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### The Oldest City.

Damascus is the oldest city in the world. Tyre and Sidon have crumbled on the shore; Baalbec is a ruin; Palmyra is buried in a desert; Nineveh and Babylon have disappeared from the Tigris and Euphrates. Damascus remains what it was before the days of Abraham—a centre of trade and travel—an island of verdure in the desert—a presidential capital—with martial and sacred associations extending through thirty centuries. It was near Damascus that Saul of Tarsus saw the light above the brightness of the sun; the street which is called Strait, in which it was said "he prayed," still runs through the city. The caravan comes and goes as it did a thousand years ago; there is still the sheik, the ass, and the water-wheel; the merchants of the Euphrates and the Mediterranean still "occupy" these "with the multitude of wares." The city which Mahomet surveyed from a neighbouring height, and was afraid to enter, because it was easier to man to have but one paradise, and for his part, he was resolved not to have it in this world, is to this day what Julian calls "eye of the East" as it was in the time of Isaiah "the head of Syria." From Damascus came the Damasc, our blue plums, and the delicious apricot of Portugal, called damasco, the damask our beautiful fabric of cotton and silk, with vines and flowers raised upon a smooth, bright ground; the damask rose, introduced into England in the time of Henry VIII, the Damascus blue, so famous the world over, for its keen-edge and wonderful elasticity, the secret of whose manufacture was lost when Tamerlane carried off the artist into Persia; and that beautiful art of inlaying wood and steel with silver and gold, a kind of mosaic engraving and sculptural method—called damascening—with which boxes, bureaux, swords, and guns, are ornamented. It is still a city of flowers and bright waters, the streams of Lebanon and the "river of gold" still murmur and sparkle in the wilderness of Syrian gardens.

### BACHELOR'S HAIR DYE

This splendid Hair Dye is the best in the world. The only true and perfect Dye—Harmless, Reliable, Instantaneous. No disappointment. No ridiculous tints. Restores the effects of bad dyes. Invigorates and leaves the hair soft and beautiful brown or black. Sold by all druggists and perfumers, and specially applied at Bachelor's Wig Factory, No. 16, Bond St., N. Y.

### Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry.

Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Asthma, Croup, Whooping Cough, Quinsy, and the numerous as well as dangerous diseases of the Throat, Chest and Lungs, prevail in our changeable climate at all seasons of the year. It is fortunate enough to escape their baneful influence. How important then to have at home a certain antidote to all these complaints. Experience proves that this exists in Wistar's Balsam to an extent not found in any other remedy; however severe the suffering, the application of this soothing, healing and wonderful Balsam at once conquers the disease and restores the sufferer to wonted health. Mr. J. M. Buxton, of Ballwin, Chesapeake Co., N. Y., writes:—"I was urged by a neighbor to get one bottle of the Balsam for my wife, being assured by him that in case it did not produce good effects he would pay for the bottle himself. On the strength of this practical evidence of its merits I procured a bottle. My wife at this time was so low that the physician termed her condition consumption as to be unable to raise herself from the bed, coughing constantly and raising more or less blood. I commenced using the Balsam as directed and in a few days she was able to get up. She had another bottle, and continued using it. Before this bottle was entirely used, she could walk and was strong enough to sit up. The cough and phlegm were restored her to health. I am glad that several physicians had tried this Balsam but failed."

Prepared by SETH W. FOWLE & SON, 18 Tremont St., Boston, and for sale by druggists generally.

### ACROSTIC.

It cures every ailment through every pore,  
It relieves every sufferer from each angry sore;  
It wounds it heals with certainty and speed;  
It cures, burns, from inflammation soon are freed;  
It relieves, at its presence disappears,  
It kills each stain, and the complexion's clear.

