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FIRE RECORD .- A fire broke out in the Tanneries Village near Montreal, and consumed three houses; insured in the North British and

Mercantile for \$800.

Brussells, Ont., March 30.—The North
American Hotel was destroyed by fire, loss \$4,000 on the contents, there was no insurance. The building was insured for \$1,700 in the Niagara District, and for \$1,300 in the Water-loa Mutual.

Toronto, 27. March.—Messrs. Taylor Bro's. paper and flouring mills at Todmorden, near here, was partially destroyed by fire; loss \$50,000. The firm were their own insurers, and they consider they have saved that amount in premiums during the 25 years they have been in business. They will rebuild immediately.

London, April 1.—A fire broke out in the back premises of Wm. Westlake and extended both sides to the premises of B. A. Mitchell, druggist, and McIntosh & Co., dry goods. The loss is about \$7,000; we have not learned the amount of insurance.

Lucan, March 29.—Four buildings occupied by Savage's drug store, Collins' tin and stove warehouse and Thompson's harness shop and dwelling house, were burned. Probable loss between five and six thousand dollars; partially insured. Part of the goods were saved in a damaged

St. John, March 25.—Two barns and a shed occupied by J. C. Wood, with three horses and a quantity of hay was burned to the ground; also a house owned by Mr. Muller, the latter was insured.

Sarnia, March 30.—Brown's Hotel and stable ith a blacksmith shop, were totally destroyed. he furniture which was partly saved, was inred in the Provincial for \$1,000.

were seriously damaged with water. Insurances insured in the Royal; the loss is about \$5.000.

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Milton, March 27:—A fire broke out in Messrs. F. Barelay and Lindsay's store; the building was damaged about a \$100. The stock was considerably damaged by moving and by water.

The loss is covered by insurance.
St. John, March 24.—The Vinegar works were destroyed. Its value was estimated at \$3,000. A \$1,500 order was already in the place, waiting shipment for Newfoundland. There was no insurance on the stock, but on the building, owned by O. V. Troop, and A. W. Masters, there was \$4000 in the Queen Insurance Company.

Ottawa, March 29.—Yesterday morning a fire broke out at Eddy,s match factory, Hull, and before it was extinguished the boiler house and drying kiln were destroyed. Loss about \$6,000, which is partly covered by insurance in the Western, Com. Union and Etna. Another fire occurred in the afternoon on Clarence street, when a wooden block was destroyed, and a third this morning on Dalhousie street, burning a two

storey tenement block. Loss about \$5,000.

Toronto, March 30.—A fire broke out at the corner of Ontario and Gerrard streets, which destroyed Lamb's hotel, Dixon's dry goods store, Johnson's fancy store, Chown & Brian's butcher shop, Hammond's grocery, and E. Anderson's bakery. These buildings formed a rough-cast row, the upper portions of which were occupied as dwellings. Occupants lost nearly all their turniture, and the stocks that were not burned The Leading Wholesale Trade of Toronto.

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were very light. The row belonged to Edwin Huff, and was insured in the North British and Mercantile for \$7,000; and on Hammond's stock and furniture for \$1,000 in the same Company.

Hillsburg, March 25.—Mr. Worts flour and grist mills were totally destroyed by fire last

night. The place was partially insured.

Harriston, March 25.—A fire broke out in the stables of the Commercial Hotel; the stables and contents, including four valuable horses, were completely consumed. The hotel was also burned to the ground, the contents being nearly all saved. The loss on the building is partly covered by insurance.

Weston, March 25.-A fire broke out in the Weston Grammar School, which resulted in its total destruction. The building was partially