

## REFUND BONDS ARE BEING TRANSFERRED

### Big Savings To County Made By Program On Future and Past Due Interest Costs

Refunding bonds of Transylvania county have been delivered to the local government commission at Raleigh, and exchange for outstanding issues is now going forward through that office.

Final passing on the validity of the refund program bonds has already been made by the New York bonding house attorneys, according to report made by County Attorney Fat Kinzey to the board of commissioners, and the new bonds have all been signed by Chairman A. B. Galloway and Clerk of Board Eck T. Sims.

Money for payment of the first interest installment on the new bonds which are being exchanged at lower interest rate was carried to Raleigh last week by County Accountant Ralph Lyday and placed in the hands of the Local Government Commission, to be paid with the exchange.

Under the plan which the bondholders approved, and which is now in effect, rate of interest will be one and one-half percent for the first five years, two percent the second five years, two and one-half percent for the third five years, three percent the fourth five years, and four percent the remaining 15 years, or an average of three percent over the 35-year period.

Considerable saving to the county was effected by the refunding plan which was worked out by the county officials, as the old rate of interest on the bonds averaged five and one-half percent.

In addition to the saving on interest rates, outstanding or past due interest which had accumulated over a period of years due to inability of the county to meet its obligations, had reached nearly half million dollars, and this was refunded under the plan for one-fourth the outstanding sum, and notes issued for these past due charges.

## Clean-Up Campaign To Be Pushed By Women

Plans for the annual clean-up campaign and other matters of important business were transacted at the April meeting of the Women's Civic club, held Monday afternoon in the club room.

The clean-up drive will be early in May, with Mrs. O. L. Erwin as general chairman, assisted by the following zone chairmen: Mrs. A. H. Harris, Mrs. Thorvald Berg, Mrs. E. R. Pendleton, Mrs. J. W. Smith.

Plans for hospital day were discussed, and Mrs. Thorvald Berg, chairman, read the committee members assisting her on the different departments of work. National Hospital day will be observed here around the middle of May, with a shower and tea for benefit of the local hospital.

Discussion was made concerning a project by the club to whitewash the telephone central building, since it was considered an eyesore to the community. Mrs. A. H. Harris was appointed to confer with the commissioners concerning accomplishment of the project, with the idea in view of the county furnishing the whitewash and the NYA doing the labor.

## Perry Morgan Speaks Here Friday Evening

The B. T. U. training course of the Brevard Baptist church is in progress at the church this week. The series of meetings began Monday evening and will continue through Friday, with a banquet held at the church Friday evening at 7 o'clock.

Miss Marjorie Garren is leader of the junior department course, teaching the book, "Junior B. T. U. Manual"; Rev. Yancey C. Elliott is leader of the intermediate group, teaching the book, "Training in Bible Study"; Ralph H. Ramsey is in charge of the senior group study, teaching the book, "Senior B. T. U. Manual."

Perry Morgan, manager of the Southern Baptist summer assembly at Ridgeway, will be the banquet speaker.

## Henderson To Preach

Announcement is made that the Rev. E. L. Henderson of High Point will preach at the Wesleyan Methodist church in Brevard, Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock. An invitation to the public is extended by the Rev. G. E. Kellar, pastor.

## Smilin' Charlie Says



"The world doesn't  
pass a man by be-  
cause it wants  
to - it's because  
it 'has' to - - -"

## Senior Play Star



MISS HARLESTON MCINTOSH, who will be leading lady in the Senior Class Play at Brevard High School on the evening of April 13.

## Plummer's Store Now In New Main St. Home

The Plummer Department store has moved into its new home in the Erwin building on Main street, and now has one of the nicest plants in this section.

Operated for the past number of years on Broad street, the store outgrew its quarters, and bought the large store room and building to accommodate its growing custom.

First floor of the building has been completely renovated, with a modern front of brick and plate glass with metal trimmings, and the inside of the building has likewise been gone over, giving ample room, with new fixtures and lighting effects installed. Erwin Galloway local contractor, had charge of the work.

R. H. Plummer, manager of the store, said Wednesday that he expects to have his new place in order by the end of this week, and that formal opening of the new place would be held later. In the meantime, business is being carried on in the new building.

The bowling alley room, adjoining the Plummer store will also be renovated, and rented. Memory Mull, owner of the bowling alley, is building a new structure just west of Plummers.

