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# G. O. P. Meets Here Friday

## County Ticket Will Be Selected; Two Ladies May Run

Republicans of Transylvania county will gather at the courthouse in Brevard on Friday afternoon of this week, at which time a county ticket will be selected and other business pertaining to the party will be transacted.

Delegates to the county convention were chosen last week at precinct meetings held in the various townships. These delegates will nominate the county ticket, adopt a county platform and choose officers to serve the convention for the next two years.

Much interest is being shown in the coming convention, and with the several candidates reported to be seeking office, a strong ticket is expected to be nominated.

Names of two ladies are expected to be placed before the convention for nomination for office, bringing a new era into political circles here. While no definite announcement has been made, it is expected that there will be a lady in the race for register of deeds and one for member of legislature.

Nominees to be selected are: Representative, sheriff and tax collector, register of deeds, treasurer, three county commissioners, coroner, county surveyor, and township officers.

The sessions will convene at two o'clock; business to be transacted in time for candidates to file with the county board of elections before closing time Friday afternoon.

Republicans of Brevard precinct No. 1 are requested by Chairman Judson McCrary to meet at the Brevard grammar school building at one o'clock sharp on Friday afternoon to transact important business, while Chairman Arvil Simpson is calling a precinct meeting for Brevard No. 2 at the courthouse at the same hour.

## FARM MEETING ON WEDNESDAY

### Livestock Market Will Be Established in Western N. C.

Establishment of a livestock market and outlet for Western North Carolina was announced in Sunday's Asheville Citizen-Times, by Bruce Webb, promotion manager and moving spirit in the 5-10 movement. Plans as announced call for utilizing the outlet provided by the White Provision company, of Atlanta, Ga., a subsidiary of Swift and company.

Farmers and stock raisers of Transylvania county who are interested in the movement are asked to join in a meeting to be held on Wednesday of next week, May 25, at the Lenoir Gwynn farm in Haywood county, at which time details will be announced and plans formulated for the participation of farmers of Western North Carolina to have access to this market.

At least one hundred Transylvania people are asked to attend the meeting in Haywood county next week, when leaders of the movement, officials of the packing company and others will be present.

Those who plan to attend the meeting are requested to get in touch with others who do not have transportation facilities, and vice versa, in order that as many as possible from this county may be enabled to attend. Agricultural leaders from all sections of Western Carolina have expressed their approval of the plan as outlined in Sunday's newspapers.

## Whitmire Farm Is Scene of Blaze

### Believe Spark Smouldering Ten Days Starts Second Blaze

Ten days from the date seven hundred apple trees were destroyed on the farm of E. J. Whitmire at Cherryfield, another fire followed catching in a way that would make Ripley's "Believe It Not" feature an interesting item. According to E. R. Galloway, county game and fire warden, who reported the incident to The Times, all fire and signs of fire that could be found were carefully taken care of on May 5, when the large orchard was severely damaged, and a "fire line" made around the orchard.

A tall hickory tree, standing near the fire line, which had been dead for several years, seemingly escaped the first fire. However, Mr. Galloway was called back to the Whitmire farm on last Sunday, and upon checking cause of the new fire, traced it to a spark that had ignited the dry wood of the tree near its base, finally burning its way into the tree with sufficient damage to cause the tree to fall. In falling the tree smashed another dead snag down thus forming a bridge over the fire line that had been made. Despite several rains in that section since May 5, the slow burning fire had managed to keep up enough life to gradually eat its way to the top of the dead hickory, onto the connecting snag across the fire line, and the Whitmire orchard of fine young apple trees was again on fire.

Quick work of fire wardens and neighbors saved the orchard.

### MAYOR AT KIWANIS

Mayor Ralph Ramsey will have charge of the Kiwanis program at the regular meeting of the club Thursday at noon.

## SCOUTS WILL ATTEND MEET

### Many Merit Badges Passed by Local Troop at Honor Court

Eight Merit badges were given Boy Scouts of Brevard troop No. one at a court of honor meeting held Friday night in the Hut of the Presbyterian church.

Henry Miller passed three tests, one of them being exceptionally hard for all boys who have passed it here. Pathfinding, requires much study in several lines and the drawing of a comprehensive map of the town. Henry had one of the best maps that have been presented by any of the Scouts in this test. He also passed woodwork and firemanship.

