

### THE MUTUAL LIFE OF CANADA.

Expense Rate per cent. to Total Income 1901—

Of the 5 oldest Canadian Life Companies, average **23.06 p. c.**

Of the 12 other Canadian Life Companies, average **50.39 p. c.**

**THE MUTUAL LIFE OF CANADA 16.88 p. c.**

(being nearly 2 per cent. lower than the lowest of them.)

In 1900 this Company LED all Canadian Life Companies in the amount of new business written in Canada, and last year (1901) it LED them all in the amount of dividends paid to Policy holders.

**A. P. Trowsdale, Roy W. Connor,**  
Special Agents.  
Sippell, Crapaud, Summerside.  
Agt. St. John, N. B.

### ALL FORMER RECORDS BROKEN

The Canada Life Assurance Company during the first ten months of 1902 received application for \$8,402,000.00 being an increase in round figures of two and a half millions over the corresponding period of 1901.

These figures show that the unequalled position of the Canada Life is appreciated by the insuring public.

When you insure with the Canada Life there is no mortgage on your premium to increase the reserves policies similar to your own but which are paying lower premiums.

New insurers should have this matter of reserves fully and satisfactorily explained to them.

Very liberal contracts will be made with a few good agents.

## W. K. ROGERS,

PROVINCIAL MANAGER,  
Charlottetown.

#### The Sign of the Stork.

In a certain town in Norway the figure of a stork appears on the church and over many of the houses. Tourists who go there often find on sale on every hand images of the stork in silver and gold, or carved in wood. The story of the origin of this sign of the stork is unusual and most interesting. The hero of the tale is Conrad Jonassen, whose name will be forever associated with the stork.

Many years ago, when Conrad was a boy, a stork built its nest on the roof of the house. Conrad and his mother fed the stork, and so encouraged its return.

In time the boy went to sea. One day the ship fell into the hands of pirates and Conrad, with his shipmates, was sold into slavery in Africa.

Hardships and indignities of all sorts were heaped upon them for three years. One day Conrad saw a stork flying about overhead. He whistled to the bird as he used to do at home, and to his delight the stork came near, and finally alighted, as if expecting to be fed.

He had nothing to give the bird then, but the next day he saved a part of his breakfast, hoping that the stork would come again. It did, and for several days continued to come.

At length it occurred to the homesick slave that the stork would soon be flying north again, and like an inspiration came the thought that by means of the bird he could send a message which might possibly fall into the hands of friends.

He wrote a few lines on a bit of tough paper and bound it fast to the stork's leg. A few days later the bird disappeared.

One day Mrs. Jonassen noticed the stork, which had returned again to its nest on the roof, picking at something on its leg. She fed the bird, caught it and removed the bit of paper. Fancy the mother's feelings when she found it to be a message from her own son, long since given up for lost!

It would be too long a story to tell of the interest of the parish, of the money raised, the expedition sent to rescue Conrad and his mates. All this took place, however, and Conrad Jonassen came home. In after years he became a rich man, and did much for the welfare of his native town. The stork was never forgotten, and it is small wonder that it became the emblem of the Norwegian town.

### A GOOD CARPENTER

Doesn't quarrel with his tools if they come from us. A full line of Mechanics' Tools and Hard ware at lowest prices.

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## OGILVIE'S FLOUR

Is the highest grade on this Continent. No other Flour will make as much bread to the barrel. Bakers make 152 pound loaves from one barrel of OGILVIE'S.

The price is so near that of Ontario Flours, that you would lose money by buying any other. It absorbs more water than any other known Flour; therefore the bread will keep moist longer.

OGILVIE'S is made from No. 1 Hard Manitoba Wheat, (acknowledged to be the best made in the world), and scientifically milled by the latest improved methods. Manitoba Wheat contains more gluten than any other Wheat, and gluten is the property in wheat, which gives strength. It is more healthful than starch, which is the principal element in Winter Wheat.

## SORRY

Very Sorry

WE are really very sorry to disappoint so many people, but if we were producing five times our present output of

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we could not keep pace with the demand. PORT HOOD is probably the most popular house coal the Canadian Market has ever seen.

**The PORT HOOD COAL CO., Limited.**  
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## TEETH

The best way to do a difficult thing is to divide it into parts and put a specialist on each part. That is the way we practice dentistry.

### Painlessness

In addition to specialists for each branch we offer patients another great advantage not found elsewhere, namely "The Berlin System" for filling, crowning, or extracting teeth without pain. Unlike most methods it does not depend on one or two ways of killing pain, but embraces ten enough to overcome all the pain caused by work on the teeth.

### Advantage in Magnitude

The great advantage in a large practice like ours is that there is enough work in each department to keep specialists constantly employed. "Practice makes perfect."

### Teeth Extracted Without Pain

We simply put a little medicine around the tooth and lift it out painlessly, any number of teeth can be extracted at one sitting without any bad after effects. Skilled experience combined with modern appliances now make this operation one of pleasantness and satisfaction combined.

For persons of over nervous or timid dispositions, who desire unconsciousness during the operation we have "nitrous oxide gas."

