That this Report will be one of unqualified approval the Directors have every confidence, as the same principles have regulated their selection of investments as in former years, and they feel satisfied that the professional gentlemen who have agreed to undertake the duty will be able to report in as favourable terms as the Committee of 1865, the period of the last Investigation.

THE EIGHTH DIVISION OF PROFITS.

falls to be made as at 15th November, 1870. The necessary Investigation which precedes the Declaration of profits has been in progress for some time, and the Directors hope to be able to submit their Report early in 1871.

THE CLOSE OF THE PRESENT BONUS PERIOD, ON 15TH NOV.'R, 1870.

persons assuring before that date being entitled to a share in the division of Profits to be made in 1871, which will include the whole divisible profits which have arisen since 15th November, 1865.

GUARANTEED SURRENDER VALUES.

The Directors have adopted FIXED SURRENDER VALUES, as stated in Report.

The REPORT having been unanimously approved of—The ESTABLISHMENT of COMPANY, after filling up vacancies in the usual manner was arranged as follows for the ensuing year.

Governor—HIS GRACE THE DUKE OF BUCCLEUCH AND QUEENSBERRY, K.G.

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Accountant,—A. WOOD STEWART.
Auditor,—CHARLES PEARSON, C.A. *Physician*,—PROFESSOR CHRISTISON, M.D.

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LONDON—WEST END OFFICE—3, PALL MALL EAST, S.W.
Resident Secretary—JOHN O'HAGAN *Medical Officer*—R. PARTRIDGE, F.R.C.S

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD,

WILL. THOS. THOMSON, *Manager.*
D CLUNIE GREGOR, *Secretary.*

Copies of the Full Report and Balance-sheet can be had by application at the Offices of the Company or any of the Agencies.

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LONDON,	82, King William Street; and 3, Pall Mall East.
DUBLIN,	66, Upper Sackville Street.
GLASGOW,	106, St. Vincent Street.

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One of the largest and best assortment in the city.

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Of the latest styles.

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A large stock, and well assorted.

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The only house in the city where first-class Tailors' Trimmings can be had.

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All colours always on hand and at the lowest prices.

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MAY 26, 1870.

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Paletots and Jackets in Silk, Cloth and Velveteen,
REMARKABLY CHEAP!
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