Financial and Commercial.

CONCERNING INSURANCE.

New Law, Proposed to Protect the Policy Holders.

Would Mutualize All Life Companies --- Radical Change Proposed in the Equitable in the Interest of Policy-Holders.

New York, March 4.—A committee of policy holders of the Equitable Life Assurance Society has held a meeting with John D. Crimmins and a bill for submission to the Legislature and providing for the mutualization of the Equitable Society on radical lines, was discussed. After the meeting Mr. Crimmins issued a statement to the effect that plans for "securing the right of voting for directors by the policy holders were discussed."

Another meeting will be held, the committee stating that a large representation of policy-holders will be present. Mr. Crimmins says that it is the intention of the committee to permit the holder of a one-year policy for $1000 to have just as much a voice in the management of affairs as the holder of a large amount.

In a formal statement he said the committee would ask the society for a list of policy-holders, particularly in New York State. This request, he believed, would be acceded to. He also indicated that the policy-holders who met yesterday were in favor of the mutualization of the company. He said further:

"We interpret the resolution of the board of directors as contemplating the mutualization of the society substantially and in good faith. We deplore the failure of this much-to-be-desired result through the conflict of interests within the society or through a fatal postponement of conclusive measures owing to an unnecessary protraction of the discussion or negotiation which now seems to be all that is going on within the society.

"If there is anything in the management of the society, or in the operation of the stock controlled, which either in fact or in tendency is hurtful to the society and threatening to the interests of the policy-holders, we propose to know it. If, to ascertain this, an investigation is necessary, we propose to ask for it. I may add that the course of the committee will be the best refutation of the suggestion, now rife, and from inspired sources, that this committee is organized in the interests of any faction."

A bill to make mutualization compulsory for all life insurance companies has been drafted by the firm of Boardman, Platt & Soley, and is now in the hands of E. J. Esselstyn, of the law firm of Reid & Esselstyn, who is the secretary of the committee.

Mr. Crimmins, talking of the matter today, says: "We need a hard and fast law to govern insurance companies and give protection to the policy-holders. I believe we have the majority of the directors with us in this matter, but at the same time I do not want to depend on them. What we need is a law which cannot be gone behind. This is a duty that we owe to our children. There are big investments being made all the time with big returns, but we know nothing of them. The fortunes do not come to us. Ancillary concerns are created to handle investments which the mother society dare not make, but all this thing should be made illegal. There should be no speculation, and conservatism should rule. There are certain laws against speculation, but they are being evaded all the time. The thing is to make it impossible to evade the law."

"Why, I know a president of a large insurance company, and he told me of some extraordinary things he had to do to keep within the law, and yet place the funds of the company in investments that brought large returns at large risks. It was a case all the time of trying to keep out of jail."

The bill will be presented immediately to the Legislature and Mr. Crimmins believes it will at once become law.

Charles B. Hubbell, who was authorized to speak for the committee, says; "Many plans were discussed at the meeting whereby the Equitable could be restrained from interfering with the interests of the policy-holders, but no decided opinion was reached. The idea of the meeting was to have the policy holders represented in some fair manner, either on the board of directors or in some other way; and this is the result which we hope to accomplish.

"I am not able to tell you how many policyholders have united with this committee in this movement, but they make a very large number. The committee has received many letters from influential men who hold policies in the Equitable, indicating their willingness to join us. Of course, as this would show, the movement, while it has become public only within the last few days, was started some time ago."

NEW YORK STOCK QUOTATIONS.

Chicago Market Report and New York Cotton Market. Furnished by D. C. Clinch, Banker and Broker, for St. John Times.

