

Four Enlist In Air Force During September Drive

Sgt. Samuel G. Burgin, local Air Force Recruiter, announced today that four men from Moore County enlisted in the United States Air Force during September.

Two of them, Martin D. Matthews of Pinebluff and James L. Henson of Carthage, had prior service and received a base of their choice under the new Air Force "prior service" program. The remaining two were Roy

R. Newton of Southern Pines and William N. Briggs of Camden, both non-prior service individuals. They were sent to Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio, Texas, for basic training.

For more information regarding enlistment in the Air Force, individuals are requested to contact the Air Force recruiter in Southern Pines on Thursday morning and Carthage on Thursday afternoon of each week.

The key to proper drainage is to move water off the field promptly without causing erosion, according to North Carolina State College Extension engineers.

Local Firemen To Speak At Kiwanis Meet Wednesday

Harold Fowler and Frank H. Kaylor, members of the Southern Pines Fire Department, will be principal speakers when the Sandhills Kiwanis Club observes Fire Prevention Week October 7-13, it has been announced by John Ponzner, Kiwanis president.

Fowler, who is chief, and Kaylor, truck captain, will help to direct public attention to the 11,000 lives and almost nine billion dollars in property destroyed by fire in 1955, and will explain safety measures which will help reduce the fire losses in future years.

It has been estimated that urban fires, in communities of 2,500 or over, show an increase of almost every type fire during the past year. And, an analysis recently made shows, all other types of building fires—mercantile, manufacturing, non-residential assembly, and storage, also show an increase.

On the bright side of the national fire picture there has been a fairly large decrease in the number of grass and brush fires, a hazard that the Southern Pines force, as well as others in this area, is constantly faced with.

The Kiwanis Club will meet as usual at the Southern Pines Country Club for a regular luncheon and the following fire prevention program.

NORTH CAROLINA MOORE COUNTY NOTICE

The undersigned, having qualified as Executrixes of the Estate of Verdie Tuck Wiley, deceased, late of Moore County, North Carolina, do hereby notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned on or before the 5th day of October, 1957, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment of their indebtedness to the undersigned.

This the 3rd day of October, 1956.
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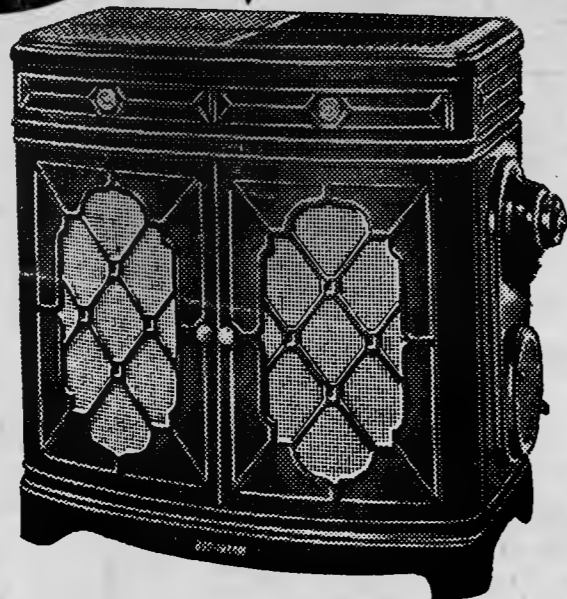


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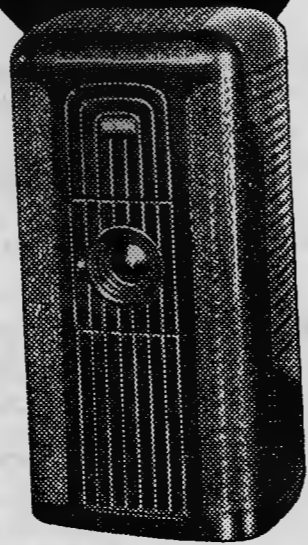
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Use this HOME FIRE SAFETY CHECK LIST to Safeguard Your Home Today

TAKING care of home fire safety is a family job. Dad, Mother, brothers and sisters all have a personal interest and should take part in a check-up to find and list fire hazards.

Since this check list is supposed to cover the kind of house most people live in, it is quite possible some of the hazards listed are not found in your home. For example, your house may have no basement. Therefore, basement hazards will not be found. Or, you may live in an apartment and have no yard or garage hazards and, quite possibly, you do not own a portable oil heater.

Therefore, each question which points out hazards which cannot possibly be found in your home may be cut off the list by simply drawing a line through the entire question.

All questions on this check list may be answered "Yes" or "No." Each question answered "No" points to a fire hazard.

After you have answered all the questions you can, read the blank over again. The "No" answers will give you a good picture of the fire hazards in your home. Then you can take immediate steps to correct the hazards you have found.

