

The farm home of Homer J. Carroll southwest of town burned to the ground Wednesday afternoon at five o'clock. The origin of the fire was an oil stove which was being used in the kitchen while Mrs. Carroll and children were upstairs. The fire started from some unknown cause in connection with the oil stove. Smoke was soon noticed coming up the stairway and Mrs. Carroll and children barely had time to get out of the burning house. A strong wind was blowing and the flames soon covered the entire house so that nothing was saved. The loss was partially covered by insurance.