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Losses Paid to Date - - \$4,000,000 00

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ESTABLISHED 1856.

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broadening, and the evidence of the boycott is less apparent. Were cotton to relax somewhat in price, more business would quickly follow, says the "Draper's Record." Buyers, or consumers, having so long confined their purchases to dire wants, are loath to follow the rise, and they are accordingly placed at a disadvantage at the moment.

A NEW KIND OF FISH-STORY.

The following incident is reported by a Boston daily:—

When Antonio Perrio and Angello Leoni rowed their dory up to the mooring space at the foot of T wharf the other day their faces were white. Never a word did they say to their friends in other dories as they made fast and climbed up on to the wharf, and the others nodded knowingly, as if to say, "Something strange has happened."

To a reporter Antonio told his story. According to the fisherman, in Boston harbor is a new fish. He looks like an ordinary flounder, but he is larger, his scales shoot sparks when he is taken from the water, and to touch him is to experience a shock like that from a live wire. And the fisherman believes that this fish is the product of the East Boston tunnel. That the electric current passes through the walls of the tunnel and charges the eggs laid on the bottom of the harbor. And when the fish is

INSURANCE COMPANIES

ENGLISH (Quotations on London Market)

No. Shares or amt. Stock.	Yearly Dividend.	NAME OF COMPANY	Share value	Amount paid	Last Sale Nov. 11
450,000	10 ps	Alliance.....	20	23	12 1/2
50,000	45	C. Union F. L. & M	50	5	80 81
200,000	9	Guardian F. & L.	10	5	102 11 1/2
35,862	20	London Ass. Corp.	25	12 1/2	61 63
10,000	20 1/2	London & Lan. L.	10	2	81 9 1/2
91,000	30	London & Lan. F.	25	23	28 29
245,640	90	Liv. Lon. & Globe..	Stk	2	47 48
30,000	32	Northern F. & L.	100	10	81 83
110,000	34-6ps	North Brit. & Mer.	25	6 1/2	40 1/2 41 1/2
53,776	35	Phoenix.....	50	5	37 1/2 38 1/2
130,629	63 1/2	Royal Insurance...	20	3	51 52
10,000	...	Standard Life.....	50	12	...
240,000	9/6ps	Sun Fire.....	10	10	12 1/2 13 1/2

RAILWAYS

	Par value	London Nov. 11
Canadian Pacific \$100 Shares, 3 1/2 %	\$100	176 1/2 176 1/2
do. 1st Mortgage Bonds, 5 %	...	110 111
do. 50 year L. G. Bonds, 3 1/2 %	...	101 102
do. Non-cumulative pref. 4 %	...	106 107
Canadian Northern 4 %	...	103 105
Grand Trunk Con. stock.....	100	23 23 1/2
5 % perpetual debenture stock.....	...	133 135
do. Eq. bonds, and charge 6 %	...	120 122
do. First preference 5 %	10	111 112
do. Second preference stock 4 1/2 %	...	101 1/2 102 1/2
do. Third preference stock.....	...	57 57 1/2
Great Western per 5 % debenture stock..	100	130 132
Toronto, Grey & Bruce 4 % stg. bonds, 1st mortgage.....	100	105 107

SECURITIES.

	Nov. 11.
Montreal Perm. Deb.....	85 87
do Cons Stg Deb., 1932 4 %	105 107
City of Toronto Water Works Deb.	...
do. do. gen. con. deb.	1929, 94 96
City of Hamilton Deb.	1934 4 % 101 103
City of Quebec, cons. stg. red.	1923, 3 1/2 % 93 95

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