

## GARDEN WORK TO BE STARTED IN COUNTY BY 15TH OF MONTH

All People of County Asked To Join In Movement Assist Needy

### STRICT SUPERVISION OF ALL GARDEN PROJECTS

Those Who Receive R. F. C. Funds Will Be Required To Work In Crops

Work of starting gardens under the governor's live-at-home program, sponsored by the Welfare Committee in Transylvania county, has already begun, with a large number of small plots being cleared and made ready for planting.

Plans being carried out by the relief body call for all people Agricultural Advisory Council of who are being helped through relief channels to have a garden plot under care not later than March 15, looking toward the plan of supervised gardening which will be county-wide.

W. A. Wilson, director of relief, Professors Julian Glazener and John Corbin with Chairman W. L. Aiken of the board of county commissioners will have direct supervision over all garden and farm projects to be carried on under the plans of the R. F. C. group, several people of the county forming the advisory council.

Under rules adopted at a meeting of all representatives last Friday night, no persons will receive aid from the R. F. C. or Welfare group who have not shown a willingness to cooperate in the movement by March 15.

Those people who are unable to find land upon which to work a garden in their immediate vicinity are expected to go out of the section, if this be necessary in order to obtain such land. Inability to find land for a garden will not be regarded a sufficient reason to excuse such parties, the board ruled.

Supervisors in each of the communities of the county are being appointed by Professors Corbin and Glazener, these supervisors to keep check on all projects started by receipts of aid and to see to it that they are carrying out instructions.

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## CHECK TOURNAMENT NEXT THURSDAY EVE

All Good Players of County Invited To Participate In Championship Play

A county-wide checker tournament is planned for next Thursday night, according to Lloyd Allison, who is promoting the event. The games are scheduled to be played at the Canteen Cafe, starting at 7:30.

All checker players of the county are invited to participate in the event, which is to decide the "uncrowned king" of Transylvania. Joe J. Vigodsky has been unofficially declared "king of Brevard," and it is to decide who is best in the county that the tourney is being held next week.

Players are requested to bring checkers, a keen eye and determination to stay put. Tables and checker boards will be provided.

### SATURDAY NIGHT DRUNKS

Brevard blossomed forth with an unusual number of drunks over the week-end, fourteen being given berths in the county bastle Saturday night and Sunday. "Happy days were here again," judging from the "lit up" parties to be seen.

## CROP LOAN MAN IS TO BE HERE TODAY

Williams To Handle All Crop Production Loans Direct for County Farmers

S. S. Williams, of Wayneville, district representative of the Crop Production Loan Service, will be in Brevard on Thursday afternoon, and will make arrangements and schedules for returning to Brevard at an early date. Mr. Williams will be in the office of Clerk of Court Otto Alexander.

Mr. Williams is in charge of all crop production loans in this section of the state, and will have direct supervision over the loans this year and will maintain a Brevard schedule each week.

Those who wish to procure loans for purchase of livestock and poultry are referred to Attorney T. C. Galloway. Mr. Williams being in charge of the crop loans, which assist farmers in buying seed and fertilizers.

## O. HOME PROPERTY WILL BE BEAUTIFIED

Chairman Aiken Asking That People Donate Bulbs and Flower Seeds

In an effort to make the county home a more beautiful and homelike place, Chairman W. L. Aiken, of the county commissioners, plans to have a large number of shrubs and flowers planted about the buildings and grounds, preliminary work already having been started on the project by Superintendent Whitmore.

Mr. Aiken asks that all people of the county who care to have a share in this work, to do so by sending to him bulbs and seeds of flowers which they think will help in the work of making a nicer place for the county wards.

Request is made by Chairman Aiken that the seeds and bulbs be sent direct to him and that all are properly labeled, so that they can be planted in order most fitting.

Labor for the project is a matter that can be taken care of, Mr. Aiken states, there being only the shortage of seeds and bulbs to hinder the work and it is generally believed that the public will cooperate in taking care of this shortage.

### BOARD TO MEET

Members of the county Board of education will hold their regular monthly meeting in the office of County Superintendent J. B. Jones on Monday of next week.

