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FARMERS' UNION MUTUAL

MARCHING RAPIDLY FORWARD TO THE MILLION DOLLAR MARK.

The Third Annual Meeting Proves Highly Satisfactory.

THE LOSSES FOR THE YEAR WERE $2,080.34, OF WHICH $1106.34 WAS CAUSED BY LIGHTNING.

The third annual meeting of the Farmers' Union Mutual Insurance Company was held on Thursday afternoon of last week in Smyth's hall. Each and every year marks an increased interest in this carefully guarded enterprise, hence it was no surprise to THE WATCHMAN to see such an excellent attendance of interested farmers present, despite the unfavorable weather and bad roads. The meeting was certainly a representative one, and among those present from all parts of the county we were pleased to notice Messrs. Johnston Ellis, John Campbell, Alex. Jamieson, Hugh Smith, Elwin Mark, Wm. Lownsbrough, R. M. Birchard, John Short, Thos. Webster, Elisha Mark, D. H. Corneil, John Connolly, David Reid, John Currins, Andrew Marshall, E. H. Hopkins, T. Ward, Robt. Naylor, Thos. Robinson, John Prouse, W. J. Grandy and a number of other leading farmers.

After the meeting was called to order, Mr. John Connolly was appointed chairman pro tem, after which Mr. Johnston Ellis, the popular president of the company, read the following:

PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS.

To the Members of the Farmers' Union Mutual Fire Insurance Company:

GENTLEMEN,—Your directors beg to submit the third annual statement of the company, which we believe will be found highly satisfactory. We have now in force, insurance to the amount of $850,000, and we have been only two years and six months in the business; before the other six months have passed we will have gone beyond the $1,000,000 mark, which we think is a creditable showing for a young company. We hope during the next three years to have at least $2,500,000 on our books.

The insurance taken by our company during 1897 was $379,650, an amount equal to two-thirds of that secured in the first two years of our existence, and an increase over 1896 of $105,795.

Our premium income for 1897 was $2,700.54, an increase over the preceeding year of $718.55. On the 31st Dec., 1898, $322 65 of this income was held in short-date notes, a number of which have matured and been retired since that date. Our losses during the year were rather heavy, amounting in all to $2,080.34, of which $1106.34 was incurred by lightning, and the remainder were thoroughly honest claims.

We have the satisfaction that this money was received from the farmers of this county, and paid out to them again, so that the money does not leave our own community. We have attached to our statement a list of the losses with their causes, so far as we have been able to ascertain them. Our assets have increased from $14,978.64 to $25,019 67.

In closing, we would urge that each member to do what he can in increasing our membership by good men. We have carefully watched each risk as it came in, and have declined a number that we thought were not good so far as moral hazard is concerned. We have our directors well spread, so that men cannot get into our company who are likely to have dishonest fires. We wish to thank the members for their patronage, and we shall endeavor to make the Farmers' Union one of the strongest county companies doing business, as we are, for the farmers only.

The retiring directors are Messrs. W. J. Moore, John Ellis, Hugh Smith, who are all eligible for re-election.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Secretary Corneil then read the financial statement as follows:—

RECEIPTS.

Cash on hand in bank Dec. 31, '96	$ 1418 93
Premiums paid in cash, 1897	2431 89
Fees paid in cash, 1897	333 50
Cash paid on due bills of 1896	246 45
Transfer fees and extra premiums	3 75
Interest	18 64
Total receipts	$ 4453 36

EXPENDITURES.

Losses, 1897	$ 2080 34
Commissions and fees	630 90
Rent, advertising, printing, stationery and postage	108 53
Adjusting losses	12 50
Government license	12 52
Arbitration expenses, re Thomas May's loss	82 58
Rebates on cancelled policies	60 80
Secretary's salary	175 00
Treasurer's salary	10 00
Auditor	3 00
Director's fees and mileage	85 45
Cash in Montreal bank to balance	1191 74
	$ 4453 36

A general discussion then followed on the satisfactory showing made by the company for the year, despite the heavy losses sustained by the ravages of lightning. During the year the company has been called upon to settle ten losses by fire, four of which were caused by lightning. But as it is an old saying that "lightning never strikes twice in the one spot," the company are confidently looking forward to a very prosperous business next year throughout the district. The reports were then on motion received and adopted.

WHAT THE AUDITORS SAY.

The report of the auditors was then read, certifying to the correctness of the business transacted, as well as furnishing a statement as the assets and liabilities as follows:—

ASSETS.