March 6th.	Saturday's Close.	Today. Open.	Noon.
Amalg Copper	77⅞	78	78¼
Anaconda	109½		
Am Sugar Rfrs	147¼	148⅝	147⅝
Am Smelt & Rfg	91½	92¼	91⅝
Am. Car Foundry	35	35¼	35¼
Atchison	89½	90	89¼
Atchison pfd	102¼		106½
Am. Locomotive	43⅜	43⅞	43⅜
Brook. Rpd. Trst	66½	67	66⅞
Balt & Ohio	109¼	109½	109¼
Chesa & Ohio	50⅜	50¾	50⅜
Canadian Pacific	140⅜	141⅞	142⅜
Chi & Gt. West	23	23	23
Colo. F. & Iron	51		51⅜
Con. Gas	212	213½	213
Colorado Southern	25⅜		26
Gen. Electric Co	188		
Erie	47½	47⅞	47½
Erie 1st pfd	82½	82⅝	82⅝
Erie 2nd pfd	70¾	71¼	70⅞
Illinois Central	158⅜	159	158¼
Kansas & Texas	31⅞		32
Kan & Texas pfd	65½		66
Louis & Nashville	142⅜	143½	143
Manhattan	170⅜	171	171
Met Street Ry	123⅜	123⅜	124⅜
Mexican Central	24⅜	24½	25
Missouri Pacific	109½	109¾	109⅞
Nor. & Western	83⅜		84
N. Y. Central	157½	157½	156⅞
North West	241½	241½	241½
Ont. & Western	54⅜	54⅜	55
Peo. C. & Gas. Co	109⅜	110⅜	110⅜
Reading	95⅞	95¼	96⅜
Pennsylvania	142⅞	142⅝	143⅛
Rock Island	35⅜	35⅛	35⅛
St. Paul	178⅜	178¼	178
Southern Ry	36½	36¼	36⅜
Southern Ry pfd	98⅜		
Southern Pacific	69¾	70¼	70
Twin City	110	110	110
Tenn C. & Iron	89	89	87⅞
Texas Pacific	39½	39⅜	39½
U. S. Leather	11⅞	11⅞	12
Union Pacific	134½	134⅝	133⅞
U. S. Rubber	41⅞	41⅞	42
U. S. Steel	36⅛	36⅜	36⅛
U. S. Steel pfd	95⅞	96	95⅜
Wabash	23	22⅞	23⅛
Wabash pfd	46⅛	46⅜	37⅛
Western Union	92⅜		94

Total sales in N. Y. Saturday, 375,300 shares.

CHICAGO MARKET REPORT.

May Corn	48¼	48⅜	48⅜
May Wheat	115⅞	115½	115⅝
May Oats	32		
May Pork	12.67		12.67
July Corn	48½		
July Wheat	99	98⅛	98⅜
May Oats	31⅞		
Sept Wheat	91⅞	91½	91

MONTREAL QUOTATIONS.

Dom Coal	70½	72½	72
Dom Iron & Steel	22½	23	23½
Dom I. & S., pfd	72	72	72½
Nova Scotia Steel	63½	63	63⅝
C. P. R.	139½	141½	142⅜
Montreal Power	84	84½	85
Rich & Ont. Nav Co.		64	63⅜

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.

March Cotton	734B		
May Cotton	743	747	746
July Cotton	740	742	743
October Cotton	748B	753	749

WALL STREET.

New York, March 6.—Wall street.—Directly after the opening today, prices of stocks advanced easily and a large number showed wide gains. The market opened strong.

IMPORTS

From London ex stmr Montrose:
Order R. M. A., 40 brls oil.
Order L., 60 brls oil.
Order R., 100 brls oil.
London House 5 cases mdse.
McMillan J. & A., 1 case books.
Thompson B. & S. H., 395 casks whiting and cement.
Robertson J. & C., 121 casks whiting.
Order L.C.O., 75 barrels oil.
Schofield & Co., 51 kegs lead.
Seely & Son, 6 cases, 1 qaie cotton.
M. R. & A., 35 cases, 7 bales, 4 casks
From Antwerp:
McAvity T. & Son, 241 ingots spelter.
Order F. K., 24 rough tyres.
Order (220) 600 bdls steel hoops.
McIntyre & Comeau, 600 cases gin.
Sullivan R. & Co., 30 casks gin.
O'Regan J., 450 cases gin.
Pollock Bros., 5 cases, 50 bales, 5 crates.
Kerr & Robertson, 156 reels wire.
M. R. & A., 15 cases mdse.
For Sussex:
Sussex Mfl. Co., 10 bales carpets.
Also a large cargo for the west.
From Manchester ex steamship Manchester Trader:
Cushing Sulp. Co., 1 case straps, 1 case felts.
Emerson & Fisher, 1 case hardware, 2 cases brass goods.
Hutton Jas & Co., 12 blds steel.
Kerr & Robertson & Co., 20 bdls shovels.
Hayward W. H., 125 pkgs earthenware.
Order X. L., 4 trcs alum.
Scovil Bros & Co., 1 case mdse.
Skinner A. O., 4 pkgs mdse.
Thorne W. H. & Co., 21 casks tiles.
Thomson W. & Co., 111 tons coal.
Tippet A. P. & Co., 100 bags sulphur.
Warwick O. H., 56 pkgs earthenware.
Also cargo for the west.

