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# TELEGRAPHIC.

SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.

## WINDSOR, N. S. IN ASHES.

### Terrible Ravages of the Fire Fiend.

### Loss About One and a Half Millions.

WINDSOR, Oct. 18.—The town of Windsor as a place of business is no more. The fire fiend, started on his awful errand of destruction by a couple of Saturday night drunkards, wiped out half the township and four-fifths of the main part of the town. Hardly a single place of business remains, and between 400 and 500 buildings are in ashes today. A district nearly a mile in length by half a mile in width is nothing but a mass of smoking embers, with ghastly chimneys rising like ugly monuments in a huge cemetery. A mile and a half is devastated.

The man who starts at the old post office, goes out King and Obien Streets and Wentworth road as far as the houses extend, then following along O'Brien road again across to Edgenill down Chapel lane, up Elm Street, along Albert Street to Ferry Hill, down this hill and along water front, on Water Street to his starting point, will have traversed a region which one day ago was covered by happy homes and prosperous places of business perhaps worth one and a half million of dollars in money, but which this morning is valueless except for what bare devastated ground might bring. The cause was a drunken roisterer's match.

How did so awful a calamity come upon so fair a town? The answer is easy. The conflagration started from the match of a drunken brawler in a shanty controlled by George Fletcher, a colored restaurant keeper and barter at the rear of the Maine block and the greedy flames spread with lightning rapidity because the wind was high and Windsor had no adequate fire fighting apparatus.

It was a little after 3 o'clock on Sunday morning when the fire bell was rung because some one saw the flames in the Maine block. In less time than it takes to tell it the Maine block was in flame. The gale was a hurricane. The fire was leaping from the Maine block and what was far worse high cinders were carried across the sleeping town as large as turkeys. They were whisked through the black air and lodged piteously on the roofs all around.

Away down from the Maine Block, a quarter of a mile nearly, is the Windsor foundry, and it was only a moment after the flames darted from the roof and win-

dows of the former place that the foundry was seen to be on fire. North, south, east and west the flames spread. The wind varied to all the points of the compass that could do the most harm to Windsor, as if knowing that the hour had come to strike a blow at the helpless town whose people had so long trusted to luck for immunity from the fire fiend.

Had the buildings been of paper saturated with oil they could not have sprung into flames quicker than they did. In an instant almost the whole of the area between the starting point of the fire and the Windsor foundry and portions flanking each side of a line drawn in that direction were in flames.

Mayor Smith saw that, left to itself, the town was doomed. It was doomed now, but as a forlorn hope it was decided to send to Halifax for assistance. The help came, but there was no water and nothing could be done so the people settled down and watched their town melt away in smoke and ashes before their saddened eyes and helpless hands.

Today four-fifths of the main part of Windsor is in embers. More than four hundred houses are in ashes; one thousand people are homeless sheltered by neighbors, and the estimate of loss is one million and a half dollars. The insurance is about four hundred thousand dollars.

One hundred soldiers from this garrison went up last evening and carloads of supplies were sent in. Urgent help is needed from all who can give it anywhere.

### LATEST NEWS BY WIRE AND MAIL.

St. Louis, Mo., Oct 15.—Mrs. Victoria Conkling Whitney, headed by a committee of women, called upon Street Commissioner Milner. She introduced herself and said: "We represent the Woman's Equal Suffrage Club and we demand the appointment of women street inspectors. If necessary we will resort to political measures to insure the demand. Now, will you appoint a woman to this position of street inspector?" Mr. Milner said he would, and agreed that ten of the forty inspectors should be women recommended by Mrs. Whitney, providing the mayor approved the appointments. The inspectors get \$3 a day, and the commissioner said the women should have to do the same work the men are doing.

LONDON, Oct. 15.—A despatch to the Daily News from Rome says: "The Pope when receiving the Irish pilgrims this morning appeared to be in excellent health, the only difference in his appearance from last year being that he seems rather more bowed. His voice could be heard clearly throughout the Sistine."

LONDON, Oct. 16.—A despatch from Rome to the Daily Chronicle says: "On the arrival of the Archbishop of Montreal here the Pope will give a decision, which is expected to favor an arrangement between Manitoba and the Federal Government."

NEW YORK, Oct. 15.—A special cable from London to an afternoon paper says Mr. Gladstone has declined to accede to a demand that he intervene to bring about a settlement of the engineers' strike. The Australian marine engineers have voted \$2,500 in aid of the strikers.

LONDON, October 15.—The correspondent of the Standard at Constantinople says: "All the preliminaries have been agreed upon for the alliance for the offensive and defensive between Bulgaria and Turkey, under which the governorship of Roumelia becomes hereditary in the family of Prince Ferdinand."

