

## INSURANCE.

TABLE CXVIII. Life insurance on assessment plan 1904-1908.

Schedule.	1904.	1905.	1906.	1907.	1908.
Canadian companies—					
No. certificates taken.....	13,755	12,552	17,292	16,299	9,270
No. certificates become claims...	946	917	1,094	1,209	1,166
Amount paid by members... \$	1,663,870	1,754,649	1,819,602	1,910,327	2,052,114
Amount of certificates new and taken up.....	12,370,500	10,835,550	14,500,500	13,665,546	7,950,350
Net amount in force.....	133,434,000	136,935,201	143,283,750	144,274,026	136,124,884
Amount of certificates become claims.....	1,246,456	1,227,376	1,335,800	1,538,106	1,540,636
Claims paid.....	1,227,633	1,233,190	1,354,165	1,524,200	1,503,125
Unsettled claims—					
Not resisted.....	193,423	250,438	232,234	300,508	268,467
Resisted.....	17,987	12,000	6,977	5,000	19,000
Amount terminated by—					
Death.....	1,150,789	1,132,752	1,270,605	1,416,840	1,384,616
Surrender, expiry or lapse.....	5,435,711	6,256,548	6,903,705	10,406,266	16,366,655
Total, terminated.....	6,586,500	7,389,300	8,174,310	11,823,106	17,751,271

TABLE CXIX. Assets of life companies on assessment plan 1904-1908.

Schedule.	1904.	1905.	1906.	1907.	1908.
	\$			\$	\$
Canadian companies—					
Real estate.....	844,055	925,159	772,086	846,653	853,413
Loans on real estate.....	4,039,831	4,471,906	4,132,924	5,002,047	5,175,511
Stocks, bonds and debentures...	3,078,580	3,853,415	3,430,007	5,291,337	6,063,998
Cash on hand and in banks.....	440,262	463,758	1,176,923	840,252	601,283
Agents' balances and bills receivable.....	222	267	none.	692	1,085
Interest and rent due and accrued	154,160	99,670	64,137	72,610	76,405
Dues from members.....	56,721	37,650	45,752	52,419	57,369
Other assets.....	184,913	67,016	1,481,851	34,906	986,295
Total assets.....	8,798,794	9,918,841	11,103,680	12,140,916	13,815,359

NOTE. There are four Canadian companies carrying on life insurance on assessment plan, viz: The Catholic Mutual, the Commercial Travellers, the Independent Order of Foresters (whose statistics include sick and funeral departments), and the Woodmen of the World.