## CANADIAN FIRE RECORD

Fire at St. Johns, P.Q.—On August 30th a fire broke out on the premises of the Belding Paul Corticelli Silk Company. Insurance as follows: Liverpool & London & Globe, \$25,000; North British & Mercantile, \$25,000; Guardian, \$25,000; Employers, \$25,000; Royal, \$24,000; Hartford, \$16,000; North America, \$15,000; Caledonian, \$15,000; Phoenix of London, \$15,000; Atlas, \$12,000; Provident Washington, \$10,000. Total, \$207,000. Loss about \$90,000.

Fire in Township of Gloucester, Ont .- By the fire which ocurred on the 22nd August on the premises of the Bishopric Wall Board Company, Ltd., the following companies are interested: Atlas, \$2,500; Fidelity-Phoenix, \$2,500; Commercial Union, \$5,500; Guardian, \$18,000; Hartford, \$5,000; Springfield, \$2,500; London & Lancashire, \$3,000; Scottish Union, \$2,000; Northern, \$2,000; L'Union, \$2,500; British Colonial, \$5,000; Royal Exchange, \$5,000; Union of Canton, \$3,000; North Empire, \$7,000; London Guarantee, \$2,000; British America, \$2,000; London Und., \$2,000; Great North West, \$1,500; Union of London, \$2,500; Mount Royal, \$2,500; Niagara, \$2,500; Liverpool & London & Globe, \$1,000; General of Perth, \$5,000. Total, \$86,500. Loss total.

Fire at Guelph, Ont.—On the 2nd a fire destroyed the bakeshop of J. Tedesco on Morris St. Loss about \$1,500; partly covered.

Fire near Cornwall.—On the 2nd instant two valuable barns were destroyed when struck by lightning, one at Morewood the property of W. Swerdfeger, and one near Winchester the property of J. J. Black & Son. Loss about \$6,000, partly covered.

Fire at Prescott, Ont.—On the 2nd inst. a fire destroyed three barns leased by L. Graham, hackman. Loss about \$5,000, partly covered.

Fire at Sardis, near Chilliwack, B.C.—On the 3rd inst. a fire destroyed the large dairy barn of C. H. Evans containing two hundred tons of hay, milking equipment, machinery, etc. Loss about \$20,000, partly covered.

Fire at St. Catharine's, Ont.—On the 5th inst. a fire destroyed the frame dwelling and contents of Mrs. Taylor. Loss \$1,500, with \$300 insurance.

Fire at London, Ont.—On the 4th instant a fire destroyed some outbuildings of the London Asylum for Insane. Loss about \$7,500.

Fire at Toronto.—On the 8th instant a dwelling at 46 Murray St. was destroyed. Loss about \$2,000.

Fire near Newmarket, Ont.—Within ten days three barns near Newmarket were destroyed owned respectively by F. Williams, B. Pipher, and A. Goodwin. Loss about \$20,000.

## HAIL INSURANCE SEASON NEARLY ENDED

The hail insurance season is nearing its close, most of the liability ceasing in a few days. Reports from many of the companies writing this class of business are unsatisfactory, but conclusions cannot be arrived at until returns from the majority of companies are available when the season is actually closed. The field is broadening materially for this form of insurance in Canada.

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