FASHION'S FOIBLES.

MATINEE, BREAKFAST-GOWN, OR NEGLIGEE A PRETTY CREATION.

A Watteau a Feature of the Season—Ginghams More Attractive than Ever—Gauntlets and Hosiery.

[Correspondence of the Richmond Dispatch.]

NEW YORK, March 26.—There is a dainty, bewitching, coquettish garment that is a positive necessity to one's now-a-days wardrobe, and which is known rather indifferently as a matinee, breakfast gown, or negligee. It is at present a specialty. One sees no exhibitions of new gowns in which it does not prominently figure, and frequently as the prettiest creation of them all.

A few instances, briefly outlined, will indicate the style of thing I refer to. One is in heliotrope *crepe de chine, en princesse*, with full sleeves to the elbow, terminated by deep falls of lace. From the neck to the very edge of the skirt extends a full or double jabot of lace. The gown is encircled about the waist by a girdle of white moire ribbon.

No. 2 is in a pale yellow figured India, also *en princesse*, with a Watteau back. This Watteau is a feature of the season. You can hardly go amiss in applying it to any sort of dress, except one intended strictly for the street, and it is really graceful and picturesque. Yet another matinee is one of our etherialized ginghams—one of those fabrics in which silk has a decided part—a striped apple-blossom pink and white. It has a *camisole* of white surah and full sleeves to the elbow, finished with lace. The skirt is *en traine*.

THE SCOTCH GINGHAM.

Speaking of ginghams, never were they so attractive. Even the plain Scotch gingham is a thing of beauty and a joy forever. It is sometimes striped in blue and white, pink and white, yellow and white, or black and white, and sometimes appears plaided and cross-barred effects. In these, heliotrope and white, with sometimes an intermixture of pink or even Nile green is to be seen. Black and heliotrope and heliotrope and white are united for mourning wear in the silk-finished ginghams. Mourning stocks always include these in their stocks now.

DRESSED-KID GAUNTLETS.

Gloves have of recent years shown painful lack of novelties. This spring we are to wear only the gauntlet, and this to be made in suede. The gauntlet must be of dressed kid in a mahogany shade of tan. We are allowed a certain latitude and have several light colors appearing in stores. This is as it should be. For the lightest shades in every department of dress would seem most appropriate. Nature herself leads the way and we can do better than to follow her teachings. So there are some very pale yellows—bisques and yellow-tans—and some pearl and gray shades in the newest gloves.

FAST BLACK IN HOSIERY.

From gloves to stockings is an easy transition. The "fast-black" still reigns in hosiery, and, it must be confessed, has become decidedly monotonous. In the better grades one sees a certain attempt at variety, in the division of the stocking at the ankle into two colors; the upper part of the leg in white, cardinal, heliotrope, or sometimes making a sharp line against the lower portion and sometimes "vanishing" into it. But in all of these selections the latter part is black, as far up as it can ever, even by accident, be revealed. It would certainly seem that the taste for a certain symmetrical harmony in dress, which is observable in other departments might well be applied here, and one's stockings match in color the tint of one's gown.

PARASOL AND GOWN.

The spring parasol exhibits many beauties and graces. This very often by dressy women is carried of a color to agree with the gown. It is developed in crepe, preferably lined with surah in a contrasting shade and edged with lace or with a silk ruching of the self color. The preferred stick is the English "natural wood" and is sometimes very ugly. The ugliest are deemed the most "swagger."

Little girls have the opportunity of wearing very dainty frocks if their mothers are observant and tasteful enough to avail themselves of the prevalent models. These run to figured challies, China and India silks, made with gathered waists and shirts over camisoles of lawn or sometimes of scrim. In fact, they are "Marguerite" costumes in miniature.

VARIOUS NOTES.

The bell skirt conceals beauties in the way of petticoats that are never suspected until an artful updrawing of the prolonged drapery affords a passing glimpse.

By the way, the bell model will last at least through the spring and summer. This is more than a prediction.

These shirts in fancy and figured patterns will be much worn beneath the open wraps of the spring and summer street-gowns.

Heliotrope will have a long run of popularity, as great as that which it enjoyed three seasons ago.

Striped crepons are in wonderful and beautiful variety. They are altogether charming and will make up "resort" dresses which will be seen on every hotel piazza from Bar Harbor to the White Sulphur.

The tan-cloth street coat or jacket is the English (and consequently the American) outer garment of the spring *par excellence*.

