

commission has taken up first the subject of the fire at the Kelly building, on January 14. Evidence suggested that this fire originated from the furnace of the McClary building. Timbers supporting the floors of the Kelly building, it was stated by the city building inspector, were set into a party wall between the McClary building and the Kelly building and the ends of some of these timbers came through the brick wall to within four inches of the chimney flue used by the McClary Company. Underwriters had insisted upon the ends of these timbers being covered with asbestos. He was informed that it was the custom of McClary's to burn up all their refuse at night and he thought that the hot fire from such inflammable material would so heat the brick in the flue as to set the ends of the beams aglow. The Fire Department was criticised for its method of fighting the fire, it being claimed that they should have entered the building instead of throwing streams from the street.

RECIPROCITY.

The reciprocity agreement has been given out by the Hon. Mr. Fielding. And Canadians know the worst. It has yet to run the gauntlet of Parliament and Congress. While, no doubt, it will pass through Parliament as all government measures do yet the only thing certain about the action of Congress is its uncertainty. Canadian railways, mills, market gardeners, coal miners, agricultural implement manufacturers and consumers generally will be affected by the consummation of the agreement. Our forests will also be seriously affected. There is, however, only an agreement for simultaneous legislation which either party can repeal at will. It introduces a live issue into Canadian politics.

Register of New Companies.

DOMINION INCORPORATIONS.

NOMINAL CAPITAL OF COMPANIES—This week: \$25,245,000
Do. Last week: 24,935,000
Do. Since Jan. 1: 50,302,000

BELL'S GALLERIES—Capital stock, \$400,000 (\$100 shares). Object, to carry on the business of general builders and contractors, to carry on, if thought advisable, the business of hotel, restaurant and apartment keepers, etc., to deal in real estate, to manufacture railway cars, automobiles, motor boats, etc., to take over as a going concern the business carried on in Montreal and elsewhere by the New York Mantel & Decorating Company, and in connection therewith to manufacture and deal in household and other furniture, upholstery, etc. Incorporators, Montreal law office employees. Chief office, Montreal. Date of incorporation, January 19, 1911.

BROCKVILLE CONSTRUCTION COMPANY—Capital stock, \$100,000 (\$100 shares). Object, to carry on the business of contractors, etc. Incorporators, Brockville law office employees. Chief office, Brockville, Ont. Date of incorporation, January 17, 1911.

CALDER MINING COMPANY—Capital stock, \$500,000 (\$5 shares). Object, to prospect for and work all kinds of mines, quarries, etc. Incorporators, Ottawa solicitors. Chief office, Ottawa. Date of incorporation, January 19, 1911.

CANADIAN KELLOGG COMPANY—Capital stock, \$25,000 (\$100 shares). Object, to manufacture and deal in, etc., pipes, fittings, valves, castings, shafting, machinery, implements, tools and apparatus, to erect factories, power stations, etc., to design and erect chimneys and stacks for factories, furnaces, etc. Incorporators, Montreal law

office employees. Chief office, Montreal. Date of incorporation, January 16, 1911.

CANADIAN QUARRIES AND CONSTRUCTION COMPANY—Capital stock, \$2,000,000 (\$100 shares). Object, to carry on business as a quarrying, construction, development and mining company, and as general contractors. Incorporators, John Black (broker), Robert Thomas Mullin (barrister), Montreal, Samuel Bilsky (jeweller), George Charles Hurdman (lumberman), J. Ogle Carrs (barrister), Ottawa. Chief office, Ottawa. Date of incorporation, January 18, 1911.

CENTRAL CANADA IRON AND STEEL CORPORATION—Capital stock, \$500,000 (\$100 shares). Object, to act as iron masters, steel makers, colliery proprietors, etc., to acquire natural gas lands, mines and timber limits, to deal in light, heat and power of every kind, etc. Incorporators, Montreal law office employees. Chief office, Montreal. Date of incorporation, January 17, 1911.

DANIEL J. McANULTY REALTY COMPANY—Capital stock, \$500,000 (\$100 shares). Object, to deal in real estate, to construct buildings, develop water timber limits, etc. Incorporators, Daniel Joseph McAnulty (real estate agent), Ottawa, Michael Joseph Hogan, Hugh Quinlan (contractors), Montreal, Angus William Robertson (contractor), Winnipeg, Edward Maurice Lennon (merchant), Quebec. Chief office, Ottawa. Date of incorporation, January 18, 1911.

HOME AND FOREIGN SECURITIES—Letters patent have been issued, changing the name of this company to Amalgamation and Merger Securities of Canada, Limited. See December 30, 1910, p. 1901.

INTERNATIONAL SNOWS—Capital stock, \$50,000 (\$10 shares). Object, to carry on the business of theatre proprietors and managers, to produce entertainments, etc. Incorporators, Pierre Alexandre Boivin (general broker), Joseph Henry Ostigny (accountant), Joseph Fluet (foreman), Marie Louise Boivin (spinster), Eugene Gagnon (clerk), Montreal. Chief office, Montreal. Date of incorporation, January 19, 1911.

PROGRESS REALTY AND INVESTMENT COMPANY—Capital stock, \$50,000 (\$50 shares). Object, to carry on a general real estate business. Incorporators, Oscar Marchand, Wilfrid Marchand (printers), Henri Lauzon (restaurant keeper), Edmond Marchand (agent), Omer Lapierre (barrister), Montreal. Chief office, Montreal. Date of incorporation, January 20, 1911.

QUEBEC PULP AND PAPER COMPANY—Capital stock, \$15,000,000 (\$100 shares). Object, to carry on in all its branches a lumber, timber and pulpwood business, etc., to construct and operate pulp and paper mills. Incorporators, Montreal law office employees. Chief office, Montreal. Date of incorporation, January 19, 1911.

ROUGE MONT ORCHARD COMPANY—Capital stock, \$20,000 (\$100 shares). Object, to carry on the business of fruit dealers, etc. Incorporators, Frédéric Paquette (physician), Napoleon Desautels (blacksmith), Jules Fournier (journalist), Louis Rodolph Trudeau (butcher), Louis Albert Beaulac (civil servant), Montreal. Chief office, St. Michel de Rougemont, Que. Date of incorporation, January 16, 1911.

STANDARD CHEMICAL IRON AND LUMBER COMPANY OF CANADA—Capital stock, \$6,000,000 (\$100 shares). Object, to manufacture and deal in chemicals, explosives and other products, to acquire coal, iron, or other mineral lands, to treat chemically and deal in any substance, to carry on a lumber and pulpwood business, etc. Incorporators, Toronto law office employees. Date of incorporation, January 19, 1911.

WESTERN MANUFACTURING COMPANY—Capital stock, \$250,000 (\$100 shares). Object, to acquire and conduct a general lumber, timber, fuel, building, construction, warehousing and mercantile business. Incorporators, Winnipeg law clerks. Chief office, Winnipeg. Date of incorporation, January 13, 1911.

WILLIAMS AND WILSON—Capital stock, \$250,000 (\$100 shares). Object, to acquire a business carried on in Montreal by the partnership known as Williams & Wilson and to do a general business in manufacturing and dealing in machinery and machinery supplies, etc. Incorporators, Alfred Ruggles Williams (merchant), Toronto, Frederick Christopherson Wilson (merchant), William Arthur Wilson (barrister), Michael Benjamin Bronstetter, Ernest Kingsland (salesmen), Montreal. Chief office, Montreal. Date of incorporation, January 16, 1911.

NOTE—In all these titles the word Limited or its equivalent Limitée is understood.