

## LIFE ASSURANCE BUSINESS IN CANADA FOR 1896 COMPARED WITH 1894 AND 1895.

(Later Corrected Statement.)

Compiled by THE INSURANCE &amp; FINANCE CHRONICLER, from advance figures supplied by the Companies.

COMPANIES.	Net Premiums Received.			Assurance Issued and Taken.			Total Assurance In Force.		
	1894.	1895.	1896.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1894.	1895.	1896.
<i>Canadian Companies.</i>	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Canada Life Can. Business.	1,803,438	1,827,681	1,850,330	4,756,382	4,790,421	2,897,419	61,847,495	65,097,537	65,385,848
do Total Business...	1,929,220	2,005,891	2,040,537	6,529,332	6,089,621	4,508,688	66,433,170	70,205,929	70,747,557
Confederation Can. Business.	804,797	847,355	907,321	3,292,663	3,301,820	3,111,046	25,158,331	26,253,974	27,363,273
do Total Business.	807,735	852,874	912,917	3,339,663	3,371,320	3,135,995	25,269,331	26,427,474	27,560,423
Dominion Life.....	44,621	53,395	65,791	516,500	541,350	575,500	1,713,845	2,025,514	2,397,977
† Dominion Safety Fund ...	29,223	.....	.....	25,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Federal Life.....	265,504	257,647	312,399	1,703,700	1,823,750	2,005,050	9,896,137	10,156,227	10,864,982
Great West.....	109,083	122,598	156,033	2,788,305	1,682,200	1,742,200	4,096,550	4,934,850	5,781,204
London Life.....	132,580	160,889	177,004	1,459,182	1,920,644	1,284,992	3,724,505	4,096,954	4,284,576
Manufacturers Can. Business.	257,513	301,405	326,050	2,273,300	2,664,828	2,507,302	8,748,849	9,627,272	10,633,416
do Total Business.	267,411	324,449	355,061	2,462,208	2,873,557	2,994,004	9,021,117	10,066,441	11,326,686
North American Can. Bus..	452,135	477,793	519,762	2,719,923	2,890,000	3,554,960	13,836,494	15,223,694	17,494,170
do Total Business..	459,850	485,354	548,402	2,725,923	2,917,000	3,566,960	14,055,744	15,442,444	17,728,085
Ontario Mutual.....	527,131	592,163	611,617	577,200	2,494,268	2,838,250	18,731,245	19,278,424	20,001,462
Sun Life Canadian Business	578,932	918,409	1,020,210	4,687,484	4,321,091	4,113,618	23,930,436	25,637,930	26,816,831
do Total Business.....	1,178,244	1,301,221	1,650,483	7,307,553	6,864,093	7,468,282	31,502,020	34,128,290	38,188,811
Temperance & General....	129,199	142,448	151,319	1,870,725	1,477,000	1,750,000	5,827,959	5,993,681	6,759,712
<b>Total Canadian Business</b>	<b>5,435,031</b>	<b>5,702,783</b>	<b>6,107,836</b>	<b>28,670,364</b>	<b>27,909,672</b>	<b>26,365,130</b>	<b>177,511,846</b>	<b>188,826,057</b>	<b>197,773,551</b>
<i>British Companies.</i>	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
British Empire.....	205,758	217,257	223,325	722,319	611,500	466,100	6,155,468	5,991,877	6,066,626
London & Lancashire.....	215,602	207,509	224,640	848,500	882,500	882,518	6,860,330	6,870,461	7,288,955
Standard.....	490,131	552,411	540,390	1,618,067	1,720,733	1,433,550	14,365,478	15,128,690	15,808,610
Star.....	16,238	17,547	17,264	21,535	79,327	53,728	628,795	653,342	618,823
<b>Totals.....</b>	<b>927,729</b>	<b>994,724</b>	<b>1,005,819</b>	<b>3,210,421</b>	<b>3,294,060</b>	<b>2,835,896</b>	<b>28,010,071</b>	<b>28,644,370</b>	<b>29,783,014</b>
<i>American Companies.</i>	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Ætna Life.....	588,310	562,257	554,833	614,543	732,409	787,661	16,271,293	15,881,648	15,531,006
Equitable.....	691,052	673,300	637,599	2,456,683	1,034,917	1,316,600	19,523,242	19,197,725	18,804,445
† Germania.....	13,016	13,592	.....	.....	1,000	.....	323,505	294,376	.....
Metropolitan.....	122,115	168,995	174,373	6,385,190	3,838,464	5,394,860	4,434,507	3,560,274	5,237,797
Mutual Life.....	696,182	736,773	702,504	2,748,461	2,693,550	1,861,658	17,213,001	18,552,692	17,801,671
New York.....	792,389	807,460	816,647	2,996,341	2,171,000	2,474,992	20,650,549	20,626,514	21,789,848
† Provident Savings.....	86,207	91,459	100,000	972,220	962,168	1,000,000	3,131,386	3,449,698	4,000,000
Travelers.....	132,934	146,174	134,677	612,401	916,380	499,563	5,357,744	5,546,061	5,234,108
Union Mutual.....	124,839	123,171	124,770	691,550	621,000	511,208	4,637,587	4,645,635	4,637,384
United States.....	52,084	43,770	43,546	163,335	123,000	124,650	1,604,250	1,487,250	1,427,680
<b>Totals.....</b>	<b>3,299,188</b>	<b>3,366,971</b>	<b>3,288,949</b>	<b>17,640,677</b>	<b>13,093,888</b>	<b>13,971,192</b>	<b>93,147,064</b>	<b>92,281,903</b>	<b>94,463,939</b>
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<b>Totals.....</b>	<b>9,661,948</b>	<b>10,064,478</b>	<b>10,402,604</b>	<b>49,521,462</b>	<b>44,297,640</b>	<b>43,172,218</b>	<b>298,668,981</b>	<b>309,252,330</b>	<b>322,020,504</b>

† Ceased transacting new business. (b) Amount of Policies Issued. (c) Includes Industrial Business.  
 ‡ Approximate, figures will probably exceed those given

## THE WATERLOO MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

The thirty-fourth annual meeting of the Waterloo Mutual was held at Waterloo, on 23rd January. In this issue will be found a copy of the Directors' Report, with proceedings at the meeting. The number of policies last year was 12,751, compared with 11,694 in 1895, 9,382 in 1894, and 8,839 in 1893. An increase of 50 per cent. in the number of policies issued in 1896 over those of only three years ago shows with what energy the interests of the Company are being promoted by President Randall and the able Secretary, Mr. C. M. Taylor. The experience of the Company in 1895 was unfortunate owing to a conflagration at Tottenham. Last year passed

over without any single disaster of unusual magnitude, hence the claims paid, less re-insurance, amounted to only \$117,351, compared to \$150,838 in 1895. When these and other expenditures were deducted from the earnings there was a balance left of \$23,122 of income over expenditure as a result of the operations of 1896. The assets of the Company are stated to be \$334,083, and the total liabilities, including a re-insurance fund, to provide for all our running risks, on both cash and mutual systems, are \$103,418, the provision for a re-insurance reserve for its mutual policies being one of the special features of the Waterloo Mutual. The management and all interested are congratulated on the Company having done so well in the past year.