

NORTH AMERICAN LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

The annual meeting of this company was held in the company's Head Office, Toronto, on the 29th inst. The Hon. A. Mackenzie, M.P., President, occupied the chair, and Mr. McCabe, Managing Director, acted as secretary.

Notwithstanding the long-continued and widespread depression in general business, the directors were able to report that the company's business for 1885 had been a most successful one.

During the year, 977 applications for policies were received, and 105 policies for \$1,979,500, the rest being unaccounted for, and 5 policies for \$700, were revived.

This is a volume of new business not only in excess of that done by the company in any previous year, but very much in excess of that secured by any other home company during the same year from its establishment.

Such a result shows how completely the directors were justified in their anticipation of a large and extending business.

Much of the success which has been achieved is due to the wise and judicious selection of the directors, and to the liberal and practical policy which they have pursued.

From the commencement of business by the company, a complete audit of its affairs has been made quarterly by gentlemen of large experience appointed as auditors by the annual meeting of the company.

The reports of the auditing committee are given with the balance sheet.

On the recommendation of the managing director, the board thought well, at the first of the year, to still further strengthen the company's financial position, by having a valuation of all its obligations, by a distinguished and experienced valuer.

It is an evidence of careful and conservative management, that you can point to such a handsome surplus as this company's first quinquennial period.

Having had occasion in my professional capacity to examine the reports of other Canadian companies, I find that in volume of new business, amount of risk, premium income, and reserves, the security of the company's policy-holders, your company is in the lead.

From the undivided surplus contributed by policies in the general class, dividends will be declared available on the settlements of this year's policies.

Of this dividend, 9 per cent has been earned by the Guarantee Fund, which, with the profits from the following policies, gives the policy-holders the benefit of that fund at a nominal cost.

The directors all retire, but are eligible for re-election.

ALEXANDER MACKENZIE, President. Toronto, Jan. 29th, 1886.

REVENUE ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1885. Table with columns for Date, Description, and Amount.

BALANCE SHEET. Table with columns for Description and Amount.

NOTE: For the security of policy-holders the company holds in its hands:

Table listing assets held for security, including Real Estate, Bonds, and Stocks.

Surplus on Policy-holders: Table showing surplus for various policy classes.

1885. By Don. Gov't Assets: Table listing government assets.

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For all the Carpets, Furniture, Stoves and Bedding they require and invite you to call and examine our immense stock and get posted regarding our system of doing business.

TALKERS WEEKLY PAYMENT STORE.

107 1/2 QUEEN STREET WEST.

Patent Act of 1871 and Amendments. Section 12.

Notice is hereby given to all persons desirous of making or using the invention in relation to the manufacture of the same, for which certain letters patent have been granted.

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GREEN TURTLES!

From Bocca Del Toro, south of Honduras, Costa Rica.

Green Turtle Soup for Dinner on Friday & Saturday, Jan. 28 & 29, and Monday, Feb. 7.

CLOW'S RESTAURANT, 60 Colborne St., near Church.

MARCHING ON, MARCHING ON, STEADILY MARCHING ON.

LEAR'S NOTED GAS FIXTURE EMPORIUM TO THE FRONT.

R. H. LEAR, 15 & 17 RICHMOND ST. W.

JAMES H. ROGERS, Grand Clearing Sale.

Rather than carry over his stock of FINE FURS, he is offering...

COR. KING & CHURCH STS.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed tenders addressed to the undersigned and endorsed 'Tender for Lock Gate Tubes'...

THE INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY OF CANADA.

THE ROYAL MAIL, PASSENGER AND FREIGHT ROUTE.

THE QUICKEST FREIGHT ROUTE.

WATCHEES.

OLD COUNTRY PASSAGES.

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TORONTO RAILWAY TIME TABLE.

Departure and Arrival of Trains from and to Union Station.

ONTARIO DIVISION.

