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Bath Township Fire Department Responds to House Fire

January 3, 2018

Bath Township Fire Department responded to a report of a house on fire at 1245 N. Sugar St., Lima, Ohio, in Bath Township at 7:27 P.M. on 1/2/18.

Upon arrival, firefighters found smoke and fire in the basement of the structure.

The 1398 sq. ft. house is owned by Ashley O'Black who was home along with her family at the time of the fire, which was extinguished quickly by department personnel.

The damage to the structure and contents was determined to be less than \$5,000.

No occupants or fire department personnel were injured.

The cause of the fire was determined to be due to improper use of a temporary heating device and was ruled accidental.

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