

## Insurance.

**CITY OF LONDON**  
**FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY,**  
 OF LONDON, ENGLAND.

CAPITAL, £2,000,000, stg.  
 RESERVE FUND, £50,000, stg.  
 Deposited with Gov't at Ottawa, - \$100,000

Quebec Branch: 4 St. Frs. Xavier St., Montreal,  
 J. K. OSWALD, Gen'l Agent.  
 Ontario Branch: 36 Wellington St. E., Toronto,  
 S. F. MAGURN, Gen'l Agent.

Reliable Agents wanted in principal towns throughout Canada.

**GUARDIAN**

*Fire and Life Assurance Company*  
 OF LONDON, ENGLAND.

ESTABLISHED 1821.

Capital - £2,000,000 sterling  
 Invested Funds £2,981,000 sterling  
 Dominion Deposit - \$100,343

Gen. Agents for { ROBT. SIMMS & CO. } Montreal  
 Canada. { GEO. DENHOLM. }

Toronto—THOMPSON & ARMSTRONG, 56 and 58  
 King St. East.

Kingston—R. W. VANDEWATER, Ontario Street.  
 Hamilton—GILLESPIE & POWIS, 20 James St. S.

**SURETYSHIP.****THE GUARANTEE CO.**

Of North America.

CAPITAL, fully subscribed, 700,000  
 PAID UP IN CASH, (no notes) 240,000  
 ASSETS, June 1881, over 280,000  
 DEPOSIT WITH GOV'T 57,000

**THE BONUS SYSTEM**

of this Company renders the Premiums annually  
 reducible until the rate of

One-half per Cent per Annum is reached.

This Company is under the same experienced  
 management which introduced the system to this  
 continent seventeen years ago and has since actively  
 and successfully conducted the business to the satisfaction of its patrons.

Over \$140,000 has been paid in  
 Claims to Employers.

HEAD OFFICE,—260 ST. JAMES ST., MONTREAL.

President: **SIR A. T. GALT, G.O.M.G. EDWARD RAWLINGS.**  
 Manager:

Directors in Toronto:  
 Landed Credit Co.  
 The Hon. J. C. Aikins, Minister of Inland Revenue  
 C. S. Gowans, Esq., Vice-President Ontario Bank.  
 Hon. D. L. Macpherson, President of the Senate.  
 A. B. McMaster, Esq., Merchant.  
 Jas. Mohle, Esq., Director Canadian B'k Commerce.  
 Sir W. F. Howland, C.B., President Ontario Bank.

Agents in Toronto.  
**ALEXANDER & STARK,**

N.B.—This Company's Deposit is the largest made  
 for Guarantee business by any company, and is not  
 liable for the responsibilities of any other risks.