Cash in Montreal Bank	$ 1191 74
Unpaid notes	322 65
Unassumed premium notes, less those given for re-insurance	23505 28
	$ 25019 67

Liabilities—none.

ELECTION OF DIRECTORS.

President Ellis then explained that the next order of business was the election of directors to take the place of those retiring. He pointed out that there were really three directors for Ops at the present time and he thought it would be better if one of this number was allotted to the township of Somerville.

Secretary Corneil stated as there was a constantly increasing business coming from Somerville, it would be well to have that township represented on the directorate. So far he had relied upon private reports on the risks taken.

Moved by Mr. Alex. Jamieson, seconded by Mr. Elwin Mark, that Messrs. Johnson Ellis, H. Smith and Wm. Fell be and are hereby appointed directors for the year 1898.—Carried.

Mr. Smith in a short address thanked the members for the honor done him in again electing him on the board of directors, and assured them that he would do all his power to increase the influence and prosperity of the Farmers' Union Mutual.

Mr. Johnson Ellis then thanked them for re-appointing him a member of the board of directors and assured them that it was honor done him. In the past, in his own way, he had done what he could to advance the company's interests, while at the same time he had endeavored to be fair and equitable with every person insured therein.

VOTES OF THANKS.

Mr. Lownsbrough referred to the retiring president, who had devoted so much time to the interests of the company, and moved that the thanks of the members be tendered him.—Carried.

Votes of thanks were then passed to the retiring directors and Mr. Connolly as chairman. The meeting then adjourned.

THE DIRECTORS MEETING.

The directors then held their meeting and elected the following officers:

President, Johnson Ellis.
Vice-president, John Campbell.
Secretary, R. G. Corneil.
Treasurer, Robt. Naylor.

Mr. Ellis thanked the directors for again electing him to the position of president. It was a pleasure for him to meet with the directors of the Farmers' Union Mutual and transact business, as there was a total absence of anything like discord, and he felt that every member as well as every director was doing all in their power to advance and guard the best interests of the company.

Mr. John Campbell in a neat speech thanked the directors for the honor conferred upon him in thus re-electing him their vice-president for the third time. The past year was an unfortunate one for the company in that they had suffered more from lightning than they had from any other cause. This, however, was the fate of all companies, they had their good years and their bad years, and as we have suffered somewhat in 1897, he looked forward to a highly prosperous year in 1898. He was delighted with the very gratifying report for the past year in the face of the casualties noted, and urged greater vigilance in keeping the expenditure down to the very lowest point until the company had a good surplus.

A general discussion then followed on matters pertaining to the internal working of the company. A pleasing feature was the examination of some twenty-five applications for insurance, which were carefully considered by each and every director present.

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

The following gentlemen comprise the full board of directors for the year 1898: Johnson Ellis, Lindsay; John Campbell, Woodville; Timothy Ward, Lindsay; N. L. Campbell, Lorneville; Hugh Smith, Hartley; A. Jamieson, Glenarm; D. H. Corneil, Omemee; R. M. Thurston, Bobcaygeon; W. Magee, Janetville; Elwin Mark, Little Britain; Wm. Lownsbrough, Oakwood; Wm. Fell, Somerville.

LOSSES FOR 1898.

Peter Murphy, Ops, damage to contents of dwelling by sparks, $1; P. O'Donnell, Eldon, contents of dwelling, unknown, $7.50; Thos. Coad, Fenelon outbuildings and contents, lightning $1035.39; D. McGill, Manvers, damage to outbuildings lightning, $1; John Waldon, Fenelon, contents of barn and stack, lightning $27; W. H. Wilson, Fenelon, damage to dwelling, &c, lightning, $12 95; Aaron Gilson, Fenelon, outbuildings, supposed child playing with matches, $300; John Short, Mariposa, outbuildings, tenant dropping lantern, $400; John Campbell, Mariposa, hen house and contents, unknown, $170 50; Wm. Martin, Verulam, damage to dwelling, spaks, $5.

LITERARY NOTES.

—It would be safe to say that for sweetness of expression and literary charm George du Maurier never wrote anything better than "Social Pictorial Satire," the concluding part of which will appear in Harper's Magazine for March. He discusses Leech and Keene, the well-known Punch artists, man whom he knew and loved; tells of the present scope and future possibilities of Pictorial Satire, and adds a few delightful paragraphs concerning his own work.

—During February Harper's Bazar will begin a clever new department, in which the affairs of the day in New York and other cities will be lightly touched upon in bright and sparkling paragraphs. This department will be conducted by a lady whose name will not be given. Mrs. Sherwood, in her Types of American Women, will write concerning "The Little Miss." An admirably practical series, entitled "Woman's Voice in Speech," will begin in February.

