

Fire Threatens Apartments



North Wilkesboro firefighters quickly extinguished a blaze that threatened a brick apartment building at Rhodes Apartments and a storage building on Jefferson Street Thursday afternoon.

The fire burned part of a wooden fence and into white pine trees near the apartment building and storage building.

North Wilkesboro Fire Chief Jimmy Martin said while at the scene that the cause hadn't yet been determined. The fire was reported by Deputy Brian Ford of the Wilkes Sheriff's Office around 3:30 p.m.