

Insurance.

FIRE RECORD.—Welland, Sept. 1.—A fire consumed the house of Thomas Smith. Insured for \$400.

Kingston, Sept. 4.—A fire consumed the store of Messrs. Macdonald and Hatfield. No insurance on building, \$2,000 on stock.

Kenmore, Sept. 4.—James McIntyre's barn with contents was burned. Loss \$500. No insurance.

Riceville, Sept. 1.—Alfred Deslauriere's barn with contents was consumed by lightning. Partially insured.

Parkenhurst, Aug. 28.—A fire destroyed McPherson's hotel, besides the stables and several other buildings. Loss \$15,000. Insurance said to be about \$3,000.

Springfield, Ont., Aug. 28.—The station of the C. S. R. was burned along with contents.

Peterborough, Aug. 24.—The house and out-buildings of Neal McEwin, at Lorneville, were burned. No insurance.

Eldon, Aug. 31.—A fire destroyed the barn of Mr McArthur along with contents. Uninsured.

Belleville, Sept. 1.—The barn with contents of J. B. Tillotson of Ameliasburg was destroyed by lightning. Loss \$1,000. Insured in the Prince Edward Mutual for \$200 on building and \$400 on contents.

Mitchell, Aug. 28.—The house of Joseph Wolsey was burned. Loss \$900. Insured in Ontario Mutual for \$400.

Ottawa, Sept. 1.—The house of J. Burns was destroyed by lightning. Loss about \$2,500. Insurance small.

Belleville Aug. 31.—Three barns and other out-buildings belonging to John McWilliams in Ameliasburg were destroyed by fire. Loss \$2,000. Insurance \$800 in Prince Edward Mutual.

Quebec Aug. 31.—A frame house at Levis was burned. Loss \$2,000.

Palermo, Aug. 31.—The barn of W. Cleverdon was burned with contents. Partially insured in Toronto and Beaver Mutual.

London, Aug. 29.—The barn of John Mosure was consumed by lightning. Loss \$1,400, insurance \$800.

Sherbrooke, Aug. 30.—The house of Octava Huppee, at Brompton Falls, was destroyed by fire. Loss \$800, insurance \$400.

Simcoe, Aug. 31.—The barn of Louis Berger was consumed by fire. Fully insured.

Lindsay, Sept. 2.—A barge loaded with lumber belonging to Messrs. Benedict & Sons, of Bobcaygeon was consumed by fire. Loss \$2,000.

Exeter, Sept. 2.—James McNab's hub factory with contents was burned. No insurance.

Freelton, Sept. 2.—Dennis O'Donnell's barn with contents was destroyed by fire. No insurance.

St. Hyacinthe, Sept. 3.—Over four hundred buildings, being the best portion of the city, were consumed by fire. Loss over a million of dollars. The following companies are the principal sufferers: Stadacona, \$60,000; Royal of England, \$50,000; Citizens, \$45,000; Royal Canadian, \$38,000; North British and Mercantile, \$14,000; Liverpool and London, \$13,000; Queen, \$11,000; Agricultural, \$10,000; Imperial, \$5,000; National, \$5,000. A number of other companies are interested for smaller sums.

QUEEN CITY FIRE INS. CO.

The Annual General Meeting of this Company will be held, pursuant to the Act of Incorporation, on

Thursday, the 14th September inst.,
at the hour of 3 o'clock P.M., at the Company's Offices,
ONTARIO HALL, CHURCH ST., TORONTO
By order of the Board.

HUGH SCOTT,
Secretary.

Toronto, Sept. 1, 1876.

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The Equitable Life Assurance
SOCIETY

OF U.S., 120 BROADWAY, N.Y.

H. B. HYDE President.
J. W. ALEXANDER Vice-President.
R. W. GALE, Montreal. . Gen. Man. Dom Can.
HOLLAND & WILSON. . Gen. Managers for Ontario.

Amount of Life Policies in Force Dec. 31, 1875. \$181,029,001
Assets, Dec. 31, 1875. 28,000,000
Surplus to policy holders, Dec. 31, 1875. 4,000,000

In order that an intelligent view may be taken of the unprecedented career and success of the Equitable Society, the public are reminded of several material and significant facts: The Equitable Society was organized in 1850, and after a brilliant career of fifteen years, ranks Third amongst the Life Companies of the world as regards amount of policies in force. The promoters of the Equitable Society adopted, as the principles of its business, the following unassailable features:

All Premiums Payable in Cash.
No Notes Taken, or Credits Given.
All Losses by Death Paid in Cash.
No Deductions from Losses on Account of Notes Taken, or Credits Given.
All Profits Divided Among Assured.
No Gains from Policy-holders Allowed to Stockholders.
Equitable Rights of Policy-holders to be regarded, Rather than Technical Points.
The Greatest Liberality in Dealing, Consistent with Security.

Promptness in Payment of Losses.
Strict Economy in Management of Business.
Founded upon such principles the business of the Equitable Society has been cautiously, but energetically conducted. The Society has accomplished in fifteen years more than six times the amount of business done by the oldest Life Office in England in one hundred and twenty years. The average annual new business done by the Equitable during the past five years is \$44,330,658, which is greater than that of any other Company in existence.

The attention of intending assurers are called to the Tontine Savings Fund plan, now so popular and pronounced by distinguished actuaries and leading business men to possess advantages never before offered to the public.

HOLLAND & WILSON, General Agents for Ontario,
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Erie and Huron Buildings, London.

THE;
ACCIDENT
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OF CANADA.

The only CANADIAN COMPANY solely devoted to Insurance against Accidents, and giving definite Bonus to the Policy-holders.

This Company is not mixed up with Life, Fire, or any other class of Insurance. It is for

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alone, and can therefore transact the business upon the most favourable terms, and a SECURE basis.

It is also the only Company including in its list of Stockholders many prominent Merchants and Capitalists in TORONTO and HAMILTON.

PRESIDENT:

SIR A. T. GALT, K.C.M.G.

MANAGER AND SECRETARY:

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EVANS & RIDDELL, Auditors.

Alexander & Stark, General Agents
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W. H. Campbell, Agent for City of Toronto.

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THE CANADA
GUARANTEE COMPANY

Grant Bonds of Suretyship for Government, Bank, Railway, Municipal and all Officers, and Employees, holding positions of trust.

This Company has been specially approved by the Dominion and Local Governments and is the only one which has received the Government license for the Dominion.

It is not mixed up with any other business. The full Deposit of \$50,000 has been made with Government. This is the only company that has made any deposit for guarantee business.

The capital and funds are solely for the security of those who hold its bonds.

SIR A. T. GALT, President. JOHN RANKIN, Vice-President.

EDWARD RAWLINGS,
MANAGER.

EVANS & RIDDELL, Auditors.

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Hamilton—Seneca Jones.