THE EYE, EAR, AND THROAT.

Relief of Sufferers from Maladies of These Organs.

The following is the act passed by the General Assembly for the relief of indigent persons suffering from disease of the eye, ear, or throat:

Whereas, there are many indigent people in the counties of this State suffering from disease of the eye, ear, or throat, which with proper treatment may be removed or in large measure relieved; and whereas these people are too poor to pay for this treatment, and with the progress of their disease are likely to become charges upon the public; and whereas it is proper for the State to do something for the relief of such cases; and whereas there is a chartered institution in the city of Richmond known as the Richmond Eye, Ear, and Throat Infirmary, which has been doing charitable work for a number of years; and whereas this institution, though provided with proper appliances and skilled surgeons, finds itself hampered in its capacity for useful charitable work by the lack of means; and whereas this institution is willing to receive and treat such persons as may be admitted under this act at the rate of $30 per month; therefore,

1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia*, That the Auditor of Public Accounts on the presentation of the accounts in detail of the managers of said institution for the care of such persons as shall have been received and treated under the terms of this act, shall issue warrants on the Treasurer for the payment thereof.

2. That the necessary medical and surgical treatment is to be afforded to these people free of charge.

MANNER OF ADMISSION.

3. That the number of persons to be admitted during any one year for treatment is to be under the control of the managers aforesaid, and that no person is to be admitted unless, with his application for admission, he files a certificate, under oath of a reputable physician of his county, that he is acquainted with the applicant; that, in his opinion, he has a curable disease of the eye, ear, or throat, as the case may be, and that to the best of his knowledge and belief that he is a proper subject of charity and is entitled to receive the benefits of this act. Accompanying this certificate of the doctor there must also be the certificate of the judge of the County Court in which the applicant lives that he knows the applicant and the doctor making the certificate first mentioned, and that he believes the statements therein contained to be true.

4. Any citizen of this State who can comply with the requirements of this act shall be eligible for admission for treatment into the institution aforesaid.

5. That the sum of $1,000 for the year 1892, and the like amount for the year 1893, is hereby appropriated for the purposes aforesaid out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

6. This act shall be in force from its passage.

Working the County Roads.

[For the Dispatch.]

There is quite an excitement in Henrico over the question of purchasing teams, wagons, and implements by the supervisors to be used in improving the county roads. A petition, including upwards of 300 names of the tax-payers of the county, protesting against this purchase, and asking Judge Minor not to approve of the same, has been obtained. As a majority of the tax-payers believe that the county people would be glad to furnish all necessary teams in the improvement of the county roads at a much less expense than this new plan would incur, it is probable the measure will fail through.

Formerly people had to suffer with cold, but now Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup cures them.

INSURANCE STATEMENTS.

[PUBLISHED UNDER AUTHORITY OF THE AUDITOR OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS OF THE STATE OF VIRGINIA.]

ÆTNA INSURANCE COMPANY.

ANNUAL STATEMENT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING THE 31st DAY OF DECEMBER, 1891, OF THE ACTUAL CONDITION OF THE ÆTNA INSURANCE COMPANY, ORGANIZED UNDER THE LAWS OF CONNECTICUT MADE TO THE AUDITOR OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS FOR THE COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA, PURSUANT TO SECTIONS 1280 AND 1281, CODE 1887, REGULATING THE REPORTS OF INSURANCE COMPANIES.

Name of the company in full—ÆTNA INSURANCE COMPANY.
Principal office of said company in the United States—HARTFORD, CONN.
Character of the company, whether fire, fire and marine, or marine insurance company—FIRE AND MARINE.
President—JOTHAM GOODNOW.
Secretary—ANDREW C. BAYNE.
Organized and incorporated—1819.
Commenced business in the United States—1819.
Name of the general agent in Virginia—WILLIAMSON TALLEY.
Residence of the general agent in Virginia—RICHMOND.

