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**COMMENDATION FOR BREVARD**

Brevard is to be highly commended in its initial attempt in the observance of National Better Homes Week, with the operation of its model home, which was observed here the past April, and regarding which word has been recently received from headquarters in Washington that the committee on awards has voted special mention to the Better Homes committee in Brevard for the success of its campaign.

This campaign was sponsored here by the Woman's Bureau under the general chairmanship of Mrs. Oliver Orr, and it is no doubt gratifying to the ladies in their first attempt to launch this campaign in Brevard to know that their untiring efforts have now received national recognition, and furthermore that the nation-wide publicity thereby won for Brevard will be of untold benefits to this section.

More than three thousand communities throughout the United States engaged in Better Homes campaigns this year, consequently the ladies in charge of the local campaign have double reason to be proud of the fact that, out of so many communities observing the week, national recognition has been accorded Brevard.

Following is the letter from James Ford, executive director, regarding the matter:

July 1, 1926.

Mrs. Oliver Orr,

Brevard, North Carolina.

Dear Mrs. Orr:

I am glad to be able to announce that the Committee on Awards voted a Special Mention to the Better Homes committee of Brevard for the high quality of its campaign.

We realize the civic value of a demonstration which shows that a house, so charming and home-like in character, can be constructed within the reach of families of very low income and furnished attractively for only \$700. We feel sure that the campaign must have been of great value to Brevard and the surrounding communities. I congratulate you upon the important contribution which you have made to the national campaign for Better Homes in America.

With every good wish for the best of success in the civic work which you are doing, I am

Sincerely yours,

James Ford,

Executive Director

Better Homes in America.

**FASTER POSTAL SERVICE FROM WEST TO CAROLINAS**

Asheville, July 4.—Mail from the West, coming through the Chicago and Cincinnati gateways, for South Carolina and for points in North Carolina as far east as Greensboro is now handled on the Southern Railway's "Carolina Special", resulting in an advance in time of delivery of 3 hours and 15 minutes at Asheville, 3 hours and 45 minutes at Salisbury, 5 hours and 40 minutes at Spartanburg, and 6 hours at Columbia, with proportionate advances at other points.

The improvement results from the establishment of postal car service on the Southern's "Ponce de Leon", leaving Cincinnati at 6:45 PM, just ten minutes ahead of the "Carolina Special." This train receives all evening mail connections at Cincinnati, including Big Four train No. 16 which brings from Chicago all letter mail for Carolina points, Georgia and Florida, arriving Chicago on morning trains, including transcontinental trains. This mail is worked enroute and letters and daily papers for Carolina points are put off at Oakdale, Tenn., where they are picked up by the "Carolina Special."

Formerly this mail was handled into Asheville on No. 12 and on its connections to points beyond. The average daily volume is approximate-

ly 400 packages of letters, with a considerable number of newspapers pouches. Only first class mail which includes letters and daily newspapers is handled on this schedule.

**DEADLY GREY PLANT GROWS IN THE DARK**

Sanatorium, July 6. There is a little, poisonous grey plant growing in dark places without sunshine or fresh air that is liable to kill one out of every fourteen and infect one out of every fifty persons in North Carolina. This little poisonous grey plant is the tubercle bacillus.

The plant is different from most plants. It thrives only in damp, dark places, in animals and particularly in the lungs of little boys and girls and grown men and women. It is shaped like a lead pencil and is so small that through a hole made by a pin in a sheet of paper a thousand of these little germs could pass side by side without touching each other or touching the sides of the hole.

The little, grey plant cannot move about without being carried any more than a geranium can move without being carried. On a particle of dust many of these little, grey, lead pencil shaped plants can ride as safe and snug as if in a private care. Another peculiar thing about it is that while damp this little plant can't get into the air unless in a very strong blast of wind. Keep the plant moist and it won't have an opportunity to get into the air and ride about on its private car of dust. Moist sweeping and moist methods of dusting are best in your home. It keeps the poisonous grey plant from being carried about.

