

REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS

OF THE

Liverpool and London

FIRE AND LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

To the Twenty-sixth Annual General Meeting of the Proprietors, held pursuant to the Provisions of the Deed of Settlement, on the 13th day of February, 1862, in the Public Sales' Room, Liverpool and London Chambers, Liverpool.

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The events of the year 1861 have pressed with unusual severity on the interests and resources of Fire Insurance Companies. That pressure, however, has demonstrated that the ability of those institutions is equal to the heaviest strain, and that the almost unlimited confidence reposed in them, is fully warranted. The LIVERPOOL AND LONDON has had to meet its share of the disasters, but the large addition to its revenue enables the Directors to render, notwithstanding, the following not unfavorable account of the year's experience and results.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

The Premiums received for Insurance

against Fire amount to.....	£360,130	19s.	9d.
Whilst those for 1860 were.....	313,725	12	7

Showing an Increase in the year of £46,405. 7 2

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