I. CAPITAL.

Whole amount of joint stock or guaranteed capital authorized	$ 5,000,000 00
Whole amount of capital actually paid up in cash	4,000,000 00

II. ASSETS.

Value of real estate owned by the company, as specified in Schedule A, hereunto annexed	$ 275,000 00
Loans on bond and mortgage (duly recorded and being first lien on the fee simple), upon which not more than one year's interest is due	42,900 00
Interest due on all said bond and mortgage loans, none; interest accrued thereon, $441.47—total	441 47
Value of the lands mortgaged, exclusive of buildings and perishable improvements $ 59,000 00	
Value of the buildings mortgaged (insured for $34,000 as collateral) 58,500 00	
Total value of said mortgaged premises (*carried inside*) $117,500 00	

ACCOUNTS OF ALL STOCKS AND BONDS OWNED ABSOLUTELY BY THE COMPANY (SCHEDULE OF STOCKS AND BONDS DECEMBER 31, 1891):

	Par Value.	Market Value.
United States currency bonds, 6 per cent. semi-annual interest	$ 100,000 00	$ 120,000 00
Alabama State bonds, 4 and 5 per cent. semi-annual interest	10,000 00	10,500 00
Georgia State bonds, 4½ per cent. semi-annual interest	25,000 00	30,000 00
Mississippi State bonds, 6 per cent. annual interest	11,000 00	12,650 00
New Hampshire State bonds, 6 per cent. semi-annual interest	48,000 00	60,000 00
Rhode Island State bonds, 6 per cent. semi-annual interest	43,000 00	46,440 00
South Carolina State bonds (consolidated) 6 per cent. semi-annual interest	15,000 00	15,750 00
Tennessee State bonds, 3 per cent. semi-annual interest	23,000 00	16,560 00
Hartford county, Conn., bonds, 4 per cent. semi-annual interest	17,000 00	17,000 00
Mecklenburg county, N. C., bonds, 6 per cent. semi-annual interest	50,000 00	57,500 00
Barkhamsted, Conn., town bonds, 6 per cent. semi-annual interest	3,000 00	3,000 00
Norwich, Conn., town bonds, 7 per cent. semi-annual interest	100,000 00	135,000 00
Pawtucket, R. I., town bonds, 7 per cent. interest	100,000 00	112,000 00
Windsor Locks, Conn., town bonds, 6 per cent. semi-annual interest	20,000 00	21,600 00
Albina, Ore., City Boulevard bonds, 6 per cent. semi-annual interest	25,000 00	30,000 00
Bainbridge, Ga., City Academy bonds, 6 per cent. semi-annual interest	8,000 00	9,200 00
Bloomington, Ill., city bonds, 8 per cent. semi-annual interest	20,000 00	21,000 00
Boston, Mass., city bonds, 6 per cent. semi-annual interest	50,000 00	56,500 00
Brooklyn, N. Y., city bonds, 6 per cent. semi-annual interest	9,000 00	10,080 00
Buffalo, N. Y., city bonds, 7 per cent. semi-annual interest	50,000 00	65,000 00
Cleveland, O., city bonds, 7 per cent. semi-annual interest	25,000 00	26,750 00
Cincinnati, O., city water bonds, 7 per cent. semi-annual interest	30,000 00	32,400 00
Chicago, Ill., city bonds, 7 per cent. semi-annual interest	29,000 00	32,480 00
Columbus, O., city improvement bonds, 6 per cent. semi-annual interest	50,000 00	53,000 00
Corry, Pa., city bonds, 6 per cent. semi-annual interest	10,000 00	10,000 00
Dalles City, Ore., water bonds, 6 per cent. semi-annual interest	25,000 00	27,500 00
Dallas, Tex., city water and sewer bonds, 5 per cent. semi-annual interest	50,000 00	52,500 00
Detroit, Mich., city bonds, 7 per cent. semi-annual interest	30,000 00	31,500 00
Fostoria, O., city water bonds, 5 per cent. semi-annual interest	25,000 00	25,000 00
Fort Wayne, Ind., city bonds, 6 per cent. semi-annual interest	25,000 00	28,250 00
Glenville, O., village bonds, 6 per cent. semi-annual interest	29,000 00	30,450 00
Hamilton, O., city gas-works bonds, 5 per cent. semi-annual interest	25,000 00	26,250 00
Hartford, Conn., city bonds, 6 per cent. semi-annual interest	94,000 00	103,400 00
Indianapolis, Ind., city bonds, 7 3-10 per cent. semi-annual interest	50,000 00	55,000 00
Jersey City, N. J., city bonds, 6 per cent. semi-annual interest	15,000 00	15,300 00
Kansas City, Kan., improvement bonds, 7 per cent. semi-annual interest	10,000 00	10,800 00
Kansas City, Kan., improvement bonds, 6 per cent. semi-annual interest	50,000 00	55,000 00
Lockport, N. Y., city bonds, 7 per cent. semi-annual interest	25,000 00	30,000 00
Montreal, Can., corporation stock, 6 per cent. semi-annual interest	19,000 00	21,280 00
Montreal, Can., harbor bonds, 4 per cent. semi-annual interest	4,000 00	4,080 00
Newark, N. J., city bonds, 7 per cent. semi-annual interest	50,000 00	56,000 00
New Brunswick, N. J., city bonds, 7 per cent. semi-annual interest	20,000 00	21,000 00
New Brunswick, N. J., water bonds, 7 per cent. semi-annual interest	9,000 00	10,170 00
Ottumwa, Ia., city bonds, 5 per cent. semi-annual interest	7,000 00	7,000 00
Providence, R. I., city bonds, 6 per cent. semi-annual interest	50,000 00	60,000 00
Rahway, N. J., city bonds, 7 per cent. semi-annual interest	45,000 00	11,250 00
Richmond, Va., city bonds, 5 per cent. semi-annual interest	11,300 00	11,865 00
Richmond, Va., city bonds, 6 per cent. semi-annual interest	32,750 00	39,300 00
Rochester, N. Y., city bonds, 7 per cent. semi-annual interest	25,000 00	27,000 00
Seattle, Wash., city bonds, 5 per cent. semi-annual interest	50,000 00	50,000 00
