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### Fire Losses of U. S. and Canada.

The losses by fire in the United States and Canada during the month of June, as compiled by the New York Journal of Commerce and Commercial Bulletin, aggregates \$29,349,000, an increase of \$4,405,300 over the figures for June last year, which was largely due to the losses by the Salem conflagration. The losses for the first half of 1914 reach the unusually large total of \$133,018,250, as compared with \$118,245,650 for the first six months in 1913. The following table gives a comparison of the losses by months in 1913 and 1912, together with the monthly record for the balance of those years:

	1912.	1913.	1914.
January .....	\$35,653,150	\$20,193,250	\$23,204,700
February .....	28,601,650	22,084,600	21,744,200
March .....	16,650,850	17,511,000	25,512,750
April .....	16,349,400	16,738,250	17,700,800
May .....	21,013,950	17,225,850	15,507,800
June .....	16,103,450	24,942,700	29,348,000
Six months .....	\$134,372,450	\$118,245,650	\$133,018,250
July .....	\$15,219,100	\$20,660,900	.....
August .....	14,158,800	21,180,700	.....
September .....	13,779,300	17,919,300	.....
October .....	13,651,650	14,932,750	.....
November .....	16,172,300	15,207,600	.....
December .....	17,967,000	16,126,450	.....
Total year.....	\$225,320,900	\$224,723,350	.....

### RECENT INSURANCE REGISTRATION.

Railway Passengers Assurance Company, head office in B. C. is at Vancouver, is empowered to transact in British Columbia the business of accident, sickness, guarantee and plate-glass insurance. The attorney for the company is the British American Trust Company.

Reliance Marine Insurance Company is empowered to transact in British Columbia the business of marine insurance. The head office of the company in B. C. is at Victoria, and Messrs. R. P. Rithet & Co., Ltd., of Victoria, is the attorney for the company.

Insurance Company of North America is empowered to transact in British Columbia the business of marine insurance. The head office of the company in B. C. is at Vancouver, and A. H. B. Macgowan, Esq., is attorney for the company.

Minneapolis Fire and Marine Insurance Company, head office in B. C. is at Vancouver, is empowered to transact in British Columbia the business of fire insurance. The attorney for the company is Chalmers Rutherford, Esq., Yorkshire Bldg., Vancouver.

### CATTLE POSSIBILITY FOR BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The Canadian Government Agent in the State of Kansas, Mr. G. A. Cook, recently arrived in Canada with a party of American cattlemen en route to British Columbia, for the purpose of selecting territory in British Columbia for stock raising.

Mr. Cook states that a large number of American cattlemen are turning their attention to the possibilities of this Province as a cattle district.