12½c. Eggs are very firm at 20c. per doz. for fresh and 18c. for pickled. Dried apples dull at 5c.; evaporated, 8 to 8½c.

SEEDS.—The fall trade in this line being over, there will be no movement in hay seeds till some hard weather comes. We have no quotations of clover and timothy to offer, therefore. The American markets have been excited, and red clover advanced, over there, \$1.00 per bushel in September, falling back, however, 50 cents since. There is only an occasional car of flax seed moving at \$2.50 to 2.60.

SALT.—Liverpool coarse is in fair supply, and apparently not yet affected by the salt combination in England; we still quote 75 to 80c.; Canadian steady at 90c. to \$1.00 per barrel. There is a good supply of dairy on hand at unaltered prices.

Wool.—The market cannot be called active There have been small sales of pulled super, at 22c., while dealers are willing to pay 21c. Extra is scarce, with more demand for it than for any other grade. Fleece moves but sluggishly at about our quotations.

#### NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

That application will be made to the Legislature of the Province of Ontario at the next session thereof, for an Act to empower the President of the Board of Trade of the City of Toronto, or Chairman of the Board of Arbitrators of the said Board of Trade or Chairman of any Arbitration Committee thereof, to issue subpenas and compel the attendance of witnesses, and to provide that any award made by the Arbitrators of the said Board of Trade may be filed and entered in the High Court of Justice as a judgment thereof, and to confer upon the said Board of Trade, and Officers thereof, such other powers as may be necessary for the purposes aforesaid, and to give more scope to the proceedings of the said Board of Trade, and further powers to them with regard to arbitrations and enforcing awards.

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Out of earned profits, and carried forward a substantial balance to the current year. They have trebled their sales during the past three years, and the demand for the quality of iron made is such that the works are now taxed to their utmost. In order to take advantage of the large business now offering

The Capital Stock has been increased to \$100,000-\$28,000 of which is now for sale,

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for the year 1887 has been in every way satisfactory, showing in all its essential features a continuation of the steady progress which has gone on from its inception in 1870 up to the present time.

Compared with the two preceding years, the following items of last year's account show up to good advantage:-

		1885.		1886.	1887.
	No. of policies issued			1,977	2.181
	Amount of policies issued	1,867,960	00	\$2,565,750 00	\$ 2,716,041 00
ı	No. of polities in force	6,381		7,448	8,605
	Amount of policies in force	8,259,361	71	\$9,774,543 38	\$11,081,080 38
	Total cash income	273,446	85	319.273 98	356.104 80
	Total assets	753.661	87	909.489 73	1,089,448 27
	Reserve held	695,601	36	802.167 24	1,004,505 64
ì	Death claims paid	76,836	00	54,250 00	60,156 00
	Matured Endowments paid	1,000	00		3,150 00

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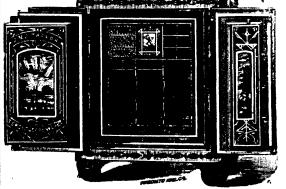
- 1. Guaranteed surrender values in cash or paid-up insurance.
- 2. One month's grace for payment of premiums.
- 3. No restriction on travel or occupation.
- 4. Policies indisputable after three years.
- 5 Lapsed policies may be revived within twelve months of lapse.
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