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Whet up your appetites for the big banquet.

Next stop—"TT"—Thanksgiving and Turkey.

An ideal—a 4-B town, Bigger, Better, Busier Brevard.

Christmas is approaching and don't forget to do your trading at home. Brevard can supply just about all your wants.

Be patient, keep cool, place your ear to the ground and you will hear the rumbling of the wheels of progress headed for Brevard.

Getting together and touching elbows is good for our citizenship, hence let many touch at the coming banquet. It means a bigger, better, busier Brevard.

The Canton Observer is anxious about the absence of landslides and wants to know where they were—in Transylvania, of course, last July, and very disastrous ones, too.

Better farming and how to do it and the part a farm demonstration agent would take in this great work should claim the attention of the powers that be immediately so that things would run well for next year.

The North Carolina Orphanage association is pushing to a good end—one day's income from everybody on or near Thanksgiving for the many orphanages in North Carolina. This movement, launched a year ago for the first time in this State, brought most gratifying returns.

Transylvania Is Democratic.

When one gets a clear vision through the mist and maze of a big army of political scoundrels (and they are the salt of the political earth—a good balance wheel that tends to man and efficiency rather than to party and politics) he can but see that Transylvania is normally democratic.

Hughes won over Wilson by 17 and Linney over Bickett by 15 and Britt over Weaver by 9—all republican winners. But coming down to the senate, the candidates, both non-residents and without agitation and strong personal ties to influence the vote, the tie went to Bennett, the democrat, over Green by 49 votes.

This represents the normal political complexion of the county closer than would be revealed by any other pair of candidates or the ballot; hence Transylvania is normally democratic.

Concerning Political Policies.

Some newspapers grew abnormally partisan during the heat of the campaign. They got "hot in the collar" and chafed considerably. When the campaign was over disgruntled subscribers made known their sentiments in plain words and the papers saw their mistakes and now some of them are making half-hearted apologies and explanations of their course.

When a paper has no axe to grind, has no political aspirations and the politicians pour no oil upon its machinery we can't see why it wants to make a fool of itself—just pursue the even tenor and normal course with a regular pulse beat and then no explanations will be necessary.

A newspaper, like a citizen, should exercise its own convictions unless owned and controlled by the politicians.

You don't find a business man sacrificing his business on the altar of politics. Why should a newspaper unless strings are tied to it?

Britt and French Broad Drainage.

The Waynesville Courier goes off apparently half-cocked and intimates that the French Broad river would have received a \$25,000 appropriation for drainage had Representative Britt been a democrat instead of a republican. It says that Senator Overman got the bill through the senate, and that Britt was on the wrong side of the political fence to get it through the house. Overman said about the same thing when he spoke in Brevard.

But if Overman could do so much and Britt so little and with a democratic house to back him was it not his duty to have the interest of this section enough at heart to take the matter up with his democratic colleagues and help Britt? Surely Britt was not big enough to stand in the way of a good thing like that when he was helping all he could and Overman's influence in his favor.

Such tommyrot is enough to upset the political system of self-thinking voters and increase the great and growing army of conscientious, scratching independents.

We understand that it was a very unfavorable report by Engineer Bain, who made the survey, that prevented the appropriation.

Does This Spell Progress?

Transylvania republicans and a sprinkle of democrats have complained that the board of county commissioners was not sufficiently progressive—that it did not seize with sufficient tenacity upon progressive measures.

After this month the government of the county will be in the hands of the republicans so far as control of the more important policies goes. The personnel of the board is two to one against the democrats and in the person of Mr. Lyday, the democrat Messrs. Shipman and Orr will have able and experienced counsel and the people confidently look for an era of progress in so far as the commissioners will be able to influence it.

Willing hands with a level head always find plenty to do in this position and they can retard or encourage progress along lines of road building, more intense and diversified farming by the aid of a farm demonstrator and the exploitation of the county's agricultural and industrial possibilities, its wealth of gorgeous scenery and salubrious climate.

The News believes and trusts that the people will not find disappointment at the hands of these commissioners who are amply equal to the office they are to fill.

DAIRY SCHOOL PROPOSED FOR TRANSYLVANIA

J. A. Arey of the State dairying division was in Brevard Monday in the interest of the proposed establishment of a dairy school in connection with some county school for a day and night. Demonstrations would be made in butter making, dairying, stock growing, milk testing, etc.

Mr. Arey says there are fine dairying possibilities in this county. He thinks that Transylvania is in great need of a farm demonstrator.

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An interesting three-reel program including the Hazards of Helen.

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Tuesday, Nov. 21

"Shadows of War," Two-reel drama featuring Pearl White.

"Luke, Crystal Gazer," a screaming Lonesome Luke comedy.

Admission 10c.

Thursday, Nov. 23

"The Butterflies," next chapter of the Grip of Evil in two parts.

"Pathe News," giving current events of the day.

"Bing, Biff, Bang," unusually good comedy.

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And some day when you want to give something a little more substantial send along a KODAK and ask your Soldier Boy to send pictures to you.

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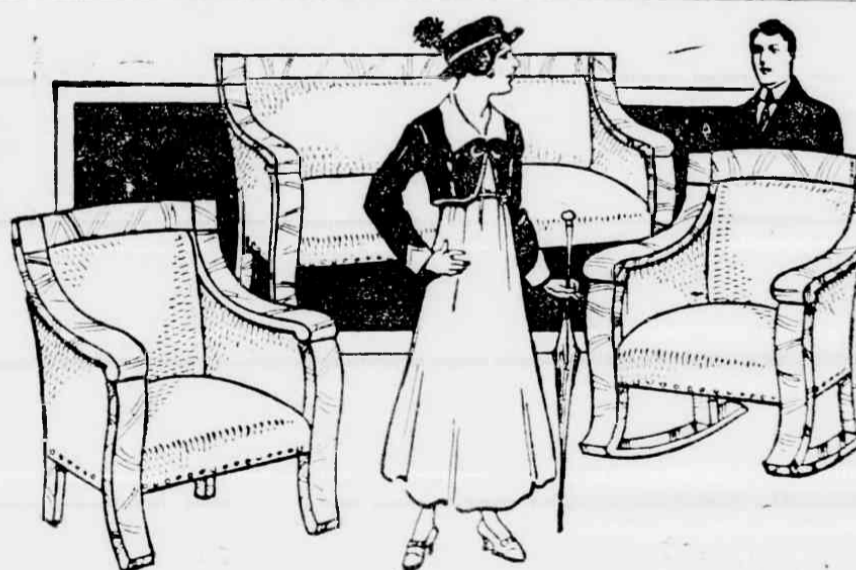
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