DEPARTURES—MAIN LINE EAST.

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DEPARTURES—OVERLAND BRANCH.

DEPARTURES—GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.

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LAWRENCE-TOWNLEY HEIR

A Contract of Marriage... The meeting of the Lawrence-Townley heirs, which has been in session in this city, adjourned last night...

Resolved, That the officers of the Council... be instructed to proceed immediately to a preliminary investigation of the Lawrence-Townley and O'Connell estates...

Resolved, That the expenses of said investigation... be borne by the heirs of the Lawrence-Townley estate...

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WIVES IN MONTREAL

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THE LAST DAY BEFORE STOCK TAKING.

We commence to take Stock on Monday Next. Being determined to Reduce our Stock as much as possible we will sell our

FURS AT COST. TONKIN'S,

110 YONGE STREET, TORONTO.

A New Treatment FOR THE RAPID AND PERMANENT CURE OF GONORRHOEA.
No. 506 King St. W. TORONTO-CANADA.
Opinions of the Press... Perhaps the most extraordinary success that has been achieved in modern medicine has been the cure of gonorrhoea...

GOLD & SILVER SPECIMENS!
Wanted to Purchase on the Loan of the Colonial Exhibition... FRANK E. CRYSLER.

TO PRINTERS
For sale cheap. Two Impinging stones and frames, one 48x33 inches, one 48x33 inches. Also a lot of advertising type, column rules, and nonpareil type.
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Guard against Cholera and other Diseases.
FRANK ADAMS
Acme Spring Skates
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The Report for 1888—Financial Statement—41,398 Volumes. The final meeting of the public library board for 1888 was held yesterday...

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A Run Through the Well-stocked Cavalry Warehouse of Messrs. Brown & Co. Time was, and so long ago either, when the horse class of horse-furnishers could not be got in Canada...

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DAVENPORT ROAD. EXTRAORDINARY SUCCESS! OF THE GREAT SALE OF LOTS COMMENCED LAST MONDAY.

76 LOTS, Having a Frontage of 3800 Feet, have been SOLD IN FIVE DAYS.

Why Have the Public Purchased so Freely? BECAUSE: 1st. Finer building lots were never offered for sale in Toronto.

2nd. We are offering these fine lots at very low prices so that any one can procure a desirable homestead. In a short time the prices will be double.

3rd. Having the best possible article to sell at the lowest possible price we take the best possible means of informing the public of the fact. Consequently last Monday we made our announcement through the columns of The World.

The land is high and dry with sandy subsoil. It is nearly three-quarters of a mile nearer the corner of Queen and Yonge streets than is Parkdale. See accompanying plan.

Not only this property but the surrounding district is so protected by building restrictions that no inferior building or business place can be erected in it.

The title has been placed under the "Land Titles Act, 1885," commonly known as the Torrens System, obviating the necessity of troublesome and expensive searches with each transfer of ownership.

The growth of Toronto for the past fourteen years has been phenomenal. In 1871 the assessed value of her realty was \$22,037,470; in 1885, \$80,255,167, exclusive of several millions of overflow in the suburbs.

We shall continue for a short time our very low prices with very easy terms of payment. A few hundred dollars invested now will in a little while yield many fold.

S. H. JANES & CO., 6 KING STREET EAST, TORONTO.

Table with columns for lot numbers and prices, including DAVENPORT ROAD and BRIDGMAN AVENUE.

Table with columns for lot numbers and prices, including ONTARIO & QUEBEC RAILWAY and DUPONT AVENUE.

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Position of the... Lord sat... LONDON, Jan.

discussing the... the chief... as a question...

to the simple... himself. "We... latter in the...

government... and prompted... by this, unless...

to have part... With regard... party, a motion...

their wish... this parliament... an absolute imp...

any doubt... mention. "More... growing... steps are taken...

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to be turned... cordially in... Lord Grenville...

Mr. Gladstone... members... the formation...

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