

DOUBLE TRAGEDY IN A CARIBOU HOME

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Mrs. O'Regan died at 2 o'clock and her husband at 7 o'clock.

The whole front of the range was blown out and the wood-work in the kitchen and the doors burned. The R. L. Pitcher Company which occupies the corner store as an office, moved out the office furniture, as at one time it was feared the fire would work its way down but the fire department checked the blaze before it gathered headway in the building, the damages being confined to a small hole in the floor, the woodwork in the kitchen and the smoke and water.

This is the fourth time in four years that Mr. O'Regan had been hit by fire. He lost a wooden building, formerly standing on the site of the present one. Later he bought a saw-mill which soon afterwards was destroyed by fire, he rebuilt it and again it burned. About a year ago he started the construction of the present O'Regan building. That it was saved from destruction was due to the time of day the accident occurred and the prompt action of the chemical squad of the fire department.

Mrs. Samuel O'Conner of Elm street, Bangor, is a sister of Mr. O'Regan and another sister, Mrs. William D. Smith, formerly of Bangor, now lives in Massachusetts. Another sister, Mrs. Peter Powers lives here, the death of her brother following closely that of her oldest daughter, last week.

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