

ST. VALENTINE'S DAY.



EXPECTATION.



DISAPPOINTMENT.

STATEMENT BY THE LIFE ASSOCIATION OF SCOTLAND in terms of Canadian Act respecting Insurance Companies 31 Victoria, Cap. 47, Sec. 15, Form D.:-

1. Total Premiums received or receivable in Canada during year ending 5th April, 1869—the date of the last balance.....	\$ 127,048.48
NOTE.—These are the total full annual premiums stipulated in the Policies in force at the end of the year, as mentioned under head 3. below. Any Cash Bounties or Profits paid, or allowed to the Policy-Holders for the year, have not been deducted.	
2. Number and Amount of Policies issued or issuable in Canada during the year.....	\$ 592,702.01
3. Amount at risk in total Policies in force in Canada at 5th April, 1869—that is, the sums assured by said Policies are.....	\$3,886,382.42
4. Number and Amount of Policies that have become claims in Canada during the year.....	\$ 25,255.36
5. Amount of these and previous losses in Canada paid during the year....	\$ 31,686.69
6. Amount of Claims in Canada in suspense at 5th April, 1869—that is, not proved or not yet payable (but all since paid).....	\$ 5,526.65
7. Losses in Canada, the payment of which is resisted.....	NONE.

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Montreal, January, 1870. 14d

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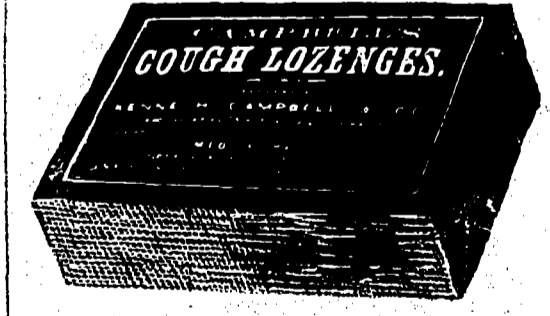
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The Commissioners also give Public Notice that having annulled the Contracts for Sections Nos. 3 and 4, they are now prepared to receive Tenders for re-letting the same. Section No. 3 is in the Province of New Brunswick, and extends from Station No. 370, about two miles South of the Restigouche River to Station No. 100, about 2000 feet South of Bel River, near Dalhousie, being a distance of about 2 1/2 miles. Section No. 4 is in the Province of Nova Scotia, and extends from Station No. 23, on the Amherst Ridge to Station 0, on the Ridge, about a mile North of the River Phillip, a distance of about 2 1/2 miles. The contracts for Sections Nos. 3 and 4 to be completely finished and ready for laying the track by the 1st day of July 1871.

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