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HUGE CUTS URGED IN REPORT MADE BY BUDGET COMMISSION

All Salaries Should Be Lowered, According To Figures Shown

SCHOOL TEACHERS ARE INCLUDED IN SLASHES

Highways and Public Institutions Share In Economy Program Urged

Raleigh, Jan. 18—Drastic cuts in state appropriations, including the proposed lowering of all state salaries to about two-thirds of the 1931 basis, were recommended to the general assembly by the advisory budget commission Monday night.

All teachers would be cut along with other employees.

Total reductions of about \$22,500,000 for the next biennium are suggested.

General fund appropriations would be set at \$48,242,795 for the 1933-35 biennium as compared with actual or estimated expenditures of \$55,621,548 for the current two-year period.

Highway fund expenditures suffered the sharpest cut. The recommendation sets the figure at \$33,500,000 for the next two years, including \$4,000,000 turned in to the general fund, as compared with expenditures of \$48,500,000. This would be a total cut of about \$7,500,000 annually but is a reduction in expenditures for highways proper of \$9,500,000 each year.

Agricultural fund appropriations were recommended to be \$491,290 as compared with expenses for this biennium of \$694,000.

Total appropriations from the three funds, not including receipts which departments and institutions are empowered to expend, are recommended to be about \$82,250,000 for the biennium as compared with expenditures of \$104,815,000 the current period.

General fund appropriations recommendations are based on reducing expenditures about \$3,000,000 annually, the report says. A cut of salaries and wages of at least 15 per cent below the present scale is contemplated.

The report points out this cut would place all employees, including teachers, on a scale of approximately 32 per cent below the pay standards of July 1, 1931.

Charitable and correctional institutions did not share the cuts to the same extent as other divisions of the government.

Educational institutions suffered very severe reductions.

No permanent improvements are recommended.

The report stated that a general fund deficit of \$12,690,651 will likely exist June 30, 1933. Credit balances of the agricultural and highway fund will be \$3,127,900 with \$1,300,000 of the highway fund committed.

GALA EVENT TO BE STAGED BY JUNIORS

Ladies Will Be Invited As Guests of Order Next Saturday Evening

Members of Transylvania Council, Jr. O. U. A. M. are planning to hold a gala event on Saturday evening of this week, at the Junior Hall on Main street the affair to begin at 7:30 o'clock.

Every member of the council, around one hundred, is expected to be present, together with his wife, sweetheart, or some friend. A "dutch lunch" will be served, each member to bring something to eat for himself and guests, which will be spread picnic style, and added to with coffee and milk.

Included on the evening's program will be music and short talks. State Councilor Lewis Hamlin of Brevard, and District Deputy Wrenn, of Asheville, being scheduled to make fifteen minute addresses on phases of the Junior Order work in North Carolina.

Famous Mountain Lily Story Told By Feature Writer of Hendersonville

Brevard's famed "Mountain Lily" steamboat had its origin at Hendersonville, according to a story carried in The Asheville Times on Monday of this week. The story follows:

HENDERSONVILLE, Jan. 18—The reason for the "Mountain Lily" may be a low water mark in the French Broad river just below where the concrete bridge on the Hayward road spans that stream in the Mills river section of Henderson county.

Many of the oldest settlers remember the Mountain Lily. It was believed to be the only steamer opera-

13th HOLDS NO TERROR FOR YOUNG MCKINNA BOY

Friday, the 13th, held no terrors for the youngest member of the family of Mr. and Mrs. George McKinna of the Selma section. This young man, to show the world that there is absolutely nothing in the Friday 13th bugaboo, chose this of all days to make his appearance in the world.

The young fellow is a fine specimen, and were he able to write would put it thusly: "Born to Mr. and Mrs. George McKinna, on Friday, January 13th, a son, weighing eight and three-quarter pounds. Both mother and son doing fine, thank you." Mrs. C. Y. Patton was in attendance at the event.

HARTER CAMPFIELD PNEUMONIA VICTIM

Prominent Resident of Pisgah Forest Section Dies After 10-Day Illness

Harter Campfield, 47 year old resident of the Pisgah Forest section, died last Saturday morning at his home after an illness of ten days, death being due to pneumonia.

Funeral services were held for the popular man on Sunday afternoon, the Rev. Carl Blythe and the Rev. Harvey Southers, officiating. Interment was made in the Davidson River cemetery.