The new store room is a decided asset to the town, and the improvements to the front of the building, has added materially to the appearance of the business section.

## Six Local Students On WCTC Honor Roll

Six Transylvania county students at Western Carolina Teachers College made the honor roll during the winter term, according to announcement from the dean's office.

Miss Thelma Galloway of Rosman is on the list of those few who made 40 quality points for the term. Those on the list who made 32 quality points are: Truett Henderson, Lake Toxaway; Charles McCall, Lake Toxaway; Miss Rachel Orr, Brevard; James Allen White, Rosman; Miss Ophelia White, Rosman.

## Tax Listers Busy In Each County Township

Tax listing was started Tuesday in all townships of the county, and will continue through this week. In Brevard township listing will continue through April 16th.

Complete schedule of dates and places will be found on another page in this issue of The Times, and Tax Supervisor Ralph Lyday reminds property owners that penalty will be added to such property as is not listed during the given period.

## BURRELL SELECTED CHAIRMAN OF BOARD

## Election Official Will Open Office In Court House During the Week

Glenn Burrell of Brevard was named chairman of the board of elections at the preliminary organization held Saturday.

The members were sworn in before Clerk of Court Otto Alexander Saturday morning, and the meeting of the board followed.

Mr. Burrell was nominated for chairmanship by A. B. Owen, and was elected by a two-member vote, with the other member, Harry H. Patton not voting.

Mr. Burrell said that he will open his office in the court house within a few days, as soon as court is over, and that anyone who wishes to file for office may do so at this time, although the official filing dates do not open until April 14.

Those who wish to register now, expecting to be out of the county when the registration books open in May, will be permitted to do so, Mr. Burrell announces.

## Transylvania Made Articles Will Be On Display April 16th

"Made In Transylvania" day will be held in Brevard Saturday, April 16, when articles of various kinds are expected to be shown.

Display room will be in the NYA hut at the Brevard high school, and in addition to the articles which will be submitted by the National Youth Administration workers, all workers in the county are invited to enter their exhibits.

There will be no charge for entering articles that have been manufactured in the county, and entries have the privilege of having their items priced and sell same at the show.

F. H. Holden, who will be in charge, requests that all entries be placed not later than 10 o'clock Saturday morning.

## FISHING SEASON TO OPEN IN COUNTY, 15

## Pisgah National Forest Dates Set For Week-Ends In Summer Season

Fishing season in Transylvania county opens April 15, it is announced by the State Department of Conservation and Development and along with the announcement comes the warning that all fishermen must have license.

Dates for opening of the season in Pisgah National Forest have been set for six week-ends, at request of the Chamber of Commerce, and first one in this section will be May 20-21-22, with North Fork of the French Broad and its tributaries being opened for three days.

The forestry officials were contacted by J. W. Smith, and readily consented to have several three-day schedules in the preserve this year, which will give more people a chance to fish, and is expected to be an extra drawing card for tourists.

## Special Services Be Held By Methodists

Holy week will be observed at the Methodist church, beginning with the 11 o'clock service Sunday morning, and will continue through the week, with special services held each night and on Good Friday afternoon. The public is invited by the pastor, Rev. J. H. Brendall, to attend all of the services.

The church calendar for the week will be as follows:

April 10—Sunday: 11:00 o'clock Special Communion. Reception of members. Second quarterly conference immediately following the regular service. 8:00 o'clock—The service will be in charge of the ministerial band of the college, with special music by college Glee Club.

Monday—8:00 o'clock—Sermon, John Bennett. Special music.  
Tuesday—8:00 o'clock: Sermon, Rev. Harry Perry. Special music.

Wednesday—8:00 o'clock: Sermon, Rev. C. M. Jones. Special music.  
Thursday: Sermon, Rev. Yancey C. Elliott. Special music.  
Good Friday—The three hours of darkness upon the cross will be observed from 12:00 until 3:00 p. m. There will be seven separate devotional programs based on the seven last words from the cross. An interval of five minutes intermission will be observed between each division for meditation, and for the convenience of those who cannot stay for the entire period.