From Liverpool ex stmr Bavarian:
Doherty & Foster, 1 case mdse.
Estabrooks J. F. & Sons, 25 25 cases oranges.
Everett C. & E., 1 case hats.
Hofman T. Co., 6 pkgs mdse.
Imperial Wine Spirits Co., 31 cases brandy.
Leslie A. C. & Co., 78 ingots tin.
Magee D. Sons, 5 cases hats.
M. R. & A., 18 pkgs mdse.
Vassie & Co., 16 pkgs mdse.
Williams F. E. Co., 52 cases oranges.
Watson J., 1 case mdse.
For Moncton:
Gross & Dawson, 2 cases mdse.
For Woodstock:
Wilson, Paterson, 50 drums soda.
Dibblee W. F. & Son, 73 pkgs hardware.
McMann Bros., 2 cases mdse.
Also a large cargo for the west.
B. Montreal 55 cases nuts.
Moore J. E., 1 pcl books.
Olive H. C., 4 pkgs mdse.
Order T. B. B., 20 cases sales.
Order M. & G., 30 cases brandy.
Pender J. & Co., 205 bdls steel.
Prouse D. & Co., 20 pkgs mdse.
O'Regan 111 pkgs brandy.
Robertson J. & Co., 1 case steel.
Skinner A. O., 1 case mdse.
Scovil Bros & Co., 1 case limes.

From Liverpool ex stmr Dunmore Head.
Gandy & Allison, 6880 bags salt.
Order 4800 bags salt.
Order 50 tons rock salt.
Mrs. King, 1 case painting.

BANK CLEARINGS.

The Montreal Clearing House statement shows for week ending March 2:

	Clearings.
1905	$24,350,148
Corr week, 1904	17,417,057
Corr. week, 1903	18,926,986

Winnipeg, Man., Mar. 2.—Bank clearings for the week ending today were:—$5,289,847; 1904, $5,456,773; 1903, $3,672,292.

THE WORLD OF SHIPPING.

MINIATURE ALMANAC.

1905. March.	Sun. Rises.	Sets.	Tides. High.	Low.
6 Mon	6.56	6.16	12.00	6.06
7	654	6.17	0.28	6.40
8 Wed	6.52	6.19	1.00	7.13
9 Thurs	6.50	6.20	1.33	7.47
10 Fri	6.48	6.22	2.09	8.24
11 Sat	6.46	6.23	2.49	9.04

The time used is Atlantic Standard for the 60th Meridan which is four hours slower than Greenwich Mean Time.

PORT OF ST. JOHN.

March 6th.

Arrived.

Stmr Montrose, 3968, McNeill, from London and Antwerp, C. P. R. general cargo.

Stmr Bavarian, 6714, MacNicoll from Liverpool via Halifax, Wm. Thomson & Co., general cargo.

Stmr Manchester Trader, 2136, Fisher, from Manchester via Halifax, Wm. Thomson & Co., general cargo.

Stmr Dunmore Head, 1459, McFerran, from Liverpool, Wm. Thomson & Co., general cargo.

Coastwise.

Schr Beatrice, 78, Trahan, Meteghan.

Schr Edith R., 47, Cook, Back Bay.

Schr Wideawake, 8, Wayne, Musquahs, and cleared.

Cleared.

Coastwise.

Schr Clifford C., Golding, St. Wartins.

DOMINION PORTS.

HALIFAX, Mar. 4.—Ard stmr Bavarian from Liverpool and sailed for St. John, N. B.; Duncan from New York.

March 5—Ard stmr Rosalind, from New York, stmr Baker from Boston; Senlac, from St. John via ports.

BRITISH PORTS.

LONDON, Mar. 5.—Ard bark Birnam Wood, of St. John, N. B., from Bunbury via Falmouth.

DOVER, March 4, 3.50 p. m.—Sld stmr Patricia from Hamburg for New York.

