

PERTINENT POINTS

in reference to the substantial gains made in every department of its business during 1904 by



INSURANCE ACCOUNT

The volume of new business exceeds that of any former year, being 3,452 Policies for \$5,048,108, all of which, except \$30,000, was written within the Dominion. Total assurance now in force is \$40,476,970.58 under 27,742 policies, the net addition for the year being \$2,889,419. While many of our native Companies are seeking business abroad, some of them in distant parts of the world, it is thought by this Company that good Canadian business is preferable to foreign business, which is secured at excessive cost and with less certainty as to its quality.

INCOME

The total income was \$1,725,308.00, being \$1,373,364.09 for premiums, and \$351,944.21 for interest. The gain over 1903 was \$164,238.87.

DIGBURSEMENTS

The payments to Policyholders amounted to \$534,615.34, and consisted of Death Claims, \$220,304.50; Endowments, \$160,053; Purchased Policies, \$62,304.54; Surplus, \$83,183.40, and Annuities, \$8,699.90. The claims by death were exceptionally light, being \$51,404 less than previous year, and only 41 per cent. of the amount expected.

EXPENSE AND TAXES

The expenses and taxes were \$300,807, being 17.4 per cent. of the total income, or about 1 per cent. less than in 1903.

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Iron-Ox Tablets

Cure Biliousness

Nearly everyone has occasional bilious attacks; many are bilious nearly all the time; none need suffer from biliousness if they will use Iron-Ox Tablets.

Bilious attacks are caused by a sluggish, inactive liver, which does not throw off the poisons which nature intends it to remove.

This unhealthy condition of the liver is generally denoted by failing appetite, sallow, dirty complexion, blood-shot eyes, coated tongue, offensive breath, weak back and indigestion—the result of poisons accumulating in the system.

Generally the kidneys are affected and the bowels badly constipated.

Iron-Ox Tablets cure biliousness by stimulating the liver to proper action; and by eliminating the deadly poisons from the system. They tone and strengthen the weakened organs and give them the power to do their duty properly, and as Nature intended they should.

True Stories of Iron-Ox Cures

Worth Their Weight in Gold

Miss Mabel L. Pugh, 635 Scotten Avenue, Detroit, Mich., was ill and for a long time could scarcely be on her feet for any time at all, until she took Iron-Ox Tablets. She says: "I have been taking Iron-Ox Tablets, and they have done me a world of good. My blood was in an awful condition. I was very thin, and I was nervous and was in bed half of my time, till Iron-Ox Tablets were recommended to me by a friend and it has done me worlds of good. The public ought to know more about Iron-Ox Tablets. They are worth their weight in gold."

Without an Equal as a Tonic

Mrs. C. E. Davis, 201 Ann St., Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., is one of those who joyfully testify to the worth of Iron-Ox Tablets. She says, "I am very much pleased with the beneficial results of the Tablets as a tonic."

Used With Best Results by the Entire Family

Mrs. Jean Russell, of London, Ont., Can., used Iron-Ox Tablets in her family with the best results. She says: "I am glad to tell you of the good effects of Iron-Ox Tablets. We first got them for our boy, two and a half years old, who was very cross and had no appetite. My remedy soon made him as bright as ever. My husband uses them for headache and sluggish liver. While certainly effective they cause neither pain nor inconvenience. We have a box in the house always now." Fifty Iron-Ox Tablets in a handy aluminum pocket case for 25 cents. At your druggist's, or sent direct upon receipt of price. The Iron-Ox Remedy Co., Detroit, Mich.

A Wonderful Medicine

Mr. C. W. Brown, of Applegate, Mich., recently used Iron-Ox Tablets in his family, and is delighted with the results. He said recently: "Your Tablets have helped us wonderfully, my wife being troubled with constipation and stomach troubles, and I have been bothered with my liver and kidneys."

THE SUMMERSIDE GUARDIAN

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Water Works and Sewerage Bill Made Lively Discussion Last Night.

The Summerside Town Council held its regular monthly session last evening. All members were present. It was decided to build a brick tank or fire preventive at the corner of Central and Green St.

Percy Tanton asked for a rebate on wharfage. The matter was referred to the wharf committee.

The matter of signs naming the streets was again considered and laid over.

