

THE MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW YORK.

RICHARD McCURDY, - - - President.

Assets, - - - - \$108,908,967.51.

When asked to insure in other Companies,

REMEMBER THESE IMPORTANT FACTS:

1. It is the oldest active Life Insurance Company in America.
 2. It is the largest Life Insurance Company by many millions of dollars in the world.
 3. It has no Stockholders to claim any part of its profits.
 4. It offers no schemes under the name of Insurance for speculation among its members.
 5. Its present available Cash Resources exceed those of any other Life Insurance Company in the world.
- It has received in Cash from Policyholders since its organization in 1843,

\$285,761,485.

It has returned to them, in Cash, over

\$230,000,000.

Its payments to Policyholders in 1885 were

\$14,402,049.

Surplus, by the legal standard of the State of New York, over

\$13,000,000.

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120 BROADWAY, - - NEW YORK.

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ASSETS, Jan. 1st, 1886.. \$66,553,887.50

LIABILITIES, 4 per cent.

Valuation 52,691,148.87

SURPLUS, \$13,862,239.13

(Surplus on N. Y. Standard, 4 1/2 per cent.
interest, \$17,495,329.40.)

Surplus over Liabilities, on every standard of valuation, larger than that of any other life assurance company.

New Assurance in 1885.. \$ 96,011,378.00

Outstanding Assurance .. 357,338,246.00

Total Paid Policy-Holders

in 1885 7,138,689.05

Paid Policy-Holders since

Organization 88,211,175.63

Income 16,590,053.13

Improvement During the Year.

Increase of Premium In-

come \$1,430,349.00

Increase of Surplus 3,378,622.03

Increase of Assets 8,391,461.96

New Assurance written in 1883, the largest business ever transacted by the Society or by any other company in a single year; the business of 1884 three millions over that of 1883, and that of 1885 eleven millions over that of 1884.

Skillful Life Insurance Agents can do more business for the Equitable than for any other company, and consequently can earn more money for themselves. Interviews and correspondence invited.

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CHEESE IN UTICA.

Our table, says the Utica Herald, shows the gradual shrinkage that has taken place in two years—nearly one-half in both the receipts and exports, and nearly one-third in price. This is a heavy falling off in two years, but in reality it represents only the depreciation that has taken place in all other classes of farm produce. Dairymen cannot expect that their goods are to maintain former prices if everything else is lower. There must be a relative shrinkage all round. The decrease in exports follows the decrease in receipts, and everybody knows that the latter is caused this year by the late date at which our factories opened.

Altho' the reports from New York are that the market closed weak on Saturday, it is allowed that the stock is well cleaned up, and that even more could have been sold if it had been obtainable.

Following is our usual table of quotations:

	Receipts.	Exp.	Cable.	Fr'gt.	Price
May 24, 1884..	45,013	34,096	63/	25/	11 1/2c.
May 23, 1885..	33,783	26,653	52/	20/	8 1/2c.
May 22, 1886..	24,218	18,518	45/	35/	8 1/2c.

TORONTO PRICES CURRENT.

(CONTINUED.)

Sawn Lumber, Inspected, B. W.

Clear pine, 1 1/2 in. or over, per M	\$36 00	38 00
Pickings, 1 1/2 in. or over	26 00	28 00
Clear & pickings, 1 in	25 00	28 00
Flooring, 1 1/2 & 1 1/4 in	14 00	15 00
Dressing	15 00	16 00
Ship, culls stks & sids	11 00	12 00
Joists and Scantling	11 50	12 00
Clapboards, dressed	12 50	00 00
Shingles, XXX, 16 in.	2 40	2 50
" XX	1 40	1 60
Lath	1 90	2 00
Spruce	10 00	13 00
Hemlock	9 00	10 00
Tamarac	12 00	14 00

Hard Woods—P. M. ft. B. W.

Birch, No. 1 and 2	\$17 00	20 00
Maple, "	16 00	18 00
Cherry, "	60 00	75 00
Ash, white, "	24 00	28 00
" black, "	16 00	18 00
Elm, soft "	12 00	14 00
" rock "	18 00	00 00
Oak, white, No. 1 and 2	25 00	30 00
" red or grey	18 00	20 00
Balm of Gilead, No. 1 & 2	13 00	15 00
Chestnut	25 00	30 00
Walnut, 1 in. No. 1 & 2	40 00	50 00
Butternut	28 00	00 00
Hickory, No. 1 & 2	16 00	18 00
Basewood	30 00	40 00
Whiteoak, "	30 00	40 00

Fuel, &c.

Coal, Hard, Egg	\$ 5 75	
" Stove	6 00	
" Nut	6 00	
" Soft Blossburg	5 50	0 00
" Briarhill	5 50	
Wood, Hard, best uncut	4 50	5 50
" " 2nd quality, uncut	3 50	4 00
" " cut and split	4 50	6 00
" Pine, uncut	4 00	
" " cut and split	5 00	
" " slabs	3 00	4 00

Hay and Straw.

Hay, Loose Timothy	\$11 00	14 00
" Clover	8 00	11 00
Straw, bundled oat	9 00	12 00
" loose	7 00	8 00
Baled Hay, first-class	12 00	13 00
" " second-class	10 00	11 00

LIVERPOOL PRICES.

May 27th, 1886.

	S.	D.
Wheat, Spring	7	2
" Red Winter	7	2
" White	00	0
Corn	4	3 1/2
Peas	5	5
Lard	31	6
Pork	51	9
Bacon, long clear	28	6
" short clear	29	6
Tallow	23	0
Cheese	44	0

CHICAGO PRICES.

By Telegraph, May 20th, 1886.

	Breadstuffs.	Per Bush.
Wheat, No. 2 Spring, spot	\$ 74 1/2	
" " June	74 1/2	75
Corn	35 1/2	
Oats	28 1/2	
Barley	28 1/2	

Hog Products.

Mess Pork	\$ 8 37 1/2	0 00
Lard, tierces	5 92 1/2	0 00
Short Ribs	5 27 1/2	0 00
Hams	0 00	0 00
Bacon, long clear	0 00	0 00
" short clear	5 55	0 00

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