CANADIAN FIRE RECORD

Fire at Winnipeg, Man .- By the fire which occurred on the 7th inst. in the premises of the Winnipeg Electric Railway Co., the apportionment of insurance losses are as follows:-Atlas, \$2,833; Alliance of London, \$5.667; Alliance of Phil., \$5,667; Aetna, \$5,667; Beaver, \$8,500; Brit. America, \$8,500; Boston, \$2,833; British Traders, \$2,833; Com. Union, \$2,833; Caledonian, \$1,890; Century, \$2,833; Canada National, \$14,167; Continental, \$8,500; Eagle Star, \$2,833; Employers. \$2,833; Fidelity Und., \$11,333; Fidelity Phenix, \$5,667; Globe & Rutgers, \$1,417; Guardian, \$5,-666; General of Perth, \$2,833; Glens Falls, \$2,833; General Accident, \$8,500; General of Perth, \$5,-667; Hartford, \$2,833; Imperial Und. \$8,500; State of Penn., \$5,667; Liv. & Lon. & Globe, \$1,-417; London & Lan., \$6,610; Law Union, \$8,500; London Guar., \$8,500; Liv. Man., \$8,500; Minnesota Und., \$11,333; Mount Royal, \$2,833; North Brit. & Mer., \$2,833; Norwich Union, \$5,667; North Empire, \$2,833; New Hampshire, \$2,833; New York Und., \$14,167; Northern, \$8,500; Pacific Coast, \$5,667; Phenix of Paris, \$5,667; Phoenix of London, \$2,833; Queen, \$8,500; Quebec, \$4,-250; St. Paul, \$2,833; Springfield, \$2,833; Scottish Union, \$4,250; Union of Canton, \$2,833; Union of Paris, \$2,833; Western \$14,167; Yorkshire, \$2,-833. Total \$283,330. Total loss.

Fire at Notre Dame du Laus, P.Q.—On the 11th inst. a fire destroyed 15 houses and stores, entailing a loss of about \$75,000.

Fire at Toronto.—On the 10th inst. a fire destroyed a brick garage owned by Mrs. M. Tuckett, 53 Indian Road. Loss about \$2,500.

Fire at Watrous, Sask.—On the 1st. instant the general store of Nemetz Bros., was totally destroyed. Insurance as follows:—Glens Falls, \$2,500; Liv. & Lon. & Globe, \$3,000; Boston, \$1,500; Prov. Wsh., \$2,000; Hampshire, \$1,500; London & Lan., \$1,000; Guardian, \$3,000; State Penn., \$2,500; Union of Canton, \$2,500; North Empire, \$3,000; Northern, \$3,000; Norwich Union, \$1,000; Springfield, \$5,000. Total \$31,500. Loss total. On building, Merchants Fire, \$3,000; London Guar., \$5,000. On fixtures, Brit. Colonial, \$3,000. Total \$11,000. Loss total.

Fire at Montreal.—On the 10th instant, a fire broke out in St. Martins Church, Point St. Charles. Loss about \$3,000.

Fire at Lakefield, Ont.—On the 11th inst. a fire destroyed the Lakefield Power Plant. Loss about \$7,000, partly insured.

Fire at Toronto.—On the 12th instant, a fire destroyed the stable, 670 Dupont St., the property of the E. G. Smith Coal Co. Loss \$2,300.

Fire at Prince Rupert, B.C.—On the 11th instant a fire destroyed the Inverness Cannery owned by J. H. Todd, Victoria, along with 52 fishing boats, the grocery store and last season's salmon stock. Loss about \$35,000.

Fire at Toronto.—On the 12th instant, a fire did about \$40,000 damage to the premises of A. E. Long, paper box manufacturer.

Fire at Montreal.—By the fire which occurred on the 7th instant on the premises of the Real American Hat & Cap Co., St. Helen St., the following companies are interested: -Union of Canton, \$8,000; Northern, \$6,000; Liv. & Lon. & Globe, \$19,500; Aetna, \$6,500; Continental, \$5,000; National of Paris, \$5,000; General of Perth, \$10,-000; Western, \$20,000; General of Paris, \$7,500; General Accident, \$7,500. Total \$95,000. about 30 per cent. The fire communicated with the stock of W. H. Barry & Co. (Ribbons). Insurance as follows:-Guardian, \$20,000; British Empire, \$20,000; Phoenix of London, \$10,000; General of Perth, \$5,000; Norwich Union, \$15,-000; Royal, \$15,000; Scottish Union, \$15,000. Total \$100,000. Loss about \$12,000. Insurance on building (Robertson) Scottish Union \$20,000; Alliance, \$20,000; Hartford, \$16,000. Total \$56,-000. Loss about \$3,000.

Fire at Fielding, Sask.—On the 6th inst. the business section was swept by fire, entailing a loss of about \$10,000. The Imperial Bank saved its vault, but lost its deposits and securities.

Fire at Montebello, P.Q.—On the 14th inst. a fire destroyed the convent and contents conducted by the Grey Nuns and owned by the corporation of Montebello. Loss about \$25,000.

HOW TO INVEST LIFE INSURANCE PAYMENTS

We suggest to life company managers that when they pay a death claim to women they send a card with suggestions as to the safe investment of the money to produce an income. Suitable investments as to their general nature may be referred to without mentioning any names, and the company itself should offer to invest the amount or any part thereof as long as the beneficiary may chose, with a quarterly dividend, and the principal payable on demand. Neither the insured nor the beneficiary may care to have a larger payment and sacrifice the principal.