St. Louis, Mo., city gold bonds, 5 per cent. semi-annual interest	50,000 00	55,000 00
Superior, Wis., city bonds, 6 per cent. semi-annual interest	25,000 00	26,250 00
Toledo, O., city special bonds, 7 3-10 per cent. semi-annual interest	13,000 00	15,600 00
Toledo, O., city water bonds, 8 per cent. semi-annual interest	5,000 00	5,300 00
Topeka, Kan., city funding bonds, 5 per cent. semi-annual interest	25,000 00	26,250 00
Urbana, O., city bonds, 6 per cent. semi-annual interest	25,000 00	27,500 00
Chamber of Commerce Safety-Vault bonds, Chicago, 5 per cent. semi-annual interest	35,000 00	36,750 00
Central Safety-Deposit bonds, Chicago, 5 per cent. semi-annual interest	50,000 00	52,500 00
Tacoma Safety-Deposit bonds, Chicago, 6 per cent. semi-annual interest	50,000 00	55,000 00
Independent School District, Blakesburg, Ia., bonds, 6 per cent. semi-annual interest	500 00	500 00
Independent School District, Chelsea, Ia., bonds, 5½ per cent. semi-annual interest	1,000 00	1,000 00
Independent School District, Ottumwa, Ia., bonds, 5 per cent. semi-annual interest	15,000 00	15,000 00
Independent School District, State Center, Ia., bonds, 5 per cent. semi-annual interest	2,000 00	2,000 00
Northeast School District, Hartford, Conn., bonds, 4 per cent. semi-annual interest	20,000 00	20,000 00
School District, No. 2, Enfield, Conn., bonds, 4½ per cent. semi-annual interest	4,000 00	4,000 00
School District, 24, Woodbridge, N. J., bonds, 7 per cent. semi-annual interest	10,000 00	10,500 00
State of Illinois, Mason & Tazewell drainage district bonds, 7 per cent. semi-annual interest	9,000 00	9,900 00
Albany and Susquehanna railroad, first consolidated gold mortgage bonds, 7 per cent. semi-annual interest	50,000 00	65,000 00
Albany and Susquehanna railroad, first consolidated bonds, 6 per cent. semi-annual interest	50,000 00	59,000 00
Alabama Central railroad, first mortgage gold bonds, 6 per cent. semi-annual interest	25,000 00	28,750 00
Atchison, Colorado and Pacific first mortgage railroad bonds, 6 per cent. semi-annual interest	50,000 00	50,000 00
Akron and Chicago Junction first mortgage bonds, 5 per cent. semi-annual interest	25,000 00	26,250 00
Buffalo and Erie railroad bonds (new), 7 per cent. semi-annual interest	46,000 00	53,360 00
Canadian Pacific Railway Company land grant, 5 per cent semi-annual interest	100,000 00	110,000 00
Chesapeake and Ohio railroad, Richmond and Allegheny division, first mortgage bonds, 2-4's per cent. semi-annual interest	25,000 00	18,750 00
Cleveland, Columbus, Cincinnati and Indianapolis railroad, S. F. first mortgage bonds, 7 per cent. semi-annual interest	25,000 00	28,500 00
Cleveland, Columbus, Cincinnati and Indianapolis railroad first consolidated mortgage bonds, 7 per cent. semi-annual interest	60,000 00	76,800 00
Cleveland, Painesville and Ashtabula railroad mortgage bonds, 7 per cent. semi-annual interest	32,000 00	37,000 00
Chicago, Burlington and Quincy railroad consolidated mortgage bonds, 7 per cent. semi-annual interest	75,000 00	93,750 00
Chicago, Burlington and Quincy railroad mortgage bonds, 4 per cent. semi-annual interest	50,000 00	45,000 00
Chicago, Burlington and Quincy railroad, convertable, mortgage bonds, 5 per cent, semi-annual interest	2,000 00	2,420 00
Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul (Chicago and Milwaukee division) railroad first mortgage bonds, 7 per cent. semi-annual interest	75,000 00	93,750 00
Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul (Hastings and Dakota division) railroad first mortgage bonds, 7 per cent. semi-annual interest	25,000 00	31,000 00
Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul (Iowa and Minnesota division) railroad first mortgage bonds, 7 per cent. semi-annual interest	10,000 00	12,200 00
Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul (Iowa and Dakota division) railroad ex. first mortgage bonds, 7 per cent. semi-annual interest	10,000 00	13,000 00
Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul (Dubuque division) railroad first mortgage bonds, 6 per cent semi-annual interest	25,000 00	30,750 00
Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul (South Minnesota division) railroad first mortgage bonds, 6 per cent. semi-annual interest	50,000 00	60,000 00
Chicago and Northwestern railroad, Madison extension, first mortgage bonds, 7 per cent. semi-annual interest	30,000 00	39,900 00
Chicago and Northwestern railroad, S. F. mortgage bonds, 6 per cent. semi-annual interest	25,000 00	29,000 00
Chicago and Northwestern railroad general consolidated gold mortgage bonds, 7 per cent. semi-annual interest	50,000 00	62,500 00
Chicago and Northwestern railroad consolidated S. F. mortgage bonds, 7 per cent. quarterly interest	50,000 00	70,000 00
Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific railroad mortgage bonds, 6 per cent. semi-annual interest	60,000 00	76,800 00
Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific railroad extension first mortgage bonds, 5 per cent. semi-annual interest	100,000 00	107,000 00
