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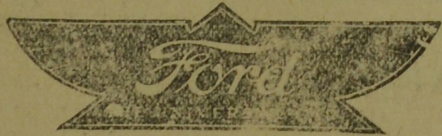
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BARKER'S POINT SCOURGED BY FLAMES THIS MORNING

Three Dwellings Owned by James Dunbar Henry Close and George Foss Totally Destroyed--Three Barns of Peppers Homestead Destroyed with Contents.

One of the most destructive fires seen in this part of the country for some years occurred at Barker's Point this morning. The fire started between seven and eight o'clock on the roof of a house owned and occupied by James Dunbar and family. This house was destroyed completely. A vacant house owned by George Forbes was burned to the ground as was also that owned and occupied by Henry Close. Three barns of the John Peppers homestead were completely destroyed, together with some live-stock, farm-produce and implements. The total loss is estimated to be in the neighborhood of \$10,000.

In addition to the complete destruction of the buildings named, the Barker's Point school-building was seriously damaged, two holes being burned in the roof, and George Smith's dwelling was also damaged, fire breaking out there several times.

SPECTACULAR BLAZE.

The fire attracted many spectators, being observed from a considerable distance. People from Fredericton, Marysville, Gibson and St. Mary's went to the scene of the fire and helped fight the flames. A party of thirty officers and men of the Divisional Ammunition Column was sent to Barker's Point and rendered valuable assistance. Lieut. N. P. McLeod and Lieut. Wm. Vassie were with this party.

FLAMES SPREAD RAPIDLY.

When the fire caught on the roof of Mr. Dunbar's residence, conditions were favorable for the rapid spread of the flames. The high wind carried the fire, which is thought to have originated in the chimney, to Henry Close's residence. This was soon a mass of flames and the house owned by George Foss next caught. All these were burned to the ground. The school-building next caught but the flames were extinguished with no more than the holes through the roof. Owing to the damage to the building there will be no sessions of the school until Monday. From the school the fire ran through the dried grass of

the fields to the Peppers homestead, which was occupied by Wesley and Samuel Peppers, their mother, Mrs. John Peppers, and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Southern. The fire ran through the grass a distance of about fifty yards. The barns caught and soon were blazing. The greater part of live-stock was removed but a bull, a heifer and a hog were burned to death. Eighteen cords of hard-wood, hogs and hen-house, one hundred bushels of oats, five tons of hay, several pieces of farm machinery were lost in the flames. The apple orchard of the farm was seriously damaged by fire.

INSURANCE LOSSES.

The Close dwelling was insured for \$1,500 in the Royal, for which R. B. Hanson is local agent. Mr. Dunbar carried \$1,000 on his property in the London Mutual, of which Mr. Brewer is agent here. Of that amount \$350 was on the barns and \$650 on the house. The barns escaped destruction. On the barns of the Peppers' property the insurance was \$400 in the North British and Mercantile, represented locally by F. I. Morrison & Son. George Foss carried no insurance on his house which was destroyed.

FLAMES WERE CHECKED.

At George Foss's residence, which was next the property of his which was destroyed, the flames were checked. The house is a low one and those fighting the fire were able to put water on the roof and keep the fire away. The efforts here also saved George Smith's large residence, which is near by. Both Mr. and Mrs. Foss were absent when the fire began. The breaking of a telephone line by the fire increased the trouble.

APPRECIATED THE SOLDIERS.

The work of the soldiers at the fire was very much appreciated by the people of Barker's Point, the troops rendering valuable service. The people of the vicinity also worked hard fighting the flames and saving property. Little furniture was saved however, and it was in a damaged condition.

SURPRISING ANSWER

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burial of unidentified persons and provides for a revised scale of fees.

Dr. Price took objection to the allowance of \$6 to a coroner for attending at an inquest any day after the first.

Dr. Morehouse said \$5 was not enough. It frequently happened that a coroner had to be from home most of the day and perhaps all night as well and even \$6 would not pay him for his trouble.

Hon. Mr. Baxter said under the old scale a coroner got \$8 for the first day. Under the new scale he gets \$10, so that he had an advantage that way.

Mr. Shipp did not think there should be any arbitrary limit. He thought there might be a scale but if any special services were called for, it should be in the power of the attorney general to certify for additional remuneration.

The bill was amended to meet this view, and as amended was agreed to.

LIQUOR LICENSE ACT.

The House again went into committee with Mr. Munro in the chair and took up the bill to consolidate and amend the liquor license act.

Mr. Carter, on the section allowing objection being made to granting of a license, though, that the petitioners should be compelled to state specifically what their grounds of objection were and unless the grounds of objections were stated in the petition the petitioners had no standing.

Mr. Tilley said he could not see why it should be necessary for petitioners to prepare a brief and take other form of proceedings on objections. When an application was made for a license any person who had bona fide objection to it was at liberty to come and state it and he did not think petitioners should be bound by any hard and fast rule.

Mr. Carter said petitioners were in the position of complainants and they should be called upon to present their statement of claim so that an applicant for a license might know just exactly what he had to meet.

Hon. Mr. Baxter said that if petitioners did not so state their objections they would have no standing.

Mr. Lockhart, on the section to regulate quantity which could be sold under a tavern license, said that he was against any change which would increase the amount of liquor which

could be sold in a bar and be taken away from the premises.

Hon. Mr. Clarke said that the section of the bill made no change over the present law and its amendments.

Mr. Tilley said that if the law, at present, was wrong, there was no reason why it should not be amended. He thought a gallon of malt liquor was too much to be allowed to be sold.

Mr. Tilley favored returning to the law as it was prior to 1909, when the

largest quantity a man could buy in a tavern at one time was a quart. He certainly thought it was calculated to make a man the worse for liquor to allow him to consume as much as a gallon at a time.

Mr. Carter thought that the limit of a gallon was a wise provision. If a man desired to entertain any friends he could buy a bottle of whiskey or a gallon of ale at a tavern. If this privilege were denied him he would be driven to the wholesaler, where he would have to buy in even a larger quantity still.

At this stage progress was reported with leave to sit again.

The House then took recess till 8 o'clock.

The House resumed at 8.20 p.m. and went into committee for further consideration of the liquor license bill, with Mr. Munro in the chair.

Mr. Stewart (Gloucester) moved to add to the oath required of a voter in whose name a vote had previously been given that he should swear that he had not previously voted at that election.

The amendment was agreed to. Progress was reported with leave to sit again.

The House adjourned at 10.10 p.m.

A CONQUERING HERO.

Commodore Stewart, who was Tuesday elected an alderman to the Chatham aldermanic board at the head of the poll, returned to the city today and is being warmly congratulated on all sides. His appearance at the meeting of the Corporations Committee this morning was the signal for rousing cheers and the singing of "Tipperary," "The Conquering Hero," and other inspiring airs. The commodore is naturally very much pleased over the hearty endorsement he has received at the hands of the people in his home town. It shows that the people take very little stock in the attacks made upon him by the graft press during the present session.

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