

## **Shocking Burning Fatality.**

**AN AGED COUPLE ROASTED TO DEATH.**

Dungog, Friday.

A ~~terrible~~ burning fatality happened at Waangat, about 20 miles from Dungog, last night, when Mr. and Mrs. John Mitchell, aged 83 and 84, respectively, were burned to death.

It appears that the house caught fire, and as a very high wind was blowing, it was soon burned to the ground, together with the occupants.

An aged son, who lived with his parents, was also badly burned. He has been brought to the Dungog Hospital.

From the particulars to hand, it appears that the house caught fire while the three occupants were asleep, and so rapidly did the flames envelop the building, that all escape was cut off. It is said that all three suffered from deafness.