NEW YORK, October 15.—The Herald this morning, prints a long article on the Cuban situation, in which it says it has come into possession of important facts which tend to show that Spain will eventually grant independence to Cuba, on the payment of an indemnity of \$150,000,000. The information comes from diplomatic circles. Spain would gladly hold on to Cuba if she could, but her desperate financial conditions has made her accept the inevitable, and after a certain season of delay in deference to public opinion, will yield to Cuba all that she asks.

NORTH GALES, Ariz., Oct. 15.—A sensation has been sprung in the adjacent state of Sonora, Mexico, by an ecclesiastical edict from Archbishop Lopez, the seat of whose archiepiscopal see is at Hermosillo, the capital of the state, excommunicating all members of the Masonic fraternity. Nearly all of the highest officials in the state are members of the Masonic order and many of them are Catholics. This sweeping edict spread consternation all over the state. What action will be taken by the gentlemen affected is not yet determined. One of the most prominent Masons expressed himself as determined to adhere to Masonry at all hazards.

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A big lot of new Hat and Bonnet Shapes just opened this morning.—Moore & McLeod.

A few cold winter wants—they ought to jostle along at the prices: Blankets, undershirts, flannel night dresses, ulsters, overcoats, reefers, and about 40 overcoats, last year's stock, at half price.—Jas Paton & Co.

# PERKINS'

## INTERESTING ITEMS

### FOR THRIFTY BUYERS

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**UNDERWEAR** Ladies' and Children's Vests, Drawers and Combinations, in every style and size. It is worth your while to see our assortment—prices run from 22c up.

**HOSIERY** Ladies' and Children's. In this department we are showing a nice line of the good wearing kind, all wool, ranging in prices from 22c up.

## DRESS GOODS

Economy reigns supreme in our Dress Goods Department. Come and see our beautiful assortment whether you wish to purchase or not.

## No Trouble to Show Goods

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**JUST ARRIVED.**—Ladies' and Children's Golf Jerseys, Ladies' Beaver Collars and Cuffs, white and cream boas and other new goods opened to-day.

# F. Perkins & Co.,

Successors to Perkins, Sterns & Turner.

### THE LAND OF GOLD.

Claims Worth \$50,000,000 are Already Staked Out in the Klondike District.

SEATTLE, Wash., October 15.—Patrick Galvin, who is recognized as one of the bonanza kings of the Klondike, where he has been for the past three years engaged in mining, reviewing the gold regions of the north, estimating their probable output, said:

"There are 461 claims which have been operated sufficiently to prove their richness. There are 250 claims already staked out, but not developed. By reason of their location near other claims already shown to be very rich, I have no doubt they will prove equal to the other 461."

"Taking these claims and figuring out their cubic contents and making a conservative estimate, I do not see why the output from these claims alone will fall short of \$50,000,000."

Mr. Galvin unhesitatingly declared that nothing which had been published so far as he knew ever approximated the truth, or what is really known of the great gold fields.

The steamer City of Topka, from Juneau, Alaska, had among her passengers J. F. Maloney, of Juneau, who came out from Dawson with the Galvin party. Maloney said:

"Hunter Creek and Gold Bottom Creek, it is conceded will equal if not rival the now famous Bonanza and Eldorado Creeks. More especially is this true of Hunter Creek. Location No. 33 on that creek is among the richest in the Klondyke district."

"Many of the claims of this district will run \$2,000 to the box. On No. 30, Eldorado, Alex. McDonald's claim, one man in a shift and a half, which is about 12 hours shovelled in \$20,000."

"On Skookum gulch, which enters Bonanza No. 3, above Discovery, on locations Nos. 1 and 2, I saw \$30,000 weighed out of two box lengths."

Mr. Maloney saw a 16-quart brass kettle filled with gold dust in the cabin of R. T. Dinsmore, Harry Spence, Bill McFee and others. No. 31, Bonanza, owned by Oscar Ashley and Billy Leake, will produce \$1,000,000.

Ten days after the boat left for down the river, taking the gold, the North American Transportation and Trading Co. had \$250,000 in its safe at Dawson. This shows how rapidly the gold accumulates.

Mr. Maloney says that over \$2,000,000 will come out this fall.

"There are stacks and stacks of gold," he said, "each with the owner's name on it. Alex. McDonald will produce the largest amount."

"I hesitate to give figures, but the simple truth is that his various interests will yield from \$2,000,000 \$4,000,000 this winter."

Don't wait to be frostbitten into a remembrance of your blanket wants, while we are showing a stock manufactured to our own special order, genuine bed heaters, redolent of warmth and comfort.—Jas Paton & Co.

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