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In Addition to the Propetry Loss at Hull and Ottawa.

The Insurance Companies Will Suffer Very Heavily-Some Those

Hardest Hit. THE DEAD.

Miss Minnie Cook, aged 40 cremated in her own house. John Pumple, car repairer, 646 Somerset street, suffocated in Canadian

Pacific yards. George Peeley, shoemaker, 124 Queen street west, suffocated.

John Dare, Hull, fireman for E. B.

Unknown man, found dead in Meyers house, Wellington street, Hull.
Mrs. Carron, Wellington, Hull, died

than 2,000 buildings destroyed; sevent | Hartford, Atlas and National compan-lives lost; 7,000 men, women and children homeless and property loss of \$15,000,000 according to the latest estimate, insured for about half its value, are the results as viewed to-day of the destructive fire which destructive fire which swept this city and Hull. Although under control for many hours,

flames were not entirely extinguished until about noon yesterday.

A relief committee has been formed by the citizens, and this pogether with Archbishops of Ottawa and Montreal will make an appeal for

The most serious problem that con-fronts Hull is that of work. The majority of householders who were burned out are poor and have large famalies. It is not expected there will employment for a considerable period and the way in which many of the poor are going to live in the meantime doubtful. On the Ottawa side fully two-thirds of Dalhousie ward is devas-tated and an estimate by residents of the district place the number who were without roofs of their own last might in this district at 5,000.

RELIEF POURING IN. Among those who have subscribed of far are the following:—Dominion Government, for immediate use, \$10,000; city of Ottawa, for immediate use, \$10.000; Ontario Government \$25,000: Bank of Montreal, \$10,000 Hon. George A. Drummond, Montreal,

\$1,000; Ottawa Board of Trade, \$500 \$1,000; Ottawa Board of Trade, \$5000; Bank of Ottawa, \$5,000; His Excellency, the Gowernoc-General, \$1,000; Hon. Wm. Muloch, \$500; Citizen fund, \$1,500; Journal fund, \$1,000; Sir Wilfrid Laurier, \$100; Mon. R. W. Scott, \$100; Geo. H. Perley, \$500. The Dominion has promised \$96,000, which makes \$156,000, and contributions are coming; in from all gazunters.

in from all quanters. At a public meeting last night in the city hall it was decided to ask. leave of the previncial government to borrow \$100,000 by issuing debentures, so as to relieve the distressed.

It is quite impossible at this stage to form any accurate estimate of the money loss by the fire. It is variously estimated to be from \$8,000,000 to \$15,7 000,000. Not only the insurance comerests which have been destroyed are exceedingly reticent in their announce ments. In almost every instance these gentlemen, although repeatedly quesoned, declined to put any final figure upon their losses. Certain rough esti-mates are already available.

SOME HEAVY RISKS

Mrs. Carron, Welliagton, Hull, died from fright, aged 80 years.

A. Baudin, 8 years old, son of Chas-Baudin, Dake street, Hull.

Ottawa, April 28.—Over five square imiles of territory burned over, more than 2,000 buildings destroyed; seven than 2,000 buildings destroyed; seven that 2,000 men, women and lies. W. G. Black carries gravarile of tish Union and National, stand to lose \$250,000 C. A. Douglas has \$200,000 fivided almost equally between the London & Lancashire and the Queen companies. Culbert & Sons have over, a quarter of a million insurance, \$150,000 alone of which is on lumber. These companies are the Phoenix of Hartford, Phoenix of Brooklyn, Norvich Union, British American, and Lancashire. DeFar & Bethune \$225,000 in the Marchester, Law Union and Crown, American and Connec ticut. The Caledburia Insurance Company of Montreal, loses \$176,000. Manager A. B. Powell, of the Ottawa, Insurance Company, states that their loss will be about \$15,000. They had \$7,000 on the Export Eumber Com-pany, Hull, half of which was reinsur-ed. The balance of the losses was on residential property, the Bank of Ottawa building, Hull, and on the power houses of the Ottawa Electric Light Company. Mr. Powell says the Otta-wa Company carried \$10,000 on Booth's mill, but this escaped. The ompany came off fortunate, considering the heavy risks which they car The Ottawa Electric Company's loss is computed at \$200,000 and of the Street Railway Company \$150,000. The Royal and Queen Insurance compan-

ies desire all those who suffered by the recent fire and have policies with them to send their names to their agents, so that losses can be adjusted.

