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Keep your horn handy.

Boost with all your might.

Do your Christmas shopping early.

It is a plain case of a town being born again.

Remember the orphans in your Thanksgiving offering.

Only the knocker underrates the benefits of a big payroll.

If your vocal organs are weak get a tin horn and blow loud for Brevard.

Brevard has occasion for a big Thanksgiving. Truly it should be grateful.

Brevard needs to spend a few hundred dollars in advertising itself to the outside world.

Almost impossible to get fresh eggs. The hens are not boosting much in these prosperous times.

Get a road notion in your cranium and be ready to explode it at the big banquet for the mud tax is extremely high.

Don't fail to keep your appetite whetted up for the big celebration feast—the banquet—when other big things will be talked about.

Agricultural backing is what a town needs to make it grow, therefore Transylvania should have a farm demonstrator to make the most of our soil.

Although Thanksgiving comes upon us with less to be thankful for than usual in the way of crops, we should be thankful that conditions are not worse.

The farmer should not complain of the high cost of living. He should produce about all his pantry needs. A farm demonstrator would help us do this.

During this period of great town pride when the spirit of progress is in the air only a few knockers have been heard. They are hopelessly in the minority.

Your presence at the Lyceum course will make you feel good and will benefit the town in the way of further wholesome entertainments. Make arrangements to attend.

Right along with this great industrial boom comes a religious boom by the Methodist church which announces a pipe organ. The better the music the better the service, and God's house is entitled to the very best.

Fix it well into your mind that the inadequate school building the News has been telling you about will have to be enlarged, especially when the big things begin to move and thereby bring in many residents. Brevard can't afford to suffer from an educational standpoint.

The convicts are building a beautiful piece of road from Wilson's bridge to town. This is just what the county needs in at least four directions from Brevard to the county line. But we can't depend on a little squad of convicts to do it. Road bonds are what we need.

Town upbuilders are what we need rather than knockers and destroyers. Some can do great things and all can do a little, but Mr. Joseph S. Silverstein's commendable part in upbuilding the industrial life of Transylvania is something that should long be remembered. A valuable citizenship is this.

It was nothing but right that the promoters of the proposed industry should ask for a site. It will toward a plant of this kind is costly to the investors and as it grows it will nigh reach the stage of persecution through the courts. There are many useless damage suits in the courts and the fewer the better for the community. The glad hand of welcome should be given to all that's good for the community.

## Brevard's Progressive Citizenry.

No town or community is greater than its citizenry. No place or section will outgrow the degree of progress which its inhabitants cultivate among themselves. Where there is a marked absence of unity and team work discord and antagonism will hold sway and decay rather than growth will be the outcome.

In view of these truths no man who believes in progress could but admire the prevailing spirit of harmony and helpfulness in Brevard with reference to the proposed industry, which, when materialized, will be the remaking of Brevard and the placing of it in the forefront of small towns in Western Carolina.

The spirit is commendable for the reason that it shows the make-up of the local citizenry. The raising of \$6,500 without the slightest difficulty with which to purchase a factory site means growth and prosperity; it spells expansion and the welcoming of opportunity.

So long as Brevard fosters the spirit that has been in evidence for the last few days its citizenry will not become a stumbling block in the way of progress for such progressiveness will make its influence felt for good, reaching out in all directions and touching all phases of local life that have to do with the growth, progress and prosperity of the community.

Brevard—its complete make-up—has great cause for pride in its efforts toward progress to say nothing of manifold blessings that will come in return.

## TEACHERS' MEETING DECEMBER 8 AND 9

Will Hold Session Two Days in Brevard; Study of County History; Technical Studies for Teachers; Interesting Program

A committee of the Transylvania County Teachers' association met in the office of the county superintendent of schools Saturday and arranged the following program for the next teachers' meeting, which is to be held on Friday and Saturday, Dec. 8 and 9.

### FRIDAY'S PROGRAM

The teachers of the other schools of the county will visit Brevard graded school during the morning, observe the work of the various teachers and take notes on the work observed. In the afternoon of that day there will be a round table conference on the work observed during the morning. This conference will be conducted by the county superintendent.

There will also be, during the afternoon, reports from the State Teachers' assembly by the teachers of the county who attend that meeting.

### FRIDAY EVENING

Beginning at 7:30 p. m. the exercises will consist of a study of Transylvania county. The following are the topics to be considered and the names of the teachers who are to present them.

Transylvania's Historic Background, Miss Georgia Bell.

Transylvania During the 60's, J. L. Osteen.

The County's Natural Resources, W. Boling Henderson.

The Relation of Summer Boarders to Our County's History, Miss Annie Gash.

A committee has been appointed to arrange a brief social feature in connection with this evening's program, in order that the teachers of the county may become better acquainted with each other.

### SATURDAY MORNING

Opening exercises conducted by Rev. W. E. Poovey.

All the topics discussed today will be on subjects in the Teachers' Reading Course for this year. "Teaching the Fundamental Subjects," History, J. C. Jones.

"Language in Elementary Schools," O. S. Dillard.

"Community Civics," Miss Annie Jordan.

Selection from "The Blue Flower," Miss Allie Cantrell.

The books for the Teachers' Reading Course in this county for this year are "How to Teach the Fundamental Subjects" (\$1.12), "Language Work in Elementary Schools" (\$1.00), "Community Civics" (\$0.54), "Brown Mouse" (\$1.00), "The Blue Flower" (\$1.20).

Celebrate Thanksgiving with our chickens and turkeys. Allison & Johnson. 2c

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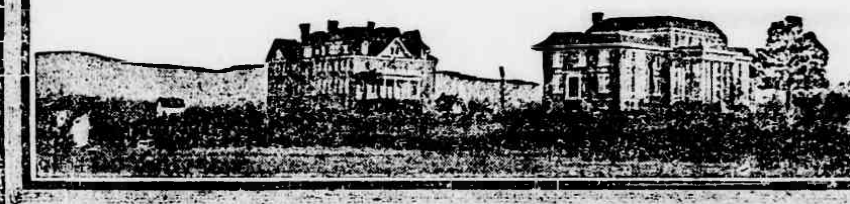
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