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Wike Nominated For Mayor In Primary Here Monday By Big Majority Over Whitmire

ELECTION TO BE HELD TUESDAY, MAY 2ND AS MATTER OF FORM

Harris High Man in Race For
Aldermen, With Duckworth
Making Second Place

MACFIE RE-ELECTED TO
PLACE ON CITY BOARD

Record Vote Cast As Friends
Of Candidates Work For
Their Election

J. C. Wike was named as nominee for Brevard mayor in the primary held Monday, winning over T. W. Whitmire by the wide margin of 365 to 246. Nomination in the Democratic primary is equivalent to election, no opposition being filed.

A. H. Harris led the entire ticket with a count of 554, followed by Ralph J. Duckworth with 342, and S. M. Macfie with 339. R. P. Kilpatrick received 300 votes with Anthony Trantham fifth high man with 282. These five gentlemen will constitute the board of aldermen which will be elected on May 2 and sworn in on Wednesday, May 3.

Of the ten men filed for aldermanic posts, five losers were as follows: T. L. Snelson, 278 votes; J. E. Waters, 272; W. L. Mull, 254; Ralph Lyday, 233; Clyde Ashworth, 224.

The new mayor is well known in the entire county, and is a surveyor and civil engineer of note, chief among work done in this county being the laying out of Lake Toxaway and was designing engineer for the several projects that were started in the Lake Toxaway section during the early part of the 1900's. He has been elected three times as county surveyor and is at present connected with the E. H. Jennings estate in a managerial capacity.

Mr. Harris, leader of the ticket, is connected with the Silverstein industrial plants, and enjoys the highest respect of the entire community, both as a citizen and business man. Mr. Duckworth, is assistant cashier of Transylvania Trust company, and is regarded as a worthwhile addition to the town's official board.

Dr. S. M. Macfie, owner of Macfie Drug company, was the only re-elected alderman, having served on the two previous boards, his complimentary vote at this and previous elections showing the esteem in which he is held as a business and civic leader.

Mr. Kilpatrick, who has served on

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FLOWER SHOW WILL BE HELD IN BREVARD

Committee Urges Planting In
Section For Presentation
At Fall Showing

Plans are now underway by the garden committee of the Women's Civic club for the summer flower show, which date has been set for August 18th.

The committee urges that flower growers begin now to plan for planting flowers which will bloom in time for exhibit at that date.

Hopes are being entertained by the committee, of which Mrs. J. C. Maxwell is chairman, for a nature exhibit at the flower show from each summer camp. This, it is believed, will be the most interesting as well as educational part of the show.

Prizes are being arranged for by Mrs. Coleman Galloway. Any one having bulbs, plants or shrubs to donate for this purpose are requested to report to Mrs. Galloway. Vases, baskets, holders, pottery and other containers will also be acceptable, it is said.

Prizes will be offered for classes as follows:

Class 1—Asters; Section 1, best 3 asters one or more varieties; section 2, best 12 asters one or more varieties.

Class 2—Zinnias; Section 1, Best 3 zinnias one or more varieties; section 2, best 12 zinnias one or more varieties.

Class 3—Marigolds; 1, best 3 bloom one or more varieties; best 12 blooms one or more varieties.

Class 4—Gladioli; 1, Best single spike of gladioli; 2, best 3 spikes one or more varieties; 3, best 6 spikes all one variety; 4, best collection.

Class 5—Roses; 1, best single rose; 2, best collection of roses.

Class 6—Snapdragons; 1, best

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HIGH SCHOOL PLANS GIVEN FOR CLOSING

Alexander Will Preach Sermon; New Method To Be Observed

First of the Commencement exercises at Brevard High school will be given on Sunday evening, April 30, when the annual sermon will be preached by the Rev. R. L. Alexander, pastor Brevard Presbyterian church.

Graduation exercises and Class day program will be combined in one event this year, according to Professor J. B. Jones, who made announcement of the exercises Monday. The modern exercises will be taken part in by the Seniors themselves, presentation of diplomas and other functions to be performed by members of the graduating class.

ACTION EXPECTED IN RIVER WORK MATTER

Matter Taken Up With Government Leaders By Brevard Man Last Week

Action on the French Broad river project is expected to be taken by the Federal government at an early date, according to Wm. E. Breese, Brevard attorney, who was in Washington last week, conferring with Congressman Zebulon Weaver and other leaders.

Mr. Breese reports that Congressman Weaver is bending his every effort toward getting jetties and wing dams removed from the river, which were placed there a number of years ago by the government in an effort to make the river navigable on a commercial basis.

In a conference with governmental officials in Washington Saturday, estimate of required labor to complete the work was placed at between 40 and 60 men working six weeks.

