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ESTABLISHED 1824.

Assets over . . . \$13,000,000

Head Office—MANCHESTER, ENG.
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JAS. BOOMER, Manager.

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The Dominion Life Assurance Co.

Head Office, Waterloo, Ont.

Established 1889

The year 1899 was the best the Dominion ever had.
It Gained in the Year:

In amount assured, 23.13 per cent.
In cash premium income, 27.64 per cent.
In interest receipts, 21.43 per cent.
In assets, 19.59 per cent.
Its interest receipts have more than paid all death losses from the beginning.
Separate branches for abstainers and women.
Amount in Force Jan'y 1st, 1901, \$3,646,836.
JAMES INNES, ex-M.P., CHR. KUMPF, Esq.,
President. Vice-President
THOMAS HILLIARD, Managing Director.
J. F. MARTIN, Supt. of Agencies.

Millers' and Manufacturers' Insurance Co.

ESTABLISHED
1885.

Head Office,
Queen City Chambers, Church
Street, Toronto.

DIRECTORS:
JAS. GOLDIE, Pres. L. SPINK, Vice-Pres.
TOS. WALMSLEY, Treas. SCOTT, Mgr. and Sec.
Adam Austi

This Company was organized in 1885, specially for the purpose of insuring manufacturing industries, warehouses and contents.
The primary object being to give protection against loss by fire at a minimum cost consistent with absolute security.
The system adopted has been to inspect all risk before acceptance and fix the rate to be exacted equitably in accordance with the hazard assumed.

Assurers with this company have made rates, upwards of \$108,000.00 on the current rates charged, in addition to which, on the shares exacted by us, dividends have been distributed to policyholders amounting to over \$24,000.00, together, making the very substantial sum of over \$132,000.00 that our policyholders have saved during the eleven years we have been in operation.

As no canvassers are employed dealing directly with the assured, those desiring to avail themselves of the advantages thus offered will please address
Millers' and Manufacturers' Insurance Co.,
Church Street, Toronto Ont.

loss. They are also reported to have quoted 68c. for boiled linseed, though instructions from Montreal houses to Toronto brokers to buy up all they could at that figure brought little results. The London quotation is now cabled £28 ios., the ton, and local prices are up to 73c. and 76c. for jobbing lots of raw and boiled, respectively. Following are quotations: Single barrels, raw and boiled linseed oil, respectively, 73 and 76c. per gallon, for one to four barrel lots; 5 to 9 barrels, 72 and 75c.; net, 30 days, or 3 per cent. for four months' terms. Turpentine, one to four barrels, 77c.; five to nine barrels, 76c.; net 30 days. Olive oil, machinery, 90c.; Cod oil, 37½ to 40c. per gal.; steam refined seal, 47½ to 50c. per gallon; Castor oil, 8 to 8¼c. in quantity; tins, 9 to 9¼c.; machinery castor oil, 7½ to 8c.; Leads, (chemically pure and first-class brands only), \$6.75; No. 1, \$6.37½; No. 2, \$6; No. 3, \$5.62½; No. 4, \$5.25; dry white lead, 5½ to 6c. for pure; No. 1, ditto, 5c.; genuine red ditto, 5c.; No. 1, red lead, 4½ to 4¾c.; Putty, in bulk, bbls., \$1.75; kegs, \$1.90; bladder putty, in bbls., \$1.90; smaller quantities, \$2.05; 25-lb. tins, \$2.15; 12½-lb. tins, \$2.40. London washed whiting, 60c.; Paris white, 75 to 82c.; Venetian red, \$1.50 to \$1.75; yellow ochre, \$1.25 to \$1.50; spruce ochre, \$1.75 to \$2; Window glass, \$2 per 50 feet for first break; \$2.10 for second break.

WOOL.—No active business is reported, but there is rather more enquiry, and sales of some moderate sample lots are reported at 22 to 26c. for Capes and Natal, and 40 to 50c. for B.A., scoured. Dealers claim that the market has rather a firmer tone the past week or so, and are inclined to exact a little better prices. The next London series of sales opens May 8th, with offerings of 250,000 bales. A cargo of 1,000 bales of Cape is afloat for this market.

TORONTO MARKETS.

Toronto, 26th April, 1900.

DRUGS.—Trade is good and steady. We have no changes to make in our Prices Current this week.

FLOUR AND MEAL.—Conditions are similar to those of last week. Flour is steady, while the demand for bran and shorts is not so strong. Prices are not changed.

GRAIN.—There is nothing very new or striking in this department. Wheat is quiet and unchanged. As to barley, the malting season is about over, and there is little doing; prices remain the same. Corn is weaker, but owing to the shortness of crop, prices are not likely to show any appreciable change. Oats we find dull, but still at the same figures. Peas are strong and a cent higher. Germany is taking a considerable part of the small remainder of buckwheat, and it is up a cent a bushel.

GROCERIES.—Like other trades, and especially those handling heavy materials, the teamsters' strike has had its effect on the Toronto grocery trade. This happens at a time when business is particularly good, North-West demands almost taxing the capacity. There is little change in prices. The weakness in canned toma-

LIVERPOOL PRICES

Liverpool, Apr. 26, 12.30 p.m.

	s.	d.
Wheat, Spring	5	11½
Red Winter	6	1
No. 1 Cal	6	5
Corn new	4	1½
" old	4	3½
Peas	5	9
Lard	36	3
Pork	67	6
Bacon, heavy	42	0
Bacon, light	42	6
Tallow	28	0
Cheese, new white	59	6
Cheese new colored	63	0

The Mutual Life Insurance Com'y of New York

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INSURANCE AND ANNUITIES
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THOMAS MERRITT,
MANAGER.

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WATERLOO MUTUAL FIRE INS. CO.

ESTABLISHED IN 1863.

HEAD OFFICE. WATERLOO, ONT.

Total Assets 31st Dec., 1899 \$349,734 71
Policies in Force in Western Ontario over 18 000 00

GEORGE RANDALL, President. JOHN SHUH, Vice-President

FRANK HAIGHT, Manager. JOHN KILLER, Inspector

62nd YEAR

THE "GORE"

FIRE INSURANCE CO.

Head Office, GALT, ONT.

Total Losses Paid..... \$1,932,419 89
Total Assets 407,233 07
Cash and Cash Assets ... 230,360 27

Both Cash and Mutual Plans

PRESIDENT, HON. JAMES YOUNG
VICE-PRESIDENT, A. WARNOCK, Esq.
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The Great-West Life Assurance Co.

The most progressive company
in Canada, with its Head
Office in the most progressive
city in Canada—Winnipeg.

Has an Income of over
\$1,000 per day.

THE GREAT-WEST LIFE ASSURANCE CO.
with its Head Office in Winnipeg, has not found it necessary to increase its premium rates on account of diminished interest earnings.
Insurance in Force \$10,263,259 00
Applications Received in 1899. 3,310,750 00