

INSURANCE.

TABLE CLXVII. Risks, premiums, cash receipts and payments of fire companies, 1903-1907.

Schedule.	1903.	1904.	1905.	1906.	1907.
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Canadian companies—					
Risks taken in year...	216,505,990	239,234,027	301,816,272	324,168,552	375,927,812
Premiums charged on risks	3,316,923	3,754,219	4,706,640	4,938,535	5,657,965
Cash received for premiums.. ..	2,282,498	2,681,274	3,013,713	3,179,317	3,684,335
Cash paid for losses...	1,209,678	2,561,476	1,399,065	1,602,132	1,867,884
Rate of premiums on per cent of risks....	1.53	1.57	1.56	1.52	1.51
Rate of losses paid on per cent of premiums	53.00	95.53	46.42	50.39	50.70
British companies—					
Risks taken in year...	580,718,653	609,942,293	649,566,539	672,318,145	747,152,764
Premiums charged on risks	8,675,620	9,675,362	10,370,180	10,189,363	11,087,536
Cash received for premiums	7,334,432	8,343,663	8,582,925	8,601,374	9,302,907
Cash paid for losses...	3,803,762	9,172,920	3,634,706	3,829,242	5,073,985
Rate of premiums on per cent of risks....	1.49	1.59	1.60	1.52	1.48
Rate of losses paid on per cent of premiums	51.86	109.94	42.35	44.52	54.54
American companies—					
Risks taken in year...	136,050,121	153,128,785	188,712,561	213,613,168	239,440,520
Premiums charged on risks	2,085,639	2,577,388	3,185,216	3,426,832	3,729,350
Cash received for premiums	1,767,831	2,144,941	2,689,032	2,907,270	3,135,682
Cash paid for losses...	857,275	2,365,138	966,748	1,152,916	1,569,608
Rate of premiums on per cent of risks....	1.53	1.68	1.69	1.60	1.56
Rate of losses paid on per cent of premiums	48.49	110.27	35.95	39.66	50.06
All companies—					
Risks taken in year...	933,274,764	1,002,305,105	1,140,095,372	1,210,099,865	1,362,521,096
Premiums charged on risks	14,038,182	16,006,969	18,262,037	18,554,730	20,474,851
Cash received for premiums	11,384,760	13,169,879	14,285,670	14,687,961	16,122,924
Cash paid for losses...	5,870,715	14,099,534	6,000,519	6,584,290	8,511,477
Rate of premiums on per cent of risks....	1.50	1.60	1.60	1.53	1.50
Rate of losses paid on per cent of premiums	51.57	107.06	42.00	44.83	52.79