## STOCK AND BOND REPORT.

| NAME.                                 | Shares | Capital<br>Subs'd | Capital<br>paid-up. | Rest.     | Dividend<br>last<br>6 Months | CLOSING PRICES.     |                          |
|---------------------------------------|--------|-------------------|---------------------|-----------|------------------------------|---------------------|--------------------------|
|                                       |        |                   |                     |           |                              | Toronto,<br>Dec. 28 | Cash value<br>per share. |
| British North America.....            | 250    | \$1,866,666       | \$4,866,666         | 1,216,000 | 2 1/2 p.c.                   |                     |                          |
| Canadian Bank of Commerce.....        | 50     | 6,000,000         | 1,400,000           | 4         |                              | 138 1/2             | 138 1/2                  |
| On People.....                        | 50     | 2,000,000         | 1,000,000           | 240,000   | 2                            |                     | 69 57                    |
| Dominion Bank.....                    | 50     | 1,000,000         | 970,250             | 415,000   | 4                            | 186 1/2             | 187 1/2                  |
| Exchange Bank.....                    | 100    | 1,000,000         | 1,000,000           |           | 4                            |                     | 95 25                    |
| Federal Bank.....                     | 100    | 1,000,000         | 1,000,000           | 300,000   | 2 1/2                        | 147 1/2             | 148 1/2                  |
| Hamilton.....                         | 100    | 1,000,000         | 751,550             | 100,000   | 3 1/2                        | 121                 | 121 00                   |
| Imperial.....                         | 100    | 1,000,000         | 1,000,000           | 175,000   | 3 1/2                        | 130                 | 132                      |
| Jacques Cartier.....                  | 50     | 1,000,000         | 960,745             |           |                              |                     | 65.00                    |
| Merchants' Bank of Canada.....        | 100    | 5,798,287         | 5,611,603           | 525,000   |                              |                     |                          |
| Molson Bank.....                      | 100    | 2,000,000         | 2,000,000           | 140,000   | 3                            | 124 1/2             | 124.50                   |
| Montreal.....                         | 200    | 12,000,000        | 11,999,200          | 5,000,000 | 6                            | 194                 | 196                      |
| Maritime.....                         | 100    | 1,000,000         | 664,000             |           | 2                            |                     | 898.00                   |
| Nationale.....                        | 50     | 2,000,000         | 2,000,000           | 150,000   | 2 1/2                        |                     |                          |
| Ontario Bank.....                     | 40     | 8,000,000         | 2,998,196           | 100,000   | 2                            | 60 1/2              | 61 1/2                   |
| Ottawa.....                           | 100    | 600,000           | 600,000             | 16,000    | 3 1/2                        |                     | 24.25                    |
| Quebec Bank.....                      | 100    | 2,500,000         | 2,500,000           | 325,000   | 3                            |                     |                          |
| Standard.....                         | 50     | 509,750           | 509,750             | 25,000    | 3                            | 111 1/2             | 111 1/2                  |
| Toronto.....                          | 100    | 2,000,000         | 2,000,000           | 860,000   | 3 1/2                        |                     | 55 62                    |
| Union Bank.....                       | 100    | 2,000,000         | 1,992,990           | 18,000    | 2                            | 100                 | 100 00                   |
| Eastern Townships.....                | 50     | 1,500,000         | 1,388,855           | 220,000   | 4                            |                     |                          |
| Agricultural Savings & Loan Co.....   | 50     | 600,000           | 456,900             | 98,376    | 4 1/2                        |                     |                          |
| Building & Loan Association.....      | 25     | 750,000           | 743,225             |           |                              | 102 1/2             | 25 62                    |
| Canada Landed Credit Company.....     | 50     | 1,500,000         | 663,900             | 130,000   | 4 1/2                        |                     |                          |
| Canada Perm. Loan & Savings Co.....   | 50     | 2,000,000         | 2,000,000           | 960,000   | 4                            |                     |                          |
| Canada Savings & Loan Co.....         | 50     | 450,000           | 300,200             | 87,501    | 4                            | 2 1/2               | 61.00                    |
| Dominion Sav. & Inv. Society.....     | 50     | 800,000           | 717,250             | 86,000    | 4                            | 123                 | 61.00                    |
| English Loan Co.....                  | 100    | 2,041,100         | 203,556             | 7,900     | 4                            |                     |                          |
| Farmers Loan & Savings Company.....   | 50     | 1,057,250         | 611,430             | 67,642    | 4                            | 121 1/2             | 63.75                    |
| Freehold Loan & Savings Company.....  | 100    | 1,050,400         | 690,080             | 241,500   | 5                            | 105                 | 106.00                   |
| Hamilton Provident & Loan Soc.....    | 100    | 1,000,000         | 867,700             | 150,000   | 4                            | 144                 | 144.00                   |
| Huron & Erie Savings & Loan Soc.....  | 50     | 1,000,000         | 993,150             | 274,000   | 5                            | 154                 | 77.00                    |
| Imperial Loan Society.....            | 50     | 600,000           | 563,950             | 63,000    | 3 1/2                        | 121                 | 61.00                    |
| London & Can. Loan & Agency Co.....   | 50     | 4,000,000         | 560,000             | 183,000   | 5                            | 140 1/2             | 143                      |
| London Loan Co.....                   | 50     | 431,700           | 300,950             | 21,105    | 4 1/2                        |                     | 70.25                    |
| London & Ont. In. Co.....             | 100    | 1,143,500         | 229,300             | 30,800    | 3 1/2                        | 118                 | 118.00                   |
| Montreal Loan & Mortgage Co.....      | 50     | 1,000,000         | 550,000             | 64,000    | 3 1/2                        | 108 108 1/2         | 51.00                    |
| Montreal Building Association.....    | 50     | 1,000,000         | 471,718             | 45,000    |                              | 60                  | 66                       |
| National Investment Co.....           | 100    | 1,460,000         | 292,000             | 15,500    | 3 1/2                        | 110                 | 110 00                   |
| Ontario Loan & Debenture Co.....      | 50     | 1,000,000         | 987,850             | 180,000   | 4                            | 138                 | 68.50                    |
| Ontario Investment Association.....   | 50     | 1,000,000         | 165,000             | 100,000   | 4                            | 136                 | 68.00                    |
| People's Loan Co.....                 | 50     | 500,000           | 447,032             | 24,000    | 3 1/2                        | 107                 | 53.50                    |
| Union Loan & Savings Co.....          | 50     | 1,000,000         | 492,410             | 110,000   | 4                            |                     |                          |
| Western Canada Loan & Savings Co..... | 50     | 1,000,000         | 1,000,000           | 410,000   | 5                            | 183                 |                          |
| Dominion Telegraph Company.....       | 50     | 1,000,000         | 1,000,000           |           | 2 1/2                        | 97                  | 49.50                    |
| Montreal Telegraph Co.....            | 40     | 2,000,000         | 2,000,000           |           | 3                            |                     |                          |
| Toronto Consumers' Gas Co. (old)..... | 50     | 80,000            | 800,000             |           | 5                            | 152 1/2             | 153 1/2                  |