Queenstown, March 4—Sld stmr Umbria from Liverpool for New York.

LAMLASH, Mar. 2.—Sld bark Cordelia, from Glasgow, for St. John's Nfld.

BARRY, March 4—Sld stmr Canada Cape for St. John, N. B.

LIVERPOOL, March 4—Ard stmr London City, from Halifax, N. S., and St. John's Nfld.

BERMUDA, Mar. 5.—Ard sche Jessie Lena, from Annapolis via St John for Sagua.

BERMUDA, March 3—Ard barkentine Malwa, Rosario via Buenos Ayres for Stamford in distress towed in by German warship Bremen.

FOREIGN PORTS.

NEW YORK, March 4—Sld stmr Miville, for St. John.

SOUTHPORT, March 3—Ard stmr Nancy Lee, from Port Medway, N. S.

CITY ISLAND, March 4—Bound south schr Harry Knowlton, from St John, N. B.

BUENOS AYRES, Feb. 6.—Ard bark De Gregori Goi Batta from Campbellton N. B.

CHATHAM, Mass., March 4—Passed south, bktn Shawmut from St John, for New York.

Passed east, stmr Rosalind from New York, for Halifax.

BOSTON, March 4—Ard stmr Mystic, from Louisburg, C. B.

Sld, stmr Baker for Halifax N. S.

BOSTON, March 5—Ard stmrs Boston, Kinney, from Yarmouth; Bay State, Oliver, from Portland, schr Fiheman from Stonington; tug Eureka tow barge Plummer for Portland.

Sld stmrs Sachem, for Liverpool, Boston for Manchester; Nymphaea for Fernandina; Mystic for Louisburg; Amphitrite for New York.

VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass. March 5—Ard schr Harry Miller from St John, N. B., for New York.

Sld, schrs Jonathan Sawyer from New York, for Stonington; W E and W. L. Tuck, from do, for Bucksport, Me.

Passed schr Ruth E. Merrill from Portland, for coal port.

NEW YORK, March 5—Ard schrs Nimrod, from South Amboy, for Halifax, Hilda C, from South Amboy, for Halifax Annie P Chase, from do, for eastern port.

Sld bark Mary Hendry for Halifax, schr Edith L. Allen for Port Royal.

BUENOS AYRES, Jan. 25.—Sailed bark Alex. Black Alexandria Va., before reported Delaware Breakwater.

CHATHAM, Mass., March 4.—Passed south barkentine Shawmut, St. John for New York.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

NEW YORK, March 5.—The inspector of the third lighthouse district gives notice that all light vessels located within the limits of the district are now on duty at their stations.

A lighthouse has been erected by the government of Canada on the northeast point of Belle Isle, and the light will be put in operation on the opening of navigation in 1905, lat N 52.1.2, lon W 55.15.8. The lighthouse stands on land 90 feet above high water mark and 100 feet back from the water's edge. It is a cylindrical iron tower, surmounted by a polygonal iron lantern, the whole painted red. It is 55 feet from its base to the ventilator on the lantern. The light will be a white light, giving one bright flash of ½ second duration every 11 seconds. The light will be elevated 137 feet above high water mark, and should be visible 17 miles from all points of approach by water. The illuminating apparatus is sioptric of the second order and the illuminant will be petroleum vapour burned under an incandescent mantle. It is proposed next season to instal a diaphone fog alarm at this station.

REPORTS, DISASTERS, ETC.

NANTUCKET, Mass. Mar. 2.—A corps of divers from the United States engineer department arrived here this afternoon to commence the work of blowing up sunken wrecks in this vicinity which have become a menace to navigation. A large piece of a vessel's stern has been discovered directly in the steamer channel at Brant Point in a very dangerous position and the divers will commence its removal immediately.

BERMUDA, March 3.—The barkentine Malwa from Rosario via Buenos Ayres from Stanford was towed into port by German warship Bremen today, in distress.

LONDON, March 3—The directors of the transatlantic steamship lines today agreed to incease the cabin rates. The Cunard line participated in the conference.

YARMOUTH, N. S., March 3.—Bark Carrie L. Smith after repairing and reloading her cargo of lumber, was towed down the harbor a few days ago where she still remains. She will probably proceed on her voyage to Buenos Ayres tomorrow.