Ralph Galloway finished his work on pathfinding, he having been working on this certificate for several months. Reading and athletics also were passed by young Galloway. Sandy McLeod passed reading and scholarship.

The Brevard troop is making plans to enter the jamboree at Asheville on Saturday of this week, and will try for placing in all events except wall scaling. First places have been made by the local Boy Scouts for two successive years at the Western North Carolina jamboree.

## Hunting Injuries Prove Fatal to William Rice, 27

ROSMAN, May 18.—William Rice, age 27 years, died at the home of his father, George Rice, about 9 o'clock Thursday night.

Funeral services were conducted Friday morning at 11 o'clock at Zion Baptist church, by the Rev. G. E. Kellar. Interment was in the Whitmire cemetery, nearby.

Young Mr. Rice was injured while out hunting with two companions the latter part of January, when a gun he attempted to fire exploded. Fragments of the barrel entered his leg, an infection set in and he was removed to Angel Brothers hospital at Franklin, where he was a patient for about three months. He never gained enough strength to have his leg amputated. Several days ago he returned to the home of his father in an ambulance, and steadily grew weaker until the end.

Surviving relatives are the father, George Rice; sisters, Miss Vinetta Rice, Miss Viola Rice, Mrs. Clyde Miles of Easley, and brother, Richard Rice.

Kilpatrick and Sons had charge of the funeral arrangements.

## Pigs Pay Transylvania Boy Well

Ten pigs, eight weeks old, weighing on an average of 45-50 pounds each at a feed cost of $7.60 is the record of Edgar Glazener of Connestee. —(Cut courtesy The Citizen-Times)

## B. I. CLOSING BEGINS ON 29

### Forty Members in Graduating Class at Methodist School Here

Brevard Institute is preparing to celebrate its thirty-seventh annual commencement which will begin on Sunday, May 29, when the graduating sermon will be preached by Rev. J. G. Huggins, pastor of Asbury Memorial church, Asheville. This service will be held in the Brevard Methodist church while all of the remaining exercises of the week will be held in San Angelo chapel at the school.

On Tuesday evening, May 31, at eight o'clock, Miss Julia Merritt, director of the Music department, will present her class in recital. On Wednesday evening at the same hour, the contests in recitation and declamation among the girls and boys, respectively, will be held for competition for the medals annually awarded in these activities by Miss Mable Jetton and R. Y. Neel.

Thursday will be Class day, and will be celebrated in the morning at 10 o'clock by the class with appropriate exercises. At one o'clock in the afternoon the annual faculty-senior luncheon will take place in the school dining room. To this regular feature of commencement exercises, there is being added this year a new feature in that all alumni of the Institute who can attend are invited to participate. At eight o'clock Thursday evening the graduation exercises will take place. Rev. J. O. Smith, Methodist pastor at Clemson college, S. C., will address the class which consists of thirty-two high school graduates and nine commercial school graduates. Pio Sanchez of Havana, Cuba, is first honor graduate in high school class, with a percentage of ninety-six and one-tenth. Miss Jean McDonald has won the place of second honor with ninety-five and five-tenths per cent. Of the class of 32, eight have completed their year's work to date with an average of ninety per cent or above.

Another interesting feature on the program of Thursday evening, is the presentation of medals and awards for the year. In addition to the medals mentioned above, there are to be presented medals as follows:

The highest scholastic average for the year will be rewarded by a medal presented by the Brevard Kiwanis club. The student attaining the highest average in the Mathematics department will be presented the Ralph H. Zachary medal in mathematics. The seventh grade student with the highest average in American history will be awarded a medal which is presented annually by the Brevard chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution. Other awards will consist of prizes for housekeeping in the care of rooms in the various dormitories, also an annual feature of this occasion.

The graduating class includes 40 members, 31 of whom are high school graduates, seven in the commercial department and two receiving typewriting certificates.

Registration for the summer term will take place on Saturday, June 4, and regular work will commence on Tuesday, June 7. Prospects are for a good summer school which will extend for eight weeks, closing on July 29.

