

DULUTH BLOCK ON FIRE

Loss Is \$50,000 or More—Iron Wall Saved Part of Building.

DULUTH, MINN.—The O'Brien & Knowlton block was damaged by fire last evening to the extent of about \$50,000. It was a four-story brick building with 100 feet frontage and had an iron fire wall in the middle so that only one-half of the building was destroyed.

The Cudahy Packing company sustained a loss of \$8,000, which was fully covered by insurance. The Kolling Produce company sustained a loss of \$1,000, with insurance of \$1,500. Seipel & Huntley, printers, lost about \$3,000, with ample insurance to cover all loss. The Melander bindery lost \$2,000 and had \$1,000 insurance. Duluth Posten lost \$3,000 with no insurance. H. Helstein, clothiers, lost \$10,000, with \$8,000 insurance.

Daniel Chisholm, a fireman, was injured by being thrown from a truck.

It was at first thought a woman employed on the fourth floor by the clothing firm had perished, but she was found later.

The insurance on the part of the building destroyed was \$20,000. The origin of the fire is unknown.