

RECENT FIRES

The Monetary Times' Weekly Register of Fire Losses and Insurance

Burlington, Ont.—September 22—Cottages adjoining Brant Hotel destroyed. Cause, overheated chimney.

Calgary, Alta.—September 19—The Palliser Hotel badly damaged. Estimated loss, \$1,000. Cause, defective flue.

Cobalt, Ont.—September—Mr. C. McFarlane's house badly damaged. No insurance carried.

Elderslie Township, Ont.—September 20—Mr. E. Ster-nall's barn, containing the summer's crop of grain, de-royed. Small insurance carried.

Elgin, Man.—September 24—Premises of Western Can-ada Elevator Company and Imperial Oil Company destroyed; Elgin Hotel and station damaged. Loss, \$15,000; covered by insurance. Cause, treading on a match.

Fall River, N.S.—September 21—Mr. Geo. Stone's barn.

Halifax, N.S.—September 7—Mr. R. E. Archibald's garage, containing several cars, two of which were destroyed and several damaged. Estimated damage, \$5,000.

London, Ont.—September 24—Stables behind the Duke of York Hotel gutted. Estimated loss, \$500.

Mitchell, Ont.—September 18—Mr. J. Maloney's two bank barns destroyed. Loss will run into thousands of dollars. Cause, spark from engine.

Montreal, Que.—House of Mr. Delpt, 2400 Fabre Street, destroyed. Cause, cat spilling an oil lamp.

Montreal, Que.—September 16—Four horses in stables of Kendall Brothers, 140 Iberville Street. Building damaged by fire. Cause unknown.

Moncton, N.B.—September 18—Mr. Geo. H. Leaman's residence badly damaged, also Mr. Levi West's. Estimated loss to former, \$2,500; to latter, \$400. Insurance carried in both cases.

North Bay, Ont.—September 23—Stoddard Brothers' gen-eral store. Estimated loss, \$25,000.

Oak Ridges, Ont.—September 23—Mr. H. Legge's barn destroyed.

Owen Sound, Ont.—September 19—Captain Somerville's house badly damaged. The resident is Mrs. D. McDonald. Estimated loss, \$300. Insurance carried, \$1,500.

Oustic, Ont.—September 21—General store and barn, the property of Mr. Joseph Fletcher, completely destroyed. Estimated loss, \$6,000, partly covered by insurance.

Penticton, B.C.—September 24—The Penticton Hotel completely destroyed. Estimated loss, \$35,000; insurance carried \$10,000.

Petrolea, Ont.—September 22—Mr. J. Dugan's barn and farm buildings badly damaged. Estimated loss, \$5,000.

Port Dalhousie, Ont.—September 23—Mr. M. Reed's frame cottage destroyed.

Port Burwell, Ont.—September 25—Mr. F. Tickett's store burned to the ground. Loss partly covered by insurance. Cause, mice nibbling matches.

Redcliffe, Alta.—September 17—Mr. Brockie's residence completely destroyed. Estimated loss, \$1,000. No insurance carried.

St. Scholastique, Que.—September 22—Mr. Alixis La-cigne's general store gutted out.

Swift Current, Sask.—September 16—Mr. J. O. Grinder's livery stable and contents.

Thorndale, Ont.—September 24—West Missouri cheese factory totally destroyed. Estimated loss, \$4,000, partly covered by insurance. Cause, spark from engine.

Toronto, Ont.—September 25—Moffat-Irving Steel Com-pany's plant badly damaged. Estimated loss, \$1,000. Cause, overflowing molten lead.

Welland, Ont.—September 22—Welland Machine and Foundries, Limited, badly damaged. Estimated loss, \$2,000, fully covered by insurance.

September 24—Mr. A. J. Coniam and Adam Misener's barns destroyed. Estimated loss to former \$700, to latter \$300. Cause, boys playing with matches.

Windsor, Ont.—September 22—A. G. and W. E. Bel-linger's dry goods store badly damaged. Estimated loss, \$30,000. Cause, gas explosion.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION CONCERNING FIRES ALREADY REPORTED

Black River, Lake Winnipeg, Man.—September 12—The Northern Fish Company's freezer, icehouse and fish shed. Estimated loss, \$2,500. Insurance, 1,900, carried in Canadian Fire Insurance Company. Cause, gasoline ex-plosion.