Stress was laid by the Brevard man on the fact that hundreds of acres of land along the French Broad river would be made tillable were the obstructions placed there by the Federal government removed, thus lowering the river bed and providing natural drainage for land that is now either of the swamp type or too wet for cultivation.

TAX LISTING BEGINS HERE FIRST OF MAY

Tax listing in all sections of the county will start the first week in May, according to announcement made by county officials here this week. John L. Wilson, of Enon, has been appointed tax supervisor of the county and will have charge of the listing.

The town of Brevard listings will also be made at the same time that listing is made of Brevard property for the county.

TO PREACH AT CASHIERS

ROSMAN, April 19.—The Rev. C. J. Eldridge will fill his regular appointment at Cashiers Baptist church Sunday morning at eleven o'clock.

PICTURE SHOW PRICES TO BE CUT ON FRIDAY

Announcement is made by the Clemons Theatre that effective Friday of this week, admission prices will be placed at the low figure of ten cents for children and twenty-five cents for adults.

The Clemons operate one of the best picture houses to be found in North Carolina in a town the size of Brevard, and show excellent pictures. Their business is one that is an asset to the tourist business here.

LIQUIDATOR MAKES BANK WORK REPORT

Report of liquidation of the Brevard Banking company was made by Pat Kinzey to Judge P. A. McElroy in Superior court here last week, showing that a total of \$80,281.59 had been collected during the year ending December 31, 1932.

Expenses, including insurance taxes and salaries for the year amounted to 12,970.00 the report showed with an income from rents and interests amounting to \$11,958.02. Copy of the complete report as filed and approved can be seen in the office of Clerk of Court Otto Alexander.

PRESBYTERIAL MEET ENDS SESSIONS HERE

Entire Community Joined In Making Visitors And Delegates Comfortable

Twenty-eighth annual meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Asheville Presbyterian closed its three day meet Wednesday at noon, the sessions being held in Brevard Presbyterian church, and pronounced by leaders of the women's work to have been outstanding in every respect.

Delegates and visitors from all churches in the Asheville Presbytery were entertained in homes of the community, this adding much to the pleasure of the visitors.

Several outstanding people attended the sessions, and were heard at various times in appropriate messages of the work being done by the women and concerning plans for future work.

Next meeting of the Presbyterial will be held at Bryson City in April of next year. One hundred twenty delegates were registered for the meeting here, according to Mrs. John W. Smith, registrar. Homes of the community were thrown open to the visitors, and everything possible was done to make the stay of the visitors one of pleasure. Mrs. Edgar Patton was in charge of the hospitality committee.

The Rev. R. L. Alexander, pastor of the church was called to Mississippi on Saturday on account of the death of his father, the Rev. L. T. Wilds, of Hendersonville acting in his place and had charge of the communion and services on Monday evening.

Officers elected for the ensuing year include: Honorary president, Mrs. R. C. Anderson, Montreat; president, Mrs. R. C. Dorsey, Montreat, re-elected; vice president, Mrs. L. M. Richeson, Hazelwood; recording secretary, Miss Anne Wilson, Black Mountain; treasurer, Mrs. Kate Hudson, Montreat; historian, Mrs. R. P. Smith, Asheville.

Secretaries of Causes are: Mrs. T. E. Patton, Jr., Brevard, Spiritual Life; Mrs. J. E. Lancaster, Franklin, Foreign Missions; Miss Cornelia Taylor, West Asheville, Christian Education; Mrs. W. W. Love, Asheville, Religious Education; Mrs. Preston Thomas, Asheville, Synodical and Presbyterian Home Missions; Mrs. R. P. Walker, Waynesville, Literature; Mrs. George Hammond, Canton, Christian Social Service.

Chairmen of the local committees who were commended for the fine work they did in connection with the sessions here were: hospitality, Mrs. Edward Patton; publicity, Miss Cora Wilson; lunch, Mrs. H. H. Patton and Mrs. Patton Kinzey; registration, Mrs. W. M. Cloud; music, Miss Elizabeth Shipman; pageant, Mrs. R. L. Alexander.

Outstanding in the program was the pageant given on Tuesday evening by the young people's division of the church, depicting the "Path to Peace," and a lighthouse erected by Fred Miller which was effectively

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MISS PATTON WILL REPRESENT BREVARD

Will Take Prominent Part In National Cotton Week
Affair In Greenville

Miss Charlotte Patton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Patton, has been selected to represent Brevard at the Cotton Ball which will be given as part of the "National Cotton Week," which celebration will be staged in Greenville during the week of May 15-19.

On the evening of May 18, there will be a grand ball with a gorgeous display of cotton frocks, and one young lady from all surrounding cities will be honor guests at the event as representatives of their home communities.

