

INSURANCE.

TABLE CXIX. Risks, premiums, cash receipts and payments of fire companies 1901-1905.

Schedule.	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Canadian companies—					
Risks taken in year ..	170,894,095	215,145,969	216,505,990	239,234,027	301,816,272
Premiums charged on risks	2,471,897	3,146,612	3,316,923	3,754,219	4,700,323
Cash received for premiums.....	1,727,410	2,055,794	2,282,498	2,681,274	3,026,435
Cash paid for losses ..	1,009,898	865,214	1,209,678	2,561,476	1,408,064
Rate of premiums on per cent of risks	1.45	1.46	1.53	1.57	1.56
Rate of losses paid on per cent of premiums	58.46	42.09	53.00	95.53	46.52
British companies—					
Risks taken in year ...	542,142,232	556,692,825	580,718,653	609,942,293	649,566,539
Premiums charged on risks	7,656,310	8,102,042	8,675,620	9,675,362	10,369,949
Cash received for premiums	6,595,447	6,946,913	7,334,432	8,343,663	8,583,202
Cash paid for losses ..	4,889,193	2,724,486	3,803,762	9,172,920	3,633,705
Rate of premiums on per cent of risks	1.41	1.46	1.49	1.59	1.60
Rate of losses paid on per cent of premiums	74.13	39.22	51.86	109.94	42.34
American companies—					
Risks taken in year ..	108,486,527	120,211,152	136,050,121	153,128,785	188,692,561
Premiums charged on risks	1,560,751	1,838,597	2,085,639	2,577,388	3,185,216
Cash received for premiums.....	1,327,491	1,574,371	1,767,831	2,144,941	2,689,110
Cash paid for losses ...	875,866	562,587	857,275	2,365,138	966,748
Rate of premiums on per cent of risks	1.44	1.53	1.53	1.68	1.69
Rate of losses paid on per cent of premiums	65.98	35.73	48.49	110.27	35.95
All companies—					
Risks taken in year ...	821,522,854	892,049,886	933,274,764	1,002,305,105	1,140,075,372
Premiums charged on risks	11,688,958	13,087,251	14,038,182	16,006,969	18,255,489
Cash received for premiums.....	9,650,349	10,577,084	11,384,760	13,169,879	14,298,747
Cash paid for losses ...	6,774,957	4,162,287	5,870,715	14,093,534	6,008,457
Rate of premiums on per cent of risks ..	1.42	1.47	1.50	1.60	1.60
Rate of losses paid on per cent of premiums	70.20	39.25	51.57	107.06	42.02