

HEAVY LOSSES BY FIRE FELT IN CANADA DURING JULY.

Losses by fire in the United States and Canada during the month of July, as compiled from the records of The New York Journal of Commerce, reach a total of \$24,537,000, an increase of 50 per cent. over the figures for the same month last year, which were \$16,143,050, and even \$1,500,000 greater than the July, 1916, record, when Black Tom Island contributed \$11,000,000 of the \$23,013,800 total. The losses for the first seven months of 1918 aggregate \$168,559,635; which compares with \$158,764,775 for the same months in 1917. During July this year there were 253 fires, each causing an estimated property damage of \$10,000 or over. The loss in Canada is shown at \$1,527,000 for the month.

NEW ENGLAND EQUITABLE DECLARED INSOLVENT BY COURT.

The New England Equitable Insurance Company, in the hands of receivers for more than a year, was declared insolvent by Judge Loring of the Supreme Court, who ordered its affairs wound up forthwith. The company had engaged in every form of insurance, with branches in nearly all the States.

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