The Greenville event is being staged in connection with the observance of "National Cotton Week" throughout the United States.

KELVINATOR WILL BE SHOWN HERE FRIDAY

Special demonstration of Kelvinators will be held at offices of the Southern Public Utilities company on Friday afternoon of this week, beginning at 3 o'clock, with Mrs. Leila A. Fleming, of Greenville, S. C., in charge of the demonstration.

New Kelvinator models now on display at the S. P. U. show rooms will be thoroughly discussed by Mrs. Fleming, who is an expert in matters of cooking and home economics. Attention is called by Manager J. M. Gaines to the fact that men are invited to attend the show, along with ladies of the community.

Leading Students At Brevard



Miss Ella Mae Scruggs, at left, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Scruggs has been selected as valedictorian of the Brevard high school senior class, her average for the four-year term being 95.



Miss Justine Roberta Wright, at right, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. F. Wright, with an average of 93 has been selected as salutatorian.—Cut courtesy Citizen.

GOVERNMENT CAMP PLANS BEING MADE

Transylvania Quota Is Set At Eleven; Davidson River Site Selected

Plans are under way for recruiting labor in North Carolina to begin on Monday of next week under supervision of the Welfare department, the men to be used in National parks for reforestation and other work.

No definite plan has been announced from the office at Raleigh in regard to recruiting of local labor, according to W. A. Wilson, director of relief in Transylvania county. A meeting of directors of relief will be held in Asheville Thursday at which time plans will be taken up for picking the men, Mr. Wilson said.

Transylvania county will be allowed eleven men on the project, these men to be between 18 and 25, and having dependent families. The men will be under supervision of the United States Army, according to Ranger Duncan of the Pisgah National Forest, the army to have charge of supplies and barracks, with the forestry division to supervise the work.

One of the camps will be erected at Johns Rock on Davidson River, some preliminary work already being done. The camp will be able to take care of 220 men under tented plans received by Mr. Duncan.

One dollar per day and subsistence will be given men on the jobs, with greater part of the payroll to be sent direct to the dependent families of the men given employment. Enlistment periods will be for six months duration, two weeks preliminary training to be given men from this section at Fort McPherson, Atlanta.

SALES TAX PASSES ITS FIRST READING

Calls For Two Percent General Tax—Adjournment Resolution Made

RALEIGH, April 19.—The house passed the general sales tax on its first reading Tuesday night by a two-vote margin carrying a two per cent rate, in a stormy session that lasted two hours.

The bill must pass two more readings on separate days for it to reach the senate.

Personalities were hurled during part of the two-hour debate on the sales tax, as a crowded gallery applauded sales tax forces. Twice Speaker Harris threatened to clear the galleries if further demonstrations were forthcoming.

The two per cent levy was the fruit of three days of work by a special finance committee which was appointed last Friday after the house had defeated both forms of a sales tax—a three per cent general and a selected commodity.

Representative Bowie of Asheville, leader of the anti-sales taxers, and Rep. Cherry of Gaston, Bowie's running mate in the battle for lower appropriations, clashed in one of the hottest verbal exchanges of the present session to feature the debate. Cherry, as chairman of the special committee, led the fight for adoption of the two per cent tax.

The Legislature may or may not adjourn in two weeks, regardless of a measure introduced Tuesday calling for adjournment in ten days.

CHURCH SERVICES

The Rev. J. E. Burt will fill his regular appointment at the Gladys Branch church near Brevard Sunday morning at eleven o'clock, and at Oak Grove, Quebec, Sunday evening at eight.

CARR LUMBER PLANT RESUMES OPERATION HERE MONDAY MORN

Local People Given Preference In Selecting Workers At Pisgah Forest

OPERATES ON BILTMORE FOREST ESTATE LANDS

Hardwood Flooring and Other Lumber Shipped To All Parts Of Country

Carr Lumber company, located at Pisgah Forest, now has better than 100 men on its payroll, resuming operation of its large plant in this county after having been practically closed for over a year.

Announcement is made by W. W. Croushorn, secretary and general manager of the large hardwood manufacturing concern that a complete force of workmen has already been recruited, using local labor entirely, several smaller crews having been at work several weeks getting the plant, yards and rolling stock in condition. The Carr Lumber company has been in operation here for twenty years, during which time more than two hundred million feet of high grade hardwood lumber has been manufactured and shipped to all parts of the country.

Operating on the famous Biltmore Estate, which is now a part of the Pisgah National Forest, the company takes the choicest of timbers from 63,000 acre boundary covered by their contract made with the late Geo. W. Vanderbilt prior to establishment of the national forest. The timber is hauled to the plant at Pisgah Forest over a network of trails connecting with the company-owned railroad, then to Etowah where connection is made with the Southern.