## PLAY WILL BE AT HI SCHOOL

### Cool Knights To Be Given Thursday and Friday Nights

"Cool Knights," a musical comedy, will be presented at the high school auditorium on Thursday and Friday nights of this week, under the auspices of the Brevard Business and Professional Woman's club. Benefits derived from the two evenings of entertainment are to be used in defraying expenses of the Girl Scout camp next month.

Over a hundred people are scheduled to take part in the program, with thirteen specialty numbers being added attractions to the main feature. Mrs. Lodema Robertson, president of the Business Women's club, will be announcer for the evening, with Mrs. Madge Wilkins and Miss Rhuanna Beddingfield as pianists. Fourteen characters are portrayed in the comedy, all local talent.

Brevard Business and Professional Women are making strenuous effort to raise funds with which to conduct an accredited Girl Scout camp for Scouts of the county, and have won praise for the manner in which they have gone about procuring the necessary funds. No donation has been asked of any person or firm, penny jars being the only reminder that the work will go on. These penny jars have been very proficient in gathering in pennies, nickels and dimes, but leaders in the movement assert that they are far from their goal, and it is with this aim in view that they are staging this two-evening entertainment.

## County Students At W. C. T. C.

CULLOWHEE, May 18.—(Special)—Ten of the students at Western Carolina Teachers college are from Transylvania county. Some of the college's best scholars and most outstanding campus leaders are found in this group.

Dixie Jones of Cedar Mountain is a group captain and vice president in the B. Y. P. U. of the Cullowhee Baptist church, secretary of the Erosophian Literary society, vice president of the Freshman Sunday school class at the Cullowhee Baptist church, and a member of the constitution board of the Y. W. C. A. that is being organized at the college.

Rachel Williams of Brevard is a proctor in Reuben Robertson hall, censor of the Erosophian Literary society, secretary of the Freshman class, pianist of the Baptist Student union, and a member of Alpha Phi Sigma fraternity.

Elizabeth Duckworth of Brevard is a vice president of the Baptist Student union, vice president of the Junior class, and was secretary of the Columbian Literary society during the winter quarter.

Lena Allison of Brevard is a vice president of the Baptist Student union, group captain in the B. Y. P. U. of the Cullowhee Baptist church, and was president of the Columbian Literary society during the fall quarter.

O'Neal Owen and L. C. Case of Lake Toxaway have been active in college athletics during the year.

The other four students at Western Carolina from Transylvania county are: Mamie Hayes of Rosman; Flora and Bess Reid of Quebec, and Dorene Lee of Lake Toxaway.

### KILLS THREE RATTLERS

Jule Chappell of the Namur section reports killing three large rattlesnakes this spring. He killed the last one Sunday night under his house.

## NAME DELEGATES AT MT. MORIAH

ROSMAN, May 18.—A special meeting of Mt. Moriah, Calvert, W. M. U., was held at the church Tuesday afternoon for the purpose of electing delegates to attend the district meeting held at Little River Baptist church next Tuesday.

Delegates who will attend are Mrs. R. L. Hogsed, Mrs. S. M. Foster, Mrs. Frank Morgan, and others.

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ity will serve a luncheon to the delegates and visitors.

All delegates are especially urged by Mrs. Pendleton to be present and an invitation is extended to any members of the societies. Officers of the association are: Mrs. E. H. Pendleton, of Brevard, superintendent; Mrs. J. B. Jones, of Brevard, assistant superintendent; Mrs. J. L. Gillespie of Cherryfield, secretary; Mrs. R. L. Hogsed of Calvert, treasurer; and Mrs. M. H. Holliday of Brevard, supervisor of young people.

### REV. YATES' APPOINTMENTS

ROSMAN, May 18.—Rev. E. E. Yates will preach next Sunday at 11 o'clock at Rosman Methodist church; at 3 p. m. at Selica M. E. church, and at 7:30 at Rosman.

# Corn---$1 Per Bushel At The Times Office

## PEOPLE ASKED TO SEND CARDS

### Post Card Day Will Be Observed in Brevard on Friday

Several thousand post cards are expected to be mailed from Brevard on Friday of this week, which date has been designated as "Post Card Day." The movement is being sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce, Kiwanis club and Woman's bureau, and will have the cooperation of all citizens of the community.

Each person and firm is requested to buy ten picture post cards, showing scenes around Brevard, and mail them to friends and acquaintances in other sections, inviting them to spend at least a part of their vacation in this matchless land.