The bill re waterworks and sewerage being prepared for legislation was again up for consideration, and a few unfinished clauses were adjusted.

Councillor G. M. Reid moved that the bill be left over for final reading clause by clause at an adjourned meeting next Friday at 7 p. m. The motion was seconded by John L. Reid.

Councillor McKinnon thought the bill should be laid over until another session of the Provincial Legislature. He contended that they never had the voice of the people on the matter; that the plebiscite taken last summer on the question was bogus, that the vote then taken was not sufficiently large, that the bill was of too great a magnitude to put through the legislature without further hearing from the people. He further contended that the last civic election which gave him a larger number of votes than so called waterworkers was a better test than the plebiscite.

Councillor John Reid expressed surprise that Coun. McKinnon referred to the plebiscite as bogus. He contended that Coun. McKinnon had not appealed to all the people as opposed to waterworkers. (Mr. McKinnon interrupted "I did").

(Mr. Reid continued) Coun. Reid, "but not because he was opposed to waterworkers, and there were many other voters like myself. The last civic election did not prove anything." Coun. Reid further asserted that Coun. McKinnon had canvassed for his election different people in different manners, while Coun. McKinnon shouted "It's false." Coun. Reid thought it no use to go to the people with another plebiscite. He did not see any sense in dropping the bill now. By the passing of the bill it did not follow that we must have waterworks.

Coun. Muttart thought it would be a very rash thing to force this bill through at the present juncture. The people should be further consulted. Many were dissatisfied with the plebiscite. Coun. Muttart made the assertion that he never was favorable to waterworks.

Coun. McKinnon moved an amendment that the bill be laid over until another plebiscite be taken.

The amendment was seconded by Coun. Ryan.

The Mayor then put the amendment and

the vote stood as follows:

For—Councillors McKinnon, Muttart and Ryan.
Against—Councillors Reid, Reid, Dobson.

The Mayor gave the casting vote against the amendment. The council then adjourned until next Friday evening.

Mt. Lebanon Lodge A. F. and A. M. meets this evening at 8 o'clock.

While in Bermuda J. H. Bell lectured to a crowded house on the Old World and the New.

Harry F. Kelly, son of Malcolm Kelly, and Edward J. Hogg, Traveller's Rest, left yesterday evening for British Columbia.

All members of the Alpha Hockey Club are requested to meet at the home of Miss Blanche Grady at 7:30 o'clock sharp this evening for important business.

J. D. Kennedy of Ellis & Kennedy, O'Leary, was in Summerside yesterday with four exceptionally fine horses which he sold to W. S. Newsom for good figures.

In the report of the funeral of the late R. C. McLeod the names of J. Frank McMillan and Mrs. Nelson Alward were omitted among those who sent flowers, the former sending a wreath, the latter a bouquet.

W. N. Duchemin returned to Charlottetown last night from spending yesterday and Sunday in Summerside and St. Bonaville. While here he was the guest of Mayor Compton.

Frank Creamer, North Tryon, met with a painful though not serious accident Saturday evening. He was out shooting and in firing one barrel of his gun the other went off accidentally causing the gun to jump and strike him on the nose inflicting a bad cut.

The funeral took place yesterday of Mrs. Robert McLaurin, Grand River Ferry, Lot 16, whose death occurred at an early hour Saturday morning. After a short service at the house the remains were taken to the Presbyterian Church where service was held, thence to the Lot 16 cemetery. There was a large attendance. The late Mrs. McLaurin was a sister of Mrs. Thos. Crable, Summerside and Mrs. Glover, Kensington. She was 80 years of age and leaves to mourn, a husband and one daughter, Mrs. McDougal at home.

HER SKIN WAS YELLOW.

"I had only to try Dr. Hamilton's Pills to appreciate their merit," writes Miss Annie S. Bryce, of Woodstock. "My system was out of order. My blood was weak and thin. I had a nasty, murky complexion. My skin was hard and dry. The first box of Dr. Hamilton's Pills made a complete change. I felt better at once. Healthy color came into my face. In about three weeks I was cured." Dr. Hamilton's Pills effect an easy cure. Try these good pills 25c. per box, or five boxes for \$1.00, at all dealers.

