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School Board Releases Information Relating To Teachers' Salaries

John C. Dargan, Vet Fireman, Dies While Fighting Barn Fire

Former Captain, 65, Had Served Department Nearly Forty Years

John C. Dargan, a veteran fireman with over 34 years service in the Port Washington Fire Department, died suddenly of a heart attack while assisting his fellow firemen with a hose line at a fire at 27 Avenue A last Saturday afternoon.

The 65-year old fireman had responded as usual with his company, the Flower Hill Hose Company, and helping pull the line of hose from the truck to the barn which was blazing, when he suddenly collapsed. His fellow firemen used the fire department ambulator while awaiting the arrival of a doctor. Upon arriving at the scene Dr. Dave Pittman pronounced Dargan dead and ordered him taken to the hospital.



John C. Dargan (as a fireman some years ago)

Submits Proposal Of Teachers Association Made Last February

The Board of Education this week has released interesting information concerning the Teachers' Salary Schedule in connection with the new budget which will come before the voters at the annual meeting on May 3. Statement of the Board is as follows:

In accordance with its policy of providing the people of Port Washington with factual information concerning matters of mutual interest between the schools and the community, the Board of Education is publishing herewith complete data with reference to the question of the Port Washington Teachers' Salary Schedule.

First let us consider the salary schedule for 1952-53 which is currently in effect.

INSTRUCTIONAL STAFF SALARY SCHEDULE Effective July 1, 1952 1952-53

Step	R.A.	M.A.	M.A. plus 30 pts.
1	\$3,000	\$3,300	
2	3,100	3,400	
3	3,200	3,500	
4	3,400	3,700	
5	3,600	3,900	
6	3,800	4,100	
7	4,000	4,300	
8	4,200	4,500	
9	4,400	4,700	
10	4,600	4,900	
11	4,800	5,100	\$5,400
12	5,000	5,300	5,600
13	5,200	5,500	5,800

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John Dargan

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dered the body removed to the Meadowbrook Morgue. The fire happened to be an old barn which was a total loss.

Mr. Dargan resided at 17 South Baylex Avenue and was a native of Port Washington. He was born on November 30, 1888, a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Pierce Dargan. He attended Port Washington schools and at an early age was trained as a mechanic. For many years he was employed at one of the sand banks on East Shore Road and lately was with the Crampton Bros. firm, Great Neck.

He was well known throughout the community and was one of those quiet men who can be depended upon in any emergency and to whom any kind of a task is not too difficult to undertake. He was very popular with the local firemen and his interest in the affairs of the local department never diminished a bit during his long period of service. His fellow firemen deeply regret his sudden death and know John Dargan will be greatly missed by the entire department.

For five years Mr. Dargan was a member of the Protection Engine Company and when he moved uptown he transferred to the Flower Hill Hose Company. He served the latter company as Captain for several terms. He was also a member of the Exempt Firemen's Association, the Port Washington Lodge of Masons and Seawanhaka Lodge of Odd Fellows. These organizations held special rites for Mr. Dargan in the Flower Hill Hose Company building Tuesday evening. Over 200 firemen attended the rites.

Religious services were held Wednesday afternoon from Mr. Dargan's home with the Rev. Samuel L. Snodgrass of St. Stephen's Church officiating. Interment was in the Roslyn Cemetery under the supervision of the Rollins Funeral Home. The fire-

men escorted the body of their late comrade to the outskirts of the community. Several trucks were used to transport the floral pieces.

Mr. Dargan is survived by his wife, the former Anna Pierce; two daughters, Mrs. Mary Carmichael of Port Washington and Mrs. Lila McKenna of Albertson; and a son, Robert, of Port Washington. A sister, Mrs. Nora Richards of Port Washington, and two brothers, Charles Dargan and William Dargan, of Port Washington, also survive, in addition to five grandchildren.

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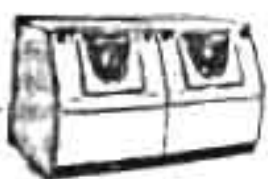
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