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19 AND 20 CORNHILL, LONDON, ENGLAND, and
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CAPITAL.....£2,500,000 Stg

MORLAND WATSON & Co., Gen'l Agents for Canada
FRED. COLE, Secretary.

39-41 **W. M. WESTMACOTT, Agent at Toronto**

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Ottawa, July 26, 1873.

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R. S. M. BOUCHETTE,
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Every instrument fully warranted for five years. Send for catalogue containing fifty different styles of Instruments.

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Guelph, Oct. 15, 1872.

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OF HARTFORD.

This Company did a larger amount of business in Canada in the year 1872 than any other Company reporting to the Dominion Government. See Government Returns.

Its Policies are all strictly non-forfeitable

thus doing justice to all, and compelling none to forfeit their payments through inability to continue paying

It furnishes Insurance on all just and equitable Plans.

Its Mutual Rates average lower than any purely Mutual Company.

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Its ratio of expense to income is far below the average.

It is prompt in payment of claims, careful in the selection of risks, and guards with the utmost jealousy the interests of its Policy-holders generally.

It is believed no Company doing business in the country has higher claims upon the public.

Persons desiring information either in regard to Agencies or Insurance, will please address,

JOHN GARVIN,

MANAGER.

Toronto.

Montreal Assurance Company.

INCORPORATED 1840.

CAPITAL (liable to call).....\$720,000
INVESTED FUNDS (approximately)..... 800,000

HEAD OFFICE.....MONTREAL

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Assets	\$20,000,000 00
Annual income, over	9,000,000 00
Total paid Policy-holders in 1872	3,646,289 96
Total surplus 1872.....	2,520,090 17

**All Cash—Purely Mutual—Annual
Dividends.**

The new business of this society during the past four years exceeds that of any other Life Insurance Company in the world.

New Policies in 1872, 12,491, assuring \$51,911,079.
Its leading principles are

Perfect Security & Equity to the Assured

It issues all the most desirable kinds of LIFE AND ENDOWMENT POLICIES, on which Dividends will be paid annually, or on

THE TONTINE PLAN,

First introduced by this Society, and highly recommended and endorsed, not only by the most celebrated experts in Life Insurance, but by the leading business firms of the United States and Canada.

**It receives Premiums and pays losses IN
CASH ONLY.**

It neither receives notes nor pays them out in LIEU OF CASH when its investments become claims.

**All its investments are confined by law to the
most reliable securities.**

The general averages of all State Life Insurance Reports show that in every leading and desirable feature the Society

STANDS IN THE VERY FRONT RANK.

It will be seen by the Dominion Government Report that the Society's

BUSINESS IS STEADILY INCREASING IN CANADA,

and although only established in the country about five years, its business exceeds many of the older established companies, having issued in 1872, 895 Policies, insuring \$2,324,150, being a very little short of the

**Largest Business done by any Company, foreign
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