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Nov. 3	69	29		45	26
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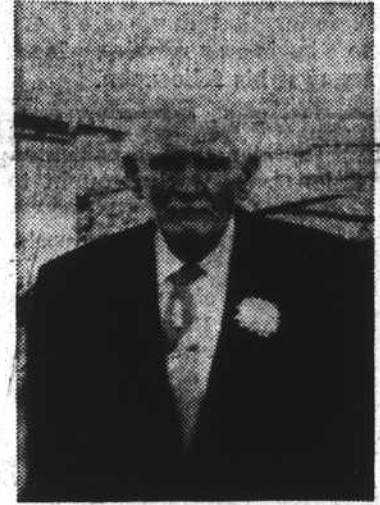


## Burley Warehouse Burns

**MOUNTAIN BURLEY WAREHOUSE NO. 1**, a sprawling structure containing more than an acre of floor space, was burned to the ground by a fire which was discovered at 2 o'clock Wednesday morning, the origin of which is unknown. Built in 1939 and expanded in 1940, the structure was the first of the three warehouses owned by Mr. R. C.

Coleman and sons in Boone. It contained three prize rooms, with presses and other equipment, and the farmers' room had recently been reconstructed. Mr. Coleman estimates the loss at a minimum of \$150,000. Firemen promptly responded and worked relentlessly in an effort to prevent the spread of the flames. (Flowers' photo.)

## Work Proceeds On Factory; Building To Cost \$225,000



**JAMES SANFORD LYONS**

### James Lyons, 91, Dies On Monday Rites Wednesday

James Sanford Lyons, 91, of 205 Carolina Ave., Boone died Monday morning at Watauga Hospital after a long illness.

Mr. Lyons was born in Wilkes County and had been a resident of Watauga County for 32 years. He was a merchant by occupation.

He was the son of the late William and Mary Hughes Lyons. He is survived by his widow, Lillie H. Lyons of Boone; four sons, Fred and Ralph of Charlotte, Dolph and Vardell of Boone; four daughters, Mrs. R. H. Townsend of Zionsville, Mrs. Ralph Stansberry of Jefferson, Mrs. Rom Adams and Miss Nanabel Lyons of Boone; one brother, Henry Lyons, Jonesville, N. C.; one sister, Mrs. Dora West, Elk; twenty grandchildren and 43 great grandchildren.

Services were conducted Wednesday at 2 p. m. at the (continued on page four)

### Farm-City Meet Set For Tonight

The Chamber of Commerce and Merchants Association is joining various organizations in the annual National Farm-City meeting at 6:30 p. m. on Thursday, Nov. 12, at the Cove Creek High School for a barbecue dinner.

Tickets are \$1.50 and may be purchased through the Chamber office.

Directors and officers for 1965 will be installed at this time. The program will be: Master of ceremonies, Leo K. Pritchett; Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag, Janie Shipley, president of the 4-H County Council; invocation, the Rev. Ronald Gibson; barbecued chicken dinner; introduction of special guests, recognition of county civic clubs by Leo Pritchett; community awards and recognition of community clubs, Jerry Adams; installation of Chamber of Commerce officials, Herman W. Wilcox; main speaker, Dr. W. H. Plemmons on "How Industry Affects a Community; and the benediction, the Rev. Richard Crowder.

### Brother Of Dr. Moose Dies

Ernest Reiter Moose, 76, of Lanham, Maryland, a retired lawyer with the Indian Office of the Department of the Interior, died Tuesday, October 20, after a heart attack at Casualty Hospital.

Mr. Moose, who was born in Cabarrus County, N. C., attended Crescent Academy and Ca-

## Jim Meekins To Be On 'Candid Camera'

New York — Jim Meekins, 207 Cherry Drive, Boone, will be one of the "stars" on the upcoming "Candid Camera" show to be broadcast Sunday, Nov. 15 (10-10:30 p.m.).

According to Allen Funt, creator and producer of the popular WBTU (CBS network) show, Jim appears in one of the funniest segments of the new season.

Along with four other courteous gentlemen who all happened to be in the Eastern Airlines Terminal at New York's

John F. Kennedy Airport, Jim proved that chivalry isn't dead—but a fellow can still get left holding the bag!

Without giving away the punchline, Jim comes to the aid of a young woman who asks him to hold her purse while she takes care of a minor problem. The next thing Jim knows is that he has been left high and dry holding the bag—her purse.

"Candid Camera" is now in its fifth season on the CBS Television Network.

## Only Indians Lived There Nine Mountains To Be Developed In Watauga

### Raleigh Man Is Promoting Living Areas

A Raleigh man is going to turn nine North Carolina mountains where only Indians have dwelt before into a plus residential area for both vacationers and permanent settlers it has been revealed in the Capital City.

The Democrat thanks the News & Observer for permission to use its story by Bernard West on the important local development. The feature follows: Emmett W. Stalvey, an insurance firm executive, plans to develop "a very exclusive residential area" on his mountains, "along the lines of the Sea Island, Ga., residential development." Sea Island is the famed but exclusive "Honeymoon Island."

The nine mountains are located in Watauga County, 2.9 miles from the center of Blowing Rock and about 11 miles from Linville, on the east side of Highway 221, which leads to Blowing Rock and Linville. The area is 90 miles north of Asheville.

