RAILWAY ACCIDENTS.—A Blue-book has been issued containing returns of accidents and casualties as reported to the Board of Trade by the several railway companies in the United Kingdom during the three months ended September 30, 1905. The returns show a total of 337 persons killed and 1,795 injured, as compared with 275 and 1.778 respectively for the corresponding period of 1904. In addition to the above, the railway companies have reported to the Board of Trade, the following accidents which occurred upon their premises, but in which the movement of vehicles used exclusively upon railways was not concerned, namely:-Five passengers. nine servants of companies and contractors, and seven other persons killed, and 195 passengers, 2,441 servants, and 135 other persons injured, making a total in this class of accident of 18 persons killed and 2,771 injured, as against 21 killed and 2,934 injured in the corresponding period of 1904.

The Ontario Accident Insurance-Company

BRANCH OFFICES: British Empire Building, MONTREAL, and LONDON, ENG.

President and Managing Director,

ARTHUR L. EASTMURE.

CAPITAL:

Authorized, \$500,000.00 Subscribed, \$105,050.00 Paid up in Cash, \$51,420.00

Reserve and Contingent Funds (1905), \$81,000.00 Deposit with Dominion Government, 42,232.00

Vice-President, W. H. PEARSON.

Increase in surplus

Business Transacted:

Personal Accident (on all popular plans); Disease and Sickness (Limited and Unlimited); Employers, Elevator, Teams; Merchants, Contingent, Vessel, Theatre, Ice (Sidewalk), Signs (Advertising) and General Liability; Workmen's Collective; Property Damage.

> Secretary, FRANCIS J. LIGHTBOURN

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Assurance Company Canada-

1905 FIGURES

Assurances issued and paid for in cash . \$18,612,056.51 2,700,152.27 Increase over 1904 5,717,492,23 Cash Income 1,155,556.04 Increase over 1904 . . 21,309,384.82 Assets at 31st December . . . 3,457,623.90 Increase over 1904 .

-.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 Surplus over all liabilities and capital acearding to the Hm Table with 31% interest And in addition paid policy-holders in profits Surplus by Government Standard . .

Increase over 1904

Life Assurances in force .

616.541.00

1,735,698.59 166,578.30 2,921,810.00 95,290,894.71 9.963,231.86

PROGRESSIVE PROSPEROUS AND

THE CANADA LIFE'S **NEW BUSINESS**

Paid for during 1905 was greater than in any similar period of the Company's Fifty-Nine Year History.