SYDNEY ENDORSES TUNNEL SCHEME

Board of Trade Passes Resolution Urging Upon Government its Extreme Necessity

SYDNEY, April 7.—The Sydney board of trade passed a resolution tonight endorsing the scheme of having a tunnel to connect Prince Edward Island with the mainland constructed, and urging upon the government the extreme necessity of proceeding with the work as soon as practicable. In this connection Joseph L. Reid, M. L. A., Summerside, P. E. I., and vice-president of the Maritime board of trade, addressed the meeting at some length, pointing out the urgency and practicability as well as the utility of the project. He said that at the present time such an amount of freight was accumulated at Pictou as would take two steamers two months, working day and night, to transport it over to the Island. Some of this freight had been there since November last and the volume is increasing by eight carloads a day. The scarcity of cars on the Intercolonial this winter was almost entirely due to the fact that some 300 cars laden with Prince Edward Island freight were hung up at Pictou and different points along the road. He showed how the tunnel would be of incalculable benefit not only to the Island, but to the whole Dominion as well and particularly to Cape Breton, where circumstances are such as make communication with the Island for a supply of commodities imperative.

\$100 Reward, \$100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surface of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O. Sold by all Druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

DOMESTIC SCIENCE FOR SYDNEY.

SYDNEY, April 7.—The board of school commissioners for this city have decided to open a department for the teaching of domestic science and provisions to that effect have been made in estimates for the year which amount to about \$16,000. The department will open with the coming term.

THE ROOT OF NEURALGIC HEADACHE

Is an irritable condition of the nerves caused by cold. Relief comes quickly from Nerviline, the great pain reliever of today. "I consider Nerviline a magical remedy for neuralgia," writes Mrs. E. G. Harris of Baltimore. "But I never worry if Nerviline is in the house. A few applications never yet failed to kill the pain. I can also recommend Nerviline for stiffness, rheumatism and muscular pains." In your nearly fifty years, try Nerviline yourself.

THE GALATEA LOST.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., April 7.—The fishing schooner Galatea, Capt. Russell, of Boston, went ashore on Odjorne Point, yesterday morning and was entirely broken by the sea today. The vessel was owned by Albert Mason of Duxbury, Mass., and valued at \$13,000; insured for \$700.

DR. A. W. CHASE'S 25c. CATARRH CURE
Is sent direct to the diseased parts by the Improved Blower. Heals the ulcers, clears the air passages, stops droppings in the throat and permanently cures Catarrh and Hay Fever. Blower free. All dealers, or Dr. A. W. Chase Medicine Co., Toronto and Buffalo.

Paton's for novelties for head or neck this Easter. 11c 31

Iron-Ox Tablets are on sale at A. W. Reddin's. 7d 11.

New Christy hats are here, thousands and thousands of them. Every one stylish.—Prowse Bros. 8d 31

Do Not Wear Your Glasses if They Fit Anything Like This.



We fit up all kinds of lenses and frames to suit different size eyes and faces. We make no charge for straightening frames unless they break in doing so.

E. W. TAYLOR CAMERON BLOCK.

IF YOU ONLY KNEW

When your well stocked store was going to burn down, you could wait to insure until the week before, but

When It is Destroyed

You are too late. Remember the old adage, "There is no time like the present, and no insurance like ours."

E. H. BEER Representing Phoenix of Hartford Canadian Quebec.

CONTRAST THESE WITH OUR PRICES

Figures That Will Be Interesting to Gas and Electric Current Users in This City.

New York, April 7.—Interesting figures giving the actual cost of illuminating gas and electric lighting current were brought out today during the examination by officers of gas and electric companies by the committee of the legislature, which is investigating lighting conditions in this city. It was testified by president George Doane, of the New Amsterdam company that his concern produced gas at an actual rate of 32.5 cents per thousand cubic feet, selling one-half of the plant's production to the Consolidated company at 32.88 cents and distributing the rest to consumers at 31 per thousand. According to vice-president John W. Lieb, Jr., of the Edison company, the average cost of illuminating current of the past five years was 4.50 cents per kilowatt hour, the net returns from customers being 90.17 cents, and the net profit for the past year \$2,233,888 a surplus of more than \$6,000,000 and a fund of more than \$4,000,000 set aside for depreciation had, Mr. Lieb said, been put into the plant.

