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| ITEMS                   | 1905         | 1906         | Gains over  |
|-------------------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|
| Assets,                 | \$ 9,296,092 | \$10,386,539 | \$1,089,447 |
| Income                  | 1,956 518    | 2,073,423    | 115,995     |
| Surplus,*               | 952,001      | 1,203,378    | 249,377     |
| Insurance in Force,§    | 44,197,954   | 46 912,407   | 2 712,453   |
| Expense ratio to Income | 17 8 p.c.    | 16 34 p.c.   | 1.46 p.c.   |

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#### Significant Facts

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THE DAILY AVERAGE OF THE COM-PANY'S BUSINESS DURING 1905.

395 per day in number of claims

6,972 per day in number of Policies

\$1,502.484.00 per day in New Insurance written \$123.788.29 per day in lawrance to Policyholders and addition to Reserve fi

\$77.275.94 per day in Increased

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