

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

The Standard LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY; ESTABLISHED 1825, Constituted by Special Acts of Parliament.

THE FOURTH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF THE STANDARD LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY was held at Edinburgh on Tuesday the 26th of April 1870, - ANDREW WOOD, Esq., M. D., in the Chair.

THE MANAGER submitted to the meeting, - The ANNUAL REPORT by the DIRECTORS and BALANCE-SHEET OF THE COMPANY'S AFFAIRS. The ANNUAL REPORT on the BOOKS and ACCOUNTS by the AUDITOR of the COMPANY, certifying that he had found the whole Accounts accurately stated and properly vouched. THE FOLLOWING ARE EXTRACTS FROM THE REPORT: -

THE PROGRESS OF THE COMPANY during the past year has been of a very satisfactory character, and it is matter of congratulation that, during a period of great distrust and dissatisfaction in the Assurance world, the business of this Company has increased, not decreased.

THE NEW ASSURANCE TRANSACTIONS PROPOSED to the Company from 15th November 1868 to 25th November 1869, the Company's financial year, amounted to the large sum of £1,460,867, 2s. 9d. contained in 2026 Proposals - of which 407, for assuring £350,520 were not considered eligible, and declined.

THE NEW POLICIES ISSUED during the year were 1619 in number, and the Assurances effected amounted to the large sum of £1,110,847, 2s. 9d. the new Annual Premiums being £38,532, 2s. 8d.

THE CLAIMS BY DEATH amounted to £222,117, 11s. 8d., the number of deaths being 664; and the Bonus Additions to the Policies which became Claims amounted to the further sum of £36,649, 10s. 10d.

THE INCOME OF THE COMPANY received during the year ended 15th November 1869, amounted to £710,428, 16s. 3d.

THE INVESTED FUNDS, as shown in the Balance Sheet, which follows, had reached the sum of £4,284,684, 7s. 3d.

THESE ARE THE RESULTS OF THE YEAR; but the following additional particulars as to the company may also be interesting: -

THE NEW BUSINESS OFFERED to the company since the last Division of Profits in 1865 - that, in four years - has amounted to £5,652,481, 12s. 7d., the number of Proposals being 8788.

THE NEW POLICIES issued during the same period have been 7254, for Assurances to the amount of £4,582,414, 3s. 5d.

THE CLAIMS BY DEATH which the company have met during the four years have amounted to 1,258,129, 4s. 6d., with Bonus Additions to the amount of £178,182, 6s. 7d.

THE SUBSISTING ASSURANCES at 15th November 1869 were £16,845,419, 2s. 6d., of which £931,819, 12s. was reassured with other offices.

THE BALANCE-SHEET OF THE COMPANY'S AFFAIRS as at 15th November 1869, is as follows: -

BALANCE-SHEET OF THE STANDARD LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY AS AT 15th NOVEMBER 1869.

Table with columns for LIABILITIES and ASSETS, listing various financial items and their corresponding values.

THIS BALANCE-SHEET shows distinctly how the Funds of the Company are invested; and a Special Committee has been appointed to examine and report on each separate transaction, preparatory to the Declaration of Profits next year. That this Report will be one of unqualified approval the Directors have every confidence, as the same principles have regulated their selection of investments as in former years, and they feel satisfied that the professional gentlemen who have agreed to undertake the duty will be able to report in as favourable terms as the Committee of 1865, the period of last Investigation.

THE EIGHTH DIVISION OF PROFITS falls to be made as at 15th November 1870. The necessary Investigation which precedes the Declaration of Profits has been in progress for some time, and the Directors hope to be able to submit their Report early in 1871.

THE CLOSE OF THE PRESENT BONUS PERIOD, ON 15th NOVEMBER 1870, persons assuring before that date being entitled to a share in the division of Profits to be made in 1871, which will include the whole divisible profits which have arisen since 15th November 1865.

GUARANTEED SURRENDER VALUES. The Directors have adopted FIXED SURRENDER VALUES, as fully stated in Report.

The Report having been unanimously approved of - The ESTABLISHMENT of the COMPANY, after filling up vacancies in the usual manner was arranged as follows for the ensuing year.

Governor. HIS GRACE THE DUKE OF RUCLEUCH AND QUEENSBERRY, K. G.

Deputy Governors. THE RIGHT HON. THE EARL OF DALKEITH. THE RIGHT HON. THE EARL OF STAIR, K. T. EDINBURGH, 8 AND 5, GEORGE STREET.

ORDINARY DIRECTORS. H. MAXWELL INGLIS, Esq., P. C. S. H. DAVIDSON, Esq., Merchant.