Save, such as Grace's, every one should buy,  
All its wondrous merits testify,  
Let those who doubt, a single box try—  
Verily, then its true benefits 'twould have,  
Even unbelievers would land Grace's Salve,  
Feb. 23rd, 1869. daw

"Life's path is rough," the old man said,  
"I'm weary, I would that I were dead!  
I asked what ailment he, and he feebly sighed  
In humbling accents he to me replied,  
"It is not that I am feeble, old, or worn—  
'Tis a tight boot, and an internal CORN."  
Now—those who are similarly afflicted  
Will please call at E. Harvey & Co's and get  
a box of Briggs' Curative, and in a jiffy his  
suffering will cease, with all its torments, will disappear. For sale by all druggists. C. H. Wright & Co agent for British possessions. The summer is gone and the autumn is past,  
Jolly old winter has come in at last;  
The snow flakes are falling thick thro' the air,  
Covering the ground with a mat the rare;  
The ice King his joys is quickly in bringing,  
And merry sleigh-bells are gaily ringing;  
And whether it be by day, or whether by night,  
Lamp, or candle, or clear moonlight,  
The breeze doth whisper, "Beware! Take care,  
And the night wind doth bellow "Beware! Beware!"  
But if you should suffer from asthma or cold,  
Toothache, lumbago, rheumatic pains bold,  
Coughs, bronchitis, or other fatality,  
Supposed to shorten our brief humanity,  
Do stop a minute, but hurry instantly,  
And purchase a bottle of Briggs' Alleviator.  
For sale by E. Harvey & Co., and all druggists. C. H. Wright & Co., Hamilton, general agents for British possessions.

### COMMERCIAL.

#### Guelph Markets.

MERCURY OFFICE, GUELPH, J.

March 30, 1869.		
Flour, 11 1/4 bush	90	2 25
Fall Wheat, 8 bush	85	0 92
Spring Wheat, 8 bush	85	0 85
Oats, 16 bush	52	0 50
Peas, 40	75	0 80
Barley, 40	15	0 25
Hay, 1/2 ton	12 00	15 50
Straw	3 00	0 40
Shingles, 1/2 square	1 00	1 50
Wood, 1/2 cord	2 00	0 25
Wool, 1 lb	24	0 25
Wool, 1/2 lb	12	0 15
Eggs, 1/2 dozen	0 15	0 18
Butter, (store packed) 1/2 lb	20	0 22
do (dairy packed) 1/2 lb	20	0 22
Geese, each	0 25	0 30
Turkeys, each	0 25	0 30
Chickens, 1/2 pair	0 40	0 45
Ducks, do	1 00	1 15
Eggs, per bag	1 00	1 15
Lamb, 1/2 lb	4 00	7 00
Beef, 1/2 lb	0 05	0 10
Pork, 1/2 lb	7 50	2 50
Sheep Pelts, each	0 50	1 25
Lambskins	0 50	1 00
Hides	0 60	0 50

#### Money Market.

Each Office, Guelph, March 20, 1869.

Gold, 131 1/2  
Greenbacks, at 7 1/4 to 7 3/4, sold at 7 1/2 to 7 1/4  
Silver bought at 4 1/2, sold at 4  
Upper Canada Bank Bills bought at 55c to 60c

#### TORONTO MARKETS.

Toronto, March 19.

Fall wheat \$1 00 to 1 05; spring wheat, 85 to 90; flour, No. 1 super, \$4 00, extra \$5 50; barley \$1 20; peas, 75c to 78c; oats, 50c to 55c.

#### HAMILTON MARKETS.

HAMILTON, March 19.

Barley, 1 20 to 1 25; peas, 75c to 80c; oats, 50c to 55c; spring wheat, 85 to 90; white wheat, 95 to 1 00; red winter, 85 to 90.

#### MONTREAL MARKET.

Kirkwood, Livingston & Co's report by special Telegram to Evening Mercury.

March 20, 1869.

Flour—Extra, \$5 20 to \$5 30; Fancy, \$4 80 to \$4 90; Willard Canal Superfine, \$4 50 to \$4 60; Superior No. 1 Canada wheat, \$1 30 to \$1 35; Superior No. 1 Western wheat, \$4 95 to \$5 00; No. 2 do, \$4 50 to \$4 60; Bag Flour, \$2 20 to \$2 25; Wheat—Canada, Fall, \$1 12 1/2 to \$1 14; Spring, \$1 00 to \$1 07; Western, \$1 19 to \$1 21; Oats, per 22 lbs, 45c to 46c; Beans, per 22 lbs, \$1 20 to \$1 25; Butter—Laird, 20c to 25c; Store packed, 15c to 20c; Ashes, 18c to 20c; Potatoes, 20c to 25c; Prime, 15c to 20c; Pork, 7c to 8c.