—The story entitled "The Adventurers," by H. B. Marriott Watson, which is continued in the current number of Harper's Round Table, is sure to win for the periodical a large number of new readers. It has for its subject that most fascinating of all themes of adventure, the search for hidden treasure. Instead, however, of islands in far distant seas, and of a period remote from to-day, the author has centered his plot around an old castle in modern Wales; and with the cunning of the accomplished story-teller has already, out of simple material, woven an intricate web of intrigue.

The Cashmere shawls made of the finest goats' hair are not manufactured from that of Cashmere goats pastured, as is often believed, near the rose gardens "where the nightingales sing by the calm Bendemeer." The precious wool is the under-fur of a breed kept in Tibet and by the Khirgis in central Asia, from the slopes of the Alatau mountains to the bend of the Ural north of the Caspian. Only a small quantity, averaging three ounces, of the precious wool is produced yearly by each goat, and the material is collected by middlemen, taken to Cashmere and sold in the bazaars, where it is purchased by the makers of the shawls. M. Jaubert in 1819 imported some of these animals into France, and after crossing them with the Angora breed, obtained an average of 30 ounces instead of three ounces of equally fine wool. There is no doubt that the valuable "long wool" goats could be bred in England as successfully as they are in the United States, Cape Colony and Australia, were the commercial value of such an experiment assured. Recent experiments in acclimatizing the vicuna, a small alpaca, in France have met with considerable success, and both the Cashmere and Angora goats were found to do well on the Swiss Alps, though as they gave no milk they were not popular with the farmer.—London Spectator.

NEWS OF THE WEEK.

—C. Hughan, issuer of marriage licenses at HUGHAN & Co.'s, Lindsay.—5-1y.

—Teeth made by Mr. Gross over twenty years ago are still being worn, and in good serviceable condition.—30-tf.

—Mr. Mulock has given notice in the Dominion house of a bill to abolish the superannuation system.

—John Tufford, while at work in the Victoria Wheel Works, Galt, on Thursday afternoon has his arm torn from its socket in a machine, one lung being exposed.

—Cordella Viau Poirier has been found guilty of the murder of her husband, Isidore Poirier, at St. Canute, near St. Scholastique, Que.

—The cost of the Cuban war, from February, 1895, to the end of 1897, is officially estimated at £48,000,000, besides the arrears due from the Cuban treasury, amounting to £8,000,000.

—Prof. J. H. Panton of the Ontario Agricultural College, who has been sick for some weeks, died at the Guelph general hospital Thursday night of cancer of the stomach.

—Black diphtheria has broken out among the men on the Crow's Nest Pass railway. Two young men from Nova Scotia have succumbed, and four or five more cases were reported a couple of days ago.

—The customs department at Ottawa last week received $47,000 from Mr. Davis, collector at Dawson City. This makes $85,000 in duties received so far from Yukon since the opening of navigation in 1897.

—As compared with last year the farmers of Ontario produced ten million bushels more wheat, three million bushels more oats, a million more buckwheat, a million tons more corn, a million and a half more of hay and clover.

—The Ontario Gazette announces the incorporation of the Muskoka Gold Mining and Development Co., limited, with a capital stock of $99,000, and the following members: G. S. Burt, S. A. Cunningham, J. H. Jackson, W. Ormsby and G. F. Rice, all of Severn Bridge.

—The Nulty murder trial was brought to a close Friday evening at Jolliette, Que., and Tom Nulty, the slayer of his three sisters and little brother on Nov. 4 last, will expiate his crime upon the scaffold on May 20 next, at 9 o'clock in the morning.

—A New York millionaire named W. H. Nicholls will build an $80,000 cottage on Howe island, Kingston, next spring. The contract has been let. The cottage will have a frontage of 208 feet, and in the centre will be a huge room known as "Rompers' Hall."

—A mail train and a freight train collided on the Glasgow and South Western railway, near Troon. The driver and the fireman of the freight train and five workmen who were on board the mail train were killed. In addition, 36 persons were injured some of them fatally.

—The McIntyre block, the largest, best and most central business blocks in Winnipeg, comprising ten stores and near one hundred offices, was destroyed by fire Tuesday morning, 1st inst. The loss is estimated at $500,000, on which there is an insurance of $300,000. All the principal insurance companies are heavy losers.

—After a long illness Mr. James Quinn, J.P., of Orillia, passed away on Thursday morning last. He had been a resident of the town before most of the present generation of citizens were born, and for more than forty years has taken a foremost place in the development of the town and district.

