

THE APRIL FAILURE REPORT to "Bradstreet's" is a very favorable one, showing, as it does, the smallest number of casualties and one of the lightest aggregates of failure damage that there is record of in that month for thirteen years past. In addition thereto it might be mentioned that the number of failures especially looks small in view of the reported stringency of money and the backward collections, which have been a subject of complaint in some sections. Large failures do not show any tendency to increase, and the comparative absence of small failures, when compared with recently preceding periods, is evidence that the late winter and early spring trade has been quite as profitable as was hoped for. It might be added that two weeks' reports of failures in San Francisco are missing because of the fire, but this discrepancy is at best only a trifling one and does not materially change the showing made for the country as a whole.

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... 1905 FIGURES ...

Assurances issued and paid for in cash	\$18,612,056.51
Increase over 1904	2,700,152.27
Cash Income	5,717,492.23
Increase over 1904	1,155,556.04
Assets at 31st December	21,309,384.82
Increase over 1904	3,457,623.90
Increase in surplus	1,177,793.50

The Company completed the placing of all policies on the 3½% basis, although the law allows until 1915 to do this, requiring	616,541.00
Surplus over all liabilities and capital according to the Hm Table with 3½% interest	1,735,698.59
And in addition paid policy-holders in profits	166,578.30
Surplus by Government Standard	2,921,810.00
Life Assurances in force	95,290,894.71
Increase over 1904	9,963,231.86

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