Easter Sunday—11:00 o'clock: Sermon by the pastor, Special Easter music. Special attention has been called to the memorial flowers for Easter Sunday. All those desiring to place flowers in the church at this service in memory of some loved one, are asked to get in touch with some member of the following committee: Mrs. D. L. English, Mrs. Fred Holt, Mrs. Harold Bradley, Mrs. Clarence Yonque. The list of memorial names will be read as a part of the Easter morning service. There will be no service Easter night, due to the high school commencement exercises at that time.

## Tons of Stone Fall From Caesar's Head

Rumors Tuesday morning in Brevard to the effect that "the Head" had fallen off the Caesar's Head mountain, were soon found to be false, although a large block of granite did crash down the mountainside from off the rocky ledge late Monday afternoon.

Wm. G. Perry, Jr., head of the civil engineering department of the J. E. Sirrine company of Greenville, visited the scene early Tuesday morning, and reported to The Times that "the Head" itself was not damaged by the slide, and that in his opinion foundation of the imaginative face which has attracted thousands of people from all parts of the land, was securely fixed to the mountain of stone.

Mr. Perry estimated that between 600 and 800 tons of rock fell from the mountainside, coming from under the "chin" of the face, and crashing about 200 feet down the mountain, where it struck with tremendous force and cleared the side of the cliff of dirt and debris for several hundred feet.

The shift of rock does not affect the general contours of the face, and "the Devil's Kitchen" remains intact. No damage to the valley below the overhanging rock was done, except in the immediate path of the slide which did not reach the river.

## REPUBLICANS WILL NOMINATE TICKET HERE APRIL 22ND

## Precinct Conventions Are Set For Thursday Night Be- fore County Meeting

Selection of a county ticket by the Transylvania Republicans will be done in convention to be held in the court house at Brevard on Friday, April 22, at 2:30, according to official call issued by Ralph R. Fisher, chairman of the executive committee.

Precinct meetings for election of delegates will be held on Thursday night before the county convention. Official call issued by Chairman Fisher follows:

The county convention of the Republican party of Transylvania county, is hereby called to meet at the county court house, Brevard, North Carolina, at two-thirty o'clock Friday, April 22, 1938, for the purpose of nominating candidates for the various county offices, perfecting the county organization and transacting all business that may properly come before the convention.

Meeting of Republicans in the several precincts of the county are hereby called to be held at eight o'clock p. m., Thursday April 21, 1938, regular meeting places for the respective precincts.

Precinct meetings will be called to order by the precinct chairman or some member of the precinct executive committee. Each precinct will elect an executive committee one of whom shall be designated as chairman. And a secretary. They will also elect a vice chairman who shall be a woman, one delegate and one alternate to the county convention for each fifty votes or fractional part thereof cast for the Republican Governor in 1938. The precinct chairman is requested to bring the names and addresses of the several precinct committees as elected in their precinct meetings.

A full attendance of all Republicans in the several precinct meetings and their attendance at the county convention on April 22 is requested.

Ralph R. Fisher, Chairman  
Transylvania County Republican Executive Committee.

## H. Basso Will Write Article On Europe For Home Newspaper

Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton Basso have returned from an extended tour of Continental Europe, and are now at their home near Davidson River.

Mr. Basso, one of the South's present-day noted writers, talks most interestingly of conditions in Europe, and has consented to write an exclusive article for The Transylvania Times, which will be published in next week's issue.

## Tobacco Ballot Will Be Held on Saturday

The proposed marketing quota for burley tobacco growers will be voted on in Transylvania county Saturday, April 9, at the same time growers in other western counties will cast their ballots.

Voting place in Transylvania will be the county agent's office in Brevard, with the polls opening at 9 a. m. and closing at 7 p. m. Only those who grew burley last year are eligible to vote.

If two-thirds of the voters cast their ballots for the quota, it will be applied to the 1938 crop, and allotments for individual farmers will be worked out.

## At Lyday Hospital

Patients reported at Lyday Memorial hospital on Wednesday were: Mrs. Sam Ellis and infant daughter, born Tuesday, April 5, Mrs. Mack Bell, Jr., Miss Effie Galloway.

## Whitmire Is Improving

M. C. Whitmire, one of the county's prominent citizens, has been seriously ill with pneumonia and flu at his Cherryfield home, but is now on the road to recovery. His daughter, Miss Verne Whitmire, is very ill at this time.