—Frank Dickman, employed at the Alboin hotel, Bracebridge, undertook to separate two dogs which were fighting. One of them jumped at him and tore his face. The dog's lower teeth entered below the chin and the upper teeth above his mouth. It took several stitches to bring the wounded parts together.

—Mr. James Graham of West Luther has mysteriously disappeared. He was left at his own gate Sunday night by a neighbor, with whom he had been driving, and has not been seen since. He leaves a wife and three children. He had $50 in his pocket when last seen. Foul play is suspected.

—The trial of Mr. W. H. Ponton against the Dominion bank for $50,000 damages for false arrest, will come on for trial at the assizes in April. The Belleville Sun says Mr. F. Gus Porter, Ponton's solicitor, denies that the case will be settled, and says any rumor of a compromise of $40,000 is unfounded.

—The report of the registrar-general of Ontario of the births, marriages and deaths in the province has been printed. It shows that the total number of marriages last year in Ontario was 19,904, the number of persons married being 29,808. The births totaled 46,908 and the deaths were 21,857.

—The meeting of the Grand Orange Lodge had been fixed for March 1st, at Palmerston, Ont., and notices to that effect were sent out to the various lodges. As, however, the provincial elections will be held on that date it has been deemed advisable to alter the time of the meeting, and it has accordingly been changed to March 15th.

—A distressing accident occurred near Hespeler on Saturday morning, whereby Arnold, the young son of Michael Tremaine, lost his life. The little fellow, who was not two years old, was playing with a snail, putting it in his mouth, when it went down his throat, lodging in his windpipe. The child died in a few minutes.

—The construction of several short lines of railway in Ontario will be entered upon. The road from Pembroke running southward to the Parry Sound line will be started immediately as well as the Cobourg and Tweed line, which has recently been subsidized by the Ontario government. It is understood that Mr. J. D. Cameron the well-known Quebec contractor, will build the last-named railway.

—The agreement for the use of the old northern line between North Bay and Toronto by the C.P.R. having run out, the latter corporation has announced a new system of its own from North Bay, via Smith Falls and Arnprior to Toronto. The C.P.R. will have to cover double the distance done by the G.T.R. but the run by this route will be only three and a half hours longer than the other.

—The Brockport, N.Y., Republic tells the story of an enterprising merchant who gilded a lump of coal, placed it in his window and labelled it, "A nugget from Klondyke, valued $9,000." He failed to remove the "valuable nugget" from the window one night last week, and in the morning found the window broken and the gilded coal gone. It cost him $90 to replace the broken plate glass.

—Latest official reports from Dawson City warn people against rushing into the Klondike without at least two years' supply of provisions. There is said to be no employment for any large number of people in any capacity, and no placer discoveries have been made during the past eight months in either Alaska or the Northwest Territory. Hundreds of people are now said to be scattered along the river destitute of food, clothing and money.

—Sometimes it transpires that on the Toronto police force there is a nervy and courageous policeman. Constable Murphy is one. Mrs. Fitzgibbons was being driven east on Elm-st. in Mr. Dalton McCarthy's carriage one day last week, when the horses became frightened, and after throwing the coachman into a snow bank turned down Yonge-st. to Wilton avenue, tearing along at a mad gallop. Policeman Murphy, seeing the danger, jumped into a butcher cart and chased the runaway. At Jarvis-st. the butcher boy guided his horse as close to the frightened team as possible, and the policeman jumped. He alighted on the back of one of the horses and pulled them both up. Mrs. Fitzgibbons was shaken up, but uninjured, and the coachman was only slightly bruised. But for Policeman Murphy, however, a very serious accident might have followed. He deserves a medal.

—Loan companies that made advances on Manitoba property years ago report that the returns from the west during the past three months have exceeded expectations. One company has taken from Manitoba over $20,000 interest and discharged mortgages, many of which had been written off a year ago. Directors of leading loan companies are taking a greater interest in the business of their institutions, and are inquiring into many properties on which advances have been made.

—Those who visited the island at Toronto on Friday were presented with a phenomenon unprecedented in the memory of the oldest inhabitant. Far out to the south of the island the February billows of the lake were buried beneath a sheet of ice that extended as far as the eye could reach, and strong glasses in the lighthouse tower showed the frozen surface to reach Niagara's mouth. Everywhere there was ice, and a few more days of zero weather would permit a foolhardy ice yachtsman to scud across old Ontario at a rate never possible before.