Chicago and Western Indiana railroad mortgage bonds, 6 per cent. semi-annual interest	43,000 00	49,020 00
Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton railroad consolidated S. F. mortgage bonds, 7 per cent. semi-annual interest	32,000 00	40,000 00
Columbus and Toledo railroad second mortgage bonds, 7 per cent. semi-annual interest	14,000 00	15,680 00
Dayton and Western railroad mortgage bonds, 6 per cent. semi-annual interest	28,000 00	31,640 00
Delaware and Hudson Canal Company mortgage bonds, 7 per cent. semi-annual interest	30,000 00	32,700 00
Delaware and Hudson Canal Company (Pennsylvania division) mortgage bonds, 7 per cent. semi-annual interest	25,000 00	35,000 00
Flint and Pere Marquette, first consolidated mortgage bonds, 5 per cent. semi-annual interest	25,000 00	26,000 00
Flint and Pere Marquette (Port Huron division) first mortgage bonds, 5 per cent. semi-annual interest	25,000 00	26,250 00
Harlem River and Port Chester railroad, first mortgage bonds, 7 per cent. semi-annual interest	100,000 00	135,000 00
Harlem River and Port Chester railroad, first mortgage bonds, 6 per cent. semi-annual interest	50,000 00	60,000 00
Indiana and Lake Michigan railroad, first mortgage bonds, 5 per cent. semi-annual interest	50,000 00	52,500 00
Iowa Midland railroad, first mortgage bonds, 8 per cent. semi-annual interest	25,000 00	31,250 00
Kansas Pacific railroad, first consolidated bonds, 6 per cent. semi-annual interest	25,000 00	27,500 00
Keokuk and Des Moines railroad, first mortgage bonds, 5 per cent. semi-annual interest	40,000 00	42,000 00
Lake Shore railroad, mortgage bonds, 7 per cent. semi-annual interest	30,000 00	34,800 00
Lake Shore and Michigan Southern railroad, first consolidated bonds, 7 per cent. semi-annual interest	15,000 00	18,150 00
Lake Shore and Michigan Southern railroad, second consolidated bonds, 7 per cent. semi-annual interest	80,000 00	97,600 00
Louisville, New Albany and Chicago (C. & I. Division), first mortgage bonds, 6 per cent. semi-annual interest	25,000 00	28,250 00
Louisiana and Missouri River first mortgage railroad bonds, 7 per cent. semi-annual interest	25,000 00	29,500 00
Memphis and Charleston railroad, first consolidated bonds, 7 per cent. semi-annual interest	25,000 00	31,250 00
Mahoning railroad coal bonds, 5 per cent. semi-annual interest	30,000 00	33,000 00
Michigan Central railroad, second mortgage bonds, 7 per cent. semi-annual interest	50,000 00	62,500 00
Minneapolis and St. Louis (Iowa extension) railroad, first mortgage bonds, 7 per cent. semi-annual interest	25,000 00	28,250 00
Minneapolis Union railroad gold bonds, 6 per cent. semi-annual interest	50,000 00	58,500 00
Morris and Essex railroad, first mortgage bonds, 7 per cent. semi-annual interest	25,000 00	35,500 00
Morris and Essex railroad, first consolidated bonds, 7 per cent. semi-annual interest	110,000 00	149,600 00
New York Central railroad bonds, 5 per cent. semi-annual interest	37,000 00	37,740 00
New York Central and Hudson River railroad, first mortgage bonds, 7 per cent. semi-annual interest	175,000 00	227,500 00
New York and Harlem railroad, first mortgage bonds, 7 per cent. semi-annual interest	10,000 00	12,500 00
New York, Lake Erie and Western railroad, first consolidated mortgage bonds, gold, 7 per cent. semi-annual interest	45,000 00	61,650 00
New York and New England railroad, first mortgage bonds, 7 per cent. semi-annual interest	50,000 00	62,000 00
Norfolk and Western railroad, general mortgage bonds, 6 per cent. semi-annual interest	50,000 00	62,500 00
Northwestern Union railroad, first mortgage S. F. bonds, 7 per cent. semi-annual interest	25,000 00	33,500 00
Oswego Railroad Bridge Company bonds, 6 per cent. semi-annual interest	50,000 00	60,000 00
Ohio and West Virginia railroad, first mortgage bonds, 7 per cent. semi-annual interest	26,000 00	29,640 00
Pittsburg, Fort Wayne and Chicago railroad, first mortgage bonds, 7 per cent. semi-annual interest	75,000 00	108,750 00
Pittsburg, Fort Wayne and Chicago railroad, second mortgage bonds, 7 per cent. semi-annual interest	81,000 00	115,020 00
Pittsburg, Fort Wayne and Chicago railroad, third mortgage bonds, 7 per cent. annual interest	40,000 00	56,000 00
St. Paul, Minneapolis, and Manitoba railroad, first mortgage bonds, 7 per cent. semi-annual interest	16,000 00	18,800 00
St. Paul and Northern Pacific railroad, first gold mortgage bonds, 6 per cent. semi-annual interest	50,000 00	60,500 00
St. Paul and Sioux City railroad, first gold mortgage bonds, 6 per cent. semi-annual interest	20,000 00	24,400 00
St. Louis and Iron Mountain first mortgage bonds, 7 per cent. semi-annual interest	10,000 00	10,000 00
Vermont Valley railroad bonds, 5 per cent. semi-annual interest	50,000 00	53,500 00
Wabash railroad, first mortgage gold bonds, 5 per cent. semi-annual interest	25,000 00	26,250 00
West Shore railroad, first mortgage bonds, 4 per cent. semi-annual interest	50,000 00	52,000 00
Atlantic Dock Company Bonds, 5 per cent. semi-annual interest	31,000 00	34,100 00
Loan and Guarantee Company of Connecticut bonds, 6 per cent. semi-annual interest	10,000 00	10,000 00