YARD AND GARAGE HAZARDS

- Have you removed all combustible rubbish, leaves and debris from your yard?
- Have you removed all waste, debris, and litter from your garage?
- Is an adult always present during the entire time trash, leaves, etc., are being burned out of doors?
- Is trash and refuse burned in a suitable outdoor incinerator?
- Have weeds, dried leaves and rubbish been removed from vacant property adjacent to yours?
- Does your garage have a concrete, brick, or earthen floor?
- If you store paint, varnish, etc., in garage, are the containers always kept tightly closed?
- If your garage is in the basement, or is a part of the house, have cut-offs or barriers been provided to prevent leakage of gases, smoke or odors into living quarters?

HOUSEKEEPING HAZARDS

- Do you keep your basement, storerooms, and attic free from rubbish, oily rags, old papers, mattresses, broken furniture, etc.?
- Have you eliminated all stovepipes and gas vent piping which pass through attic, closets, storerooms, or frame partitions?
- Are walls, ceilings and partitions near boilers, stoves, furnaces and heating pipes protected by noncombustible insulation or is adequate separation provided?
- Are members of your family forbidden to start fires in stoves, fireplaces, etc., with kerosene or other flammable liquids?
- Are all fireplaces equipped with metal fire screens?
- If you have gas connections made of rubber tubing for portable gas heaters or appliances, are shut-off valves installed in the metal gas pipe line?

OIL HEATER HAZARDS

- Are your oil heaters and oil stoves of a type which has been examined and listed by the Underwriters' Laboratories, Inc.?
- Are rooms in which oil heaters are used, properly ventilated for life safety during operation?
- Is your portable oil heater always set so that it is level, in order to insure proper operation?
- Do you always refill the fuel tank or compartment of your oil heaters and oil stoves out doors and in the daylight?
- If you use a wick-type oil heater, do you trim the wick and clean it regularly?
- Do you regulate the flame and properly maintain your oil heater or stove to keep it from smoking?
- Do you always see that your portable oil heater is placed well away from curtains, drapes, furniture, etc.?
- Do you always turn out your portable oil heater upon retiring at night?

ELECTRICAL HAZARDS

- Do you allow only reliable electricians to install or extend your wiring?
- Are all of your electrical appliances—including irons, waffle irons, mixers, heaters, lamps, fans, radios, television sets, and other devices—listed by Underwriters' Laboratories, Inc.?

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If you use an oil mop, do you keep it in a metal container or other safe, well ventilated place where it will not catch fire by spontaneous ignition?

Do you destroy or safely dispose of oily polishing rags or waste after using?

Do you deposit ashes in covered hole-free metal containers, and dispose of them at frequent, regular intervals?

Has your family been forbidden to use gasoline, benzine, or other similar flammable fluids for cleaning clothing or floors in your home?

HEATING AND COOKING HAZARDS

- Is your inside basement door at the head of the stairs tightly fitted and kept closed at night?
- Are wood floors under stoves and heaters protected by metal, brickwork, concrete, or ventilated air space?
- If your house is oil heated, is the motor oiled, and burner cleaned, adjusted and inspected by a reliable service man before the heating season?
- Are all stovepipes and chimneys cleaned, repaired and your furnace inspected each fall?



SOOTY FURNACE—SOOTY FLUE DO THEY CAUSE FIRES? AND HOW THEY DO!

Do all rooms have an adequate number of outlets to take care of electrical appliances?

Have you done away with all multiple attachment plugs?

Are your electric irons and all electrical appliances used for cooking, equipped with metal stands and heat-limit controls?

Have you provided special circuits for heavy duty appliances such as washing machines, refrigerators, ranges, ironers, etc.?

Do you use only 15 amp. fuses in the fuse box for your household lighting circuits?

Are all flexible electrical extension and lamp cords in your house in the open—none placed under rugs, over hooks, through partitions or door openings?



TROUBLE MATCHES FROM THE MATCHES JUNIOR SCRATCHES

MATCHES & CARELESS SMOKING HAZARDS

Do you keep matches in metal containers away from heat and away from children?

Do you extinguish all matches, cigarette and cigar butts carefully before disposing of them?

Do you see to it that there are plenty of non-combustible ash trays in all rooms throughout the house?

Are all members of your family instructed not to smoke in bed?



OH MAN TROUBLE YOU'VE HAD AND WHY WHEN YOU SMOKE THAT BEDTIME CIGARETTE

PREPARATION IN CASE OF FIRE

Do you know the location of the fire alarm box nearest your home?

Do you know how to turn in a fire alarm?

Do you know the telephone number of the fire department?

When you employ sitters do you instruct them carefully on what to do in case of fire?

Did your entire family take part in completing this check list?



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