

Forty-fifth Annual Report OF THE CONNECTICUT MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY.

To the Members: The year 1890 completed forty-five years of service by this company to its constituency.

Adding for accrued interest, market values of bonds above cost, deferred dividends, etc., \$1,458,613.40, the gross assets December 31, 1890, were \$59,747,707.44.

During the year it paid out: For claims by death, \$1,224,908.65; for claims by maturity, \$1,147,881.70; for death and maturity, \$2,372,790.35.

During the year 1890 the company completed sales of three pieces of real estate at a loss of \$729.20 on its cost, and of 41 pieces at a profit of \$297,147.17 over cost.

During the year 1890 we made completed sales of properties that had cost us under foreclosure \$1,641,187.77 for \$1,332,605.74, a gain over cost of \$298,582.03.

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grasp so widely as to compel the use of all possible means regardless of their cost. Magnitude of operations and boldness of enterprise are today chief attractions constantly dwelt upon by most of the great companies to win the applause of an enterprising public, regardless of their unprecedented and enormous expense.

But the truth never changes to suit our moods or ambitions. Security being assured, the thing of chief importance to the policy holder is the individual yearly cost of his policy. He is the man that pays the expenses. His premium pays the losses and expenses and furnishes the invested assets that earn the interest. No one else is doing it for him.

By far the largest item of the expense account, the thing in it which costs the policy holder most, is the compensation to agents, who are engaged in the business as a means of livelihood and to whom, therefore, every increase in commissions by a rival company is a powerful incentive to change their connection and a source of discontent if they do not so change.

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RECIPROCIETY ENFORCED IN GEORGIA. A Board of Trade Telegraphs Its Views to Secretary Blaine. COLUMBUS, GA., Feb. 12.—At a meeting of the Columbus Board of Trade to-night the following resolution was adopted and a copy telegraphed Secretary Blaine.

Resolved, That the Columbus Board of Trade most heartily indorses the policy of reciprocity of trade with foreign nations on the plan as recently adopted with the Republic of Hawaii, secured by the efforts of Hon. James G. Blaine, Secretary of State, and that we regard this international treaty of trade one of the boldest moves in the inauguration of a policy which promises more benefit to our common country than any act of recent American statesmanship.

He Talks Pretty Plainly to the Visiting Sioux Warriors. WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—The Indian chiefs now in the city called at the White House in a body at 1 o'clock this afternoon, and paid their respects to the President. They were accompanied by the Commissioner of Indian Affairs and several interpreters.

They pointed out the folly of their going to war with the whites, and made it very plain that if they made any more trouble they would be punished. He told them they must teach their young men not to be warriors, but citizens, and endeavor to earn their own living by some peaceful industry. The Indians then shook hands with the President and withdrew.

CROUP, whooping cough and bronchitis immediately relieved by Shilo's Cure. Sold by Jos. Fleming & Son, 412 Market st.

BARGAINS IN LADIES' and misses' sailor hats, fine French felt hat and bonnet shapes, boys' cloth caps, Tam O'Shanter's and so on for 12¢.

Ladies, call and see our new spring stock of corsets, all the most desirable and popular styles, shapes and qualities.

MARRIED. WHEELER—PEEL—At the Church of the Ascension, Tonawanda, N. Y., February 9, 1891, by Rev. J. N. Bustin, CHARLES H. WHEELER, of Tonawanda, and MARY PEEL, of Pittsburgh.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. SHEAFER & LLOYD, JEWELERS. Successors to Wattles & Sheaffer. Diamonds, Watches, Silverware, Jewellery, Art Goods, Cut Glass.

NO. 37 FIFTH AVENUE. Telephone 1893. jeb-wyy

AT LATTIMER'S. BARGAINS! BARGAINS! Our entire stock of winter dry-goods and underwear regardless of cost.

Underwear reduced from 50c, 75c and \$1 to 20c per garment.

LATTIMER'S. ALLEGHENY, PA. THE LADIES' FAVORITES, HIMMELRICH'S.

WILL FOR THE NEXT 3 DAYS TAPE THEIR CHOICE KID BUTTON BOOTS, FORMER PRICE, WHICH WAS \$2.50 TO \$1.75.