## STOCK TAKING OVER

AT THE

# BRADFORD HOUSE

THE GREAT

## Clearing Sale!

Will commence on Wednesday, 10th March, and continue for two weeks.

During which time great bargains will be given to make room for our

### EARLY SPRING PURCHASES.

Indebted purchases must call early, as our Clearing Sale don't last all the year round.

## GREAT BARGAINS

In Wiggins' Wash and Seal Jackets at \$1.50. An immense lot Fancy and Plain Shawls to be sold very low.

### Our Dress Stock, as usual, must be Cleared Out.

Regardless of cost. Military Goods at a fearful price. Trained Bonnets less than half price. Trimmed Hats too low to mention. Large lot Bonnets of Dress Goods—fearful bargains.

### REMNANT PRINTS ALMOST GIVEN AWAY.

In fact nothing in the place will be sold over cost price, as we intend to make extensive alterations on the premises this Spring, and our Importations will be much larger than ever they have been before.

### PHILIP BISH.

Wyndham Street, Guelph, March 9.

## A. R. McMASTER & BRO.,

ARE NOW OPENING THEIR

## FALL IMPORTATIONS,

And will be glad to see their friends and customers at

YONGE STREET, TORONTO.

Toronto, September 1.

## SALLY LUND'S

A DELICIOUS TEA CAKE AT

## H. BERRY'S.

### FRESH MADE BISCUITS & CRACKERS

Pie-nic Biscuits, Lemon Biscuits, Oyster Crackers, Captain Biscuits, Fancy Biscuits. All war made by a splendid new machine. WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

Guelph, January 22, 1869. daw

### PRIZE DENTISTRY.

## DR. R. CAMPBELL.

OFFICE next door to the Advertiser's Office, Wyndham Street, Guelph.

References:—Dr. Clarke & Orton, McQuire, Herold and McGregor, and Cowan, Guelph; Dr. Buchanan & Phillips, Toronto; Drs. Elliott and Meyers Guelph, 13th Jan 1869.

### FUNERALS

WILLIAM BROWNLOW UNDERTAKER, SHOP, in rear of the WELLINGTON HOTEL, Douglas Street. Home in rear of Mr. F. W. Sagar's store, and fronting the Fair Ground. The subscriber intimates that he is prepared to attend

### FUNERALS

As usual in Town and Country. Coffins always on hand and made to order on the most notice Terms very moderate.

Dec. 29, 1868. WM. BROWNLOW daw

### STILL ON THE MOVE.

## H. METCALF, Saddler,

Begs to notify his customers and the public that he has returned to the OLD STAND IN THE NEW BUILDING, Which has been built and fitted up expressly for his business, and that he has a large stock of the following Goods—

Harness, Light and Heavy; Saddles, good and cheap; Trunks of the Cheapest and Best make; Whips, Bells, Brushes, Combs, &c., in good supply. Special attention is directed to my Stock of H. H. CLEVERING, Blankets, Sargines, &c. A call is solicited. Repairing done as usual.

Guelph, December 4. H. METCALF. w

### CROWN HOTEL.

Near the Grand Trunk Station, Guelph.

## THOS. WARD, Proprietor.

The subscriber having leased the above well-known hotel, is prepared to attend to the wants of all who favor him with their patronage. The best of liquors and cigars kept in the bar. By strict attention to business, and low charges, he hopes to merit a share of public favours.

BOARDS—A few boards can be accommodated on very moderate terms.

Guelph, Feb 24. THOMAS WARD, w

### EDUCATIONAL.

## MRS. WM. BUDD,

Organist of the Congregational Church

Begs to inform her Pupils and friends that her School will re-open MONDAY 4th JANUARY, 1869, she will also be prepared to give Private Lessons on the Organ, Piano and Melodeon. Residence: Norfolk Street, Guelph. December 30. doly

### BOARDING AND DAY SCHOOL FOR YOUNG LADIES.

## CHURCH-ST. GUELPH

MISS WIGHTMAN begs to announce that her school will reopen Dec. 21st at 10 o'clock. Guelph, 21st December.

