

Flames Bring \$2,000 Loss At Trailer Park

A fire in a trailer Friday about midnight caused Pat Bass, a student at Appalachian State Teachers College, from Chadbourn, a \$2,000 loss, according to Howard Cottrell, Boone's fire chief.

The loss was partly covered by insurance.

Origin of the fire was unknown, but it was speculated that the fire started from a stove in the trailer. The trailer was parked in the trailer park off Hardin street in east Boone, along with several other trailers. The flames were confined to Mr. Bass' trailer, however, and nearby trailers escaped damage, though there was some concern for them before the fire was brought under control by the volunteer firemen.

The alarm was sounded about 12 o'clock, and routed several spectators from their beds or from their televisions.

Mr. Bass stated he had just recently completed painting the trailer. He was not at home at the time the fire began, he said, and could not say how it started.

Another blaze, earlier in the day caused the volunteer firemen to be called out. Roofing compound at Mountain Burley Warehouse No. 1 had caught fire, and though the blaze could be seen for some distance, the damage was confined to its containers by the firemen.

Dr. Wright Is Honored In Masonic Ceremonies

Dr. J. G. Wright was honored by his fellow Masons Friday night, when they presented him with a life-membership certificate to the Snow Lodge 303 at a banquet meeting held in honor of George Washington's birthday. The supper was at the Boone Trail Banquet Room.

The Rev. J. K. Parker, Jr., gave a speech on George Washington, and pointed out that he was a Master Mason, citing several incidents in the first President's life that showed he lived the life expected of a Mason.

A. R. Smith made the presentation of the certificate to Dr. Wright, and told of the work he had done in the old Watauga Lodge and the Snow Lodge. According to the records, Dr. Wright was initiated into the Watauga Lodge April 7, 1922, 35 years ago. He received his second degree May 9 of the same year and the 3rd degree the same month, on the nineteenth.

Dr. Wright is a past master of Snow Lodge 303. He is also a past deputy grandmaster of this district. He is a certified lecturer in masonry, and has been responsible for seeing that many of the present members have had proper instruction in their degrees.

Mr. Smith pointed out that Dr. Wright had not only been active in Mason work in the community, but that he had been a leading figure in almost all the community life. Dr. Wright has been connected with Boy Scout work in some capacity for many years, having just retired as chairman of the Watauga District.

His work in the Baptist church has been outstanding. Mr. Smith said, and he has been a deacon in that denomination for several years.

Attending the banquet were the wives of Masons, and other guests. About 70 were present to see Dr. Wright honored.

Hoyle Davis, past master of Snow Lodge 303, presided, and gave the address of welcome. Mrs. T. Milt Greer responded for the visitors.

Dr. I. W. Carpenter, senior deacon of the lodge, in giving the benediction, used a prayer by George Washington, which he used in a letter to the governors of the states when he disbanded the army after the Revolutionary War.

ABOUT YOUR HOME

If you are lucky to have several apple trees in your yard, you have probably already put away apple sauce, dried apples, baked canned apples and just plain canned apples for future use.

Apples may be combined with raspberries or cranberries to make a fine complement to fowl or pork. Small speckled apples, often colored a bright red, give a festive touch to any meal.

Apple juice and cider are two possibilities. Apple juice is delicious served cold by itself or combined with almost any other fruit juice.

When choosing apples for juice or cider, remember that the varieties with the most juice give the greatest yield and are easier to work with. Apples with a yellow color don't make a juice or cider with as good a color as re-fruited varieties.

To list a few varieties of apples that are very good for canning and preserving of all kinds, Wine-sapp, McIntosh, Jonathan, Baldwin and Wealthy.

The cultivation of apples is wide. It is practiced in the U. S. and Canada wherever general agriculture is practical. The apple cannot be counted on to hold its own in any section where the temperature goes down with frequency to twenty degrees below. It seems that long, hot summers are as trying to apple trees as cold winters.

The apple can be grown with some success in almost every agricultural soil in North America, except in light sands and black mucks.

One young designer has created a line of wool dresses along classic lines, in dark and light basic colors, that can be changed in appearance completely by changing the collar cuffs, belt or jeweled studs to tailored studs.

Each dress comes with a pair of change-about accessories. The girl with imagination and a way with a needle can make even more changes possible. These dresses sell for around fifty dollars and are worth every penny.

This change-about business has become very popular. It all began with the basic black dress and the craze for costume jewelry. This was a good many years back and yet the working girl in large cities is still taking advantage of this trick to look glamorous for an important date even when there has been no time to go home to change. The change can be brought about by changing costume jew-



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when so-called "health experts" and food quacks give high claims to certain products or diet plans. What is their interest? According to Mrs. Ferguson, it's not your health, as they claim—it's their profits. Last year an estimated 10,000,000 people spent a half billion dollars on so-called "wonder foods" and "diet supplements." Not only does the pocket book suffer, but more important, so does one's health.

"Think twice before you accept all advertiser's claims," Mrs. Ferguson cautions. "Read labels and turn your back on fads and fancies. Plan a well-balanced diet that you can live by, and follow it. At the end of the year 1957, you'll be glad you did."

Food Faddists Given Facts

Have you ever purchased yogurt, thinking it was more nutritious than milk? Or perhaps bought "tonic" to melt away your fat? Are you afraid to eat fish and milk together? Have you tried following some of the "miracle reducing diet" plans? "If so," says Mrs. Rachel H. Ferguson, extension nutritionist at State College, "you have joined the growing ranks of food faddists and need to brush up on some food facts."

"Start the New Year right, and control your weight," says Mrs. Ferguson. "If you need to gain or to lose, do; but gain or lose in the safe, sound way that contributes to good health."

The way to do this, explains Mrs. Ferguson, is to eat each day a variety of foods which will supply the nutrients your body needs, and at the same time watch the calories. Only 100 calories a day more than a person needs can lead to a gain of 10 pounds a year, while too few calories can keep an underweight person from gaining desired weight. Mrs. Ferguson recommends that you consult your doctor to help determine your needs.

"Whatever you do," warns Mrs. Ferguson, "don't follow fads." Many erroneous beliefs develop

Raccoon Club Slates Meet

The Watauga Raccoon Club will hold a business meeting at the Parkway Company in Boone Friday, March 1, at 8 p. m. Secretary Kenneth Linney urges all members to attend.



KAREN, 6 months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Shew of Vilas. From the portrait camera of Palmer's Studio.

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