W. S. WALKER, Esq., of Bowland. SIR J. Y. SIMPSON, M. D., Bart. JAMES VEITCH, Esq., of Elicock. JAMES HOPE, jun., Esq., W. S. ROBERT HUNTER, Esq. JOHN DUNDAS, Esq., C. S. W. JAS. DUNCAN, Esq., Manager of the National Bank of Scotland. ANDREW WOOD, Esq., M. D. WM. MONCRIEFF, Esq., C. A. CHARLES PEARSON, Esq., C. A. JAMES HAY, Esq., Merchant, Leith.

Manager and Actuary, WILLIAM THOS. THOMSON, F. R. S. E.

Joint Actuary, SPENCER C. THOMSON, B. A. Cantab. Home Secretary, - T. ROBERTSON.

Colonist and Foreign Secretary, - D. C. GREGOR. Accountant - A. WOOD STEWART. Auditor - CHARLES PEARSON, C. A.

Physician - PROFESSOR CHRISTISON, M. D.

LONDON, 82 KING WILLIAM STREET. ORDINARY DIRECTORS.

LESTOCK R. REID, Esq., 122 Westbourne Terrace. FRANCIS LE BRETON, Esq., 21, Sussex Place, Regent's Park. T. NESBITT, Esq., 42, Eastcheap. J. C. DIMSDALE, Esq., Banker. C. HEMERY, Esq., 28, Threadneedle Street. LIEUT.-COL. JAMES D. G. TULLOCH. ALEXANDER GILLESPIE, Esq., Heathfield, Wotton-on-Thames.

General Secretary for England, HENRY JONES WILLIAMS. Inspector, GEORGE EDWARDS; STEPHEN HUDSON. Medical Officers, A. TWEEDIE, M. D.; R. H. SEMPLE, M. D.

Bankers, LONDON AND WESTMINSTER BANK; LONDON AND COUNTY BANK; MESSRS. DIMSDALE, FOWLER, & BARNARD, Cornhill.

LONDON - WEST END OFFICE - 3, PALL MALL EAST, S. W. Resident Secretary - JOHN O'HAGAN. Medical Officer - R. PARTRIDGE, F. R. C. S.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD, WILL THOS. THOMSON, Manager. D. CLUNIE GEORGE, Secretary.

COPIES OF THE FULL REPORT AND BALANCE-SHEET can be had by application at the OFFICES OF THE COMPANY or any of the AGENCIES. EDINBURGH, 8 & 5, George Street (HEAD OFFICE.)

LONDON, 82, King William Street; and 3, Pall Mall East. DUBLIN, 66, Upper Saekville Street. GLASGOW, 106, St. Vincent Street.

NOVA SCOTIA. HEAD OFFICE, HALIFAX.

Board of Directors. The Hon. M. B. ALMON, Banker. The Hon. ALEX. KEITH, President of the Legislative Council. J. J. SAWYER, Esq., High Sheriff of Halifax.

GEORGE R. ANDERSON, Esq., Merchant. Medical Adviser, HON. DANIEL M'NEIL PARKER, M. D. Agent, - MATTHEW H. RICHEY.

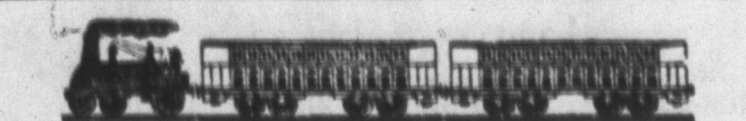
AGENTS in the principal towns of Nova Scotia. June 15.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.



WINDSOR AND ANNAPOLIS RAILWAY.

TIME TABLE No. 5. Commencing 1st June, 1870.

Table with columns for Stations, Passengers and Freight, and Time. Lists routes from Annapolis to Halifax and back, including intermediate stops like Kentville, Wilmot, and Falmouth.

Nova Scotia Railway. NOTICE.

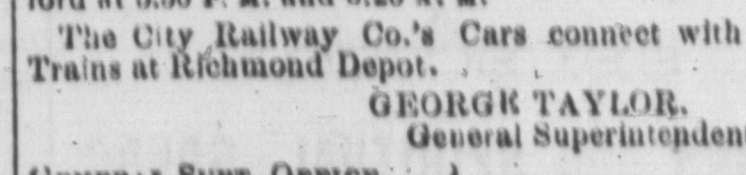
Local Train between Halifax and Bedford. A PASSENGER TRAIN will be run between HALIFAX and BEDFORD, during the Summer Months, to enable parties doing business in the City, to enjoy the advantages of Country life, commencing on FRIDAY, 10th inst., until further notice:

Table showing departure and arrival times for the Halifax to Bedford train.

Family Tickets will be issued at Richmond and Bedford. The Season Tickets now in use will not be available by Trains between Richmond and Bedford at 5.50 P. M. and 3.20 A. M.

The City Railway Co.'s Cars connect with all Trains at Richmond Depot. GEORGE TAYLOR, General Superintendent.

