

INCOME FROM LIFE INSURANCE PREMIUMS IN CANADA,
1869 TO 1890.

YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER.	COMPANIES.			Total.
	Canadian.	British.	American.	
	\$	\$	\$	\$
1869	164,910	515,741	557,708	1,238,359
1870	208,922	531,250	729,175	1,469,347
1871	291,897	570,449	990,628	1,852,974
1872	417,628	596,982	1,250,912	2,265,522
1873	511,235	594,108	1,492,315	2,597,658
1874	638,854	629,808	1,575,748	2,844,410
1875	707,256	623,296	1,551,835	2,882,387
1876	768,543	597,155	1,437,612	2,803,310
1877	770,319	577,364	1,299,724	2,647,407
1878	827,098	586,044	1,197,535	2,610,677
1879	919,345	565,875	1,121,537	2,606,757
1880	1,039,341	579,729	1,102,058	2,721,128
1881	1,291,026	613,595	1,190,068	3,094,689
1882	1,562,085	674,362	1,308,158	3,544,605
1883	1,652,543	707,468	1,414,738	3,774,749
1884	1,869,100	744,227	1,518,991	4,132,318
1885	2,092,986	803,980	1,723,012	4,619,978
1886	2,379,238	827,848	1,988,634	5,195,720
1887	2,825,119	890,332	2,285,954	6,001,405
1888	3,166,883	928,667	2,466,298	6,561,848
1889	*4,459,595	979,847	2,785,403	8,224,845
1890	3,921,137	1,022,362	3,060,652	8,004,151
Total.....	32,485,060	15,160,489	34,048,695	81,694,244

* Including 20 months' business of the Canada Life.

799. The total amount paid to policy-holders during 1889 and 1890 was:—

	1889.	1890.
Death claims (including bonus additions)...	\$2,483,818	\$2,539,210
Matured endowment do	436,683	598,571
Annuitants.....	20,856	22,986
Paid for surrendered policies.....	304,263	317,016
Dividends to policy-holders	696,970	967,884
	<u>\$3,942,590</u>	<u>\$4,445,667</u>

The amount received for premiums was \$8,004,151; therefore, for every \$100 of premium \$54.67 was paid to policy-holders, and \$45.33 carried to expense, profits and reserve. In the preceding year the proportions were \$47.30 and \$52.70 respectively.

800. The following tables give the condition of the Canadian companies in 1890, showing their assets and liabilities, income and expenditure:—

Financial position of Canadian companies 1890.