The Board of Directors met at the American Hotel, Toronto, on the 17th of Jany., 1878, at 8 p.m., when the following officers were elected for the year 1878:

President-S. W. HILL, Esq.

Vice-President—A. GIFFORD, Esq.
Treasurer—J. P. Bull, Esq.
Manager and Secretary—R. J. Doyle, Esq.
Finance Committee—Messrs. A. J. Hughes, A. GIFFORD, CHARLES DRURY, and R. J. DOYLE.

APPENDIX No. 1. ABSTRACT STATEMENT OF LOSSES BY FIRE.

Date of Loss.	Name.	Township.	County.	Amount paid.	Cause of fire.
1877. Sept. 28	Jas. Birr	Sydenham	Grey	\$1050 00	Incendiary
Oct. 24	Jno. Graham	Eldon	Victoria	466 38	or tramps Incendiary
Nov. 16	Andrew Coffee.	Nelson	Halton	353 60	Incendiary

The following table shows the Policies Assessable for each Loss and the Working Expenses—the rate of assessment being on the amount of the undertaking:-

1st Assessment	Rate per cent.	
Fire Claim.	41/10	On Policies from No. 1 to 741, not including the following Policies, not in force: Nos. 21, 145, 146, 285, 387, 425, 519, 525, 611, 697, 698, 699, 711, 738, 739 and 740.
2nd Assessment		
Fire Claim.	1 65 100	On Policies from No. 1 to 797, with Nos. 824, 825 and 826, not including the following, not in force: Nos. 21, 145, 146, 285, 387, 519, 525, 611, 743, 744, 745, 771, 775, 789, 792, 793 and 794.
3rd Assessment.	45000	
Fire Claim.	114	On Policies from No. 1 to 846, with No. 874, but not including the following, not in force: Nos. 21, 145, 146, 387, 525, 611, 743, 798, 799, 828, 830, 831, 836, 838, 842, 844 and 845.
4th Assessment.		
Workg. Expenses	$5\frac{2}{10}$	On Policies from No. 1 to 929, less the following, not in force until 1878: Nos. 387, 828, 838, 861, 893, 897 and 908.