

CATHOLIC PARLIAMENTARY REPRESENTATION

Editorial: The House of Commons has elected a Catholic member of the House of Commons, and your editorial in regard to his speech on the contingent fund will be read with interest by many of his fellow countrymen.

The initiative that you thus hold out to us is a most timely one. We are not only a political party, but a religious community, and we must strive to attract that portion of the population to whom our work is especially addressed.

As may be seen from the eighteenth annual meeting of the shareholders of the Federal Life Assurance Company of Canada, which opens in this issue of the Register, this Company makes an excellent showing and one highly interesting to policy holders or to those who are contemplating taking out insurance policies.

The securing of the special act of incorporation from the Parliament of Canada has increased the Company's investments in the other Provinces, thus enlarging the sphere of action much to the Company's advantage.

At the 37th annual general meeting of this company, held on the 14th of March, 1900, at the Church of St. George, Toronto, and of which a detailed report appears in another column of this Register, the report of the Directors and the Financial Statements were read and adopted.

The special mention of the Company's financial work for the past year is the subject of the report of the Board of Directors, which is published in this issue of the Register.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE FEDERAL LIFE

The eighteenth annual meeting of the shareholders of the Federal Life Assurance Company of Canada was held at the headquarters of the company, in Hamilton, on March 14, 1900.

The securities have been inspected and compared with the ledger accounts and found to agree therewith. The financial position of your company, as on Dec. 31, is indicated by the accompanying statement.

ALCOHOLISM.

A New Home Care—Rev. Father Quillman's Tribute. TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.—The good points of Mr. Dixon's New Discovery for the cure of the Lacer Habit in my opinion are the following.

ST. MARY'S C. L. AND ASSOCIATION OFFERS.

The Athletic Committee of the Association are hard at work on the personnel of the baseball team which is to represent the Association in the Senior League for the coming season.

EIGHTEENTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE Federal Life Assurance Company of Canada.

The eighteenth annual meeting of the shareholders of the Federal Life Assurance Company of Canada was held at the headquarters of the company, in Hamilton, on March 14, 1900.

The directors have pleasure in submitting for the information and approval of the shareholders the following report of the business of the company, together with a statement of receipts and disbursements for the year which closed on Dec. 31, 1900.

The gross income of the company shows a gratifying increase over previous years, and the addition of \$10,877.30 to the total assets is especially noticeable, the total assets having risen to \$1,000,000.00, exclusive of guarantee capital.

The accompanying certificate from the auditors vouches for the correctness of the statements submitted herewith. All accounts, securities and vouchers in re have been examined by them.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT, 1899. Premium income \$ 98,000.00 Interest and annuities \$ 41,052.60 Total \$ 139,052.60

THE CANADIAN BAPTIST.

"It is a pity that College students in Montreal are not better behaved than they have shown themselves to be by the outrageous last week. This McGill man proved themselves to be aggressors, and their conduct is not only excused, they have succeeded in stirring up race racial hatred in a way that can be alleged in a court of law on a charge of assault."

"The poor man looked at me and quickly answered: 'Sure, Christ was never long ago. He's always with us, here.'"

The Western Canada Loan and Savings Company

The annual general meeting of this company was held on Monday, 12th March, 1900, at 10 o'clock in the afternoon.

Thirty-Seventh Annual Report of the Directors

The directors have to lay before the shareholders their thirty-seventh annual report for the year ending 31st December, 1899. The business of the company during the past year has been very satisfactory.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

LIABILITIES AND ASSETS. LIABILITIES: Capital stock \$1,000,000.00 Reserve fund \$170,965.10

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT.

Cost of Management, viz. Salaries, Rent, Inspection and Valuation, Office Expenses, Branch Office, Agents' Commissions, Auditors' Fees, etc. \$48,774.74

HE KNEW.

Miss Margaret Stokes, who is an authority on Irish antiquities, has listed all the places in the West of Ireland that are dedicated to St. Fearag.

company entering the administration of the estate of the late John J. O'Connell, deceased.

Renfrew's Spring Hats

The latest styles in Silk and Felt. Sole Agents in Toronto for Scott & Co., the celebrated English makers.

SHOW ROOMS open at all seasons. Holt, Renfrew & Co., 25 & 26 Dundas St. West, Toronto.

THE YORK COUNTY Loan and Savings Company

BEST SYSTEM for accumulating money. Head Office—Confederation Life Building, Toronto.

THE EXCELSIOR LIFE INSURANCE CO.

Our Annual Report for 1899 shows as the result of the year's operations the following: Substantial Increase in the important items shown below.

THE WESTERN ASSURANCE COMPANY

INCORPORATED 1851. CAPITAL - 2,000,000. FIRE and MARINE. HEAD OFFICE - TORONTO, ONT.

National Trust Company LIMITED.

Capital, \$1,000,000. Incorporated in Ontario. Head Office - Toronto, Ont.

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