## CAMP CHICKASAW TO BE OPERATED AGAIN

New Owners Plan Vast Improvements at Boys' Camp Near City

Stanley Horn and Jack Whaley, of Nashville, Tenn., will operate Camp Chickasaw this season, according to announcement carried in the Memphis Commercial Appeal of February 10. The story taken from the Tennessee paper follows:

Camp Chickasaw at Brevard, N. C., one of the best known summer camps for boys, was taken over yesterday by Stanley Horn and Jack Whaley of Nashville. Negotiations were closed with R. J. Hackney, who came into possession of the property recently, and whose decision to continue it as a summer camp led to the deal with Mr. Horn and Mr. Whaley.

Mrs. R. J. Wiggs and Francis Hudson of Memphis will be the local representatives and will accompany the Memphis boys to camp. J. Q. H. Townsend, one of the former owners, will act in an advisory capacity.

It is expected that the camp will open about July 5, and it will continue two months. Dr. M. S. Bennett, former head coach at Sewanee and a physician with great experience with boys' recreation activities, will be camp director. There are about 250 acres in the camp and it is thoroughly equipped. It has an artificial lake and the French Broad River for swimming, an ample supply of motor boats and canoes, 12 tennis courts, a nine-hole golf course, baseball, football and basketball fields, a running track, archery grounds, rifle range, a gymnasium and mountain climbing equipment. It is 2,500 feet above sea level with one of the finest summer climates in the Appalachians.

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## LENT SERVICES ARE HELD AT ST. PHILIPS

The observance of Lent at St. Philips Episcopal church began yesterday, Ashe Wednesday, with Holy Communion and Matins at ten o'clock a. m.

Services for next Sunday the first Sunday in Lent, as announced by the Rev. Harry Perry, rector, follow: Holy Communion, 8 a. m.; Church School at rectory, 10 a. m., speaker (via radio) the Bishop of Mexico; Holy Communion and Sermon, at 11 a. m., sermon subject to be "The Salvation of Our Souls."

Week day services announced by the rector are to be held—Wednesdays, Holy Communion at 10 a. m.; Evensong and Litany, Fridays at 4 p. m.

## GLADY BRANCH MEETING TO BE HELD ON FRIDAY

A workers council and church conference will be held at Gladly Branch Baptist church on Friday night of this week, beginning at 7:30 o'clock. All members of the church and all members of the Sunday School are urged to be present for the meeting.

## Tax Payers' Meeting To Be Held Here Saturday

A meeting of all citizens of the county is being called by interested parties of Brevard, the meeting to be held at the county court house Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, when matters pertaining to tax problems now facing the county will be taken up, and an organization perfected through which relief of the county indebtedness is to be sought.

Call for the meeting is issued by F. E. B. Jenkins, S. W. Radford, Dr. J. H. McLean and Jerry Jerome, who declare they are acting in the interest of the people of the county as a whole, and for this reason every interested citizen and taxpayer is urged to attend the meeting.

A taxpayers association is badly needed in this county, the gentlemen calling the meeting assert, and time for action is already here. While no definite program has been announced for the meeting Saturday afternoon, it is believed that the event will be of interest to all people.

## GIRL SCOUTS WILL PRESENT 2 PLAYS

Two Comedy Farces Promise Fine Entertainment Here This Friday Evening

Troop No. 2 of the local Girl Scout organization will present two one-act plays in the high school auditorium Friday night March 3rd, at 8 o'clock. Members from all four patrols of the troop will participate in one of the two entertainment features, according to announcement by the directors.

These plays are to be presented as a part of the Scouts annual drive for funds to finance a Girl Scout Camp in the spring. The proceeds of the entertainment will be used to help defray expenses of the outing, which will probably be held in June.

The first of the two plays, "Our Aunt from California," is a hilarious farce which relates the story of a rich aunt and her three pretty nieces and their odd experiences. The cast for this play has been announced as follows: Felicia Needy, Frances Jenkins; Rosalie Needy, Christine Young; Sally Needy, Ruth Pickelsimer; Mrs. Needy (their mother) Rachel Orr; Miss Williams (a dressmaker), Ora Holt Long; Mrs. Merry Matburn (The Aunt from California), Kate McLeod; and the maid, Yvonne Robinson.

"The Kleptomaniac" will be the second feature on the night's program of spicy entertainment. The directors of the plays have announced the following cast for this production: Mrs. Jack Burton (Peggy), Mary Sue Jennings; Mrs. Valerie Chase Armesby, Ruth Fulton; Miss Freda Dixon, Charlotte Patton; Mrs. Charles Dover (Mabel) Grace Duckworth; Miss Evans a newspaper reporter, Nell Duckworth; Mrs. Preston Ashley (Bertha) Anita Galloway; Katie, the maid, Betty McLeod. Helen Erwin will sing between the plays.

