

W. G. A. LAMBE LLOYD'S AGENT FOR ONTARIO.

Surveys and Appraisements on goods damaged by salt water attended to at all points in Western Ontario. Certificate from Lloyd's Agent of damage is accepted by British Insurance Companies.

FOUNDED 1825.

Law Union & Crown INSURANCE COMPANY OF LONDON

Total Cash
Assets Exceed **\$24,000,000**

Fire risks accepted on almost every description of insurable property.

112 ST. JAMES ST., MONTREAL
(Corner of Place d'Armes.)

Canadian Head Office:

J. E. E. DICKSON, Mgr.

DOUGLAS K. RIDOUT, Toronto Agent.

Agents wanted throughout Canada.

WATERLOO MUTUAL FIRE INS. CO.

ESTABLISHED IN 1863.

HEAD OFFICE, WATERLOO, ONT.

Total Assets 31st Dec., 1900\$361,361 03
Policies in Force in Western Ontario over 25,000 00

GEORGE RANDALL, President. WM. SNIDER, Vice-President.

FRANK HAIGHT, Manager. R. T. ORR, J. A. STEWART, Inspectors.

THE (Incorporated 1875)

Mercantile Fire

INSURANCE COMPANY

All Policies Guaranteed by the LONDON AND LANCASHIRE FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF LIVERPOOL.

NOTICE.

The Queen City Fire Insurance Company.

The Annual General Meeting of this Company will be held, pursuant to the Act of Incorporation, on Saturday, the 13th Day of February, 1904, at One o'clock p.m., at the Company's Office, Queen City Chambers, 32 Church Street, Toronto.

By order, THOMAS WALMSLEY, Secretary.

Toronto, January 27th 1904.

NOTICE.

The Hand-In-Hand Insurance Company.

The Annual General Meeting of this Company will be held, pursuant to the Act of Incorporation, on Saturday, the 13th Day of February, 1904, at Twelve o'clock noon, at the Company's Office, Queen City Chambers, 32 Church Street, Toronto.

By order, HUGH SCOTT, Manager and Secretary.

Toronto, January 27th, 1904.

man buyers. A fine selection of Victorian caused eager competition. A few lots of superior greasies were taken by Americans. Greasy, broken fleece, realized the highest prices of the series. Withdrawals were frequent, prices being against buyers. Following are the sales in detail: New South Wales, 3,200 bales; scoured, 1s a 1s 11d; greasy, 7d a 1s. Queensland, 700 bales; scoured, 1s 4½d a 1s 9¼d; greasy, 7¼d a 10½d. Victoria, 3,000 bales; scoured, 7½ a 2s 1½d; greasy, 7d a 1s 3d. South Australia, 800 bales; greasy, 5d a 11d. West Australia, 1,900 bales; greasy, 5¼d a 11½d. New Zealand, 3,200 bales; greasy, 6½d a 11d. Cape of Good Hope and Natal, 700 bales; scoured, 1s 5d a 1s 7½d; greasy, 7¼d a 9½d.

BANKING AND THE LIBERAL ARTS.

H. F. Gadsby's latest sketch in the Toronto Daily Star of Saturday, under the heading of "In the Gallery of Notables," describes in that writer's fantastical way Mr. B. E. Walker as the Doge of Bankers, and compares him with the Medici. And recounting Mr. Walker's many activities, speaks of his efforts to transplant early Italian art to this climate. The sketch is very clever, but we wonder why H. F. G. left out of it any

INSURANCE COMPANIES

ENGLISH (Quotations on London Market)

No. Shares or amt. Stock.	Yearly Dividend.	NAME OF COMPANY	Share value	Amount paid	Last Sale Jan. 22
50,000	8 ps	Alliance.....	20	21-5	104 104
50,000	35	C. Union F. L. & M	50	5	50 51
00,000	84	Guardian F. & L.	10	5	9 94
35,862	20	London Ass. Corp.	25	12½	53 54
10,000	17½	London & Lan. L.	10	2	88 94
289,155	24	London & Lan. F.	25	2½	20 21
4,5640	90	Liv. Lon. & Globe.	Stk	2	439 444
130,000	30	Northern F. & L.	100	10	75 77
10,000	30ps	North Brit. & Mer.	25	64	37 38
153,776	35	Phoenix.....	50	5	33 34
25,234	63½	Royal Insurance..	20	3	47 48
10,000	...	Standard Life.....	50	12	...
0,000	8/6ps	Sun Fire.....	10	10	104 104