Those who do not care to mail the cards, are requested to purchase ten or more cards, affix one cent stamps, and bring them to the Chamber of Commerce headquarters, where they will be addressed and mailed.

Cards may be purchased at either of the drug stores, Ward's Barber shop and Austin's studio. Three of these firms have made generous donations to the movement this week, Long's Drug store giving 500 cards to the Chamber of Commerce; Ward's Barber shop, 200; and Austin's studio, 100. These will be mailed to people who have at some time in the past couple of years been in Brevard and registered at the Chamber of Commerce.

## BALLOT BOXES NOT BE MADE

### Friday Is Last Day for Filing With County Election Board

No new ballot boxes will have to be purchased for holding the primary election in Transylvania county, according to a statement made by Grady C. Kilpatrick, chairman of the county board of elections.

Mr. Kilpatrick states that he is going to use every effort possible to save the county the expense of buying boxes for Transylvania to take the place of those which are impounded by reason of the Pritchard-Bailey senatorial contest.

Attention is called by Mr. Kilpatrick to the fact that Friday, May 20, is last date for filing with the county board of elections for nomination on either the Republican or Democratic ticket, and that all filings must be made by sundown Friday of this week.

## Ten People Seek 3 County Offices

### Four for Democratic Representative Post

Ten people are seeking nomination on the Democratic ticket for three offices, four being out for representative, three for sheriff and three for treasurer. In the representative race are T. C. Henderson, S. P. Verner, W. M. Henry, and M. W. Calloway.

For sheriff-tax collector, H. C. Aiken, Deputy Tom Wood and John L. Wilson are in the race, while O. L. Erwin, Mrs. T. H. Galloway and Geo. M. Justus, incumbent, are seeking the treasurer's place.

Only one man, Jess A. Galloway, has announced for register of deeds, Mr. Galloway seeking re-election, while coroner, surveyor and county commissioners places have not been announced for.

## Cabbage Leaf on Display at Times

A freak of nature brought to The Times office this week and attracting considerable attention was a peculiar shaped cabbage leaf cupped like a funnel and showing no sign of a slit side.

The unusual specimen was discovered in the garden of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hogsed, of the Connestee section, and is said by the many people viewing it to be the first cabbage leaf of its kind they had ever seen. Several expressed the opinion that its oddity made it worthy of preservation.

## Stay Is Granted By Judge Clement

Stay of execution was granted until August by Judge J. H. Clement at Rutherfordton on Monday in the matter of the five Transylvania men whose case was refused a rehearing last week by the state supreme court. Petition was presented to Judge Clement by attorneys in the case, asking for stay and new trial on the grounds of new evidence.

The five men, T. H. Shipman, J. H. Pickelsimer, Jos. S. Silversteen, C. R. McNeely and Ralph Fisher were convicted in superior court here last August on charge of selling a county note for benefit of the Brevard Banking company. Appeal was made from decision and the supreme court in a three-two decision ruled against the men. Motion for new trial will be made here at next term of court.

## C. of C. Booklets Being Made Up

Members of the advertising and tourist committee of the Chamber of Commerce met at The Transylvania Times office Monday night, and after careful study, completed layout and copy matter to be used in the 1932 booklets which are to be used this year in the publicity campaign for summer business in Transylvania county.

An attractive two-color booklet, of eight-page folder type, setting forth in condensed form the many attractions to be offered tourists in this section, has been ordered by the joint committee, the work being done by the Observer Printing House of Charlotte.

Members of the committee at the meeting Monday night were: J. W. Smith, Miss Katherine Griffin, Mrs. J. W. Smith, Jas. F. Barrett, and C. M. Douglas.

People who desire the names and rates, etc., of their places listed in the Chamber of Commerce booklet are asked to bring such information to the Chamber of Commerce this week, as the list is being compiled and it will not be possible for the secretary to call on each hotel, boarding house, or property owner. Copy must be in at once, officials of the body assert.

## Poppies Will be Sold Next Week

Poppy Day will be held in Brevard on May 28, according to announcement made here Wednesday by the local V. F. W. post, which will have charge of the sales. Committee in charge will be John E. Rufty, Ralph Duckworth and W. H. Allen, who will have assistants in various sections of the county on Saturday, May 28.