The approximate losses are—E. B. Eddy Cos. \$2.000,000; McKay Milling Company, \$350,000; J. K. Booth, \$2.000,000; Bronson's Rumber Company and alkied companies, \$750,000; Dominion Carbide Company, \$150,000; Chaudiere Machine and Foundry Company, \$75,000; Ealdwin Machine and Foundry Company, \$100,000; C. P. R. freight sheds and station, \$100,000; Wictoria Brewery, \$50,000; Ottawa Brewery, \$35,000; Lostal, \$7,535,000.

COMPANIAS WHO SUFFER. Torento, April 28. — So far as can' be learned the losses of the home companies, with head offices here and the foreign companies, whose chief Canadlan officers are in Toronto, in the great Hull-Ottawa fire, are:

Western \$150.000. British-America.

Western; \$150,000; British-America, \$110,000; Lancashire, \$150,000; Man-chester, \$100,000; London & Lanca-shire, \$179,000; Norwich Union, \$100,-000; Mercantile, \$20,000; Sin of Lon-

don, \$57/800.

This loss totals up to \$797,000, as an estimate at present; but the mamagers of all the companies say the figures are liable to correction any time dur-

are hable to correction any time dating the next week.

Some of the companies which have head offices in Montreal will lose much more heavily. The North British and Mercantile had \$400 000 of insurance in the burned district, but this was reduced by reinsurance to \$220,000.

GENTOFF EASILY. New York, April 23.— American face insurance companies will, it is believed; suffer little from the Ottawa fine. The Aetna of Hartford Phosnix of Brooklyn, Phoenix of Hartford, Phoenix of Brooklyn, Phoenix of Hartford, Connecticut Fire, Queen of America, and The Insurance Company of Northern America, do business in Canada, but of these one or two are saudito confine their operations to Montreal risks exclusively.

Foreign companies will have to pay most of the claims, but as the business is controlled by their Canadian branches, little is known of the New York offices about the actual amount at risk in the Hull territory. Coming at the time when the loss records in the Uni-ted States show a disastrous fire waste, the Ottawa fire will, it is bewaste, the Ottawn fire valued, have a depressing underwriting interests.

For the Opening of the Baseball Season Here.

Players Expected to Arrive at Once Officials Appointed-Ladies (0) be Aumitted Free.

A meeting of the executive of the A meeting of the executive of the baseball association was hald last evening in the parlors of the Hotel Merrill, all the directors being present.

The president, Dr. Tye, reported that he had received the resignations of G. P. Scholfields as treasurer and H. W. Anderson as secretary. On motion they were accepted Ald. G. W. Sulman was than elected treasurer and Ward Stanwarth secretary. F. T. Ward Stranworth secretary. F. T.
Merrill and E. R. Saook were added to
the board of directors.
W. W. Mitchell and Arthur Dunn.

were appointed ticket sellers for the season and Manager Black and Direc-tor Merrill empowered to engage a ground keeper.
It was decided to admit ladies free

10 cents only for grand stand priv Arrangements were then completed for t'ae opening benefit game next Thur sday with the D. A. C. The visitors are bringing up a strong team, the personel of which includes Fred. Phe ps, the former popular Maple City catcher, and a splendid contest should be witnessed Manager Black's men are all expected in to-night and will commeace work immediately.

DROPPED DEAD.

