

INSURANCE.

TABLE CXXVII. Business in Canada of guarantee, accident, plate glass, employers' liability, burglary guarantee, steam boiler, personal property, inland transit, sickness, contract, title, tornado and live stock insurance 1904-1908.

Schedule.	1904.	1905.	1906.	1907.	1908.
Business guarantee insurance—					
Policies new and renewed ¹ NO.	11,464	13,339	14,392	15,796	15,124
Policies in force at end of year ¹ "	10,773	12,395	12,672	13,859	13,471
Premiums of the year..... \$	156,725	169,272	194,370	224,416	268,607
Amount of policies new and renewed "	43,432,400	51,252,264	60,433,006	72,612,309	77,754,957
Net amount in force at end of year.. "	38,860,455	46,006,039	51,315,539	61,403,372	67,535,252
Losses incurred in year..... "	37,089	40,657	34,811	76,140	122,918
Claims paid..... "	25,308	36,763	33,399	31,040	100,088
Unsettled claims—					
Not resisted.... "	15,101	11,740	12,363	30,822	36,771
Resisted..... "	6,200	2,500	none.	20,781	6,109
Accident insurance—					
Policies new and renewed ² NO.	65,230	83,181	101,406	117,568	103,653 ^a
Policies in force at end of year ² "	56,844	65,287	80,483	84,417	81,734 ^a
Premiums of the year..... \$	805,668	994,913	1,173,031	1,382,077	1,408,013
Amount of policies new and renewed "	144,180,341	174,607,416	195,069,760	244,065,883	245,924,942 ^a
Net amount in force at end of year.. "	124,720,747	148,668,011	172,387,352	198,592,769 ^a	194,009,220 ^a
Losses incurred in year..... "	351,623	382,165	498,363	533,139	496,264
Claims paid..... "	335,543	362,096	455,291	510,450	442,727
Unsettled claims—					
Not resisted.... "	56,659	69,238	105,172	129,372	119,176
Resisted..... "	2,000	10,000	12,000	12,135	31,413
Plate glass insurance—					
Policies new and renewed.. NO.	5,781	6,633	6,432	6,752	7,255
Policies in force at end of year..... "	14,406	15,591	16,639	17,784	18,955
Premiums of the year..... \$	102,894	114,957	120,356	118,291	133,817
Amount of policies new and renewed ³ "	285,620	196,731	225,454	240,970	219,278
Net amount in force at end of year ³ .. "	323,916	347,432	364,842	419,236	425,224

¹ Number of policies new and renewed and in force of the Guarantee Co. of N. A. not included. ² Number of policies new and renewed and in force of the Ocean Accident and Guarantee and Sterling Accident and Guarantee in 1907 not included. ³ New York Plate Glass Co. only. ⁴ Does not include Protective Association of Canada nor Sun Life Assurance Co. ⁵ Not including Ocean Accident and Guarantee. ⁶ Not includ. Prot. Ass. of Can.

NOTE. Four plate glass companies transact this class of business on the system of replacement, and their returns do not show either insurance effected during the year or the amount in force at the end of the year.