The following acted as pallbearers: D. H. Orr, Jim Lyday, W. A. Lyday, Charlie Roller, Francis Allen and Frank Allen. Flowers were in charge of Misses Minnie Campfield, Elizabeth Floyd, Nettie Gulbert, Edith Anders and Mildred Williams. Moore and Osborne had charge of arrangements.

Surviving are the widow and the following children: Allen, Lloyd, Ralph, Huett, Ruth and Bertha Campfield; the father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Campfield; brothers, Jerry Campfield and Charles E. Campfield, Flat Rock; Clyde Campfield, College Park, Ga.; Barton Campfield, Los Angeles, Calif.; sisters, Mrs. Ella Floyd, Greenville; Mrs. Edith Markham, Flat Rock; Mrs. Frank Allen, Pisgah Forest.

Mr. Campfield was a carpenter and farmer, and had made his home in Transylvania county all his life. He was a member of the Pisgah Forest Baptist church. Deceased was twice married, first to Miss Dossie Allen, who died several years ago. His second wife was Miss Myrtle Fowler.

ROBERT LOOKABILL CALLED IN DEATH

Funeral services for Robert Walter Lookabill, 13-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Lookabill, of North Brevard, were held at the home Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, with the Rev. J. H. West, pastor Brevard Methodist church, officiating. Interment was made in Oak Grove cemetery.

Death was due to pneumonia, the small child having been ill for two weeks. Surviving are the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Lookabill, and one sister.

Pallbearers were Howard Whitmire, Carl Kilpatrick, Harry Johnson and Robert Whitmire. Kilpatrick and Sons had charge of arrangements.

INSTITUTE BOXERS TACKLE BIG SCHOOL

Brevard Institute boxers invaded the Charlotte high school auditorium last Thursday night and gave the big city boys a run for their money, the local crew getting one draw out of the seven bouts, and let the Charlotteans know that there had been a fight with the other six.

Ritchie, the captain of the local team, went four rounds for a draw. Other boys appearing on the bout were Justice, 153; Colina, 135; Bagwell, 165; Bower, 144. Charlotte fans were well pleased with the bout, and state papers were warm in their praise of the local teams gameness.

SIMPSON BARBER SHOP IS IN NEW LOCATION

Announcement is made in this week's Times by Simpson Barber shop of their removal to new location on Broad street opposite the Walmire hotel, where are better equipped and have a nicely arranged shop.

The Simpson boys have been in the barber business here for a number of years and enjoy a good patronage. Assisting them in the shop is Louella Tinsley.

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WOLF REPORTED TO BE ROAMING AROUND FRENCH BROAD VALLEY

"Wolf! Wolf!" was heard in Brevard Monday, when one of the would-be Nimrods of this community reported that he had encountered such an animal east of Brevard, and had wounded him slightly with a shotgun, distance only preventing him from making a kill of the alleged marauder.

The word quickly spread that a real honest-to-goodness wolf was roaming the land, and a number of men, dogs and guns were soon to be seen in the bottoms between the home of J. A. McCrary and the French Broad river, all with the intent of slaying the daring animal that had attempted to molest the quiet and peace of Brevardites.

Again Tuesday morning the number swelled, as many as twenty-five people being on the warpath at one time, according to reports reaching this office. No kill had been reported late Tuesday night, and several people assert that the ravaging ani-

mal, was only a collie pup that had strayed from his master in Brevard, loafed around in the hedges and ways until he had become a little man-shy, and upon being shot at, hunted down like a thief and otherwise molested, used the only method left in such case, slink around where he was least apt to be seen.

However, several substantial citizens of the community, including Deputy Sheriff J. M. Kilpatrick, Wilson Poole and others, are emphatic in their statements that the animal is far from being a dog. Deputy Sheriff Kilpatrick declared that he shot five times at the animal Tuesday, at a range of around 100 yards, and that he is positive in his identification. Wilson Poole states that he was within ten yards of brute, and knows for a certainty that it is a wolf or coyote.

Wolf or no wolf, the excitement caused by the report was sufficient to cause a ripple in the too smooth bill.

