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From The Colonial Engineer.

To

THE COLONIAL SECRETARY,

Stanley, Falkland Islands.

The Hon. Col. Secy.,

I beg to inform you that, at about 2.35 this morning an alarm of fire was given, the call being in respect of a fire in Mr C. Gloddell's peat stack. The fire was extinguished by 3.45 without the aid of the fire engine. I have every reason to believe that the cause of fire was a spark from the west chimney of Masandra House, which was on fire during the evening of the 1st of September.

A fire at back of Mulvina House was reported at about 3.50 a.m.. This was found to be in the ash-pit: The ash-pit was practically empty and the fire was not of a serious nature, a few hot ashes being blown about in the ash-pit by the high wind.

R. W. Ascher

Colonial Engineer.

(Ag. Superintendent of Fire Brigade
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