GENERAL SUPT. OFFICE, Halifax, 8th June, 1870. June 15 - 31



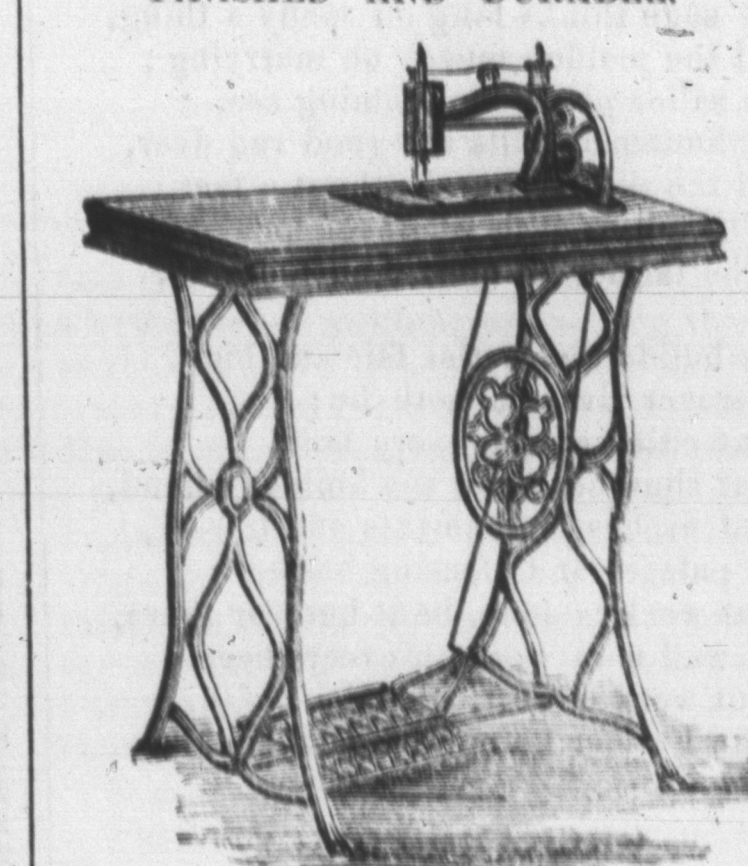
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IN VARIOUS STYLES. UPRIGHT, OBLIQUE, SQUARE, ETC. With all the latest improvements, manufactured by the subscribers, and especially adapted to this climate. An assortment of

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A very fine toned CABINET ORGAN, by Carhart and Needham, N. Y. The above are offered to a discriminating public at moderate prices, WM. FRASER & SONS, 70 & 72 Barrington St. June 1.

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The Lockman Machine is distinguished, as at once the most perfectly simple in construction and at the same time the most easily managed and the least liable to get out of order. Its great simplicity, durability and cheapness, must recommend it to every one in want of a good

Family Sewing Machine.

Price of Machine by hand with Marble Slab, \$3 00 Do, with Stand, Walnut Top & Drawer, 30 00 With board and narrow hemmer and quilting gauge. Special Terms to Clergymen, Religious and Charitable Institutions.

Unprecedented inducements to Agents. WILSON, BOWMAN & CO. MANUFACTURERS, Hamilton, Canada.

W. M. ORR, General Agent. J. D. LAWLOR, AGENT, 103 Barrington Street, Halifax, N. S. May 25.

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Never rest satisfied with mediocre success has been the motto of this house. And with every year's experience they expect not only to maintain their present position, but to produce instruments of greater and more varied power, thus anticipating the increasing demands of the most cultivated taste.

Instruments with Pedal-Bass Double Manuals, for Organ Students.

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ANILINE DYES IN PACKETS.

THESE dyes were introduced into New Brunswick, a few months ago by J. Chaloner, St. John N. B., and being found to work well have been favorably received by the public. They are as follows:

Magenta or Roseine, Magdala Pink, Crimson, Scarlet, Purple, Blue, Violet, light and deep Yellow, Green, Brown, and Ponceau-Scarlet. Green requires pure wool in order to succeed, part cotton flannel wont take it. Most of them dissolve freely in hot water, others have to be first dissolved in a little spirits, and then added to the boiling water. Directions go with each packet. They are very easily used, all required is to dissolve the dye in boiling water, and put in the goods. Iron vessels should not be used, a milk dish well heated previous to the operation is the best. Some of these dyes make good Inks viz: Purple, Violet, Blue; Ponceau makes fine Jetty or Syrup coloring, or Red Ink.

J. CHALONER, Druggist, Inventor of this style of 'Aniline' Dyes, Corner of King & Germain Streets, St. John, N. B. March 30. 3m.

British American Book

-AND- TRACT DEPOSITORY, HALIFAX. 66 GRANVILLE STREET.

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