## SECURITIES.

|                                                           | LONDON, ENG. | TORONTO. | MONTREAL. |
|-----------------------------------------------------------|--------------|----------|-----------|
| Canadian Government Debentures 6 1/2 ct. stg. 1881-4..... | 104 1/2      |          |           |
| Do. do. 6 1/2 ct. Inscribd Stock.....                     | 105          |          |           |
| Do. do. 6 1/2 ct. stg., 1885.....                         | 105          |          |           |
| Dominion 5 1/2 ct. stock 1908.....                        | 114          |          |           |
| Do. 7 do. do.....                                         |              |          |           |
| Dominion Bonds, 4 p.c. 1904 Inscribed Stock.....          | 104          |          |           |
| Montreal Harbour bonds 6 p.c.....                         |              |          |           |
| Do. Corporation 5 1/2 ct.....                             | 106          |          |           |
| Do. 5 1/2 ct. 1874.....                                   | 110          |          |           |
| Toronto Corporation 6 1/2 ct., 1897.....                  | 116          |          |           |
| Toronto Corporation 6 1/2 ct. 1904.....                   | 116          |          |           |
| Township Debentures 6 1/2 ct.....                         |              |          | 110       |

## INSURANCE COMPANIES.

ENGLISH—(Quotations on London Market, Dec. 10.)

| No.     | Last Dividend. | NAME OF COMPANY       | Share par val. | Amount Paid. | Last Sale. |
|---------|----------------|-----------------------|----------------|--------------|------------|
| 20,000  | 5              | Briton M. & G. Life   | £10            | £1           |            |
| 50,000  | £1             | C. Union F. L. & M    | 50             | 5            | 24 25      |
| 5,000   | 10             | Edinburgh Life        | 100            | 15           |            |
| 20,000  | 4-10           | Guardian              | 100            | 50           | 72 74      |
| 12,000  | £1 1/2         | Imperial Fire         | 100            | 25           | 153 158    |
| 100,000 | 8              | Lancashire F. & L.    | 20             | 2            | 8 8 1/2    |
| 35,862  | 3              | London Ass. Corp.     | 25             | 124          | 64 66      |
| 10,000  | 1-4            | Lon. & Lancash. I.    | 10             | 27           | 1 1/2      |
| 40,000  | 0-5-0          | Lon. & Lancash. F.    | 25             | 21           | 4 5        |
| 87,504  | 16             | Liv. Lon. & G.F. & L. | 20             | 201          | 20 1/2     |
| 30,000  | 2              | Northern F. & L.      | 100            | 5            | 52 51      |
| 40,000  | 2-5-0          | North Brit. & Mer.    | 50             | 8 1/2        | 66 68      |
| 6,722   | £18            | Phoenix               |                | 335          | 335        |
| 200,000 | 3              | Queen Fire & Life     | 10             | 1            | 3 1/2      |
| 100,000 | 1-2            | Royal Insurance       | 20             | 3            | 284 29     |
| 50,000  | 7 1/2          | Scottish Imp. F. & L. | 10             | 1            | 111-16     |
| 20,000  | 10             | Scot. Prov. F. & L.   | 50             | 3            | 16 5-16    |
| 10,000  | 3-10           | Standard Life         | 50             | 12           | 70 70 1/2  |
| 4,000   | 5              | Star Life             | 25             | 11           | 15         |

