

FIVE GENERATIONS of Armstrongs had lived on the family farm on the South Line since 1892 when Martin Armstrong moved onto the property with his family and parents.

The family home, built between 1894 and 1895, was gutted Monday by a fire which swept the house after an early-morning lightning strike.

Martin Armstrong's grandson Aurel, his wife Marjorie and their son Brent all escaped the blaze. (Don Hall Photo) /980



FIREMEN EXAMINE the grain storage destroyed a barn, its contents and ITS head of pigs. (Mark Holmes Photo)

The barn of Dennis Robinson before it was completely gutted by fire last Tuesday, May 19.