—While Robt. Gash, a plasterer of London, Ont., was putting the finishing touches on a house there the other day, he had an unpleasant experience. A large coal stove is used to assist more rapidly in drying the plaster and Mr. Gash had occasion to be near the stove, where in some way he inhaled enough gas to render him unconscious. He was found by one of his workmen and dragged to a place of safety. Had he not been found almost immediately after losing consciousness, the result would in all probilities have been fatal.

—At the recent annual convention of the Fruit Growers' Association Prof. Fletcher strongly recommended spraying fruit trees during the winter. The spores of the various fungi rest on the limbs and twigs as well as on the leaves. When the leaves are on the tree it is impossible to get spray on to the limbs and twigs. The best time to do this spraying is during the winter. It could be done any time when most convenient, but the best time is towards spring when vitality is returning. If the trees are sprayed during the winter better results will be obtained as the result of spraying after the leaves are out. Prof. Taft of Michigan and others also very strongly recommended winter spraying.

—A big strike has occurred in the Rosamond woollen mills in Almonte. Eighty weavers have walked out. At half-past four Tuesday afternoon of last week a notice was posted in the weave room of the mill announcing a ten per cent. reduction of wages, with the result that all the weavers stopped their looms and left the mill. A ten per cent. bonus formerly enjoyed by the weavers was discontinued during the dullness of trade some four years ago, and the operatives were circulating petitions to have the bonus restored now when business is brisk and the mill running overtime. The weavers are determined to accept no reduction, but may return to work without pushing for the restoration of the bonus.

—John Milligan, aged 21, Lee Milligan, 15, and Ethel Baker 12, were suffocated by gas from a charcoal fire early Friday morning at Madoc and Mrs Milligan may not recover from the effects of the same. Milligan was caretaker of the model school and was in the habit of carrying live coal from the furnace in the evening and placing them in an old stove in one of the bedrooms in his house. There was no pipe connecting the stove with the chimney, consequently the fumes would remain in the rooms. Thursday night instead of bringing hot coals from the school they substituted charcoal, which resulted in the death of three children and possibly the mother.

Friday morning the government diver at St. Catharines volunteered his services to search for the body of Mr. H. O. Fitzgerald, who was supposed to have met his death by going through a hole in the ice on the new Welland canal on his way home on Monday night. The surmise proved to be correct, for early Friday afternoon the body was found by the diver not far from the hole where it is supposed that he had fallen in. Mr. Fitzgerald had a lantern on his arm which he had not not lighted and, as he usually went along with his hands in his pockets, was probably swept under the ice by the current, which is strong at that point, and was utterly unable to help himself. An inquest will be held to set all matters at rest as to his lamentable death.

—C. H. Thompson, a saloon-keeper of Buffalo, but who previous to entering that business was a commercial traveller, having occasion from time to time to cross the border on business, was arrested last week and placed behind the bars on complaint of Mrs. C. A. Cuthbertson, a comely Canadian widow, who charges him with exacting sums of money from her until the entire amount reached between $2,000 and and $2,500. Report is to the effect that, at the widow's solicitation, Hampton quit travelling, and with $1,000 furnished by Mrs. Cuthbertson established the saloon in question. Mrs. Cuthbertson says Hampton misappropriated her loans. Hampton denies the charge and says he can establish his innocence.

—The recent defeat of the official trades unions in England has caused Tom Mann, the well-known labor leader, who is backed by certain other labor leaders, to issue a manifesto urging the organization of a new workers' union. This union is intended to be essentially political as well as industrial, because it has been shown that trade unionism without political action is not equal to the solution of the labor problem. The aim is to organize the bulk of the country's workers, of whom barely one-fifth are embraced in the existing unions, and to enroll all classes of workers, skilled and unskilled, brain workers and hand workers, the organization to be used on every possible occasion to advance the interest of its members by political effort until collectivism shall supersede capitalism.

—The Ontario government are taking steps for the enforcement of the recent act passed to regulate the emigration of children into the province from the old country, and have appointed Mr. P. Bryne, Ontario emigration agent at Liverpool, as examiner under the act, has duties to commence forthwith. Important departures will be made from the present system. Hitherto children intended for Ontario were passed on their arrival at the dock, but objection was raised on this side of the water that such an examination was inadequate. In future the utmost care will be observed. Mr. Byrne will visit the various institutions before the children are allowed to leave them. He will make close inquiries into the past history and health of all children destined for Ontario, will satisfy himself that they are able to read and write, and that they have not been convicted of any crime. Only upon satisfying him in these respects will the children be allowed to emigrate. By carrying out the regulations it is expected that objections heretofore raised against this class of immigration will disappear.

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