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#### RECENT FIRE LOSSES

Recent fire losses reported to the Superintendent of Insurance: Esquimalt, May 4th.-Work Point; owner and occupant, Dominion Government; wood offices; value of building \$20,000, value of contents \$5,000; insurance, nil. Total loss, \$180. Cause, spark from stove set fire to content box.

from stove set fire to coal box.

Hammond, May 27.—Lot 9, Block 2, D.L. 245 D.W.D.; owner and occupant, A. G. Denoon; wood dwelling; value of building \$2,700, insurance on same \$1,200; value of cotnents \$1,500, insurance on same \$300. Total loss about \$4,000. Coal oil stove explosion. Mutual Fire of B.C.

Port Coquitlam, May 18.—Knappen Street; owner, Coquitlam Terminal Co.; occupant, J. H. Kilmer; wood dwelling; value of building \$11,000, insurance on same \$8,000; value of contents \$3,500, insurance on same \$1,500. Total loss, \$8,189. Cause, defective wiring. London Guarantee, Commercial Union.

Vancouver, May 28—400 Pender Street East; owner and occupant Almond's, Ltd.; two storey frame factory and dairy; value

pant Almond's, Ltd.; two storey frame factory and dairy; value of building \$24,000, insurance on same \$20,000; value of contents, \$25,000, insurance on same \$22,000; total loss \$250. Cause, lightning caused short circuit which set fire to wooden partition. Liverpool-Manitoba, Queen, St. Paul, Phoenix of London, Union-Vancouver, May 13.—125 5th Ave. West; owner, Vancouver Fin

Corporation; occupant, G. M. Macdonald; two storey frame dwelling; value of building \$2,500, insurance on same \$1,200; value of contents \$1,200, insurance on same \$500; cause, defective wiring.

contents \$1,200, insurance on same \$500; cause, defective wiring. Union of Canton, Hudson Bay.

Vancouver, May 8.—1109 Haro Street; owner and occupant, M. M. Graves; two storey wood dwelling; value of building \$7,000, insurance on same \$4,000; value of contents \$2,500, insurance on same \$1,000. Total loss \$826. Cause, sparks from chimney. Phoenix of London, Royal Exchange.

Vancouver, May 4.—2438 Main Street; owner, Douglas MacKay Co.; occupants, C. Lily and S. Pearce; value of building \$12,500, insurance on same \$8,000; value of contents \$4,700, insurance on same \$3,000. Total loss, \$52. Cause, carelessness with a cigarette. Royal Exchange. Canadian Fire Great American Paletine Newark. Royal Exchange, Canadian Fire, Great American, Palatine, Newark.

#### RICHARD MARPOLE OF VANCOUVER DIES

Mr. Richard Marpole, chief executive of the Canadian Pacific Railway in British Columbia, died on June 8th at the Hotel Vancouver from complications arising out of heart trouble. Mr. Marpole, who died in his seventieth year, spent his entire career in the railroad business. Born in Wales on June 8th, 1850, he entered the service of an English railway. In 1881 he joined the staff of the Canadian Pacific Railway and by successive steps of advancement reached the position which he held at the time of his death at the head of the Canadian Pacific interests on

The late Mr. Marpole was retired last year but unfortunately was not able to participate long in the welldeserved rest after so active a career.

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