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# Metropolitan Life Insurance Co.

INCORPORATED BY THE STATE OF NEW YORK. STOCK COMPANY. JOHN R. HEGEMAN, President.

## ANOTHER VALUABLE CONCESSION

To Industrial policy-holders. The Company announces that every person insured in the Metropolitan under a Whole Life Industrial policy who is now 75 years of age or over IS RELIEVED OF FURTHER PAYMENT OF WEEKLY PREMIUMS, and a similar concession will be made to all persons now insured under Whole Life policies who will reach age 75 during 1906, as soon as they arrive at that age.

This concession takes effect as of January 1, 1907, and all premiums paid in advance of that date on any policy such AS WE REFER TO WILL BE RETURNED TO THE POLICY-HOLDER. This action of the Company in granting

### FREE POLICIES AT AGE 75

is without precedent in the insurance business, and we believe the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company is the only Company that has granted such a concession: This will cost in increase of reserve and in remission of premiums this year

## OVER ONE MILLION DOLLARS

To appreciate the generous treatment accorded to its policy-holders by the Metropolitan Life, it must be remembered that already during THIS YEAR it has announced and is paying OVER TWO MILLIONS OF DOLLARS, in voluntary contributions to Industrial policy-holders, over and above all obligations expressed or implied in their policies...

This makes a total of OVER THREE MILLIONS THIS YEAR allowed to Industrial policy-holders, over and above the contract obligations, and OVER THIRTEEN MILLIONS during the past twelve years.

If this announcement of a free policy affects any reader of this advertisement, and if his case has not yet been attended to, we ask him to speak to the agent who collects his premiums and the agent will attend to forwarding the policy to the Home Office, TO BE EXCHANGED, WITHOUT EXPENSE, FOR A FREE POLICY FOR THE FULL AMOUNT CALLED FOR BY THE POLICY SUR- RENDERED.

### INCREASE IN BENEFITS

New tables with large increases of benefits in Industrial Policies have been adopted. The payment of premiums on all new Industrial Life policies will cease at age 75. Reductions have been made in the premiums charged for most of the forms of Ordinary policies.

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# 1906

In Its Ordinary Department the Company wrote more Paid-for-Business than any other company save one. It Gained More Ordinary Business Than Any Other Company Save One

Its Expense Ratio Was Largely Reduced and Was the Lowest in Fifteen Years

## MORAL:--INSURE IN THE METROPOLITAN

#### Sporting Notes.

John Boden, who managed the Bualo meeting last year and showed a profit, is still at liberty to assume his old duties and horsemen in general are rather anxious to know why it is planned to allow Murphy to succeed him.

Burlew & O'Neill shipped their horses from New Orleans for Gravesend last Monday. They have sold Royal Brbeze to Mose Godblatt, and will send Samson and Gild to Latonia to run in the Queen City stakes. Sir Toddington and Juggler, when they arrive here, will be pointed for several engagements at Aqueduct.

Announcement is made that the Park Brew stakes at the Narragansett Park Trotting association races will be free for all the pacing class when the grand circuit meeting is held. The purse is the richest ever offered for so fast a class, the previous amounting to \$1500, and \$2000, while this season's is \$5000. The stake has previously been offered for pacers around the 2:10 mark. A unique feature of the event is the fact that the entrance fee will be the record the less money the owner will have to pay.

The opening of the running race season at Bennings on Monday to close April 13. The Metropolitan circuit will begin with the Queen County Jockey club's meeting in April 15 to 25. This will be followed by the Westchester Racing association meeting May 9 to 18. The Maryland Jockey club's meeting at Pimlico will be April 20 to May 4.

The movement to secure the entry of a naval academy crew in the race at Poughkeepsie on June 26, has reached the point where the Annapolis crew find themselves handicapped by the deficiency funds. This is the only serious barrier to their going to the great event and making a fine showing, for the shortage of funds must be relieved before they can start. The crew is in fine shape, and will make a good showing if it once

#### Whitman College News Letter.

The referee for the great Tri-state interscholastic track meet and declamation contest will be Mr. Dorsey S. Hill, county clerk of Walla Walla county, and one of the fairest and best known sportsmen of the northwest. Mr. Hill is a graduate of Willamette University, and is one of the famous football referees for the northwest. He will have entire charge of the meet, will see that every contestant receives fair treatment, and that all events are run off promptly. All subordinate officials

drops its oars in the Hudson river at Poughkeepsie. The baseball teams in the south have all got down to business, and are improving every day. They have got a little tired, however, of the work, and want real live opponents before them.

The Thirteenth regiment of Brooklyn has agreed to put up diamond studded medals for the invitation 600 yard race, with Taylor and Sheppard on stretch, tonight.

Mike Dolin arrived at New Orleans set all the Giants wild, and they are now convinced that they have the winning team.

Thomas Hueston, of St. Louis, champion pool player of the world, defeated Jerome Keogh, of Buffalo, challenger for the title, in the first of their series of three matches at 200 points each. The score was 204 for Hueston to 121 for Keough.

The Cincinnati delegation to the annual convention of the American Bowling congress secured the next congress and tournament for that city and elected ugust (Garry) Herrmann president of the congress for 1907-08.

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will be appointed by him and Professor Hendrick.

Handsome silver cups will be awarded to the individual winning the highest number of points, and to the school winning the highest number of points in the meet. An interesting feature will be a quarter mile relay on the last day, in which the local schools below the grade of high school will take part with a team of four boys. One of the leading business firms will give a silver cup for this contest.

The prize medals which will be given to all winners in the meet are being made according to a special design of a very artistic quality. The name of the event is on the bar from which hangs the medal itself with a handsome figure in relief of a Roman discus thrower, and an appropriate inscription.

The Easter vacation began last Wednesday evening at the close of college, and lasts one week. During the vacation many improvements have been made in the baseball grounds and athletic field. The old grandstand has been moved behind the backstop and improved. Additional bleachers for 1500 people are being built. It is expected that at least 2000 will be present at the finals.

The Creek club held its monthly meeting on Tuesday, the chief paper being by Professor W. D. Lyman who instituted a very interesting comparison between the Antigone of Sophocles and Mrs. Browning's Duchess May.

#### To Prevent Massacre.

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#### Republicans Voted at Primary.

Pensacola, Fla., April 2.—Many Republicans are voting today at the Democratic primary. They claim they are interested in the welfare of the city, and should be allowed to vote without any questioning of their party standing. The Democrats allowed them to vote on the promise that they would support the ticket that carried the primary. Many of the Republicans are large landholders, and feel a substantial interest in how the city is governed.

#### The Price of Health.

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