A Dover Centro correspondent writes: A Dover Centre correspondent writes:

One of the most highly respected farmers of Kent County passed away on Thursday, April 19th, in the person of James H. Highgate, who dropped dead while turning out the sheep to water. He was one of the oldest farmers of Kent county. He was married at the age of thirty-two to Rebecc Saton of Marcer Co., Pa. To this were born ten children. The wife and four children preceded him in death. Mr. Highgate leaves one brother, six children, seventeen grand children, naces and nep-hews and many other dear friends to mourn his loss. He was converted to God at the age of nineteen and since then he has alway lived as a straight Christian mam. leaves this world without a struggle without an enersy. It seems hard for us to part with him, but he was prepared and willing to go. The funeral service was conducted by the Rev. Elder Lymn, of Dresden. The funeral was largely attended. The remains were buried in the Maple

> Safe in the arms of Jesus, Safe on His gentle breast; There by His love o'er shaded, Sweetly my soul shall rest.

CHICAGO MARKETS. Opn. High Low Clo 664 674 65§ 67§ 40 ' 411 391 401 July .... 397 411 23 23 234 234 Oats-May  $\frac{22\frac{3}{4}}{23\frac{1}{4}}$ 23<sup>3</sup> 22<sup>1</sup> May. 42.70 12.70 12.57 July. 12.85 12.85 12.75 Lard-May: 7.32 7.32 July., 7.37 7.37 7.20 Ribs May.. 7.00 7.00 July.. 7.10 7.10

MUCH WHEAT DESTROYED.

W. H. Taylor, who is now able to be down at the office every day, says that there are lots of complaints com-ing from Harwich and Raleigh farmers in regard to wheat. They say that the Hessian fly must have worked in it last fail. The young shoots looked well when it came out from under the ice, but now it has withered up, and many farmers in these two townships are plowing up their fall wheat.

The pastor will preach in Park St. Methodist Church in the morning and D. Stan Shaw, student of the Toron-to University in the evening.

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THE PROBABILITIES:

G. N. W. Special: Toronto, April 28 to a m. Light' to moderate winds, fine and warm to-day and on Sunday.

meycle repairs at Brisco's. Ready Mixed Paint, all Colorse John 4. Morton. 2t

Three or four young girls are want-ed at The Planet Office. Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Samson, of Blen-heim, spent Friday in the city.

The Mineral Baths on Sixth St. cure Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Sciatica, etc. Mrs. Marsh, of Dawn, Mills, who has been visiting friends in the city, has returned home.

Rev. Mr. Going, a former pastor, will preach in Victoria Ave. Metho-dist Church to-merrow. Geo. A. Reed, of Boyden, Mich., who has been visiting Win. Drury, Bridge End, returned on Friday.

A delightfu! place to botthe, The Turkish Baths on Sixth Street. Hot

and cold baths, 25 cents. The annual vestry meeting of Christ

Church will be held in the S. S. hall on Monday evening at 8 o'clock. Black spots before your eyes are ust ally of a purely nervous origin, while the cause is found in uncorrected visual defects, which proper glasses only will remedy. Pleased to talk to you about your black spots. E. J. Mac-

Intyre, leading optician, opposite the Grand Opera House, Chatham. Some attractive Saturday evening specials are offered for to-night at Dingman's book store. See his adver-

tisement. The Trusts and Gurrantee Company Limited, 14 King street, west, Toonto, have been appointed administra-tors of the estate of the late John O'Mara, who died at St. Catharines, Ont., in March, 1899, leaving an estate-consisting of personalty and consid-erable real estate in St. Catharines.

Mr. R. Victor Carter, director Kraus Conservatory of Music, left for Toronto and western points on business interests of the Krause Conservatory of Music. He antici-pates to obtain great inducements for stusee at the Conservatory for lents in attendar its second year's work, and has been person ally solicited by the leading musical institua-tions and members of the profession in Can-ada to visit western cities in the interests of his institution. He expects to return next Thursday with good news to all true lover

