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En assurance automobile, la garantie \$5,000/\$10,000 contre la responsabilité civile et les accidents corporels, est-elle suffisante? Assurément, affirment les plus optimistes. Avant de se prononcer, on fera bien de jeter un coup d'oeil sur la liste des indemnités accordées par les tribunaux canadiens dans les cas suivants. Nous l'extrayons d'un numéro récent de *Canadian Insurance*.

- \$40,000—Brooklyn Trust Company against Niagara, St. Catharines and Toronto Railway Company, Toronto, July 27, 1938; collision, car with street car, April 26, 1933.
- \$37,135—John E. Funk against Dr. E. C. Pinkerton, Vancouver, April 21, 1938; collision, August 14, 1937.
- \$25,391 — William T. Groves against Wentworth County, Hamilton, October 21, 1938; driver of car plunged through fence in disrepair, December 4, 1937.
- \$24,965—J. B. Weir against J. W. Beveridge, Montreal, October 25, 1938; collision causing severe injuries, July 23, 1937.
- \$16,539—Louis Banzzi against C. C. Pankey, Vancouver, November 7, 1938; collision in which leg was amputated.
- \$15,586 — Doris L. Mackenzie against Leonard Harbour, Vancouver, May 28, 1938; for death of husband struck by car, December 31, 1936.

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- \$15,000—K. Hanada against B. C. Electric Railway Co. Ltd., Vancouver, December 6, 1938; boy struck by street car, September 2, 1937.
- \$14,000—Fred. H. Blair against Earle S. Berry, Montreal, November 27, 1937; struck and knock down by car, December 23, 1936.
- \$12,433—Jos. Diodinus against H. Lombardi, Montreal, April 14, 1938; struck by car while crossing street.
- \$10,500—John H. Noble and wife against heirs of late R. Bagshaw, Montreal, January 19, 1939; injuries suffered by Mrs. Noble when guest passengers, April 30, 1937.
- \$10,427—David Bedard against C. Gagnier, Montreal, February 5, 1938; struck by car, December 15, 1936.
- \$10,119—W. E. Banton and Mrs. Bennett against D. A. Knechtel, Vancouver, May 3, 1938; collision, February 5, 1936.
- \$10,000—Mrs. F. Watson against John Sheprasky, Windsor, August 5, 1938; struck by truck a year ago.
- \$9,750 — Mrs. C. E. Custance against R. Matheson, Vancouver, June 23, 1938, for death of husband killed while crossing street, February 17, 1938.
- \$9,500—Mrs. R. Marshall against Par Tex Foundation Co., Ltd., London, March 5, 1938; for death of husband involved in collision.
- \$8,057—W. R. Salter, Joan Salter and Alice Salter against Clement Devine, Toronto, December 29, 1938; collision, July 17, 1938.
- \$8,000—Gordon Holtz and Miss M. Trickey against Edward A. Campbell, Ottawa, July 15, 1938; struck by car, November 20, 1937.
- \$8,000—Charles Shelwell against George Sykes, Toronto, October 19, 1938; struck by car, October, 1937.
- \$7,754—Mrs. E. Beaulieu against J. Guerard and A. Gagnon, Quebec, May 14, 1938; collision, October 26, 1937.
- \$7,750—Mrs. A. Canada, Mrs. Robert Barr and Steve Sichewsky against the Scottish Union and National Insurance Co. Winnipeg, January 18, 1939; collision, October, 1937.
- \$7,350—B. H. Drake, H. M. Drake and R. E. Tilton against Herbert Hilton, Vancouver, October 26, 1938, collision, March 1, 1938.
- \$7,000—Gilbert Therien against Bush Gamble Company, Ottawa, January 19; struck by truck, August 16, 1938.

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- \$6,750 — Joseph T. Connor against Conrad De Mers, Windsor, June 2, 1938; struck by car while crossing street, February 8, 1938.
- \$6,317—Harold A. Evans against William Dann, Vancouver, November 16, 1937; collision, September 3, 1937.
- \$6,228—E. T. Putman against Mrs. K. Macneill, Vancouver, March 13, 1938; collision, August 2, 1937.
- \$6,179—Theodore Roebel against H. R. Ross, Vancouver, November 18, 1937; run over by car, May 19, 1936.
- \$6,000—Louis Berman against Jerry Parent, Windsor, September 28, 1938; car ran him down, July 15, 1937.
- \$6,000—Mrs. Emily Legg against Mrs. N. Porpiglia, Windsor, May, 30, 1938; collision.
- \$5,792 — Mrs. B. H. Wilson against Joseph Warman, Vancouver, July 21, 1938; struck by car, October 22, 1937.
- \$5,625—George Boakes against H. M. Aitken, Toronto, March 11, 1938; pinned by car against wall, September 22, 1936.
- \$5,500—Mrs. C. Hope-Kincald against Hilton Forrester, Hamilton, April 21, 1938; husband killed by truck, December 20, 1937.
- \$5,382—James Chrysler against Alpha Saint, Toronto, March 30, 1938; struck by car, June 17, 1937.
- \$5,000 — Mrs. Mosher against Frank Parker, Vancouver, November 17, 1938, for death of husband.
- \$5,000 — Antonio Buttazzioni against Marsh Transport Co., Sudbury, October 28, 1938; son killed by truck, January 1, 1938.
- \$5,000—Mrs. J. Mongeau against Octave Daoust, Montreal, June 24, 1938; injured while passenger in taxi.
- \$5,000—Mrs. Adams against Kenneth Campbell, Vancouver, June 25, 1938, for death of husband killed by car while riding bicycle, July 11, 1937.
- \$5,000 — Margaret Moriarity against E. Herbert Alston, Hamilton, April 2, 1938; ran over girl while playing, September 23, 1937.