Burford, Ont.—September 3—South Brant Agricultural Society's fair buildings. Estimated loss, \$2,500. Insurance, \$1,500, carried in the Brant Farmers' Mutual Insurance Company.

Kingston, Ont.—August 18—Mr. D. Macrow's barns and stables. Estimated loss, \$1,500. Insurance on stock, \$300; on buildings, \$2,750. Total insurance, \$3,050, carried in the London Mutual Insurance Company.

Moosomin, Sask.—September 7—Mr. J. E. Howes' blacksmith's shop. Estimated damage to stock, \$1,500; to buildings, \$7. Insurance, \$200, carried in the London and Lancashire Insurance Company.

Trenton, N.S.—September 19—The Eastern Steel Com-pany's machine shops destroyed. Estimated loss, \$150,000. Covered by insurance.

Van Anda, B.C.—August 30—The Union Hall, Kirkness store and Windsor Hotel destroyed. Owners, Kirkness Brothers, Carter Brothers and W. A. Empton. Estimated damage on stock, \$15,000; on buildings, \$11,000.

Victoria, B.C.—September 2—Ah Jame's laundry. Esti-mated loss on stock, \$12,000; on buildings, \$3,000. No in-surance carried. Cause, cigarette stub.

UNLISTED SECURITIES

Quotations furnished to The Monetary Times by A. J. Pattison Jr., & Co., Toronto
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	Bid	Ask		Bid	Ask		Bid	Ask		Bid	Ask
Abitibi Power.....com.	53	58	Crossen Car Bonds.....	97	Home Bank.....	64	67	Ont. Pulp Bonds.....	80	83.50
Alberta Pac. Grain...pref.	90	96	Chapman Ball Bearings...	30	40	Imperial Oil.....	380	395	Otis-Fenson Elev...pref.	87	95
Atlantic Sugar.....pref.	28	33	Continental Life.....	20	25	International Mill...pref.	....	92	Penn. Water Power com.	70	....
Balding Paul.....com.	10	15	Carter Crume.....pref.	....	70	Imperial Steel.....pref.	....	4.50	Peoples Loan & Savings.	80	90
Brantford Roofing.....	80	85	Collingwood Ship...com.	....	74	Lambton Golf Club....	325	375	P. L. Robertson Screw..	35	....
Can. Cereal & Flour Mill.	....	1.00	Dominion Linseed Oil....	70	....	Massey Harris.....	122	132	Rosedale Golf Club.....	325	380
Canada Machinery...com.	7.50	10.50	Dom. Manufac.....pref.	94.50	97.50	M'Donald.....pref.	84	....	Std. Rel'ce Loan (par 50)	47	49
Canada Marconi.....6's	43.50	....	D. Po'er & Trans.....pref.	....	59	Murray-Kay.....pref.	86	92	Sterling Bank.....	88	93
Can. Mort. & Investment	80	90	Dom. Permanent Loan....	67	70.50	Monarch Life Assur. Co.	12	19	Sovereign Life.....	....	20
Canada Paper.....pref.	....	90	Dunlop Tire.....pref.	91	96	Mex. Mahogany...bonds	....	56	Sterling Coal Bonds....	60	....
Can. Timber & Land.....	....	90	Eastern Car.....pref.	....	55	National Brick Bonds...	....	10	Toronto Paper.....6's	85	92
Cockshutt Plow...pref.	72	77.50	Ford Motor.....6's	90	....	North. Ont. L. & P...6's	....	31	Trust & Guarantee.....	85	90
			Great West Perm. Loan...	200	220	North. Crown Bank....	63	....	Univ. Steel & Tool...com.	....	23
				70	....	North. Ont. L. & P...6's	....	86	West Can. Flour...com.	115	140
						National Drug..pref. 7%	90	....		

Statistics relating to Dominion Savings Banks, Post Office Savings Banks, National Debt, Building Permits Compared, Index Numbers of Commodities, Trade of Canada by Countries, and Preliminary Monthly Statement of Canada's Trade appear once a month as issued by the various Government departments.