## CIVIL COURT WILL START THURSDAY

## Criminal Docket Finished at Noon Wednesday—Few Cases Are Heard

Judge Luther Hamlin recessed court here Wednesday at noon until Thursday morning, at which time the civil docket will be taken up.

There were very few cases to be heard on the criminal docket, and only one trial by jury. The grand jury finished its work Wednesday morning, made report, and was dismissed with thanks of the court.

There are several cases on the civil docket which will require more than ordinary length of time, it is opinion of court attaches, hence the requirement for court next week.

Jurors for the second week are reminded that they are expected to be on hand Monday morning unless otherwise notified by the sheriff. The calendar calls for cases on Monday, with possibility that one or more additional days will be required to complete the work.

## Rosman Leaders



MISS LUCILLE GALLOWAY is valedictorian of the Rosman senior class, and MISS DOVIE WHITE is salutatorian. Miss Galloway is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Galloway, Jr., of Calvert, and Miss White is the daughter of Mayor and Mrs. A. M. White.

Miss Galloway's scholastic average during the four-year high school course is 94.3. She is secretary of the senior class, which position she has held the past four years. She held a perfect attendance record for eight years. She is associate editor of the school news section of The Transylvania Times. The D. A. R. history medal was awarded her upon completion of the seventh grade work, at which time she was also valedictorian of the class. Among the superlatives of the junior class, she was elected the most studious and the most bashful. Miss Galloway intends to attend college next year, and has chosen the profession of teaching as her life's career.

Miss White attained a four-year scholastic average of 92.5. She held the position of president of her class during the first three years in high school. She is an associate editor of the school newspaper. She was salutatorian in the seventh grade. She has excelled in athletics, and was captain of the basketball team in 1938. Among the junior class superlatives, she was elected the girl with the prettiest hair and the best all-round girl of the class. Miss White expects to enter the nursing field as a profession.

## ROSMAN SENIORS TO GIVE PLAY FRIDAY

## High School Will Present An- nual Feature In Audi- torium at 8:00

ROSMAN, April 6—"Small Town Romeo," will be presented by the senior class of the Rosman high school Friday evening of this week at 8 o'clock. It is a three-act mystery-comedy.

The cast of characters includes: Joe Stanford, a breezy young playwright; Ray Winchester; Sly Perkins, the village constable; Lawrence Owen; Bud Williams, the village mechanic; Harold Hogsted; Mortal Kendall, the village miser; Charles McNeely; L. B. Lloyd, the mysterious guest; Harold McNeely; Betty Braxton, the young owner of the hotel; Ruby Glazener; Sarah Higgins, the spinster maid of all work; Carolyn Garren; Miss Gates, mysterious guest; Dovie White; Jane Hasting, the banker's daughter; Margaret White; Anna Aldrick, school teacher; Lucille Galloway.

Miss Lenore Swain and Miss Lavene Whitmire are directing the play.

## Dr. Foster Be Heard Here Sunday Morning

Dr. Frank Foster, dean of the Asheville Normal and Teachers College, will deliver the sermon at the Brevard Presbyterian church Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. The public is invited.

A special feature of the service will be a vocal solo by Miss Violet Wright, of Hendersonville, who will sing "The Palms."

The pastor, the Rev. C. M. Jones, will be away on Sunday and the three succeeding days, in Asheville where he will deliver a series of lectures on religion at the Asheville Normal and Teachers College.

## College Masquers To Give Play Saturday

A three-act drama, "Thank You," will be presented by the Masquers of Brevard College Saturday evening at 8 o'clock in the college auditorium, in a public performance.

Miss Doris Thorne and Griffin Campbell will have the leading parts in the play. Miss Lucille Smith, of the English department, is director. Other members of the cast include: Marcella Pendley, Gladys Weatherman, Kenneth Bedenbough, Jullus Harroll, Helen Parish, Martha Yelton, Edward Watson, Jack Targart, Charles Scott, Robert Lucke, William Houston, Jack Bagwell, Bill MacIntosh, John Maughans.

## BREVARD HIGH PLAY SET FOR WEDNESDAY

## "Polly With a Past" Will Be Given By Senior Class Members April 13

"Polly With a Past," a comedy in three acts, will be presented by the senior class of the Brevard high school Wednesday evening, April 13, at 8:30 o'clock in the school auditorium. The play is by George Middleton and Guy Bolton and is produced by special arrangement with Samuel French, of New York. Mrs. Knox DeLong, of the high school faculty, is director.