## CANADIAN.

| No.    | Last Dividend. | NAME OF COMPANY     | Share par val. | Amount Paid. | Last Sale. |
|--------|----------------|---------------------|----------------|--------------|------------|
| 10,000 | 5-6 mo.        | Brit. Amer. F. & M. | \$50           | \$50         |            |
| 2,500  | 7 1/2          | Canada Life         | 400            | 50           |            |
| 5,000  | 5              | Confederation Life  | 100            | 10           |            |
| 5,000  | 8-12 mo.       | Gen. Mutual Life    | 100            | 134          | \$16       |
| 5,000  | 6-12 mo.       | Sovereign Fire      | 100            | 20           |            |
| 4,000  | 12             | Montreal Assurance  | £50            | £5           |            |
|        | 5              | Royal Canadian      | 100            | 15           | 50 55      |
| 5,000  | 10             | Quebec Fire         | 100            | 65           | 100        |
| 1,065  | 15             | Quebec Marine       | 100            | 40           |            |
| 2,000  | 10             | Queen City Fire     | 50             | 10           |            |
| 20,000 | 15-12 mo.      | Western Assurance   | 40             | 20           | 185        |

## AMERICAN.

| When org'd | No. of Shares | NAME OF Co'y.    | Par. val of Sh's. | Off'd | Ask'd |
|------------|---------------|------------------|-------------------|-------|-------|
| 1858       | 1500          | Etna L. of Hart  | \$ 100            |       |       |
| 1819       | 30000         | Etna F. of Hart  | 100               |       |       |
| 1810       | 10000         | Hartford, of Har | 100               |       |       |
| 1863       | 5000          | Travelers L & C  | 100               |       |       |
| 1858       |               | Phoenix, B'klyn  | 50                |       |       |

## RAILWAYS.

|                                            | Par. val of Sh's. | London Dec. 20. |
|--------------------------------------------|-------------------|-----------------|
| Atlantic and St. Lawrence.....             | £100              | 130             |
| Do. do. 6 1/2 c. stg. m. bds.              | 100               | 105             |
| Canada Southern 3 p.c. 1st Mortgage        |                   | 103             |
| Grand Trunk.....                           | 100               | 16 1/2          |
| New Prov. Certif. issued at 2 1/2          |                   |                 |
| Do. Eq. F. M. Bds. 1 ch. 6 1/2 p.c.        | 100               | 102             |
| Do. Eq. Bonds, 2nd charge                  |                   | 124             |
| Do. First Preference, 5 1/2 p.c.           | 100               | 100 1/2         |
| Do. Second Pref. Stock, 5 1/2 p.c.         | 100               | 76 1/2          |
| Do. Third Pref. Stock, 4 1/2 p.c.          | 100               | 44 1/2          |
| Great Western.....                         | £20 10            | 12              |
| Do. 5 1/2 c. Deb. Stock.....               |                   | 104             |
| Do. 6 1/2 c. Bonds, 1890.....              |                   | 108             |
| International Bridge 6 p.c. Mort. Bds.     |                   | 103             |
| Do. 6 p.c. Mort. Bds. 2nd series           |                   | 103             |
| Midland 5 1/2 c. 1st Pref. Bonds           | 100               | 94              |
| Northern of Can. 6 1/2 c. First Pref. Bds. | 100               | 1 1/2           |
| Do. do. Second do.                         | 100               | 1 1/2           |
| Toronto, Grey & Bruce 6 1/2 c. Bonds       | 100               | 76 1/2          |
| Wellington, Grey & Bruce 7 1/2 c. 1st M.   |                   | 90              |

## EXCHANGE.

|                          | Toronto | Montreal |
|--------------------------|---------|----------|
| Bank of London, 60 days  |         |          |
| Gold Drafts do. on sight |         |          |
| American Silver          |         |          |