Either Heeled or Spring Common Seniors or Opera Toe. It is not necessary to assert the primeness of these shoes, as they are too well known as the most perfect-fitting shoes in the land.

These prices will rule ONLY FOR 3 DAYS. Don't expect to buy them at that after that date, as other lines will then be displayed.

HIMMELRICH'S, 430-436 Market St. BOYS' STAR SHIRT WAISTS! Spring Styles

Spring Styles. We are ready with a large line of the first.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. TO-DAY AND TO-MORROW. All KILT SUITS at 25 per cent discount—among them many of Best & Co.'s celebrated makes—all will be sold at three-fourths regular prices.

3 MOST EXTRAORDINARY OFFERINGS THE LADIES OF THESE CITIES HAVE EVER SEEN.

300 PIECES 27-INCH INDIA SILKS, 75c AND \$1

50 PIECES 50-inch Imported ENGLISH SUITINGS, Stripes and Checks, \$1 A YARD.

Ladies' for shopping dresses, business dresses, traveling dresses or best dresses, will buy 6 or 7 yards of these 50-inch English Suitings at \$1 (all imported goods) so quickly that this large center counter (of 50 pieces) will soon be cleared.

Wonderful Friday Bargains. Fleishman & Co., 504, 506 and 508 Market St. WOMEN

Who think of deferring the purchase of Seal-skins till next fall will be wiser if they buy now, because, First—We have an unbroken stock in all sizes of this season's garments, which we will sell at prices LOWER than we could buy them WHOLESALE to-day.

Second—Notwithstanding the financial depression, SEALSKIN HAS NOT DECLINED A PENNY, so that prices next fall MUST run from \$20 to \$100 higher per garment, according to length.

Third—By investing to-day you will save 50 per cent over next fall's prices, besides having the use of the garment this winter which has just begun.

Jackets from \$1.25 Half Scaques from \$1.50 Full Length, \$1.75

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. B. & B. SOME CLOTHING FACTS. At this season of the year we would rather have \$1 in cash than \$2 in merchandise.

Now, we are going to make A LAST GRAND RALLY! And offer you the balance of the stock at very tempting figures.

YES, OVERCOATS. From the finest specimen of the tailor's art down to the cheapest serviceable Overcoat made, are each and all greatly reduced in price.

Out on center counter 50 PIECES 50-inch Imported ENGLISH SUITINGS, Stripes and Checks, \$1 A YARD.

Ladies' for shopping dresses, business dresses, traveling dresses or best dresses, will buy 6 or 7 yards of these 50-inch English Suitings at \$1 (all imported goods) so quickly that this large center counter (of 50 pieces) will soon be cleared.

Large lot 22-inch French BLACK BROCADE SILKS, Soft and lustrous, on armure grounds and Brocade Stripes, dollar and a quarter goods, at 75 CENTS.

Soft as Cashmires, and such handsome Black Brocade Silks will make luxurious and comfortable house dresses or tea gowns—75 cents is the remarkable price.

If the 3 above extraordinary large lots do not make the liveliest trade these stores have seen for many a day, then we misjudge the ladies' appreciation of nice goods—at such prices.

N. B.—Hundreds of pieces imported Spring Woolens, Suitings, Novelties and Paris Pattern Dresses opened.

PARLOR, LIBRARY, BEDROOM, KITCHEN FURNITURE. Fancy Rockers, Bookcases, Pictures, Parlor Suites, Onyx Top Tables, Desks, Chiffoniers, Cabinets, Mantel Figures, Wall Pockets.

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Boys' Star Shirt Waists! Spring Styles

Malaria Is believed to be caused by poisonous miasm arising from low marshes, or from decaying vegetable matter, and which, breathed into the lungs, enter and poison the blood.

Flowers! Flowers! Order early and thus secure the choicest fresh flowers. Our stock is always superb.

Horne & Ward, 41 FIFTH AVE. THE MERCANTILE AGENCY R. G. Dun & Co., 64 Broadway, N. Y.

Feathers & Down, Strou & McAteer, 64 LIBERTY ST.

Hopper Bros. & Co., 307 Wood St.

THE OLD RUT and old methods are not the easiest by far. Many people travel them because they have not tried the better way.