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STANLEY FOR PRIMARY LAW

Issues Stirring Appeal For Its Enactment By Solons Of Legislature.

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Washington, Jan. 15.—Based on an interview urging that the Kentucky Legislature this session pass a State-wide primary law given to the Courier-Journal by Senator Chamberlain, of Oregon, Representative A. O. Stanley issued a stirring appeal that such a law be enacted. Mr. Stanley said:

"I heartily indorse the position taken by Senator Chamberlain. Even the Republicans, purblind 'standpatters' excepted, prefer the election of United States Senators by direct vote of the people. I cannot conceive that it is possible that the Kentucky Legislature will hesitate to keep a plain and unequivocal promise solemny made in the platform of both perties. "It is the confident anticipation of every patriotic Kentuckian that the Kentucy Legislature will shortly enact a law providing for nomination of officials by a direct primary, and that that primary will be made compulsory and will be safe-guarded by every device necessary to the prevention of fraud and corruption for the rigorous and severe punishment of those who in the teeth of its provisions attempt either to tamper with the ballot or debauch him who attempts to cast it."

To Get Off Easy.

Washington. Jan. 13.—The report has leaked out from the Navy Department that Ensign R. C. Saufley, the Kentuckian, recently court-martialed at Norfolk, is to escape with a reprimand for not taking to sea at night some weeks ago the torpedo boat "Biddle." The Navy Department report, which was communicated by an official who refused to be quoted, is that the court-martial found Saufley guilty of disobedience of orders, but absolutely absolved him of the charge of cowardice, preferred against him by the

PEMBROKE'S BEST BLOCK WIPED OUT BY FIRE

Early Morning Blaze Almost Wipes Out Business District of Hustling Little Town.

MANY OF THE FIRE FIGHTERS HAD NARROW ESCAPES.

Bucket Brigade Did Heroic Service In Freezing Weather---Detailed List of The Losses and Insurance.

	LOSSES	INSURANCE
H. C. Whitlow	$5,500	$4,000
McCarley Hdw. Co.	$5,000	$3.500
M. L. Levy	$9,000	$5,000
Ben J. Garnett	$4,000	$3,000
F. A. Powell	$10,000	$7,000
E. B. Ledford	$7,000	Partial
M. L. Levy	$5,000	$2,000
W. H. Jones	$4,000	Partial
G. H. Smith	$4,000	Partial
Home Tel. Co.	$150	Ins.
Cumb. Tel. Co.	$150	Ins.
Farmers & Merch. Bank	$3,000	Ins.
Total	$56,800	

Pembroke, which has suffered much from fire during the last few years, has again been visited by a conflagration, probably the most destructive of all the series. At an early hour Sunday morning, about 4:30, M. L. Levy who occupied a bedroom over his store, was aroused by smoke in his room and jumping out of bed ran to the door and fired a pistol five times as an alarm to the sleeping town. He escaped from the burning building in his night clothes and found a general fire raging that destroyed five stores before it was finally under control.

It is not certain whether the fire originated in the store of the McGarley Hardware Co. or the room adjoining, as both were burning when Mr. Levy was aroused.

The five stores burned were brick buildings comprising most of the best business block in the town.

The one occupied by H. C. Whitlow's grocery was owned by W. H. Jones. Mr. Whitlow's loss is $5,500 with $4 000 insurance, Mr. Jones $4,000, partially insured.

The McCarley store and the dry goods store of Ben J. Garnett were owned by E. B. Ledford. The McCarley Company's loss is $8,000, with $3,500. Mr. Garnett's $4,000 with $2,000 insurance and Mr. Ledford's on the building $7,000 with some insurance.

M. L. Levy was the heaviest loser. His loss is $9,000 on stock and $5,000 on building, with $5,000 insurance on stock and $2,000 on building.

F. A. Powell, dry goods, lost $10,000, with $7,000 insurance. The building belonged to G. H. Smith, whose loss is $4,000, with some insurance.

Across the street the building of the Farmers and Merchants Bank was saved by the hardest kind of work, but much damage was done to the house. The plate glass windows were broken, the cornices scorched and other damages sustained to the extent of $2,000 or $3,000, which is covered by insurance.

The Home Telephone Co. lost about $150 and the Cumberland Co. about the same, both covered by insurance.

When the fire broke out the people came out of their warm beds and went to work heroically in the zero weather to save what they could with the bucket brigade headed by S. J. Ragsdale. It was hard work, with water scarce, but aided by the fact that the roofs were covered with snow and ice they confined the flames to five stores.

While a crowd of fire fighters were in Whitlow's grocery, not yet burning, an explosion occurred mysteriously that tore out the front of the store and injured several persons among them the following:

Marshal Joe Jackson, badly cut by falling glass, required surgical aid.

S. J. Ragsdale, painfully cut by falling glass.

H. C. Whitlow, hair singed off by flames.

Mrs. Fergusson, cut by glass.

Only for a moment did the workers stop, but were soon fighting the flames again regardless of their narrow escapes and the injuries sustained. Several Hopkinsville firemen jumped on a passing train and went to the scene to give such help as possible. Among them were W. H. Hester, Richard Boyd, W.B. Guthrie and Substitute Herman Johnson

Pembroke has sustained terrible losses during the last few years, but the stout-hearted business men will get back into business as soon as temporary places can be secured.

The town is without fire protection and some movement is almost certain to be started to get an adequate water supply for such emergencies.

Value of Insurance.

Fires originate in unexpected places and from unknown causes. Doubtless some one who reads this article will sustain the next loss. Are YOU insured and have you the best insurance your money can buy? The Giant Insurance Agency (Incorporated), settles their losses promptly and equitably and guarantees to sell their policies at as low rate as any company doing business. Office in First National Bank building. Both 'phones.

BODY OF MINER

Brought to Christian and Buried Near Kelly.

The remains of Charles Clements were interred near Kelly station Friday. Clements was night fireman at No. 1 coal mine at Nortonville and in attempting to go into the mine to examine the pumps, stepped off into the shaft, falling a distance of 200 feet. The fatal accident occurred some time during the night and at an early hour in the morning some miners going to work found him dead and it is supposed that death was instantaneous.

HOPKINSVILLE MAN

Will Have Charge of Sales In Western Kentucky.

The M. Rumely Company, of La Porte, Ind., have recently bought the Garr Scott and Advance Thresher Co's business. Mr. Leo M. Rumely met with the salesmen and branch officers in Nashville a few days ago and made arrangements for the present year by which his company will have three separate branches, as in the past. Mr. M. T. Carter, of this city, formerly with the Advance people, will have charge of the sales for Western Kentucky.

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90c	" 10-4 "	75c
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