Atlantic Mutual Insurance Company Scrip	44,460 00	44,460 00
50 Shares Connecticut River Company stock	5,000 00	1,000 00
500 shares Albany and Susquehanna Railroad Company stock	50,000 00	82,500 00
150 shares Central Ohio Railroad Company stock	7,500 00	7,950 00
500 shares Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago and St. Louis railroad preferred stock	50,000 00	50,000 00
1,000 shares Cleveland and Pittsburg railroad stock	50,000 00	77,500 00
220 shares Chicago, Burlington and Quincy railroad stock	22,000 00	24,200 00
220 shares Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific railroad stock	22,000 00	19,800 00
300 shares Connecticut River railroad stock	30,000 00	67,200 00
500 shares Connecticut and Passumpsic Rivers railroad stock	50,000 00	61,000 00
300 shares Dayton and Michigan railroad preferred stock	15,000 00	24,000 00
400 shares Fort Wayne and Jackson railroad preferred stock	40,000 00	46,400 00
100 shares Joliet and Chicago railroad stock	10,000 00	15,000 00
200 shares Kalamazoo, Allegan and Grand Rapids railroad stock	20,000 00	23,000 00
200 shares Keokuk and Des Moines railroad preferred stock	20,000 00	3,400 00
1,000 shares Morris and Essex railroad stock	50,000 00	75,000 00
800 shares New York Central and Hudson River railroad stock	80,000 00	95,200 00
500 shares New York and Harlem railroad stock	25,000 00	67,500 00
1,500 shares New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad stock	150,000 00	340,500 00
700 shares Northwest Telegraph Company stock	35,000 00	35,700 00
750 shares Pittsburg, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railroad Company stock	75,000 00	116,250 00
150 shares Peoria and Bureau Valley Railroad Company stock	15,000 00	25,500 00
200 shares Rensselaer and Saratoga Railroad Company stock	20,000 00	34,800 00
200 shares Valley (New York) Railroad Company stock	20,000 00	22,000 00
200 shares Ætna National Bank stock, Hartford, Conn	20,000 00	25,000 00
200 shares American National Bank stock, Hartford, Conn	10,000 00	14,300 00
400 shares Charter Oak National Bank, stock, Hartford, Conn	40,000 00	44,000 00
160 shares City Bank stock, Hartford, Conn	16,000 00	16,800 00
150 shares Connecticut River Banking Company stock, Hartford, Conn	7,500 00	7,650 00
337 shares Farmers' and Mechanics' National Bank stock, Hartford, Conn	33,700 00	37,744 00
200 shares First National Bank stock, Hartford, Conn	20,000 00	22,000 00
1,000 shares Hartford National Bank stock, Hartford, Conn	100,000 00	160,000 00
550 shares National Exchange Bank stock, Hartford, Conn	27,500 00	39,875 00
1,000 shares Phœnix National Bank stock, Hartford, Conn	100,000 00	131,000 00
550 shares State Bank stock, Hartford, Conn.	55,000 00	56,650 00
400 shares American Exchange National Bank stock, New York city	40,000 00	60,000 00
400 shares Bank of the Manhattan Company stock, New York city	20,000 00	37,000 00
300 shares Bank of New York National Banking Association stock, New York city	30,000 00	72,000 00
200 shares Bank of North America stock, New York city	14,000 00	24,500 00
100 shares Hanover National Bank stock, New York city	10,000 00	35,000 00
300 shares Importers' and Traders' National Bank stock, New York city	30,000 00	165,000 00
100 shares Market and Fulton National Bank stock, New York city	10,000 00	22,500 00
700 shares Merchant's National Bank stock, New York city	35,000 00	53,200 00
120 shares Merchants' Exchange National Bank stock, New York city	6,000 00	7,560 00
1,200 shares Mechanics' National Bank stock, New York city	30,000 00	60,000 00
400 shares Metropolitan National Bank stock, New York city	40,000 00	3,200 00
200 shares Nassau Bank stock, New York city	10,000 00	17,000 00
500 shares National Bank of Commerce stock, New York city	50,000 00	95,000 00
150 shares National Bank of the Republic stock, New York city	15,000 00	27,000 00
300 shares National Butchers' and Drovers' Bank stock, New York city	7,500 00	13,875 00
100 shares National City Bank stock, New York city	10,000 00	50,000 00
300 shares Phœnix National Bank stock, New York city	6,000 00	8,100 00
200 shares Peoples' Bank stock, New York city	5,000 00	15,000 00
100 shares Third National Bank stock, New York city	10,000 00	11,000 00
250 shares Farmers' and Mechanics' National Bank stock, Philadelphia, Pa	25,000 00	41,250 00
100 shares First National Bank stock, Albany, N. Y	10,000 00	18,000 00
100 shares New Britain National Bank stock, New Britain, Conn	10,000 00	16,000 00
100 shares Central Trust Company stock, New York city	10,000 00	120,000 00
100 shares Holland Trust Company stock, New York city	10,000 00	20,000 00
100 shares Metropolitan Trust Company stock, New York city	10,000 00	29,000 00
150 shares New York Life Insurance and Trust Company stock, New York city	15,000 00	105,000 00
100 shares United States Trust Company stock, New York city	10,000 00	80,000 00
100 shares Union Trust Company stock, New York city	10,000 00	80,000 00
Total par and market values	$6,863,910 00	$9,061,769 00
Total par and market value, carried out at market value		9,061,769 00