#### Immoral Plays.

Commenting on the immorality of Pinero's new play, "Iris," which has just been produced in New York by Virginia Hazen, William Winter says:

"It is always said in extenuation of the offence of 'Iris' that it is a lesson. But it is invariably a trite and trivial lesson, and completely superfluous. 'Iris' will burn. Be virtuous and you will be happy. Twice two is four. That is the substance of the lesson. In the name of the Prophet—Egis! Neither man nor woman needs to be warned against a life of vice and shame. Neither man nor woman needs to be warned against a life of enlightenment as to the importance of chastity. And, as a matter of fact, dramas of the kind are not presented from any moral impulse, or with any ethical purpose. They are easily made, for the reason that illicit love—which is their invariable theme—in its action and reaction upon human character, in the existing social environment, readily operates so as to create effective dramatic situations; and these dramas are made and presented, because these situations commonly impress the amiable multitude, and are, therefore, remunerative in money.

No spectator ever profited by any one of them, or ever will. Their only practical effect is to fill the mind of the observer with images of immoral character and pictures of licentious life; to set the imagination brooding upon iniquities, and to sadden the heart with an almost despairing sense of human frailty and wickedness. Apart from critics of life and of the stage, and always tremendously moved by them, a certain sense, they are; but so is an onion, or a pole-cat. Let us, said Dr. Johnson, 'free our minds from cant.' The true motive of all such plays as 'Iris' is the love of shop-keeping craft, and the actual influence of all of them is the soporific influence of reason, the demoralization of the mind, and the perversion of the body; in both cases the result is disease."

## MANCHESTER LINER.

MANCHESTER CHALLOTTE TOWN.

Under contract with the Canadian Government. Steamer "MANCHESTER" Commerce Manchester TRADER will sail on or about the following dates:—

From Manchester	From St. John	From Charlottetown
November 10th.	December 8th.	December 8th.

Steamer sails from Manchester for Charlottetown via St. John, N. B. but returns to Manchester direct from Charlottetown.

The "MANCHESTER TRADER" is 3318 tons, is fitted with cold storage chambers and has a shelter deck for carriage of cattle and sheep.

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Charlottetown P. E. I.

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## Federal Blend

A choice Blend of Ceylon India and China Teas, in such proportions as to insure a delicious cup of Tea.

Sold by all the principal grocers. Wholesale by

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\$4.50 per barrel.

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## MENEELY BELL COMPANY.

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Barred Plymouth Rock Cockerels for breeding purposes, \$1.00 and upwards.

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Stoves and Hardware.

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#### The Motors' Defence Union.

A Pedestrians' Protection League is being formed to uphold the rights of foot-passengers on the highways. As no bene is without its antidote, an opposition union is to be organized, having in view the adoption of the following regulations:—

1. Every pedestrian must carry on his front and back a large and conspicuous number, as a means of easy and rapid identification.
2. No foot-passenger shall quit the sidewalk, except at certain authorized crossings. In country lanes and places where there is no sidewalk the ditch shall be considered equivalent to the same.
3. Each foot-passenger about to make use of such authorized crossings shall use such authorized crossing on a hooter, fog-horn or megaphone; and after due warning has thus been given, shall traverse the road at a speed of not less than twelve miles an hour. The penalty for infringement to be forty shillings or one month.
4. Any pedestrian obstructing a motor by being run over, causing a motor to slow down or stop, or otherwise deranging the traffic, shall be summarily dealt with; the punishment for this offence to be five years penal servitude, dating from arrest or release from hospital, as the case may be.
5. Should the pedestrian thus trespassing on the highway lose his life in an encounter with a motor car, he shall not be liable to penal servitude; compensation for shock and loss of time, however, shall be paid from his estate to the driver of the car, such amount being taxed by the coroner.
6. All cattle, sheep, pigs, swine, hares, rabbits, conies, and other ground game, and every goose, duck, fowl, or any animal whatsoever with which the motor shall collide, shall, ipso facto, be confiscated to the owner of the motor.
7. Any comment, remark, reflection, sneer or innuendo concerning the shape, speed, appearance, noise, smell, or other attributes of a motor car, or of its occupants, shall be actionable; and every foot-passenger thus offending shall be bound over in the sum of £500 to keep the peace.—Punch.

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The Tobacco Epicure who does not use the Hickey Twist, Pearl or Ruby Has never derived that real enjoyment which is his. They are the gems of the trade.

FINE CUT MIXTURES IN 1 and 2 POUND TINS.

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Fire brick and Fire Clay.

Plow shares and all plow extras.

Headquarters for steam, hot water and plumbing.

Potato diggers and all repairs of same.

Shingle and Rotary Mills in stock.

The new side crank self oiling engines unequalled in Canada.

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Of new suitings, new overcoatings, new pants, Good serge suits \$15.00, up-to-date fall overcoats \$16.00 up, nice pants, \$3.00 up.

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Artificial Teeth properly made restore the natural expression of the mouth and preserve the youthful contour of the face.

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Dental Specialists,  
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2000 pound Choice Table Cod fish just in.

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A new lot Chip Market Baskets from 7 cents up.

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If you want value for your money use our Eureka Tea. Sold only by us. Price 25c per pound. Send along your boy or girl to buy a sample pound and we will present each purchaser with a song book FREE.

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A Lecture—Sugar Coated

Every time with children if you tell them to buy nothing but the most wholesome candy, the kind Carter sells. Tell them not to eat inferior and adulterated Confectionery.

We guarantee every package of Confections that leaves our store all good, seen a better than the good.

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