## WORTON.

A fire, which shortly assumed alarming proportions, occurred on Wednesday evening se'nnight upon farm premises occupied by Mr. Frederick Bennett, at Over-Worton. A wagon-hovel, barn, cattle-sked, a quantity of corn in the barn, wheat rick, straw, &c., were destroyed. The Deddington Fire Brigade, who reached the scene of the disaster some little time after the fire was first discovered, were unable to render much assistance owing to the absence of water. The wind was fortunately blowing strongly away from the carter's cottage, which stood in dangerous proximity to the burning buildings. Mr. Bennett's loss is, we hear, covered by insurance in the Atlas Office. Captain Wilson is, we belive, the owner of

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the property.