

CANADA LIFE ASSURANCE CO.

The Directors are now able to announce that the business of the year, ending 30th April last, has exceeded all previous experience.

The New Assurances offered were for \$5,230,997 of which \$372,000 were declined and \$4,858,997 accepted.

New business accepted year ending 30th April.

1885.....	\$4,858,997
1884.....	\$2,408,029
1883.....	\$4,778,734
1882.....	\$4,397,165
1881.....	\$4,410,666
1880.....	\$4,222,833

BEING A YEARLY AVERAGE OF UPWARDS OF $4\frac{1}{2}$ MILLIONS.

J. W. MARLING, Manager Prov. of Quebec.

A. C. RAMSAY, Managing Director.

THE STANDARD LIFE ASSURANCE CO.

ESTABLISHED 1825

HEAD OFFICE:

EDINBURGH, SCOTLAND. AND MONTREAL, CANADA.

Holders of Policies in this Company are permitted to do Military Service in the North-West without extra charge.

W. M. RAMSAY, Manager, Canada.

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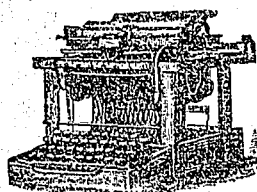
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Established in 1782. Canadian Branch Established in 1861.

Losses paid, since the establishment of the Company, have exceeded..... \$70,000,000
Balance held in hand, for payment of Fire Losses only, exceeds.. 3,000,000
LIABILITY OF SHAREHOLDERS UNLIMITED.
Deposit with the Dom. Govt., for the security of Policy Holders in Canada, Upwards of..... \$140,000

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ROBERT W. TYRE, - - - - - Manager.

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SPECIAL AGENTS

for the City and District of Montreal.

GUARDIAN Fire and Life Assurance Co. OF ENGLAND.

ESTABLISHED 1821.

Paid-up Capital, One Million Pounds Stg.

Total Funds	\$19,000,000
Annual Income,	\$3,500,000
Invested in Canada for Sole Protection of Canadian Fire Policy-holders,	\$100,000

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The Journal of Commerce

FINANCE AND INSURANCE REVIEW.

MONTREAL, JULY 17, 1885.

THE FISHERY QUESTION.

The papers and correspondence bearing on the recent arrangement regarding the fisheries have been laid before Parliament, but they throw no new light on the subject. It is to be regretted that some of the writers for the press in the Maritime Provinces are using all their efforts to produce dissatisfaction, resorting, as is too frequently the case, to the grossest misrepresentation of facts. An arrangement, which is of the most temporary nature, and which has been made for the few months of the present fishing season, on the distinct pledge of the Executive of the United States that measures shall be recommended for determining the respective rights of both nations, is denounced by the Halifax