### TROTTER & GRAHAM,

## DENTISTS!

QUELPH and BRAMPTON LICENTIATES OF DENTAL SURGERY Successors in both to Trotter

Office, over Higinbotham's Drugstore Guelph, 1st August, 1868. dw

### STEEL AMALGAM BELLS

The undersigned beg to notify the public that they have commenced the manufacture of larger bells than they have hitherto made. After many years of experience in the facturing and selling over one thousand bells within the last seven years, from forty-five pounds weight to three hundred pounds, we find that our Bells give the best of SATISFACTION in every respect, consequently we have commenced this manufacture of

Our Bells are only one-third the cost of the Brass Composition Bells, and we warrant them for one year. The public will find it to their advantage to encourage home manufacture.

WE manufacture the celebrated Job's FIRE-PLACE WOOD STOVE, so well adapted for hotels and school-houses.

JONES & CO., Markham Post Office, Ontario.

JOHN HORSMAN, sole Agent for Guelph, where samples of the Bells can be seen at all times.

Markham, 17th December. wly

### Lumber & Wood Yard

## CHARLES HEATH

Has opened a Lumber and Wood Yard on Quebec St. West of English Church, Where a number of the new can be had of all our basins.

### CORDWOOD

For sale by the cord, half-cord and quarter cord, and delivered in any part of the Town. Also for sale, Flour and Feed delivered in an part of the Town according to order.

All orders from Town or Country will be promptly attended to.

CHARLES HEATH Guelph, Ma 14

### CUNARD OCEAN STEAMERS.

LEAVING New York every Thursday for Queenstown or Liverpool.

### FARE FROM HAMILTON TO GUELPH.

First class, \$1.00. Second class, 75c. Gold value \$1.00. 20c. Berths not secured until paid for. For further particulars apply to

CHARLES T. JONES & CO., Exchange Brokers, Hamilton Agents for the Erie and New York Railway. Fare from Hamilton to New York, \$10.00. Value \$10.00. 1st June, 1868.

### ALMA BLOCK, GUELPH.

## WHOLESALE.

NOW OPENING,

### Another Shipment of Glassware!

CONSISTING IN PART OF

Tumblers, Goblets, Wines  
Decanters, Celery Glasses  
Butlers, Sugars and Creams  
Spoon Holders, Salt Cellars  
Preserve Dishes, in great variety  
Cruet Bottles, Cruet Frames  
Bird Fountains,  
Bird Seed Boxes, Bird Baths  
Lamp Chimneys,  
Specia Jars, Japanned Ware,  
&c. &c. &c.

Guelph, 28th December

### FRESH TEAS

CROP '68 AND '68.

## REFORD & DILLON

ARE NOW RECEIVING DIRECT FROM LONDON, ENGLAND, THEIR FALL SUPPLIES OF NEW A Season Teas, comprising—

TWANKAYS, YOUNG HYSONS, IMPERIALS, GUNPOWDERS, Col'd & Ungol'd JAPANS, CONGOUS, SOUCHONGS, PEKOES.

ALSO,

100 Hhd's Choice Barbadoes and Cuba Sugars, With a well selected assortment of GENERAL GROCERIES, all of which they offer to the trade LOW.

Toronto September 1

## REFORD & DILLON!

12 and 14 Wellington Street

### Commercial Union Assurance Company,

CHIEF OFFICES—10 & 20 CORNHILL, LONDON, ENGLAND.

CAPITAL, £2,500,000.

Fire Department.

THE success which has attended the Company's operations has been such as fully to realize the most sanguine expectations of the Directors, who have resolved to extend the business more widely, and now offer to the Canadian Public PERFECT SECURITY guaranteed by large subscribed capital and Invested Funds.

PROMPT SETTLEMENT OF CLAIMS.—The Directors and General Agents, being gentlemen largely engaged in commerce, will take a liberal and business like view of all questions coming before them.

Life Department.

Volunteers assured in this Company, are permitted, without extra charge, to do duty on the Frontier, and to engage in repelling marauding parties.

Eighty per cent. of the Profits of the whole Life and Annuity business are divided among participating Policy Holders.

Claims are paid one month after Proof of Death.

By a recent Act of Parliament a Wife can now hold a Policy on the life of her Husband free from all other claims.

Office—285 and 287 St. Paul Street, Montreal.

MORLAND, WATSON & CO., General Agents for Canada.