Stalvey purchased the land through the Lloyd S. Robbins Real Estate Agency of Blowing Rock from Roger D. Edwards of Miami, Fla. It was the largest real estate transaction in the memory of officials in Watauga County.

An additional expense for equipment (such as a jeep and road maintenance equipment) has run the estimated total cost to slightly less than \$300,000.

#### First Area

Stalvey is planning to develop Blue Ridge Park, probably the most centrally-located mountain, first. This mountain already has 3.1 miles of paved road plus a complete water system fed by three artesian wells. The paving cost approximately \$120,000.

The horizontal measurement (Continued on page four)



**CIDER MAKING** time is almost a lost art in the Northwestern section of the state. However, a few of the old cider mills are still grinding away, such as the one owned by Charlie Farthing of Boone. Making some

of the tasty beverage at Farthing's Orchard are Appalachian State Teachers College students (l-r), Ron Kiziah of Hickory, Wallace Hill of Jacksonville, Fla., and Frances Crabtree of Roxboro. (Larry Penley photo.)

## Contract Is Let For Building For Sugar Grove Postoffice

The contract has been let to provide new quarters for the Sugar Grove Post Office, according to a telegram received by James A. Dugger, County Chairman of the Democratic Executive Committee from Senators Sam J. Ervin and Everett Jordan, Saturday.

The contract was given to R. H. Simpson, Jr., for the renovation of the building at the intersection of highways 421A and 321 and stipulated that it must be ready for occupancy by March, 1964.

Specifications for the renovation included 1,000 square feet

of floor space, a platform area of 80 square feet, parking area of 2,500 square feet, air conditioning. This building will be leased for 5 years with three 5-year lease options.

This renovation is in line with the continued efforts of upgrading postal facilities in Watauga County to provide a more satisfactory delivery and handling of mail.

## B. Rock Hospital Granted \$100,000 "Challenge Gift"

The Blowing Rock Hospital was granted a "challenge gift" of \$100,000 toward the cost of the proposed addition and renovation of the hospital by the Z. Smith Reynolds

Foundation, it was announced Thursday in Winston-Salem by Mrs. Nancy Reynolds Verney, president, following a recent meeting of the trustees.

## Official Watauga County Election Vote November 3rd

PRECINCTS	HOUSE		BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS					SCHOOL BOARD			GOVERNOR		LT. GOV.		CONGRESS		PRESIDENT		School Bond		
	Louis Smith (D)	J. E. Holsbouser, Jr. (R)	Bynum Greene (R)	John F. Greene (R)	Carlton Lyons (R)	Gordon Winkler (D)	Robert Davis (D)	David Spainhour (D)	John Hollar (R)	F. D. Baumgardner (R)	A. E. South (D)	Dan Moore (D)	Robert Gavin (R)	Bob Scott (D)	Clifford Bell (R)	James Broyhill (R)	Bob Davis (D)	Lyndon B. Johnson (D)	Barry S. Goldwater (R)	For	Against
Bald Mountain	37	81	82	82	85	36	39	39	80	78	35	42	81	42	81	83	40	44	76	56	51
Beaver Dam	243	129	133	125	127	252	253	254	124	121	268	260	112	255	109	116	257	265	100	178	165
Blowing Rock	279	307	302	297	297	329	331	339	306	296	306	297	358	310	322	395	257	310	336	354	362
Blue Ridge	44	253	248	242	249	50	59	50	246	244	49	50	251	53	248	251	49	51	250	129	166
Boone	548	671	517	440	460	693	777	763	467	439	727	730	505	794	434	547	682	797	440	1062	270
Brushy Fork	410	266	242	234	246	428	442	439	230	225	419	449	237	452	225	227	454	487	197	382	170
Cove Creek	394	399	393	389	385	401	409	409	390	392	392	406	403	413	387	398	404	416	389	462	155
Elk	25	99	99	99	99	25	25	25	99	99	25	25	99	25	99	99	25	25	96	17	10
Laurel Creek	221	228	224	218	220	220	231	224	219	225	230	235	225	242	216	218	239	245	207	202	81
Meat Camp No. 1	265	281	283	281	283	261	268	265	267	266	279	251	259	249	257	261	249	248	256	228	197
Meat Camp No. 2	23	32	28	31	28	29	29	31	27	27	31	29	30	30	28	29	30	30	75	26	28
New River	486	779	732	672	681	555	613	598	684	662	594	602	699	616	664	720	569	653	641	849	334
North Fork	17	105	105	109	103	17	19	17	103	103	20	15	107	16	105	106	16	18	100	25	94
Shawneehaw	79	122	123	125	124	72	84	75	120	119	70	80	127	80	125	127	80	79	127	62	122
Stony Fork	153	372	363	361	362	165	167	168	363	367	147	163	375	168	367	369	164	173	346	213	289
Watauga	197	343	350	345	352	190	186	189	341	341	135	163	357	162	352	362	159	190	346	415	81
Totals	3421	4467	4224	4050	4101	3723	3928	3885	4066	4004	3727	3797	4225	3907	4019	4308	3674	4031	3932	4660	2575
Majority	1046	296	122	173					4066	4004	3491		428	112	634			99	2085		

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