

thodist Church, destroyed, February 8. Built last year at cost of \$17,000. Insurance, \$7,000.

EDMUNSTON, N.B.—Felix Hebert Hotel destroyed, February 14. All furniture destroyed but guests escaped. Loss estimated at about \$10,000.

ELK LAKE, ONT.—Opera House, frame building, destroyed, February 11, with a lunch counter and two shacks. Insured for \$10,000.

WALPOLE ISLAND, ONT.—Lock-up and post office destroyed, February 10, owing to an Indian placed in the lock-up kicking over the stove. His life lost.

MARYSVILLE, N.B.—Methodist Church, and nearby residence of Mr. W. T. Day, destroyed, January 30. Insurance of \$10,000 in Guardian Total loss.

ST. JOHN, N.B.—Car sheds of R. P. and W. F. Starr, Ltd., Smythe Street, burned, February 7. Loss heavy, covered by insurance. Incendiarism suspected.

GRANTON, ONT.—Barn owned by Dr. H. Lang, with three horses, cutters, buggies and 800 bushels of oats, destroyed February 12. Incendiarism suspected.

SHERBROOKE, QUE.—Premises of F. D. Dufour, stationer, and offices of Singer Company, with club rooms on upper floor of Bourque block, Wellington Street, gutted February 7. Loss placed at \$10,000.

WYNWARD, SASK.—Farm residence of Julius Miller, destroyed, February 4. Cause unknown. Insurance to amount of \$1,500 stated to be carried in the N. B. and M. and Sackatchewan companies.

ST. CATHARINE'S, ONT.—Large barn owned by S. C. Doherty, general agent, Geneva Street, destroyed, February 2, with six horses, several carriages and other articles. Carpenter shop of William Kergan also damaged.

WINNIPEG, MAN.—New tubercular hospital in Fort Rouge damaged, February 3. Loss covered by builders' insurance. Barns occupied by John Thomson & Co., undertakers, 571 William Avenue, gutted February 8. Loss about \$1,000.

ST. CATHARINES, ONT.—Brick house and furniture of Edward MacNamany, Lake Street, destroyed, February 3. Loss, \$4,000. Building insured for \$1,200; no insurance on contents.

HAMILTON, ONT.—Frame building on dock, owned by Mackenzie & Mann, at foot of Macnab Street, destroyed, February 10. Occupied by Kerr & Kelly, plaster makers. Loss on building and contents about \$3,000; insurance, \$1,700.

DIGBY, N.B.—Fire in Concession, Digby Co., totally destroyed the house, barn, outbuildings and contents owned by Augustus LeBlanc, on the Carberrie road, February 4. Origin, supposed an overheated steam pipe. Loss \$2,500; no insurance.

HENSELL, ONT.—Fire, February 14, destroyed following places of business:—J. and C. McDonnell, hardware and furniture; E. Rennie, dry goods and groceries; R. J. Drysdale, shoe merchant; T. W. Palmer, restaurant; F. Manns, barber; J. W. McArthur, hardware, Commercial Hotel.

TRURO, N.S.—The following companies are interested in the fire at Crowe Bros., druggists and stationers, on January 31 (subject to revision): Liverpool & London & Globe, Caledonian, Canadian Fire, Sun, Northern and Guardian. Caused by overheated stove.

MONTREAL.—Fire originating in store at 4151 St. Catherine Street, Westmount, occupied jointly by Joseph Stulinda, tailor, and Joseph Grootman, boot and shoe maker, did considerable damage to whole of three storey building, February 14. Blaze in Hart & Small's dry goods store, St. Catherine Street East, February 14. Fire at Phillips' boarding house, corner of Prince and Wellington Streets, resulted in two lives being lost.

STAYNER, ONT.—Freethy block badly damaged, February 8. Following were located in block:—John Freethy, grocer, stock badly damaged by water and smoke, insured; A. Cherry, barber, flooded by water; J. W. Bethune, insurance agent; Dr. F. A. Denne, dentist, office wrecked by water but stock and furniture insured. Loss heavy. Said to have originated in attempt to thaw out water pipe.

VIRIDEN, MAN.—Virden flour mill burned to the ground, February 7. Main part of elevator and contents are total loss. Sheds at both ends badly damaged. Concern was stock company, the controlling interest being held by the operators, Nichols Hubbard and Prime. Insurance on building and machinery, subject to revision:—

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