Misses Beulah Mae Zachary, Ethel McMinn, and Lillian Jenkins are directing the plays. All three of these young ladies have been active in Girl Scout work in Brevard for several years, and have done much for the furtherance of the Girl Scout movement here.

Furniture will be provided by courtesy of Farmers' Supply Co.

## FOREST FIRES ARE SET NEAR PENROSE

Enon Correspondent Plays People Responsible For Sunday Night Blazes

Forest fires were raging Sunday night up the Lyday's creek section. Just at dark on fire appeared to cover more than a mile stretch. From the oblong oval shape one would know that the fire was purposely set. On another mountain a fire of like proportions was rapidly urged on by the strong west wind.

These fires flaring up on Sunday further prove that some ignorant, careless, bold criminals knew no better way of spending a Sunday afternoon. Hundreds of acres will be burned and untold waste will result.

Still we speak of being poor in this county. How can we be other wise? It's shame on our civilization that we have such untrained people with which to contend. Too many of our boys are turned loose to run wild. To wreck and destroy. How long will we be in learning to preserve our natural resources? Protect school houses, educate our young people and make a decent civilization!

## TOBACCO EXPERT IN COUNTY FOR MEET

Several farmers of the county met at the county court house Saturday afternoon and heard Victor H. Shelbourne, of Asheville, who is connected with the New Banner warehouse, discuss growing and marketing tobacco on a small scale for profit.

Mr. Shelbourne was here in the interest of promoting group production of burley tobacco, with the idea of giving supervision to the various projects on a commission basis.

No definite action was taken by the small group of farmers present.

## LOCAL PEOPLE WILL GO TO INAUGURATION

Strong Cabinet Is Selected By President Roosevelt, With Southerners On List

Several Transylvania county people plan to attend the inauguration of President Franklin Delano Roosevelt at Washington next Saturday, and parties are being made up to auto and train travel to the nation's capitol.

Those who are unable to make the trip will have the privilege of national radio hook ups which will come direct from Washington.

President Roosevelt has announced his cabinet as follows, with the South getting important representation—Cordell Hull, Tennessee, secretary of state; Dan C. Roper, South Carolina, secretary of commerce; W. H. Woodin, Pennsylvania and New York, secretary treasury; George H. Dern, Utah, secretary war; Senator Swanson, Virginia, secretary navy; Henry A. Wallace, Iowa, secretary agriculture; Harold L. Ickes, Illinois, secretary interior; Miss Frances Perkins, New York, secretary labor; James A. Farley, postmaster general; Thos. J. Walsh, Montana, attorney general.

Two men on the new cabinet are Catholics—Senator Walsh and Mr. Farley, all others being protestants. All are rated by newspapers over the country as being of high type and destined to play important roles in the future of the United States.

## APPLE GROWING DISCUSSED AT MEET

Quebec Farmers Interested In Growing Fruit for Sale On Commercial Basis

About fifteen interested farmers of the Quebec section met at the school house Tuesday night with Professor John Corbin, and discussed the possibilities of apple raising in that community on a commercial basis.

It was consensus of opinion of those present at the meeting that this county, and especially the section around Quebec, is ideally fitted to apple growing, and that carried out as a community project will be the means of bringing in large cash returns within a few years time.

M. O. McCall, who has done quite a bit of experimenting in the truck crop line in his section, and who has been able in a few years to build up a pretty large clientele for his garden products in South Carolina, and Professor M. D. Hardin, teacher in the school, took part in the discussion, and added their belief to that of Professor Corbin's that the project could be put over.

Another meeting is scheduled to be held in the near future. Grafting material and trees for foundation work have been ordered. Delicious, Golden Delicious and Starking were the varieties selected as best suited for this section.

## JOINT MEETING TO BE HELD TUESDAY

Little River Farmers and Farm Women To Talk Curb Market at Meeting

A joint meeting of the farmers and farm women of the Little River section will be held at the school house on Tuesday evening of next week, at 7:30 o'clock, according to announcement made by Professor J. A. Glazener and Miss Virginia Wilcox.

Purpose of the meeting will be the organization of a curb market plan for the community, looking toward a county wide set-up that will take care of the excess truck crops of the community this season.