FREDERICK COLE, Secretary—Inspector of Agencies, T. C. DAVIS, P.L.S., Upper Canada.

Trotter & Graham, Agents for Guelph.

Guelph, Feb. 6 1869. dw

### DAVIDSON & CHADWICK

GENERAL AGENTS, TOWN HALL BUILDINGS, GUELPH

TRUST and LOAN COMPANY OF UPPER CANADA, AND THE CANADA PERMANENT BUILDING and SAVINGS SOCIETIES OF TORONTO.

THESE Companies afford every facility to the borrower, and give him the privilege of either retaining the principal for term of years or paying it off by instalments extending over any term of years up to 15.

### FUNDS FOR INVESTMENT.

The Trust and Loan Company have funds for investment on the security of first-class town and farm property, and are also prepared to purchase good mortgages. The rate of interest is 5 per cent. No commission charged. The loans are usually for five years, but can be made for shorter or longer terms, and repayable by annual instalments, if desired by borrowers. The tariff of legal fees is assimilated to those of the principal loaning institutions in Ontario. For further information apply at the Company's office in Kingston, or to DAVIDSON & CHADWICK, Guelph.

### DAVIDSON & CHADWICK.

Have also a large amount of PRIVATE FUNDS On hand for investment.

Money invested and interest collected on Mortgages bought subject to the usual terms of the valuation of property offered.

Debentures, Stocks and Securities of all kinds negotiated.

### DAVIDSON & CHADWICK

Are Agents for the Royal Insurance Co'y OF ENGLAND. CAPITAL - - \$10,000,000

### DAVIDSON & CHADWICK

are Agents for the STANDARD LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY, Established - - - - 1812.

The STANDARD Life risks at very low rates, and Policy holders are secured by a very large sum of accumulated and invested Funds, viz. \$15,000,000, and the Company have made the deposit with the Government of the Dominion of Canada required by the new Act.

### DAVIDSON & CHADWICK

Have a number of FARMS for sale in the County of Wellington and adjoining Counties.

Also, Town Lots and Houses In Guelph, Berlin, Fergus, &c.

### AMARANTH

Lot 22, in the 10th Concession, 200 acres Lots 17, 18 and 19, 8th Con., 600 acres

### ARTHUR.

South-half of Lot 15, 3rd Con., 100 acres, 60 of which is in a high state of cultivation, and well fenced, watered by a creek crossing the centre of the farm; a two story house and good barn on the lot.

### ERAMOSA.

Part of West-half of 2, in the 3rd Con., four acres with a good stone house and log stable.

Lot No. 22, in 1st Con., of which 100 acres are under the plough; good buildings and an orchard; well watered.

Part of 5, in 1st Con., 60 acres, 70 cleared, building East 1/2 of 9, in 4th Con., 100 acres, 40 cleared, 60 acres.

### ERIN.

West-half of Lot 8, in the 1st Con., 100 acres, 80 cleared, good frame barn and shed, and part of frame dwelling house; well watered, &c. &c.

East-half of Lot in 6th Con., 100 acres, 75 cleared; new frame house and barn; spring creek.

West-half of Lot 32, 8th Con., 100 acres; 75 cleared, 25 excellent farm.

### ELORA.

Valuable Tavern Stand for sale in the Village of Elora, at present leased to Robert Cook being lots 5 and 6, corner of Waterloo and Walnut Streets, with stabling for 40 horses.

### GARAFRAX.

West-half of Lot 1, in 15th Con., with 50 acres of Lot 2—a splendid farm, with good outbuildings—100 acres of it are cleared, and adjoining another 100 acres, 85 of which are cleared, in Erin, making it desired a block of 200 acres.

Lot 11, in 11th Con., 100 acres; 60 acres cleared, all dry land; farm buildings.

### QUELPH TOWNSHIP.

Valuable Farm on the Erasmosa Road, containing 80 acres, 45 cleared, well watered, an orchard, 2 two story stone house, with cellar basement, frame barn 64 x 80, and other outbuildings. Within a mile of the market town.

### TOWN OF QUELPH.

River Lots on Queen Street, well adapted for Private residences, valuable quarries being on the lots.

Water Privilege and Mill Site, on a fine stream, containing 13 acres, composed of the north part of Lots 1, 2, 3 and 4 and Lots 5 and 6, in Oliver's survey, on the Waterloo road.