MARRIED IN BROOKLYN A notable home wedding on Prospethe most interesting events of the Easter season. The marriage of Miss Katie Read Garrett, formerly of Chat-Katie Read Garrett, formerly of Châtham, Ont., daughter of Mrs. Henry John Garrett, to George Walter Ferriss, took place Wednesday evening, the 25th of April, at the home of the bride's parents, No. 735 Carroll St. The home was bequitfully decorated with palms, azaelas, pink roses and parantions. The Rev. Dr. G. F. Breed, rector of the Church of St. John, perrector of the Church of St. John, per-formed the ceremony. Only the imme-diate relatives and a limited number of friends were bidden to the house of friends were bidden to the house. There were no ushers, or flower girls, or ribbon girls. Miss Garrett was given away by her brother, Benjamin D. Garrett, of Vancouver, who had come on from the Pacific coast to attend his sister's wedding. The bride was attired in a gown of white silk. trimmed with point applique lace, and a real lace veil fastened with a diamond star, the gift of the bridegroom. Her bouquet was of white bride roses. Mrs. Wm. Eberts, of Detreit, the bride's sister, was matron of honor. bride's sister, was matron of honor She wore a gown of white organdic over white silk and carried a bou quet of pink roses. Her ornaments were pearls and diamonds. Herbert M. Self, of Bay Ridge, was best man. M. Self, of Bay Ridge, was best man. A reception and dance followed the ceremony. After the wedding trip to Washington Mr. and Mrs. Ferris will make their home in Brooklyn. The wedding presents, including silver, glass, clocks, bronzes and books, were exquisite.

## Little Boys Big Values

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### Prices for the Mothers

Little Boys Vestee Suits, in nest pattern tweed and navy serge, with fancy restoe..... \$2.00

Little Boys' Fancy Vestee Suits, in two patterns of tweed and a navy blue berge, all neatly trimmed with braid, 4 to 8

years sizes ......

Two-piece Suits, for Boys from 5 to 11 years, in near checks, light and dark shades and fawn Halifax tweed, nicely pleat-\$2.50 and \$2

Soys' 3-piece Tweed Suits, in neat pin check; dark shade, extra strong and serviceable, made to wear, 11-5e 16 years sizes

\$3.50 Boys' 3-piece Tweed Suits, in dark and light brown overchecks, dark gray tweed and black wersted—best linings and trim-mings, splendfdly made, atvlish fittle suits, 11 to 16 year sizes,

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lodges are invited to join in the parade of the I. O. O. F to Holy Trinity Church to-morrow evening. The service in Holy Trinity Church

to-morrow will be conducted by con-ducted by the Rev. Mr. Wright, rec-tor of St. Jude's Church, Braniford. J. W. Carter, supreme grand secre tary, of Toronto, will pay an official visit to the S. O. E. in this city. He will be at the meeting next

night, when refreshments will also be For to-day only, we will show a ladies' hose, fast black, quaranteed stainless, elastic tops; three pairs for 25c. W. Foreman & Co.

Wm. Coyle was charged at the lice court yesterday morning with aschanged to common assault and Coyle let out on suspended sen-

Rev. Mr. Larkin will preach in the First Presbyterian Church to-morrow morning on "The Greatness of Gentle-ness," and in the evening on "Cour-Wanted !- Two live men wanted the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co. Apply to Jas. W. Aitken. Office: Merchants' Bank Building.

The L. E. & D. R. R. have from 25 to 40 cars of freight to handle every day. Gen. Agent Tillson and the transfer gang are working till mid-

ransfer gang are working the might, nearly every night.
Court Hope, A. O. F., met lest Wednesday evening and was well attended.
The Patriotic Committee reported progress, and the subscription list is very good so far. Bro. L. F. Heyd, High Court Solicitor, who was to have been recently to address our meeting, was present to address our meeting, was detained by court duties on Wednesday night at the court house. The debate was laid over till next meeting. The was half of the was halforted for and elected. Two candidates are now ready for the inithe degree staff. Owing to the resigantion of Bro. Wm. Conibear, who, out of town, of the office of Chief Ran ger and correspondent to A. O. F. jour-nal, Bro. Dan Jordan, jr., was elected C. R., while Ed. Wanless was appointed correspondent to journal, Bro Jordan was installed into his office by P. D. C. R., Bro. W. H. Bensen, assiste by P. D. C. R., Bro. Ed. Cape.

AUCTION SALE.

Auction sale of a Brick School-house, with slate roof and stone foundation, on Lot 4, Con. 4, Harwich, on Tuesday, May 8, at the hour of four o'clock, on the premises.

The building must be sold, and terms will be made known on day of sale.

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Un Monday, April 3oth, 1900.

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