

CANADIAN FIRE RECORD.

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Fire at Quebec.—On the 3rd instant a fire occurred on the premises of Chas. McKibbin, Quebec. Insurance, North America \$1,000. Loss, total.

Fire at Montreal.—On the 13th instant a fire occurred on the premises of Quintal & Lynch, Ltd., Montreal, hay storage. Insurance, North America \$2,500; Western, \$5,000. Total \$7,500. Loss total.

Fire at Montreal.—On the 13th instant a fire occurred on the premises of J. A. Roberge, Ontario St. East, Montreal. Insurance, North America, \$2,500; Mount Royal, \$4,000. Total, \$6,500. Loss, total.

Fire at Hantsport, N.S.—On the 13th instant a fire occurred in the shipbuilding plant of Messrs. Fanquier & Porter, as follows: Aetna, \$1,400; Hartford, \$1,400; St. Paul, \$1,400; N. B. & Mer., \$1,400; North American, \$1,500; Brit. Amer., \$1,500; Ocean, \$1,500; N. Y. Und., \$1,500; Con. Nat., \$1,500; Palatine, \$1,500; Guardian, \$1,400. Total, \$16,000. Loss about 90 per cent.

Fire near Ingersoll, Ont.—On the 10th instant a fire destroyed the barns of Mr. John Wilson, about 3 miles from Ingersoll, Ont. Thirty-six head of cattle, 2 horses, all the grain and implements were destroyed.

Fire at Vermilion, Alta.—On the 11th instant the explosion of a gas tank in a garage in the town of Vermilion, Alta., about 130 miles east of Edmonton, caused the destruction of the Town Hall, Post Office, Royal Bank, two hardware stores and Steven's merchandise store. Loss, about \$250,000.

Fire at Moncton, N.B.—On the 11th instant fire destroyed the C.G.R. yard and train make-up office at Moncton terminals. The building destroyed possessed railway historic interest, being the original I.C.R. railway station for Moncton until 1896.

Fire at Fairbank, Ont.—On the 15th instant two dwellings at Fairbank, Ont., were destroyed by fire — one owned by Mr. George Thompson and the other by Mr. F. Hurst.

Fire at Toronto.—On the 14th instant a fire occurred on the premises of the Corby Distillery Co., Toronto. Insurance as follows: Royal, \$355,000; Phoenix of London, \$267,800; Glens Falls, \$62,200; Guardian, \$250; Union, \$175,000; North America, \$135,000; Hartford, \$150,000; North British, \$150,000; Royal Exchange, \$150,000; Northern, \$150,000; Nor. Union, \$150,000; Com. Union, \$125,000; Liverpool & London & Globe, \$100,000; Western, \$100,000; Yorkshire, \$150,000; Employers, \$100,000; Continental, \$100,000; Globe & Rutgers, \$75,000; Rochester German, \$50,000; Phenix of Hartford, \$50,000; Westchester, \$50,000; Alliance, \$50,000; Acadia, \$50,000; Prov. Washington, \$50,000; Alliance of Philadelphia, \$40,000; Caledonia, \$25,000. Total, \$3,110,000. Loss about \$100,000.

Fire at London, Ont.—On the 14th instant a fire destroyed the Ontario Garage, London, Ont., in which were housed fifty cars and large quantities of oil and gasoline. The fire started when a tourist from Windsor, after refilling his gasoline tank on the rear of the car, when backing out his car hit the door. The tank burst, and the gasoline poured over the floor, and running down the register and furnace pipes, ignited. The whole structure and contents were destroyed in less than forty minutes. The stock included thirty-five brand new cars, the property of the company, and fifteen cars belonging to local doctors and business men. There was no insurance on many the latter. The company's loss of about \$50,000 was fully insured.

Fire at Sarnia, Ont.—On the 16th instant a fire destroyed the flax mill of the Liadsay, Thompson Flax Co., Sarnia, Ont. Loss, about \$15,000.

Fire at Toronto.—On the 16th instant a fire broke out in the loading docks of the Harris Abattoir plant at the Union Stock Yards, West Toronto. Seven loading platforms, the part of the plant known as the sausage room, with contents, and fourteen freight cars loaded with bacon, eggs, cured meats and other food commodities, were destroyed. Insurance as follows:—

Aetna	\$35,000	North Empire	20,000
Atlas	25,000	North West	12,500
British America	25,000	Norwich Union	70,000
British Can. Und.	10,000	Nova Scotia Und.	50,000
British Crown	15,000	Occidental	25,000
British N'western	10,000	Ocean	45,000
Caledonian	10,000	Pacific Coast	15,000
Canada Accident	15,000	State of Penn.	30,000
Canadian	5,000	Phenix of Paris	10,000
Century	25,000	Phenix of Hartford	35,000
Commercial Union	85,000	Protector Und.	15,000
Connecticut	15,000	Prov. Washington	17,500
Continental	20,000	Queen	25,000
Dominion Fire	5,000	Rochester Und.	20,000
Duquesne Und.	35,000	Royal	133,000
Employers' Liability	30,000	St. Lawrence Und.	10,000
Equitable	15,000	Scottish U. & N.	15,000
Fidelity Phenix	25,000	Stuyvesant	35,000
Fidelity Und.	45,000	Stratheena	10,000
Fireman's	25,000	Sun	36,500
Gore	7,500	Union of Canton	10,000
General of Paris	20,000	Waterloo	2,500
Glen Falls	7,500	Westchester	30,000
Hartford	10,000	Western	30,000
Home	50,000	Knickerbocker	20,000
Hudson Bay	25,000	N.Y. Fire & M.	10,000
London & Lanc.	155,000	Norwegian Un.	20,000
Lloyds (contract)	90,000	Merchants	15,000
Lloyds (open mkt)	194,750	North River	30,000
London Assurance	15,000	United States	35,000
London Guarantee	25,000	Hamilton	5,000
London Und.	15,000	North Branch	10,000
Union of Paris	10,000	Richmond	7,500
London Mutual	10,000	Pacific	15,000
Minnesota Und.	30,000	Millers Mut.	10,000
Millers Mfgs.	10,000	Georgia Home	2,750
Mount Royal	50,000	Peoples Nat.	7,500
Nat. of Hartford	75,000	Mich. Millers	3,500
Nat. Ben-Franklin	10,000	Rhode Island	5,000
North Brit. & Mer.	42,000	North Am.	50,000
		Unif.	20,000

Total \$2,345,000

Loss, about 40 per cent.