ACCOUNT OF STOCKS, BONDS, AND ALL OTHER SECURITIES (EXCEPT MORTGAGES) HYPOTHECATED TO THE COMPANY AS COLLATERAL SECURITY FOR CASH ACTUALLY LOANED BY THE COMPANY, WITH THE PAR AND MARKET VALUE OF THE SAME, AND THE AMOUNT LOANED ON EACH:

	Par Value.	Market Value.	Amount Loaned Thereon.	
National Bank of Commerce, New York, 25 shares of $100 each	$2,500 00	$4,750 00	$3,600 00	
Mechanics' National Bank, New York, 25 shares of $25 each	625 00	1,250 50		
Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railroad Company, 3 shares of $100 each	300 00	330 00		
Union Pacific Railroad Company, 18 shares of $100 each	1,800 00	746 00	2,420	
Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railroad Company, 11 shares of $100 each	1,100 00	495 00		
National New Haven Bank, 2 shares of $100 each	200 00	320 00		
New York and New Jersey Telephone Company, 10 shares of $100 each	1,000 00	900 00		
Total par and market value and amount loaned thereon	$7,525 00	$8,791 00	$6,020 00	6,020 00

Cash in company's principal office	$ 8,401 20	
Cash belonging to the company deposited in Ætna National Bank, Hartford, $2,270.41; Phœnix National Bank, Hartford, $304,242.67; Charter Oak National Bank, Hartford, $50,000; Farmers and Mechanics' National Bank, Hartford, $50,000; State Bank, Hartford, $50,000; City Bank, Hartford, $50,000; Hartford National Bank, Hartford, $50,000; First National Bank, Hartford, $55,000; National Exchange Bank, Hartford, $50,000; United States Trust Company, New York, $583.26; New York Life and Trust Company, New York, $25,000; Bank of Montreal, Ottawa, $2,632.33; Merchants' National Bank, Cincinnati, $15,475.08; Grangers' Bank of California, San Francisco, $2,056.57; Bank of California, San Francisco, $4,150.87; American National Bank, Omaha, Neb., $16,659.12—total	728,070 31	
		736,471 51
Interest due and accrued on stocks not included in "market value," none; on special deposits		375 00
Interest due and accrued on collateral loans		150 75
Gross premiums in due course of collection not more than three months due		536,001 30
The gross amount of all the assets of the Company		$10,659,139 03
AGGREGATE AMOUNT OF ALL THE ASSETS OF THE COMPANY, STATED AT THEIR ACTUAL VALUE		$10,659,139 03