One of the principal products of the output of the Pisgah Forest plant is the "Biltmore Hardwood" flooring, in which fine oak and maple is used. Other lumbers such as poplar, oak and chestnut are also put on the market from the plant.

In announcing resumption of operations Mr. Croushorn would make no statement in regard to general business conditions and future prospects of the lumber business other than to state that "there is some improvement in our line, sufficient to warrant putting our force back on the job, with hopes that conditions will continue to improve and enable us to continue operations."

Louis Carr, of Brevard and New Mexico, heads the Carr Lumber company; Joseph Keys, of Washington, D. C., vice president, with W. W. Croushorn as secretary-treasurer and general manager of the Transylvania plant.

Workers employed in the plant for the most part are natives of this county and own their own homes in the immediate Pisgah Forest and Brevard section. Eight hour days, five days per week will be observed, it is announced.

ROSMAN EXERCISES START ON APRIL 23

Senior Class Play Will Be Given Saturday Evening Of Next Week

ROSMAN, April 19.—Graduating exercises for Rosman High school, as announced by Professor T. C. Henderson, principal, will begin on April 23, ending on Wednesday, May 1.

The Senior class play, "Sammy," will be given on April 29 in the high school auditorium. On Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, the baccalaureate sermon will be given by the Rev. R. L. Alexander, pastor Brevard Presbyterian church.

Monday evening, May 1, at eight o'clock, the elementary school opera, always a big drawing card here, will be given. Tuesday afternoon at 2:00 the seventh grade graduating class exercises will be held.

Tuesday evening, May 2, at eight o'clock, class day exercises will be held. Final exercises will be given on Wednesday evening, May 3, at eight o'clock, when Dr. John E. Coffey, president of Asheville Normal, will make the literary address.

Schools Close May 3rd

All schools of the county will close on Wednesday, May 3, according to Professor J. B. Jones, county superintendent. The two high schools, Brevard and Rosman, will also close on this date.

FIRST RATTLESNAKE IS REPORTED AS VICIOUS

ROSMAN, April 19.—First Rattlesnake reported to have been in the land of the wide awakes is reported in contact with the serpent, and is by Obie Moore, who really had been now confined at his home due to bite of the vicious snake which occurred last week.

MRS. PICKELSIMER TO HEAD P. T. A. GROUP

Picnic For Pre-School Age Children Will Be Given Within Few Days

Annual election of officers featured the last meeting of the year of the Parent-Teacher association, held Monday afternoon at the elementary school auditorium.

Following were the officers elected for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. J. B. Pickelsimer; vice president, Mrs. J. L. Cobb; secretary, Miss Myrtle Barnette; treasurer, Miss Ruth Waters.

The retiring president, Mrs. S. P. Verner, presided over the meeting. A program committee for the coming year was appointed as follows: Miss Janie Strickland, chairman; Miss Garnet Lyday, Mrs. Roy Long, Miss Eva Call.

A unique and enjoyable program was presented in the nature of negro spirituals sung by teachers and 40 pupils of Rosenwald colored school of Brevard.

Plans were laid for a party or picnic to be held soon for pre-school children of the town, and the following committee was named to make arrangements: Miss Bill Aiken, Mrs. J. E. Ruffy, Miss Eva Call, Mrs. Julian Glazener, Mrs. A. B. Galloway.

Mrs. Pat Kinzey, chairman of the school lunches for underprivileged children, spoke a few words of appreciation to the association for their support and cooperation in the work throughout the year.

SEASON OPENS FOR TAKING GAME FISH

Fishing is holding center of attention with a majority of the male population of Brevard, with a good many waiting for warmer weather before venturing out.

Several reports going out last Sunday, with pretty good luck, while others waited until Monday before slaying forth. Several cars from out of town were seen in the community Sunday and the first of the week, all carrying fishing-minded people.

County Game Warden E. R. Galloway states that very few people applied for fishing license, regardless of the fact that there is a penalty for fishing in this county without license.

SHERARD RESIGNS FROM COTTON MILL POSITION

W. M. Sherard, for the past year of Pisgah Cotton Mills and the mill general manager and superintendent at Green River, announced the first of this week that he had tendered his resignation to the two companies.

Both mills have shown fine progress under the management of Mr. Sherard, who is well known in Brevard, and is counted as an outstanding textile man.

BEER AGENTS PLAN TO BE READY MAY 1

Preparations are going forward in Brevard for satisfying the thirst of those who will be interested in 3.2 per cent beer, which will be sold legally here on May 1st.

While no definite announcement has been made, it is pretty generally understood that at least five places in Brevard will dispense the fluid, with possibly one or two more to get in on the ground floor as soon as details of licenses, taxes, etc., have been announced by local authorities.