Lots 4, 15, 16, 22, 23, 25, 26, 31, 35, 36, 40, 41, 40, 50, 51, in Webster's Survey, lying between Strange Street and the river Speck, and adjoining the Waterloo road.

Lot 4, on the north side of Pearl Street, with double frame house.

Lot 155, corner of Gordon and Wellington Streets 1043 and 1044 Cambridge Street, on which is erected a frame plastered dwelling house.

Three Quarry Lots, lying Nos. 21, 22, 23 and 24 on the Waterloo Road.

Two storey brick house on Queen Street, with stable and sheds, at present occupied by Mr. J. P. Martin.

Park Lots in St. Andrew's Church Glebe, containing from 1/2 to 5 acres each.

Also, lot 15, five acres, a beautiful lot, well fenced, and in a high state of cultivation.

These lots are admirably adapted for Market Gardens, and the terms of credit are Mr. J. P. Martin's residence.

Lot 588, Market Street, next to Mr. Heffernan's residence.

### LUTHER.

North-half Lot 18, in the 4th Con., 100 acres South-half Lot 19, 4th Con., 100 acres

Lot 2, 7th Con., 200 acres

Lot 18, 5th Con., 200 acres

Lot 25, 5th Con., 200 acres

Lot 14, 11th Con., 200 acres

Lot 15, 11th Con., 200 acres

Lot 16, 11th Con., 174 acres

Lot 17, 11th Con., 100 acres

Lot 18, 11th Con., 200 acres

Lot 19, 11th Con., 200 acres

Lot 20, 11th Con., 200 acres

Lot 21, 11th Con., 200 acres

Lot 22, 11th Con., 200 acres

Lot 23, 11th Con., 200 acres

Lot 24, 11th Con., 200 acres

Lot 25, 11th Con., 200 acres

Lot 26, 11th Con., 200 acres

Lot 27, 11th Con., 200 acres

Lot 28, 11th Con., 200 acres

Lot 29, 11th Con., 200 acres

Lot 30, 11th Con., 200 acres

Lot 31, 11th Con., 200 acres

Lot 32, 11th Con., 200 acres

### DEBENTURES WANTED.

Wanted, \$50,000 of County Debentures, on a loan or large—those having several years to run preferred.

Particular attention will be given to all applications addressed to

### DAVIDSON & CHADWICK

General Agents, Town Hall Buildings, Guelph, 23rd January.

## J. & D. MARTIN'S

# New Grocery!

Next door to Petrie's Drug Store.

Wyndham Street, Guelph, 10th March.

### The ETNA Life Insurance Co., of Hartford, Conn.

ASSETS OVER \$10,000,000.

More than fifteen thousand Policies were issued during the year, insuring nearly FORTY-FIVE MILLIONS. It insures from \$500 to \$20,000 on a single life.

### THE ENTIRE PROFITS DIVIDED AMONG THE POLICY HOLDERS ANNUALLY.

Furnishes Insurance combining all of the advantages offered by other Companies. The unexpended Profits are paid to the members since its organization, \$4,397,142.

New Cash Tables with ANNUAL DIVIDENDS, on the Contribution Plan. Dividends as large and Policies become self-sustaining as in any other Company, while the rates are more favorable.

JOHN GARVIN, General Agent for Western Canada. Office—TORONTO, Ont.

HIGINBOTHAM & HARVEY, DRS. CLARKE & TUCK, Medical Referees. Agents for Guelph and vicinity. Guelph, 19th February.

### SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT

## The Connecticut Mutual Life Insurance Company

HARTFORD CONN.

WOODBRIDGE S. OLNEY, Secretary. GUY R. PHIPPS, President. ZEPHANIAH PERSTON, V. Pre. EDWIN W. BRYANT, Actuary. LUCIAN S. WILSON, Medical Examiner.

### ORGANIZED IN 1840. CHARTER PERPETUAL.

The largest Mutual Life Insurance Company, numbering over 55,000 members. A purely Mutual Company—its Assets being exclusively to its members.

ASSETS, \$21,000,000.—Acquired by prudent and economical management of twenty-two years without the aid of a single dollar of original capital.

SURPLUS ASSETS, \$6,361,067.—All profits divided among the members. Each policy holder is a member. There are no Stockholders.