VESSELS BOUND FOR ST. JOHN.

Steamers.

Bengore Head, 1619 at Dublin Mar. 1.
Canada Cape, 2793, from Barry Mar. 4.
Eranul, 1094 at Savannah, Feb. 1.
Gulf of Ancud, 1700 at London, Mar. 1.
Ionian, 5337, from Liverpool, March 2.
Kastalia, 2562, from Glasgow, Feb. 25.
Lake Erie, 4814, from Liverpool, Feb 25.
Lake Manitoba, 6274, at Liverpool, Feb. 22.
Lake Michigan, 5340, at London, Feb. 23
London City, 1569 at Liverpool Mar. 4.
Melville, 2872, from New York, Mar 4.
Parisian 3385, from Liverpool, March 16.
Pontiac, 2072, Shields via Savannah Feb 15.
St John City, 1412, at London, Feb 23.
Salacia, 2636, from Glasgow March 11.
Sellasia, 2263, at Mobile, Mar. 1.
Tritonia, 2720, from Glasgow, March 4.
Tunisian 6802, from Liverpool March 9.
Victorian (new) from Liverpool Mar. 23.
Virginian (new) from Liverpool April 6.

RECENT CHARTERS

Battle line steamer Himera, 2351 tons from New Orleans to Black Sea, 23,000 quarters grain, 38s 6d, March loading.

Battle line steamer Tanagra, 2159 tons from Cuba to Philadelphia or New York, on time basis.

Battle line steamer Platea 2044 tons., same, and a round trip.

HENRY CLEWS' LETTER.

New York, March 4, 1905.—Unless all indications fail, we are approaching a period when the stock market will show rapid and wide fluctuations. A very optimistic undertone prevails because of generally satisfactory business conditions and the abundance of easy money. This situation of course, stimulates buying for the rise among the trading classes, and the advance would, no doubt, be carried much higher were it not for the fact that prices are already exceedingly high, and the large interests in the market having materially diminished their holdings are known not to be very aggressive bulls. We are now probably near the culmination of this prolonged rise. Some stocks may reach a higher level, under special influences, but technically the market is growing less and less strong for stocks are steadily passing from strong into weaker hands and all the good conditions now observable have been pretty thoroughly discounted.

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NOTICE.

A special meeting of the shareholders of the Hampton and St. Martins Railway Company will be held at the office of the company, St. Martins, New Brunswick, Monday 13th day of March, 1905, to take into consideration the financial standing of the company, and to provide ways and means to meet liabilities now pressing.

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TO LET—SELF-CONTAINED HOUSE, 66 Winter street, opposite Winter street school, 7 rooms, rent $130.00, corner house, pleasant location. Can be seen Wednesday afternoons. For particulars enquire at LOUIS GREEN'S, 59 King street. 3-4 tf.

CARLETON--- TO LET—Lower flat 183 Guildford Street. Present occupied by Mrs. Gregory. 6 rooms modern improvements. F. E. DeMILL.

TO BE LET FROM THE 1st DAY OF MAY next, upper flats of dwelling, 31 Golding street at present occupied by the widow of the late J. Edgar Golding. Also two flats of dwelling, 143 Elliott Row, and two flats of dwelling, 130 Elliott Row. A. C. FAIRWEATHER, Solicitor. 2-11 1m MWS

BARN TO LET—AT 24 PETERS ST., size 50 ft. by 22 ft., two stories, eight stalls, harness and carriage rooms, yard and wagon sheds. Could be used as a warehouse. A CRISTIE Wood Working Company. 3-1 tf.

FURNISHED HOUSE TO RENT DURING SUMMER MONTHS, in central locality; containing seven rooms, kitchen and bath room; hot and cold water and gas. Apply W. J. Mc. Times office. 2-27 tf.

TO LET—LOWER FLAT 165A LEINSTER STREET, suitable for small family only; containing seven rooms, besides bath, etc; heated throughout by hot water radiation; modern plumbing and sewerage, all in perfect order; immediate possession if required. Can be inspected on application or telephone 110 J. H. McAVITY. 2-22 tf.

TO LET—UPPER FLAT IN HOUSE 42 Carleton street, containing 9 rooms, and bath. Can be seen Tuesdays from 2 to 5. Enquire of T. A. SHORT, Union street livery stable. 2-21 tf.

