

## 2.—Fire Insurance, by Companies Operating under Federal Government Registration, Decennially 1880-1940 and 1941-53

NOTE.—Figures for 1889-1900 are given in the 1939 Year Book, p. 973, and for 1901-39 in the 1942 edition, pp. 847-848.

Year	Amount in Force at End of Year	Net Premiums Written During Year	Net Claims Incurred During Year	Percentage of Claims to Premiums	Gross Amount of Risks Taken During Year	Premiums Charged Thereon	Average Cost per \$100 of Insurance
	\$	\$	\$	p.c.	\$	\$	\$
1880...	411,563,271	3,479,577 <sup>1</sup>	1,666,578 <sup>2</sup>	47-90	384,051,861	3,958,437	1-03
1890...	720,679,621	5,836,071 <sup>1</sup>	3,266,567 <sup>2</sup>	55-97	620,723,945	7,019,319	1-13
1900...	992,332,360	8,331,948 <sup>1</sup>	7,774,293 <sup>2</sup>	93-31	803,428,654	10,031,735	1-25
1910...	2,034,276,740	18,725,531 <sup>1</sup>	10,292,393 <sup>2</sup>	54-96	1,817,055,685	24,684,296	1-36
1920...	5,969,872,278	50,527,937 <sup>1</sup>	21,935,387 <sup>2</sup>	43-41	6,790,670,610	71,143,917	1-05
1930...	9,672,996,973	52,646,520	30,427,968	57-71	10,311,193,608	82,700,147	0-80
1940...	10,737,568,226	41,922,312	15,444,927	36-84	12,072,174,014	72,682,679	0-60
1941...	11,386,819,286	49,305,539	17,814,322	36-13	13,345,610,185	85,877,389	0-64
1942...	12,565,212,694	47,272,440	20,360,534	43-07	12,759,419,939	84,168,663	0-66
1943...	13,386,782,873	47,153,094	22,181,244	47-04	12,838,807,204	84,047,821	0-65
1944...	14,174,130,630	55,027,051	28,921,930	52-56	14,572,876,024	96,065,279	0-66
1945...	15,054,848,612	58,335,728	30,585,357	52-43	10,096,447,893 <sup>3</sup>	72,872,125	0-72
1946...	17,376,429,865	68,825,470	35,379,627	51-40	11,744,234,245 <sup>3</sup>	82,696,662	0-70
1947...	19,926,683,282	86,774,952	39,513,014	45-54	15,452,832,219 <sup>3</sup>	106,427,978	0-69
1948...	23,021,215,478	98,191,514	45,143,565	45-98	16,986,228,866 <sup>3</sup>	119,222,396	0-70
1949...	25,971,300,213	103,955,183	46,567,188	44-80	17,618,541,153 <sup>3</sup>	129,711,596	0-74
1950...	28,957,395,702	115,648,449	58,524,685	50-61	19,870,295,002 <sup>3</sup>	143,661,997	0-72
1951...	33,490,653,184	134,496,218	52,086,541	38-73	23,569,493,733 <sup>3</sup>	166,791,056	0-71
1952...	37,317,499,723	139,777,732	61,124,918	43-73	24,754,216,365 <sup>3</sup>	172,398,726	0-70
1953...	41,703,092,570	145,971,915	66,755,144	45-73	28,482,966,982 <sup>3</sup>	189,037,552	0-66

<sup>1</sup> Net premiums received. <sup>2</sup> Net claims paid. <sup>3</sup> Not comparable with 1944 and previous years since this figure indicates "Gross direct written", disregarding all reinsurance, assumed or ceded.

**Premiums Written and Claims Incurred.**—The relationship of claims incurred to premiums written is shown in Table 3 for Federal Government registered fire insurance companies, by province.

### 3.—Net Premiums Written and Net Claims Incurred in Canada by Canadian, British and Foreign Companies Operating under Federal Government Registration, by Province, 1952 and 1953.

(Registered reinsurance deducted)

Year and Province	Canadian Companies		British Companies		Foreign Companies	
	Premiums	Claims	Premiums	Claims	Premiums	Claims
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
<b>1952</b>						
Newfoundland.....	239,084	125,246	1,110,177	562,530	365,723	273,113
Prince Edward Island.....	165,967	68,084	369,319	78,192	177,445	142,515
Nova Scotia.....	1,554,069	415,930	2,463,502	634,142	1,386,875	485,297
New Brunswick.....	1,155,555	415,455	2,358,220	1,016,918	1,499,794	877,345
Quebec.....	10,506,551	4,462,218	14,823,796	6,969,943	16,399,959	6,820,789
Ontario.....	14,535,164	6,276,489	17,744,222	10,233,831	20,114,885	10,239,868
Manitoba.....	3,063,851	1,194,840	2,171,545	875,724	2,285,497	712,746
Saskatchewan.....	2,903,620	1,004,589	1,464,729	552,852	1,862,022	621,837
Alberta.....	3,335,144	1,010,945	3,644,871	1,193,910	3,801,246	1,064,932
British Columbia.....	3,188,695	1,139,393	5,537,962	2,182,779	6,400,629	2,442,231
All other Canada <sup>1</sup> .....	236,095	-20,495	224,130	156,371	55,343	47,350
<b>Canada, 1952.....</b>	<b>40,883,795</b>	<b>16,092,694</b>	<b>51,912,473</b>	<b>24,457,192</b>	<b>54,349,418</b>	<b>23,728,023</b>

For footnote, see end of table.