

## The Canadian Fire Record.

**BIG RIVER, SASK.**—Fire destroyed hospital, February 5. Loss, \$20,000.

**RIMOUSKI, QUE.**—Main building of St. Germain hotel gutted, February 10.

**WINNIPEG.**—Residence of D. A. Hossack, 164 Alfred Avenue, damaged, February 6. Loss, \$100.

**LONDON, ONT.**—Rooming house at 443 Ridout Street damaged, January 31. Origin, overheated stove.

**HALIFAX, N.S.**—School for the Blind damaged, February 10. Loss about \$5,000, principally water damage.

**WINGHAM, ONT.**—Baptist Church gutted, February 6. Loss, \$7,000. Supposed origin, overheated furnace pipe.

**PORT HAWKESBURY, N.S.**—Cold storage plant of North Atlantic Fisheries, Ltd., destroyed with contents, February 12. Correct details of insurance loss are not yet available, but it is known to be a total loss running to over \$200,000.

**HAMILTON, ONT.**—Fire gutted house on Murray street, near Park, February 8. Total loss. Fire started by two boys.

**ESSEX, ONT.**—Dr. Bowie's residence, Mr. Wall's residence, butcher shop and drug store, destroyed, February 6. Loss \$10,000. Origin, unknown.

**SOURIS, MAN.**—The D. A. McKenzie department store, with its contents, destroyed, February 6, with a loss of \$50,000 to \$60,000.

**WELLAND, ONT.**—Forge building of Canada Forge Company, destroyed, February 2. Loss about \$30,000 covered by insurance. Supposed origin, overheated furnace.

**VONDA, SASK.**—General store on Main Street occupied by S. Roberts destroyed, February 2. Building insured for \$1,000; insurance on stock about two-thirds of value.

**ACME, ALTA.**—Frank Miller's harness store. Loss on stock and fixtures, \$3,600. Insurance, Dominion Fire, \$2,000; loss on building, \$1,250. Insurance, Dominion, \$1,000.

**HAILEYBURY, ONT.**—Leslie block destroyed, January 28. Loss, \$7,000, divided among Messrs. F. Leslie, D. Jacobi, C. B. Graves, S. Lynch and others. Cause, overheated stove.

**TORONTO.**—Overheated furnace caused a fire in premises of Underwood Typewriter Company at 90 Richmond street east, January 30. Loss, \$1,000 to building and \$1,500 to stock.

**MANITOU, MAN.**—Normal School damaged, January 26. Loss, \$3,000. Insurance, Commercial Union and Hartford, \$3,000 each, and Queen and British America, \$2,000 each. Origin, defective furnace.

**FORT WILLIAM, ONT.**—Mr. A. Paul's premises 606-8 Simpson Street, owned by McCall and McGillivray, damaged January 23. Loss, building, \$2,000; contents, \$9,000. Insurance, \$9,500. Origin, unknown.

**OTTAWA, ONT.**—Annex to scholasticate of Oblat Fathers, Ottawa East, destroyed, February 14. Origin, unknown.

**ST. JOHN, N.B.**—Fire damaged foundry of Holt, McLean & Company and carriage factory of A. G. Edgcombe, City road, on February 8. Edgcombe's loss, \$3,500; Holt & Co.'s loss, \$1,000. Covered by insurance.

**EDMONTON, ALTA.**—Alberta Motor Boat Company's loss on contents, \$8,000. Insurance in L. & L. & G., \$6,400; Sovereign, \$500. E. A. Kemp & Son, plumbers. Loss on stock and fixtures, \$1,500. Insurance, Profectors Undrs., \$2,000. K. K. Pfeifle's dwelling. Loss on building and contents, \$860. Insurance in Alberta-Canadian, \$1,400.

**CAMPBELLTON, N.B.**—Building owned by S. W. Dimock gutted, February 10. Occupied on ground floor by G. Wran, druggist and H. C. Montgomery & Co., jewellers; on first floor by Mr. Dimock's offices. C. R. Mersereau, photographer, and Mrs. Degrace, dressmaking rooms. Loss about \$25,000. All those mentioned had insurance, except Mrs. Degrace.

**ORILLIA, ONT.**—Building owned by H. Cooke & Company, damaged, February 6. McLean's dental parlours, where fire originated, and other offices damaged by fire; H. Cooke & Co., druggist and booksellers, and T. B. Jebb, jeweller, sustained water damage. Loss about \$5,000. Chris. Moore Co., general merchants, burned out, February 4. Loss, \$25,000.

**MONTREAL.**—Stable of Oscar Amiot, coal dealer, 340 City Hall Avenue, destroyed February 10, with contents. Three horses suffocated. Saw mill or Williams Rutherford & Sons, February 10. Loss, \$3,000. Origin, unknown. Two storey tenement in course of construction at 653 Deffleurmont Street, owned by Mr. Morin, destroyed, February 11. Loss about \$4,000. Origin, unknown. Canadian Rubber Company's factory, corner Notre Dame Street and Papineau Avenue, damaged, February 13. Loss, \$25,000. Supposed origin, explosion of hot rubber.

**PRINCE ALBERT, SASK.**—Manville & Co.'s store, Crown Cafe, and Conservative Club completely gutted. Manville & Co., grocers, loss on stock, \$15,000. Insurance, Occidental, \$1,000; Nova Scotia, \$1,000; Phoenix (? which) \$2,000; Northern, \$2,000. Sovereign, \$1,000 and Quebec, \$1,000. Crown Cafe, loss, \$2,500, partially insured. Conservative Club, loss, \$1,500, no insurance. T. E. Baker, owner of building, loss, \$25,000, insurance \$14,000. C. K. Eville's residence, over Royal Bank, loss, \$1,500, fully insured. Royal Bank loss, \$1,000, fully insured.

**TORONTO.**—Parkdale Canoe Club house destroyed, February 8. Loss including contents, but exclusive of valuable trophies, \$15,000. Residence of C. King, 36 Lake Front gutted, February 10. Loss on building, \$1,500; on contents, \$700. Origin, overheated stove. Fire on Dundas Street, February 11, destroyed the Bowman Gas Range Company's factory, loss, \$9,000; Railway Equipment Company's factory, loss, \$16,000; also destroyed and damaged following stores and residences:—Mr. S. S. Walker, 1245 Dundas Street, fully protected by insurance. Mr. Redfern, 1243, carried \$500 on the contents of his store, while the owner, Thomas Rooney, 67 Dorval road, had \$2,300 insurance. Chung Tong, owner and had \$2,300 insurance. Cluff Bros., 1239 Dundas Street, contents of store fully protected, owner, Mrs. Mary Tuckett, 53 Indian road crescent, insured. The houses directly south as far as No. 1225 Dundas Street, were damaged more or less.