TO LET—FROM 1st MAY NEXT, warehouse on Starr's wharf, near railway station. Size 80-30 feet. Rent $140.00 SAMUEL DUNLOP, Jr, 2-18 tf.

TO LET—THAT PLEASANTLY SITUATED, self contained brick house, 77 Orange street, occupied at present and for the past nine years by H. S. Bridges. Can be seen Thursday afternoons, from 2 to 5 o'clock. Apply to B. MOONEY & SONS, 112 Queen street. 2-17 tf

TO LET—A TWO STORY BUILDING for work shop or warehouse, rear 175 Princess street. Apply to H. L. & J. T. McGOWAN, Princess street. 2-11 tf.

TO LET—FLAT NO 25 COBURG ST., 7 rooms, choice location for doctor's office. Apply to J. H. Doody, 86 Prince William street. 2-11 tf.

TO LET—FIRST OF MAY NEXT, dwelling 118 Pitt street, occupied by Mr. Joshua Clawson, 11 rooms and bathroom, thorough repair: modern conveniences; eligible in every way. Monday and Thursday afternoons. Apply E. T. C. Knowles, 62 Princess street. 2-6 tf

TO LET—UPPER FLAT: CAN BE seen Monday and Saturdays. Apply at 275 Princess street, or house for sale. 2-4.

TO LET—FLAT IN PLEASANTLY situated house, corner Stanley and Winter streets, containing eight rooms and bathroom; hot and cold water. Apply R. R. Patchell, Stanley street. 2—4. tf.

TO LET—Brick house, occupied by subscriber, 195 Waterloo street; house is in perfect repair; fitted with modern conveniences. Can be seen Monday, Wednesday and Thursday afternoons. A. R. Campbell, 64 Germain St. 2-1 tf.

TO LET—From 1st May next, the four story and basement brick building, on the northwestern corner of Canterbury and Church streets, now in part occupied by the Times Printing Company; alley way and rear entrance from Church street. The whole or portions of building will be let as required. Floor space each storey about 2,050 feet; elevator; well lighted in every part; steam heated; electric wiring. Apply E. T. C. Knowles 62 Princess St. 2-1 tf.

BOARDING.

BOARDING — LANSDOWNE HOUSE; several good single and double rooms, now vacant. 2-22 tf

LOST.

LOST—ON FRIDAY AFTERNOON A PEARL STAR. Finder will be rewarded by returning it to Star office. 3-6 tf.

LOST—ON SATURDAY NIGHT, ON ST JAMES STREET, between Sydney and Carmarthen, about 9.30 o'clock, a lady's brown fur driving glove. Finder rewarded by leaving at 151 St. James street. 3-6 2i.

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WANTED AT ONCE—COAT AND VEST MAKERS. Apply to D. & J. PATTERSON, 77 Germain street.

WANTED — A HOUSEKEEPER IN small family, good wages, and good home. Address A. J. W., Box 352, Moncton. 3-4 6i.

WANTED—COOK AND HOUSEMAID, 3 in family; no washing or ironing. Apply 73 Sewell street. 2-7

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. Apply 84 Sydney street. 3-3 6i.

WANTED—A YOUNG LADY WHO HAS the time at home, and is willing to use it in study; advertising, show card writing, window dressing, drawing, applied design. Instruction by experts. For information address STUDY, Times office. 3-3 tf.

WANTED—A CHAMBERMAID. APPLY at once to GRAND UNION HOTEL. 2-1 tf.

WANTED—IMMEDIATELY, GIRL FOR family of two. Apply to MRS. F. G. SPENCER, 151 King St. East. 3-1 tf.

MALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED—THREE HUNDRED MEN to buy our Spring Neckwear and Hats, Ties, at 25c, 35c, 50c. Hats 85c, to $2.50 at WM. A. WETMORE'S, 154 Mill street.

WANTED—A SMART, ENERGETIC young man to drive delivery, and work in meat store. Apply H. LILLEY, Butcher, Carleton, W. E. 3-6 3i.

WANTED—A LIVE, ACTIVE MAN, with ability and good character, to represent a leading Life Insurance Co., Good terms and inducements to the right man. Address FIELD, Times office. 3-3 1w

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