III. LIABILITIES.

Gross claims for adjusted and unpaid losses due and to become due	$ 109,879 15	
Gross losses in process of adjustment or in suspense, including all reported and supposed losses	225,445 75	
Losses resisted, including interest, cost, and other expenses thereon	33,183 55	
Total gross amount of claims for losses	$ 368,506 45	
Deduct reinsurance thereon	22,525 00	
Net amount of unpaid losses		$ 345,981 45
Gross premiums, without any deduction, received and receivable upon all unexpired fire risks, running one year or less from date of policy, $2,158,834.15; unearned premiums, 50 per cent	$1,079,417 07	
Gross premiums, without any deduction, received and receivable upon all unexpired fire risks, running more than one year from date of policy, $2,528,131.27; unearned premiums (pro rata)	1,374,181 64	
Gross premiums, without any deduction (including both cash and bills), received and receivable upon all unexpired inland navigation risks, $66,473.72; unearned premiums (50 per cent.)	33,236 86	
Total unearned premiums as computed above		2,486,836 57

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Amount reclaimable by the insured on perpetual fire insurance policies, being 95 per cent. of the premium or deposit received		30,396 69
Due and accrued for salaries, rent, advertising, and for agency and other miscellaneous expenses—small for printing, etc		500 00
All other demands against the company, absolute and contingent, due and to become due, admitted and contested—viz.: State, city, county, or other taxes or assessments, none; commissions, brokerage, and other charges due and to become due to agents and brokers on premiums paid and in course of collection, $66,718.24; return premiums,