Proceeds from the sales will go to the National Home of the V. F. W., for widows and orphans of veterans, located at Eaton Rapids, Mich., to disabled veterans and their families and to local charity. The poppies are made by disabled veterans.

## BLACKWELL FREED BY ORDER OF COURT

Clorine Blackwell was released by Judge Michael Schenck in a habeas corpus proceeding brought before him Thursday by Attorney T. C. Galloway. Blackwell was arrested recently on an old charge of abandonment which had been pending for some time.

### AT M'LEAN HOME

ROSMAN, May 18.—Members of Rosman B. Y. P. U. held choir practice at the home of Misses Rosa and Emma Jane McLean on Monday night.

## THIS OFFER IS TO APPLY ON SUBSCRIPTION

### Farmers Can Buy Newspaper for One Year With Bushel Corn

### THIS OFFER MADE TO HELP FARMERS

### Corn Bargain Will Enable Many People to Subscribe

One dollar per bushel will be paid by The Transylvania Times for corn when taken in on subscription to this paper, either new or renewal. This offer is being made in order to enable farmers who cannot get a fair price for their farm products to enjoy a good county newspaper at a price in keeping with the price they receive for their corn.

Those desiring to take advantage of this offer are asked to take one bushel of corn to the B. & B. Feed store on East Main street, where they will be given a ticket showing that the corn has been delivered. Upon bringing this ticket or receipt to The Transylvania Times office, located next door to the postoffice, on Jordan street, a receipt for one year's subscription to The Transylvania Times will be given, and the subscriber will receive a real live NEWSpaper for one year.

The Transylvania Times management realizes that corn is the principal crop of the farmers of Transylvania, and realizes all too well that the prevailing price of corn is far below cost of production. In order that those people of the county who desire to read a NEWSpaper that gives all the news in an unbiased manner, at a price in keeping with the money derived from sale of farm products, this offer is being made.

Only one year's time will be allowed on this offer—that is, no person can subscribe for more than one year, or renew for more than one year's time in this bargain corn offer. However, as many one year subscriptions as desired may be purchased this way, in order to allow people to send The Times to friends or relatives. That is, if you want to subscribe or renew for yourself and also send the paper to other addresses, as many one year subscriptions to different addresses will be allowed as bushels of corn are brought in.

Remember, there is nothing more to pay—just take one bushel of corn to the B. & B. Feed store, tell them to give you a Transylvania Times ticket for it, bring the ticket to our office and you will receive a year's subscription to this newspaper.

### NEW HIGHWAY BRINGING MANY CARS TO BREVARD

Many cars from South Carolina and points south are being routed through Brevard, over the scenic highway No. 284 from Greenville. Check-up of Sunday's travel over this hard surfaced link disclosed the fact that more cars were brought through this section Sunday than had been counted on any other highway at any time during the past summer season.

Many of the cars turned at Brevard, going over the Lake Toxaway road, while others entered Pisgah National forest, and still others went out No. 28 via Hendersonville.

## POTATO GROWING PROJECT IS BEING TRIED IN COUNTY

An experiment that may mean the establishment of a new era in farming in Transylvania county is being conducted on the farms of C. F. Woodfin, Claude Shuford and Frank Shuford. Seed potato growing is the project.

Certified Irish Cobbler potatoes are purchased from Prince Edward Island, Canada, growers, according to the outline given The Times by Melvin S. Hatch, of Fletcher, who is supervising the work in this county, planted and cultivated on approved method plans and the seed from this section in turn taken to South Carolina, where they are to be planted in the large potato growing farms there.

United Produce association of Beaufort, S. C., are operators of the experiment. They are large growers and shippers of farm products in the Palmetto state, and have one of the outstanding farmers' organizations of the south. This group are sales agents and purchasers for hundreds of small farmers in South Carolina, and it is with a view to cutting the cost of certified seed potatoes that they are conducting the experiments here.

Two acres have been planted on the Woodfin farm; one acre on the Claude Shuford farm, and one and one-half acre on the Frank Shuford farm. The truckers association is furnishing seed, fertilizer and spray material, and have agreed to take all the No. 1 and No. 2 potatoes at a stipulated price that is above the price now being paid for potatoes here.