

THE FIRE LOSS of the United States and Canada for the month of March, as compiled from the daily records of the New York "Commercial Bulletin," shows a total of \$15,036,250. The following comparative table shows the losses by months during the first quarter of 1889, 1900 and 1901. The figures for the first three months of this year compare as follows with the same period in 1899 and 1900:

	1901.	1900.	1899.
January	\$16,574,050	\$11,755,300	\$10,718,000
February	13,992,000	15,477,000	18,469,000
March	15,036,250	13,349,200	11,493,000
Totals	\$45,603,200	\$40,531,500	\$40,680,000

NOTICE OF TENDERS FOR DEBENTURES.

TENDERS will be received at the office of the undersigned at the Town of Woodstock, in the County of Carleton, N.B., up to twelve o'clock noon on the first day of May next for an issue of Debentures of the Municipality of the County of Carleton, amounting to TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS, with interest at four per cent., payable semi-annually. Said Debentures to be payable ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS per year for the next ten years, the same being issued under authority of the Act passed by the General Assembly of the Province of New Brunswick at its last Session.

Dated at Woodstock, N.B., this eighth day of April, A.D. 1901.

J. C. HARTLEY,
Sec.-Treas. Municipality of Carleton.

"The Oldest Scottish Fire Office"

CALEDONIAN

Insurance Co. of Edinburgh

FUNDS OVER \$1000,000.

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Lansing Lewis,
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THE ONTARIO
MUTUAL LIFE

A Company
OF POLICYHOLDERS
BY POLICYHOLDERS
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AMOUNT OF NEW BUSINESS

Paid for (taken) in 1900
\$4,671,712.00, being the
largest volume secured
in the Dominion by any Can-
adian Life Company for the year ending December 31st, 1900.

Beginning the New Century by leading all its competitors, old and young, among native Life Companies in New business for the past year, is a record of which any Company might feel honestly proud.

ROBERT MELVIN, GEO. WEGENAST, W. H. RIDDELL,
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"STRONGEST IN THE WORLD"

THE EQUITABLE LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY

OF THE UNITED STATES.

January 1 1901.

Assets	\$304,593,063
Assurance Fund and all other Liabilities	238,460,893
Surplus	66,137,170
Outstanding Assurance	1,116,875,047
New Assurance	207,086,243
Income	58,007,131

J. W. ALEXANDER, President

J. H. HYDE, Vice President.

MONTREAL OFFICE: 157 St. James Street.

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FIRE. LIFE. MARINE.

COMMERCIAL UNION

Assurance Company Ltd. of London, Eng.

Capital and Assets, - - - - \$82,500,005
Life Fund (in special trust for Life Policy Holders) 8,548,530
Total Annual Income, - - - 8,170,190
Deposited with Dominion Government, - 586,000

HEAD OFFICE CANADIAN BRANCH:

1731 Notre Dame Street, - MONTREAL

J. MCGREGOR Manager

Applications for Agencies solicited in unrepresented districts.

WANTED

The National Life Assurance Company of Canada wants a special agent for the City of Montreal, and an Inspector of Agencies for the Province of Quebec. References required, with full particulars regarding present occupation and business ability. Apply to Head Office, Temple Building, Toronto, Ontario.