Two Cases English and Scotch Suiting opening to-day. John Macleod & Co. d 111

ATTEND CONROY'S GREAT SPOT CASH Discount Sale

of all boots and shoes in stock.

SUNNYSIDE, Charlottetown, P. E. I.

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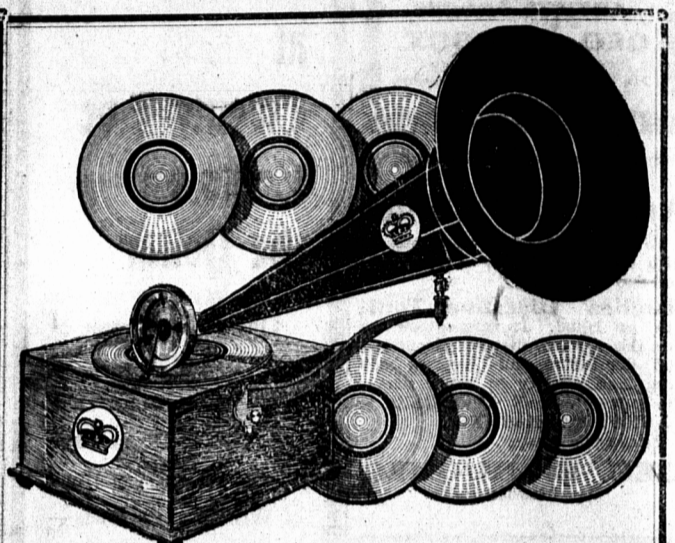
Of Concerts, Socials, Entertainments, etc., of a money making nature, 5 cents a line (of 6 words) for first insertion, and 2 1/2 cents a line for each continuation. Churches and charitable institutions half rates. Minimum price 15 cents. Black type announcements double rates. Births, Marriages and Deaths FREE but verses with deaths same rate as above. Cards of thanks five cents per line when inserted in locals, and otherwise at regular advertising rates.

THE GUARDIAN, 29 St. & W 6mos

OUR NEW SPRING MILLINERY

was very much admired Saturday by the busy throngs that crowded our store. The styles are indeed dainty and bewitching and withal very practical in the Ready-to-wear Hats. Many flattering expressions were heard regarding the taste in selection, the beauty of the new straws, the lovely foliage, fruit and flowers which are to adorn the Easter Chapeau. They must be seen to be fully appreciated, so we invite the Ladies to call early and make their selections.

M. TRAINOR & CO.



CROWN MELOPHONES

ZONO-PHONE TALKING MACHINES. RECORDS IN ALL SIZES. NEEDLES AND SUPPLIES. We have added a TALKING MACHINE DEPARTMENT to our business, and it is our intention to keep a full line of the above on hand at all times.

OUR CROWN MELOPHONE with six 7 inch records for \$10.00 cash or \$12.00 on easy payments is the greatest bargain ever offered in Canada.

THE HOME ZONO-PHONE with six records for \$15.00 is the best value in Canada for the money.

RECORDS. We have a full line of the celebrated Zono-phone records in 7 inch, 9 inch and 10 inch, also the New American Record Co's. 10 5/8 inch superfine Blue Record, which are world renowned for their clearness of tone and smoothness.

OLD RECORDS exchanged free for every purchase of two new ones. You can exchange an old one free, no matter how badly worn.

A Five Years' Guarantee With Every Machine. Come in and hear them—or write us for Catalogues.

MILLER BROS., SUNNYSIDE.

Some Good Reasons FOR INSURING IN THE Great-West LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY

- 1st. Because it invests the Premiums to better advantage than any other company can.
- 2nd. Because while charging much lower premiums, it paid last year to participating policy-holders over 30 per cent. more profits than was paid in 1904 by the oldest and largest Eastern Companies.
- 3rd. Because those insuring now are more interested in present and future results than in what has been.
- 4th. Because the GREAT-WEST was the first Canadian Company to adopt a higher standard of reserve; and
- 5th. Because it leads in everything that is to the interest of policy-holders.

JAMES A. HOUSTON, Manager for P. E. I. Summerside 29 Sts & W 6mos

For sale in Charlottetown by Apothecaries Hall, Johnson & Johnson, H. A. Ellis, W. Reddin, McDonald & McKinnon and in Summerside at Gourlie's Drug Store.