RAILWAYS

	Par value	London Jan. 22
Canadian Pacific 100 Shares, 3/4.....	\$100	122 123
C. P. R. 1st Mortgage Bonds, 5/8.....	...	109 111
do. 50 year L. G. Bonds, 3/4.....	...	100 102
Grand Trunk Con. stock.....	100	144 144
5% perpetual debenture stock.....	...	131 134
do. Eq. bonds, and charge 6%.....	...	120 123
do. First preference 5.....	10	110½ 111½
do. Second preference stock 3/4.....	...	96 97
do. Third preference stock.....	...	42 43
Great Western per 5% debenture stock..	100	...
Midland Stg. 1st mtg. bonds, 5%.....	100	...
Toronto, Grev & Bruce 4% stg. bonds, 1st mortgage.....	100	103 106

SECURITIES.

	London Jan. 22
Dominion 5% stock, 1903, of Ry. loan.....	101 103
do. 4% do 1904, 5. 6. 8.....	101 105
do. 4% do 1910, Ins. stock.....	104 106
do. 3% do. Ins. stock.....	101 105
Montreal Sterling 5% 1908.....	...
do. 5% 1874.....	100 102
do. 1879, 5%.....	100 102
City of Toronto Water Works Deb., 1906, 6%.....	100 105
do. do. gen. con. deb. 1920, 5%.....	107 109
do. do. stg. bonds 1928, 4%.....	99 101
do. do. Loca Imp. Bonds 1913, 4%.....	8 101
do. do. Bonds 1929, 3%.....	95 97
City of Ottawa, Stg. 1904, 6%.....	101 102
City of Hamilton Debs. 1934, 5%.....	101 103
City of Quebec, con., 1905, 6%.....	103 105
do. do. sterling deb. 1923, 4%.....	101 103
City of Vancouver, 1931, 4%.....	100 102
do. do. 1934, 4%.....	100 102
City of Winnipeg, deb 914, 5%.....	106 108

reference to the acquirements as a geologist of the man whose many accomplishments he is so pleasantly caricaturing. In one sentence the characterization says, referring to the Canadian Institute, of which Mr. Walker was vice-president: "It (the Institute) exists

Central Life Insurance Company.

Authorized Capital, \$1,000,000
Capital Subscribed, 500,000
Head Office, TORONTO.

Our rates are most favorable to the insuring public. Our Policies are unconditional from date of issue. Our Reserves are based on the highest Govt. Standard. First-class positions for men of character and ability. Write to the Head Office of the Company for particulars.
THOMAS CRAWFORD, M.P.P., J. M. SPENCE,
President. Man. Dir.

—Onward and Upward—

EXCELSIOR LIFE INSURANCE CO.

Head Office, - Toronto

	Assets.	Income.	Ins. in Force
1902	\$608,577	\$243,181	\$5,170,816
1892	67,279	29,739	1,231,750

Good openings for good Agents with a progressive Company.

EDWIN MARSHALL
Secretary.

DAVID FASKEN
President.

THE Ontario Accident and Lloyds Plate Glass

ACCIDENTS AND DISEASE.

INSURANCE COMPANIES

Issue Specially Attractive Policies covering Accident and Sickness Combined, Employers', Elevator, General and Public Liability. Plate Glass.

EASTMURE & LIGHTBOURN, Gen'l Agents
3 Toronto Street, TORONTO

The London Mutual Fire Insurance Co. of Canada

Established 1859.

Losses Paid, - - - \$3,250,000 00
Business in force, over - - - \$66,000,000 00
Assets - - - - - \$628,690 16

HON. JOHN DRYDEN, President, GEO. GILLIES, Vice-President
H. WADDINGTON, Sec'y and Man. Director.

Established 1824

The MANCHESTER FIRE Assurance Co.

Head Office—MANCHESTER, ENG.

H. S. MALLETT, Manager and Secretary.

Assets over \$13,000,000

Canadian Branch Head Office—TORONTO.

JAS. BOOMER, Manager.

T. D. RICHARDSON, Assistant Manager.

Toronto Agents } SMITH & MACKENZIE
JOSEPH LAWSON.

THE DOMINION LIFE ASSURANCE CO.

Head Office, - WATERLOO, Ont.

Results of 1902.

Business in force\$ 4,898,538 00
Increase..... 11 per cent.
Income in 1902..... \$182,171 45
Increase..... 15 per cent.
Assets..... \$705,516 60
Increase..... 14 per cent.
Cash Surplus to Policy-holders..... \$137,069 30
Increase in 1902..... \$6,854 00

JAS. INNES, President.

THOMAS HILLIARD, Managing Director.