Miss Wilcox and the Little River Farm Women's club have already gone into the matter, and the project will be presented at the joint meeting there next Tuesday evening, with people of the entire county invited to attend.

## MAN OF MYSTERY TO BE HERE SOON

Announcement is made by the athletic Association of Brevard high school that FAYSSOUX, the hypnotist and telepathist, will be brought to Brevard for a two-day performance on Monday and Tuesday, March 13 and 14.

One of the chief attractions presented by Professor Fayssoux is an automobile trip through the town, he driving a car while blindfold through any kind of traffic.

On this mysterious drive the blinded man will drive, together with a committee of citizens of the town, to a secret hiding place, procure a key, go to the postoffice, unlock a box of which he is supposed to have no previous knowledge and take a letter from a bunch in the box, and deliver it to the addressee.

In the program to be given at the high school auditorium, hypnotism, telepathic, and Houdini tricks will be given. The show has the endorsement of a large number of schools of the state as being high class in every respect.

## AUSTIN COMES TO TOWN

The last word in automobiles—an Austin—is now a regular show for people of the community, Walter Tait parading up and down the main drag in his baby automobile daily.

## LADIES TO SERVE ON JURY, IF BILL GOES THRU LEGISLATURE

Representative Galloway Introduces Measure In The Lower House

JURY COMMISSION BILL ALREADY BECAME LAW

Board Of Commissioners To Take Over Duties Of Jury Commission

It will be "Your Honor Ladies and Gentlemen of the Jury"—when and if a bill is passed allowing women to serve on juries, as introduced in the North Carolina General Assembly by Representative M. W. Galloway.

The bill designed to allow women to serve as jurors in all State courts was introduced last week, and has drawn much comment throughout the state. It follows:

"That from and after the ratification of this act all white women of the age of 21 years and upward, unless otherwise disqualified, shall be eligible to serve as jurors in any court in the state of North Carolina, both as grand and petit jurors.

"That in future revisions of the jury lists of the several counties of the State the same qualifications that now are, or that may hereafter be required of men to serve on juries shall be applicable to women also, but no others."

Representative Galloway had previously introduced a bill applicable only to Transylvania county, abolishing the jury commission and vesting the powers of the jury commission which has been in vogue here since 1927, in the board of county commissioners.

In this bill abolishing the jury commission, it was also set out that non-payment of the preceding year's taxes would not prevent an otherwise eligible person from serving on a jury in this county.

Revision of the jury list was also made a part of the bill which abolished the jury commission, and the board of county commissioners will within the next few days revise the jury list, this list, however, to be made up from male citizens of the county, inasmuch as the measure to allow women to serve on juries has not been passed.

## JUNIOR ORDER PLANS MONTH'S PROGRAMS

Open Meeting To Be Held At Hall On Saturday Night, of Next Week

At a meeting of officers of the local Junior Order held at the home of Councilor J. A. Glazener Tuesday evening, programs for the month of March were planned, calling for several things of interest.

On Saturday night of this week, initiation of candidates and reinstatement of members will be on the program, with several fellows to "ride the goat."

Saturday night, March 11, a public meeting will be held, at which time Lewis P. Hamlin and Ralph Ramsey will speak on "The Effect of Reforestation Plans for Transylvania County." Other features at this meeting will include music by the Galloway string band, Degree work will feature the March 18 meet, with light refreshments to be served and music by the Silver Lee quartet. Professor J. B. Jones and Professor T. C. Henderson will speak at a meeting to be held on March 25.

Following the business meeting Tuesday evening, refreshments of coffee and cake were served by Mrs. Glazener. Next meeting of the officials will be held on Tuesday night before the first Saturday, at the home of Perry Galloway.

## SUPERIOR COURT TO CONVENE APRIL 1ST

One Murder Case Scheduled To Be Heard Before The Hon. P. A. McElroy

April term Superior court will convene in Brevard on Monday, April 3, with the Hon. A. P. McElroy, of Marshall, scheduled to preside.

First week of court will be given over to the hearing of criminal cases, chief of which is the case of Glenn Blythe, charged with slaying Verge Gray.

Several cases of importance are scheduled to come up during the second week, or civil term. Jury will be selected for the term by the county commissioners, who are now performing the duties of the jury commission, abolished at the present session of the General Assembly by a bill introduced by Representative Galloway.