

IMPORTS.

Comparative statement of Imports at the Port of Montreal per Grand Trunk Railway from 1st January to 26th April, 1876 and 1877:

| | 1876. | 1877. |
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| Ashes..... | 3,339 | 3,173 |
| Butter..... | 10,322 | 9,915 |
| Barley..... | 60,061 | 41,500 |
| Bacon..... | ... | 16 |
| Corn..... | 4,800 | 10,800 |
| Cheese..... | 4,405 | 1,277 |
| Flour..... | 136,498 | 155,027 |
| Lard..... | 6,001 | 14,492 |
| Oats..... | 26,450 | 34,950 |
| Peas..... | 153,781 | 5,100 |
| Pork..... | 3,001 | 6,407 |
| Wheat..... | 368,622 | 10,300 |

REMARKS.

Ashes.—Receipts for the week, 211 brls. Pot, brls. Pearl. Decrease, 156 brls.
 Butter.—Receipts, 1077 brls. Decrease, 1,007 brls.
 Barley.—Receipts, 1200 bush. Decrease, 18,561 bush.
 Bacon.—Receipts, 3 boxes. Increase, 16 boxes.
 Corn.—Receipts, 6,000 bush. Increase, 6,000 bush.
 Cheese.—Receipts, 10 boxes. Decrease, 3,128 boxes.
 Flour.—Receipts, 18,246 brls. Increase, 19,129 brls.
 Lard.—Receipts, 2,000 brls. Increase, 8,491 brls.
 Oats.—Receipts, 2,100 bush. Increase, 8,500 bush.
 Peas.—Receipts, 600 bush. Decrease, 148,681 bush.
 Pork.—Receipts, 2,516 brls. Increase, 3,001 brls.
 Wheat.—Receipts, 7,690 bush. Decrease, 358,322 bush.

Insurance.

TWELFTH ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE

GLOBE MUTUAL LIFE INS. CO'Y.

OF NEW YORK.

GENERAL SUMMARY.

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| Gross receipts to January 1, 1876..... | \$11,558,254 06 |
| Receipts, 1876..... | 1,000,665 06 |
| Total receipts to January 1, 1877..... | \$12,558,919 12 |
| Death Claims paid..... | \$3,156,895 49 |
| Endowments paid..... | 98,961 66 |
| Surrender Values paid..... | 1,094,791 16 |
| Dividends paid..... | 902,721 13 |
| Total paid assur'd..... | \$5,253,369 44 |
| Taxes, Re-insurance, and all other disbursements..... | \$3,172,454 13 |
| | \$8,425,823 57 |
| Balance..... | \$4,133,095 55 |
| Add premiums deferred and uncollected, less expense..... | \$176,087 26 |
| Add Market Value of Bonds over Cost..... | 94,934 08 |
| Add Market Value of Real Estate..... | 38,199 58 |
| Add interest and rents due and accrued..... | 58,817 43 |
| Add sundry balances..... | 1,235 00 |
| Gross Assets, December 31, 1876..... | \$4,502,368 90 |
| Surplus to Policy-Holders..... | \$623,652 69 |

JAS. M. FREEMAN,

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J. D. WELLS,

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The ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of Shareholders for the Election of Directors will be held at the Banking House in this City, on WEDNESDAY, the 20th day of JUNE next. Chair to be taken at Twelve o'clock Noon.

By order of the Board.

H. S. STRATHY, Cashier.

The Federal Bank of Canada,
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