

The Fire Insurance business of the United States companies doing business in Canada during the same two years was as follows:

Receipts 1873.....	\$352,257	
" 1872	332,213	
Increase	20,044	
Or a very little over 6 per cent.		
Losses do do		
	1872.	1873.
Claims paid.....	\$263,339	\$227,219
in suspense.....	31,912	15,531
resisted.....	13,100	5,800
	311,341	248,550
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Decrease.....	62,791	
Or rather more than 20 per cent.		
Amt. of receipts over losses 1873 ...	\$103,767	
Do do 1872 ...	30,902	

The Fire business of the Mutual Insurance Companies doing business in Canada during same two years was as follows:—

Receipts 1873	\$73,611
Do 1872	44,553
Increase.....	29,058
Or more than 67 per cent.	
Losses 1872.....	\$43,156
Do 1873.....	50,772
Increase.....	7,616
Or 17½ per cent.	

FIRE INSURANCE COMPARISON FOR FIVE YEARS.

	1873.	1872.	1871.	1870.	1869.
Premiums	\$ 3,565,575	\$ 2,610,361	\$ 2,342,335	\$ 1,834,224	\$ 1,812,122
Amount at risk....	275,751,835	231,727,910	231,753,391	166,508,738	161,757,621
No. of Losses.....	2,774	2,661	2,161	1,957	1,438
Losses paid.	1,083,617	1,909,361	1,577,645	1,640,426	991,073
Do in suspense	118,601	339,838	140,905	239,214	115,519
Do resisted....	52,900	68,600	59,622	48,461	71,848

INLAND MARINE INSURANCE—1873.

Names of Companies.	Premiums	No of Policies.	Amount New Policies.	Amount of Risk.	Claims paid.	Claims in suspense.	Claims resisted.
CANADIAN:							
British American.....	\$ 165,476	\$ 4,123	\$ 11,881,897	\$ 773,797	\$ 81,887	\$ 25,168	None.
Provincial.....	48,199				89,012		
Western.....	221,658	3,277	14,223,350	579,685	100,366	19,781	
BRITISH:							
British and Foreign Marine.....	1,713				15	100	
HARTFORD:							
Travelers Accident Insurance Co.....	108,024	19,537	12,256,796	Unk'wn.	50,499	7,700	None.
Guarantee Company of Canada.....	21,061	561	1,679,900	1,504,550	1,518		