BANK OFFICIALS ARE PLEASED WITH WORK

All Officers of Transylvania Trust Company Are Re-Elected to Office

All officers and directors of the Transylvania Trust company were re-elected at a meeting of stockholders held Tuesday, the following serving in official capacity for the county's only bank:

President, H. B. Kelly; vice president, S. R. Jones; vice president, A. W. Whitehurst; cashier, M. B. McDaniel; assistant cashier, R. J. Duckworth;

Directors re-elected are: H. B. Kelly, S. R. Jones, J. H. Pickelsimer, H. A. Plummer, C. R. McNeely, Lewis P. Hamlin, Judson McCrary, Jos. S. Silversteen, Frank D. Clement, A. H. Houston, A. M. Whitehurst, vice president, who is also cashier and vice president of Citizens Bank of Marshall was named on the board of directors.

Officials of the Transylvania Trust company expressed themselves as being well pleased with the past year's business and with general outlook for the bank, which was organized in November of 1931.

GLADY BRANCH WORKERS TO MEET FRIDAY NIGHT

Workers Council and church conference will be held at Gladly Branch Baptist church on Friday night of this week, beginning at 7:30. All members of the Sunday school and the church are requested to be in attendance.

MRS. S. JONES WAS BURIED WEDNESDAY

Funeral services for Mrs. Solomon Jones, 71 were held Wednesday morning at eleven o'clock from Blue Ridge Baptist church, Cedar Mountain, with the Rev. A. L. Vaughn officiating. Interment was made in the cemetery nearby.

Mrs. Jones had been ill for four years, and while her death was not unexpected, it was a great shock to her many friends in the Cedar Mountain section where she was well and favorably known.

Surviving are four children, Miss Corrie Jones, Markley and Carroll Jones and Mrs. Tom Garren, all of the Cedar Mountain section; the father, Bill McCrary; two sisters, Mrs. S. A. Jones, Cedar Mountain; Mrs. Mary Heath, Little River; four brothers, Joe and Velney McCrary, Brevard and Silas and Ernest McCrary, of Greenville. The husband, one of the best known of the Cedar Mountain section, passed away four months ago.

Pallbearers were Herbert Heath, Emmerson Jones, Archie McCrary, Speedy Jones, Bill McCrary, Charlie McCrary. Honorary pallbearers were Solomon Jones, Elbert Bishop, P. T. Watson, Jake Wickliffe, Bunyan Jones, Harvey Cleveland, Robert Jones. Flowers were in charge of Misses Dixie Jones, Clara Jones, Lillie McCrary, Viola Tabor. Moore and Osborne had charge of arrangements.

HAYES NOW OPERATING TEXACO GAS STATION

Announcement is made by Freeman Hayes, who operates the Rock Service station, that he is now Brevard distributor for Texaco gasoline and oils.

In addition to running a service station, Mr. Hayes does repair work and general automobile service.

ROSMAN PAGE OMITTED FROM TIMES THIS WEEK

Rosman section of The Times is being omitted this week, due to the illness of Mrs. Jordan Whitmire, who is unable to furnish the many interesting items which usually form a part of this newspaper. Mrs. Whitmire hopes to be able to resume her duties within the next few weeks, and in the meantime joins with The Times in requesting that news of interest be sent direct to The Times office at Brevard, as the hundreds of friends of this paper in the Rosman section and elsewhere look forward each week to the Rosman section with general news and personal items.

MANY ATTEND MEET OF W.N.C. FARMERS

Transylvania Sends Forty-Five In Delegation To 5-10 Gathering Monday

Forty-five Transylvania county people attended the annual meeting of the 5-10 Year Plan organization held in Asheville Monday night, according to Prof. Julian A. Glazener, head of the organization here, this being the largest delegation from any of the 18 counties represented at the meet.

Reports from the various counties made at the meeting which was held in the Plaza Theatre, were to be effect that all counties participating in the move for more unified system of agriculture and marketing in Western North Carolina as a state unit, was making much progress and that great good was being accomplished for both farmer and business men.

Outstanding among the reports was the number of purebred hogs, cattle and poultry that have been introduced into this section since inception of the move fifteen months ago, and the further fact that better markets were being obtained by reason of concerted action among the counties.

Speakers of note heard at the meeting were E. S. Paps, of Atlanta, manager of the White Provision company; B. L. Hummel, rural sociologist for the state of Virginia; Mrs. Jane S. McKimmon, head of the North Carolina home demonstration work, and H. Arthur Osborne, recognized as leading farmer and dairyman of this section. Bruce Webb, promotion manager of The Asheville Citizen-Times, sponsors of the movement presided.