The cast of characters is as follows: Clay Colburn, an interior decorator; Jack Gravely; Harry Richardson, who shares his apartment; James Walden; Rex VanZile, their best friend; Oliver Orr, Jr.; Polly Shannon, Harleston McIntosh; Mrs. VanZile, Mary Helen Galloway; Myrtle Davis, Etama Lou Loftis; Mrs. Clementine Davis, her mother; Mary Alice Feaster; Stiles, whom Myrtle has rescued from the gutter; William Nelson; Commodore "Bob" Parker, a sportive gentleman of fifty; Albert Shuford; Prudence VanZile, Rex's uncle; Vanne Jackson; a stranger, Lawrence Holt, Jr.; Parker, a maid, Martha Kate Moore.

The play is a delightful story of a young girl's attempts to help her friends out of their difficulties. Her excellent schemes, however, merely serve to get them all into still further difficulties. It is a merry, mad-cap comedy, bubbling over with fun.

R. J. Lyday is in charge of stage construction, assisted by Richard Norton, Jones Garren and Craig Sharp. Properties are in charge of Janet Jenkins, Pauline Galloway, Janie Wilson and Charles Sniard. James Curry is electrician, and Vance Jackson and Juanita Freeman are business managers. Music will be furnished by Alvin Moore, Mrs. Melvin Gillespie and the high school glee club.

The ushers include: Marie Waldrop, Mildred Talley, Katherine Shuford, Medora Jordan, Raymond Hayes, Marshall Lettis, Howard Galloway and James Bridges.

In helping to advertise the senior play the class sponsored a poster contest offering as a prize a one pound box of Schraff's chocolates. The prize was awarded to O'Dell Scott. The winning poster may be seen at Galloway's cafe.

## Piano Recital Will Be Given Thursday Evening, Next Week

The first of a series of two piano recitals will be given in the high school auditorium on Thursday, April 14, at 8 o'clock, it has been announced by Alvin Moore, instructor.

As a special feature of the evening's program a quartet consisting of Billy Middleton, tenor, Donald Moore, baritone, William Hollifield, bass, Alvin Moore, second tenor, will render several selections.

The following piano students will participate: Lottie Mae Tinsley, Katherine Simpson, Carolyn Kinzey, Mildred Cheek, Frances Walker, Billy Cray, Mary Anne Ramsey, Dorothy Poole, Lillian Zachary, Ray Simpson, Anne Banks, Betty Jean Ducloux, Betty Cray, Jeanette Auetin, Jack Cray, Edward Glazener, Bruce Glazener, Paul Jones.

## Mrs. Starrette Died After Long Illness

Mrs. Kate Starrette, aged 83, died Sunday night at the home of her daughter in Marion, following an extended illness. Funeral services were held in Mooresville Tuesday morning. Mrs. Starrette was a former resident of Brevard, having spent some time here with her daughter, Mrs. D. F. Moore, and family. For the past several years she made her home with her daughters in Marion and Mooresville. She was the widow of F. S. Starrette, who died about 12 years ago. Surviving are four daughters and one son, Mrs. D. F. Moore, of Brevard, Mrs. E. P. Rockett, of Gastonia, Mrs. L. B. Coone, of Marion, Mrs. J. P. Cavin, of Mooresville, and Frank A. Starrette, of Rutherfordton.

## St. Philips Church To Observe Easter

Special services for Palm Sunday and Holy Week at St. Philip's Episcopal church have been announced by the rector, the Rev. Harry Perry.

On Palm Sunday Holy Communion service will be at 8 o'clock in the morning, followed by church school at 10 o'clock, and Holy Communion and sermon at 11 o'clock. The sermon by the rector will be on "Christ the King." Mrs. E. R. Hobst will render a vocal solo, "The Palms."

During Holy Week a special service will be held at 10:30 o'clock each morning next week, starting Monday through Saturday. Special services for Easter Sunday will be announced next week.

## Heavy Frost Injures Fruit In This County

Cherries, pears, and peaches, were damaged to some extent by the cold nights Sunday and Monday, according to reports from various sections of the county.

Checkup by the county agent's office reveals that apples were not injured by the frosts.