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YEAR Ending Jan. 1st.	PROFITS Paid on Policy No. 55,599.	ASSETS Per \$100 of Liabilities.	ASSETS Per \$1,000 of Insurance.	GROSS Accumulated Funds.
1878	\$ 11.32	\$115.88	8307	\$24 ,141,125
1879	12.74	116.66	321	25,120,804
1880	13.72	118.10	331	25,636,195
1881	14.75	118.92	333	26,403,440
1882	15.85	119.32	336	27,055,884
1883	16.95	120.18	339	28,102,886
1884	18.14	120.30	341	29,080,555
1885	19.38	120.70	345	29,771,230
188 6	20.69	120.42	347	30,562,261
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Some companies retain profits for five years before declaring them, and then their agents some times compare such accumulated profits against the **ETNA'S** Annual Cash Dividends, without explaining that most of those who die or drop out of such companies during the five years, receive no dividend. The **ETNA** divides annually, and pays down in cash, or in reduction of next premium, not in scrip or bonus additions, or due-bills, to be lost if the policy lapses.

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Year Paid. Ætna Life.		Three Other Leading Co's.		Ætna Life.	Another Co'y.	
1878	\$ 264	\$205	\$233	\$ 191	8254	8312
1879	283	210	169	204	259	250
1880	287	215	173	233	264	264
1881	292	165	177	265	268	97
1882	297	169	180	237	273	99
1883	302	173	184	244	278	100
1884	307	177	188	307	282	101
1885	312	181	127	199	287	137
1886	317	154	150	214	281	139
1887	321	155	132	138	296	142
	82,982	\$1804	\$1693	\$2232	82,752	\$1650

Average of the Ætna Life's footings, upon the \$20,000, same age and plan

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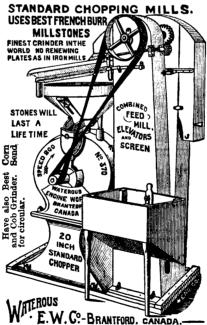
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