HOME COMING TO BE FEATURED AT ENON

Home coming day will be observed at Enon Baptist church next Sunday morning, according to announcement made by the pastor, Rev. J. L. Bragg. All members and former members are invited and urged by the pastor and church officers to be present at the services, together with any visitors who desire to attend.

No dinner, or extraordinary features will be observed, the pastor states in making the announcement, regular Sunday School service at 10 o'clock and preaching at eleven. However, a large number of members and former members who have not attended service at this church in some time are expected to swell the congregations at the church event Sunday morning.

AGED MAN IS BADLY BURNED AT PENROSE

Joe M. Blythe, 89-year-old resident of the Penrose section, was severely burned on Monday when he fell into an open fireplace at the home of his son, with whom he makes his home.

Mr. Blythe had been in ill health for several days, and it is thought he fainted while sitting in front of an open fireplace, bruising his head in falling, and suffering painful burns about the head and face. Dr. C. E. Cunningham, who treated the patient, reports he is improving.

Town of Rosman to Blossom Forth With Paved Streets and Sidewalks

The thriving little town of Rosman will soon be putting on "city airs" if plans now in the making are completed, and most likely they will, for the work has already started.

The particular work that has been long sought after by residents of Transylvania county's "other incorporated town," is paved streets and sidewalks, and they are forthcoming, at once.

Work was started Wednesday on putting down crushed stone on Main street, and on the sidewalks on either side of the main thoroughfare. The

LEGISLATORS PASS FEW BILLS DURING SECOND WEEK LULL

Tax Penalties Bill Coming Up For Second Attempt Failing To Pass

PROHIBITION BILL PUT ON SHELF BY ASSEMBLY

Would Lengthen School Week From Five To Six Days As Economy Measure

RALEIGH, Jan. 18—Second week of the General Assembly was slowed down to some extent, due to the fact that the governor's message delivered Monday night was being awaited by the solons. Principal bills introduced during the week centered around taxation and economy measures, the trend for reduction in taxes predominating since first day of the session.

High spots of the week included introduction of Senator Hayden Clement's bill to provide a production tax of one-half of one per cent to include all types of state manufactured products; a house measure to place a tax of five per cent of the present federal levy on manufactured tobacco products; and house and committee debate on a bill proposing abolition of tax penalties.

The tax penalties bill was unfavorably reported after assemblymen from all sections of the state pleaded against it on grounds such action would force early closing of schools and bring crippled county finances due to late payments of taxes. Sponsors, however, secured a minority report and will bring it back on the house floor for debate.

In the meantime, Representative W. A. Thompson, of Columbus announced he would sponsor a measure to relieve taxpayers of all back penalties but not affecting future penalties. His measure would allow redemption of property upon payment of current and delinquent taxes, plus six per cent interest, within a five year period.

Thompson's bill apparently removed the chief source of objection and is likely to receive support in the house.

Bills relating to taxation, many of them seeking to lighten the present load upon taxpayers, have jumped into an imposing lead during the two weeks of the session. Of the 152 bills introduced in both houses, thirty have concerned taxation, 21 of them statewide in nature and nine local in effect.

Two sweeping changes in state management of schools were proposed in the house, one to abolish the office of county superintendent, and the other to lengthen the school week from five days to six. Sponsors estimate savings at between three and

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B. & L. DIVIDENDS PAID TO MEMBERS

Three Thousand Dollars Being Mailed To Shareholders During Week

The kind of pleasure that comes from handling real cash was given to shareholders in the Brevard Building and Loan Association this week when Secretary Jerry Jerome mailed out checks to the amount of \$3,000 in semi-annual dividends.

The dividend checks for the most part were mailed to people in the community. Building and Loan associations throughout the state have maintained a tradition of paying the front dividends for a few years. Brevard unit continues with others in this section.

Officers of the association are: Jos. S. Silversteen, president; S. M. Macfie, vice president; Jerry Jerome, secretary-treasurer. Directors are: R. W. Everett, S. M. Macfie, Jos. S. Silversteen, J. S. Branfield, C. I. Newland, Roy Long and T. H. Galoway.

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