#### MONTREAL TELEGRAPH CO'Y.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders, will be held at the Company's Office, in Montreal,

On Friday, the 12th day of Yanuars next,

At One o'clock p.m., to elect Directors for the enquisig year, and generally to transact the business of the Comралу.

## A DIVIDEND OF FIVE PER CENT.

For the half-year ending 30th November, has been declared upon the Capital Sto.k and will be payable at the Offices of the Company, on and after Friday, 12th of Ianuary.

The Transfer Books will be closed from 30th December till after the General Meeting

By order of the Board.

JAMES DAKERS.

Secretary

December 29.

Insolvent Act of 1869, And Amendments thereto.

In the matter of John H. Campbell, of Schomberg, an Insolvent.

A first and final Dividend Sheet has been prepared, open to objection until the twenty-second day of January instant, after which Dividend will be paid.

Dated at Toronto this 3rd day of January, A D. 1872. THOMAS CLARKSON,

Official Assignee.

#### INSOLVENT ACT OF 1869, AND AMENDMENTS THERETO.

In the matter of John Somers, of the City of Toronto, Retail Grocer, an Insolvent.

The Insolvent has made an assignment of his Estate to me, and the Creditors are notified to meet at my offices, Nos. 7 and 8, Merchant's Exchinge, Wellington Street, Toronto, on Friday, the nineteenth (19th) day of January instant, at one o'clock in the afternoon, to receive statements of his affairs, and to appoint an assignment.

THOMAS CLARKSON. Interim Assignee.

Dated at the City of Toronto, this 3rd day of January, A.D. 1872.

## Insolvent Act of 1869.

Canada, Province of Ontario, County of York. In the County Court of the County of York.

In the matter of David Thompson, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the seventh day of February next, the undersigned will apply to the Judge of the said court for a discharge under the said Act.

Date at Toronto this and day of January, A.D. 1871.

DAVID THOMPSON.

by D. MITCHELL McDONALD.

his Attorney ad litem

#### INSOLVENT ACT OF 1869, And Amendments thereto.

Canada, Province of Ontario. County of York. In the County Court of the County of York.

In the matter of Wm. R. Roberts, an Insolvent.

The undersigned has filed in the office of this Court a deed of composition and discharge, executed by his creditors; and on Tuesday, the sixth day of February, A.D. 1872, he will apply to the Judge of the said court for a confirmation of the discharge thereby effected.

W. R. ROBERTS. 100to, January 4, 1872.

## Western Assurance Company.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Dividend at the rate of

Fifteen per cent. per annum,

Has been this day declared upon the paid-up capital stock of this Company, and that the same w.ll be payable at the Company's Office, on and after

Thursday, the 4th day of January next.

The transfer books will be closed from the 26th to the 31st inst., both days inclusive.

By order of the Board.

BERNARD HALDAN. Managing Director.

Western Assurance Company's Office, Toronto, 19th Dec., 1871.

#### Notice.

## BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION.

The general Annual Meeting of Shareholders for the election of Directors for the ensuing year, and for other general purposes relating to the management of this Association, will be held at the offices of the Association, 36 King Street East, Toronto, on Tuesday, the 6th day of February, 1872, at two o'clock, p. m. ISAAC C. GILMOR,

Secretary and Treasurer.

Toronto, Dec. 26, 1871.

## CANADA PACIFIC RAILWAY.

Notice is hereby given, that an application will be made to the Parliament of Canada, at its next Session, for an Act to incorporate the Canada Pacific Railway Courget for the purpose of constructing and working a railway from Lake Nipissing or some other point in the Province of Ontario, connecting with the railway system of Canada to Fort Garry or Winnipeg in the Province of Manitoba, thence westerly through such pass of the Rocky Mountains in Canadian Territory as may be found practicable, to Bute Inlet, or some other point on the seaboard of the Pacific Ocean, in the Province of British Columbia (with power to extend to Victoria or some other point in Vancouvers Island, if found advisable); together with branch lines from near Winnipeg River to the Lake of the Woods, and from Fort Garry or Winnipeg, aforesaid, to Pembina, or such other point or place on the boundary of the Province of Manitoba, as may connect with the railway system of the United States. system of the United State ALFRED WADDINGTON.

Ottawa, Dec 2, 1871.

#### E. FORD,

## STOCK AND SHARE BROKER, (Member of the Stock Exchange,)

83 St. Francois Xavier Street, Montreal.

Stocks, Shares, Bonds, Debentures, and all classes of negotiable securities, bought and sold on commission.

## MONTREAL ASSURANCE CO'Y.

Notice is hereby given that a DIVIDEND OF TWELVE PER CENT. upon the paid-up capital of the Company for the past year has been declared this day, and will be pay-able at its office in this city on and afte. Friday, the 29th

Also, declared this day, and will be paid at the same time and place, a Bonus of Five per Cent. on the subscribed capital of the Company.

By order of the Board.

A. MURRAY, Manager. 6m

Montreal, Dec. 20, 1871.

#### Mercantile.

## Parson Bros.,

PETROLEUM REFINERS, AND WHOLFSALE Dealers in Lamps, Chimneys, etc. Warerooms, 51
Front St.; Refinery, cor. River and Don Sts., Toronto.

Sessions, Turner & Cooper,

MANUFACTURERS, IMPORTERS & WHOLE sale Dealers in Boots and Shees, Leather Findings etc. Warehouse, Front St., and next door to that of Jas

John Beard,

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## Insurance

## LONDON AND LANCASHIRE Life Assurance Company.

Chief Office-Leadenhall St., Cornhill, London. Canada Branch, Head Office, 235 St. James' St. Montreal.

Deposited at Ottawa, for the Exclusive Benefit of Canadian Policy-Holders, the sum of \$100,000.

BOARD OF DIRECTION.—Wm. Workman, Esq., President, City Bank; Alex. M. Delisle, Esq.; Collector of Customs. Charles L. Leblanc, Esq. The next valuation is appointed by the deed to tak: place at the end of 1872, and all policies on the books of the Company, at that date, entitled to participate, will share in the division of profits. Copies of the Report with statement of the investment can be had on application to any officer or agrees of the Company. office or agency of the Company.
WILLIAM ROBERTSON,

CAPT. R. THOMAS. Manager for Canada. Agent for Toronto.

## Canada Farmers' Mutual Insurance Company.

HEAD OFFICE,..... HAMILTON, ONTARIO,

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Houses. Has been seventeen years in operation.
THOMAS STOCK,

RICHARD P. STREET, Secretary and Treasurer.

## BEAVER AND TORONTO

Mutual Fire Insurance Company.

Office, Bank of Toronto Buildings, Wellington Street.

ber of Policies issued to Oct., 1871 - -Picinium Note Capital, over

C. E. CHADWICK, Ingersoll, President.
D. THURSTON, Teronto, Vice-Praident.
S. THOMPSON, Managing Director.

#### CLASS OF PROPERTY INSURED.

#### Mercantile Branch.

Al procerty of a class not specially hazardous will be insured by this Company, including Stores and their contents, Dwelling Houses (not included in the Farmers' Branch) and their contents, and Ci y. Town, and Village Property general y. Also Country Stores, Taverns Flour Mil s, &c, &c, &c. The rates of Insurance will be on the lowest scale of Mutual Insurance Companies.

Parties insured in either Branch are exempt by law from all liability for losses sus ained in the other branch. Cost of Insurance in this branch averages about two-

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W. T. O'REILLY, H. HANCOCK, Joint Secretaries.

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