

77.—Life Insurance in Canada, 1915-1919—concluded.

Items.	1915.	1916.	1917.	1918.	1919.
All Companies—					
Policies new and taken up.....No	482,596	457,668	497,758	533,107	641,251
Policies in force at end of year.....“	1,948,952	2,183,382	2,461,830	2,791,976	3,190,324
Policies become claims“	23,183	27,441	31,996	47,462	41,186
Amount of policies new and taken up.. \$	221,119,558	231,101,625	282,120,430	313,251,556	524,543,629
Net amount of policies in force..... \$	1,311,616,677	1,422,179,632	1,585,042,563	1,785,061,273	2,187,837,317
Net amount of policies become claims. \$	17,560,164	20,259,534	22,175,645	29,982,289	24,516,302
Amount of premiums in year..... \$	45,106,678	48,093,105	54,843,609	61,641,047	74,708,509
Claims paid ¹ \$	17,170,020	18,719,677	21,442,962	26,247,601	28,077,092
Unsettled claims—					
Not resisted..... \$	2,129,436	3,472,534	4,029,470	7,293,262	3,137,290
Resisted..... \$	285,290	288,163	284,181	145,131	106,400

¹Including matured endowments.

78.—Insurance Death-rate in Canada, 1916-1919.

Companies.	1916.			1917.		
	Number of lives exposed to risk.	Number of deaths.	Death-rate per 1,000.	Number of lives exposed to risk.	Number of deaths.	Death-rate per 1,000.
Active companies, ordinary.....	729,618	7,770	10.6	794,720	8,999	11.3
Active companies, industrial.....	1,344,733	13,799	10.3	1,538,092	16,240	10.6
Assessment and fraternal societies.....	97,125	1,330	13.7	91,413	1,504	16.5
Non-active and retired companies.....	2,667	151	56.6	2,449	92	37.6
Total.....	2,174,143	23,050	10.6	2,426,674	26,835	11.1
	1918.			1919		
Active companies, ordinary.....	880,859	13,011	14.8	1,008,389	7,581	7.5
Active companies, industrial.....	1,762,147	23,657	13.4	1,989,367	16,548	8.3
Assessment and fraternal societies.....	115,360	2,112	18.3	151,085	1,909	12.6
Non-active and retired companies.....	2,284	107	46.8	2,125	118	55.5
Total.....	2,760,650	38,887	14.1	3,150,966	26,156	8.3

NOTE.—Average death-rate for all companies in the nineteen years 1901-1919, 10.1.