ITS LARGE DIVIDENDS.—They have averaged over 50 per cent. annually. Total amount of dividends paid the members since its organization, \$4,397,142.

ITS SUCCESS UNPARALLELED.—It has arrived at the extraordinary condition where the income from Annual Interest alone is more than sufficient to pay all its losses. Total amount of losses paid by the Company, \$6,868,528.

ITS RESPONSIBILITY.—For every \$100 of Liabilities, it has \$154 of Assets.

LAST YEAR'S PROSPEROUS BUSINESS.

Amount insured fiscal year 1867	845,647,191.00
Income received	7,530,886.19

During its last fiscal year this Company paid to its living members, and to the families of its deceased members, nearly \$2,000,000, and at the same time added more than FOUR MILLIONS to its accumulated capital. The whole record of this Company has been one of prudent management and prosperous advancement. Among the other and leading Life Insurance Companies its rate of expenses to income has, through its entire history, been the lowest of any.

ITS LIBERALITY.—It accommodates the insured by giving credit for part premium, and grants insurance to meet all the contingencies and wants, to which Life Insurance is applicable. Its issues policies on a single life from \$100 to \$25,000, and on term insurance from \$100 to \$10,000. Amount deposited with Receiver General of Canada, \$140,000.

Medical Referee—DR. HEBOLD. DANIEL D. SILLS, General Agent for Canada.

GEORGE ROBINS, Agent for Guelph.

Guelph, 25th December

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South-half of Lot 15, 3rd Con., 100 acres, 60 of which is in a high state of cultivation, and well fenced, watered by a creek crossing the centre of the farm; a two story house and good barn on the lot.

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Part of West-half of 2, in the 3rd Con., four acres with a good stone house and log stable.

Lot No. 22, in 1st Con., of which 100 acres are under the plough; good buildings and an orchard; well watered.

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West-half of Lot 8, in the 1st Con., 100 acres, 80 cleared, good frame barn and shed, and part of frame dwelling house; well watered, &c. &c.

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West-half of Lot 32, 8th Con., 100 acres; 75 cleared, 25 excellent farm.

### ELORA.

Valuable Tavern Stand for sale in the Village of Elora, at present leased to Robert Cook being lots 5 and 6, corner of Waterloo and Walnut Streets, with stabling for 40 horses.

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West-half of Lot 1, in 15th Con., with 50 acres of Lot 2—a splendid farm, with good outbuildings—100 acres of it are cleared, and adjoining another 100 acres, 85 of which are cleared, in Erin, making it desired a block of 200 acres.

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River Lots on Queen Street, well adapted for Private residences, valuable quarries being on the lots.

Water Privilege and Mill Site, on a fine stream, containing 13 acres, composed of the north part of Lots 1, 2, 3 and 4 and Lots 5 and 6, in Oliver's survey, on the Waterloo road.

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Lot 4, on the north side of Pearl Street, with double frame house.

Lot 155, corner of Gordon and Wellington Streets 1043 and 1044 Cambridge Street, on which is erected a frame plastered dwelling house.

Three Quarry Lots, lying Nos. 21, 22, 23 and 24 on the Waterloo Road.

Two storey brick house on Queen Street, with stable and sheds, at present occupied by Mr. J. P. Martin.

Park Lots in St. Andrew's Church Glebe, containing from 1/2 to 5 acres each.

Also, lot 15, five acres, a beautiful lot, well fenced, and in a high state of cultivation.

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Lot 588, Market Street, next to Mr. Heffernan's residence.

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North-half Lot 18, in the 4th Con., 100 acres South-half Lot 19, 4th Con., 100 acres

Lot 2, 7th Con., 200 acres

Lot 18, 5th Con., 200 acres

Lot 25, 5th Con., 200 acres

Lot 14, 11th Con., 200 acres

Lot 15, 11th Con., 200 acres

Lot 16, 11th Con., 174 acres

Lot 17, 11th Con., 100 acres

Lot 18, 11th Con., 200 acres

Lot 19, 11th Con., 200 acres

Lot 20, 11th Con., 200 acres

Lot 21, 11th Con., 200 acres

Lot 22, 11th Con., 200 acres

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Lot 24, 11th Con.,