These poisonous plants come only from what is expectorated from the lungs of someone who has tuberculosis. These little plants growing in the lungs cause tuberculosis. If everybody who coughs, whether they know they have these little grey plants growing in their lungs or not, would cover their mouths with a gauze or napkin when they cough, burn this gauze or napkin and burn what is coughed up the chief source of the distribution of these little poisonous grey plants would be destroyed. Exposed to light and sunshine they cannot live. Let plenty of fresh air and sunshine into your house.

**M. A. C. JOHNSON MAKES RAPID TRIP IN PLANE TO TEXAS**

**FLIES TO TEXARKANA, TEXAS, 1,000 MILES IN TEN HOURS**

Lieut. M. A. C. Johnson, of the Brevard Aircraft corporation, piloted the Waco plane on a 1,000 mile race with death on Wednesday of last week when he carried as his passenger J. H. McCornack, of Asheville, who had been summoned to the bedside of his dying friend in Texarkana, Tex. A new record was set, it is thought, in this flight in that the flight of 1,000 miles to Texarkana was made in 10 hours and 35 minutes, making stops for fuel at Atlanta, Birmingham and Tullulah, La. The return trip the following Saturday was made in 10 hours and 54 minutes. The plane left Brevard Wednesday morning at 6:10 o'clock and arrived that evening at 7:10 at Texarkana. Lieut. Johnson states that no trouble of any kind was experienced in the entire 2,000 mile trip, and that an average of approximately 100 miles an hour was made. The plane arrived too late, however, for the passenger to see his friend alive, since he died just four hours previous to their arrival at Texarkana.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for the many acts of kindness shown in our recent bereavement over the loss of our beloved wife and mother, and for the beautiful floral offerings.  
W. N. CORN AND FAMILY..

**NOTICE**

The undersigned has hereby given notice to the public that he has purchased a lease on the Cascade Filling Station, and will continue to operate the same under the name "Cascade Service Station." He further gives notice that he has not purchased the books and outstanding accounts of the former station company and will in no wise be liable for any of its debts.

Signed F. L. TOWNSEND Lessee  
2tc, 8-15 H E N

Rev. Michael Murphy of Dublin was arrested for begging on the streets of London, but was released with a warning not to repeat the offense.

**DIVERSIFIED ADS**

**MONEY TO LOAN**—On Improved farm lands at six per cent, for long or short term, in amounts from three to fifty thousand dollars preferred, however, one thousand dollar loans will be accepted. 4-22 tfe  
A. F. MITCHELL, Atty at Law.

**IDEAL CAMPSITE** for sale—100 acres, just off Highway No. 28—15 minutes from Brevard. Apply X care News. 10tf

**WANTED**—Position by experienced steno-bookkeeper. Address, Clara Wise, Hendersonville, N. C. Phone 269-J 17-24; 7-1-8p

**PLANTS FOR SALE** - Sweet potato, Cabbage and Collards Plants. \$1.50 per 1000, shipping daily. DORRIS PLANT CO. VALDOSTA, GA. 4tp 24; 1-8-15

**FOR SALE**—TIMBER off of 200 acres, mostly natural forest—Reason for selling, burned over in April. B. D. LENHARDT, Easley, S. C. pd R till 8-5

**LOST**—One mowing blade in detour route to Pisgah Forest. Finder please return to J. E. CLAYTON. 1tc

**FOR SALE**—Iron Safe \$10.00, F. O. B. Brevard. T. B. CREEL, Box 666 Asheville, N. C. 2tpaid 8-15

**FOR RENT**—Summer house, furnished. Apply Jerome & Pushell Department Store.

Mlle. Corinne Lesperets of Marseilles was convicted of being the Mhead of a gang which had systematically blackmailed several merchants.

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ON BROAD STREET AND ROSMAN HIGHWAY

**BREVARD, N. C.**

**Monday, JULY 12th.**

**AT 10:00 a. m.**

**Free** ONE ORTHOPHONIC VICTROLA AND CASH PRIZES.

**Easy Terms--Band Concert**

This property is close in and for a Home site or an Investment it cannot be equalled. Hard surface streets, Water, Lights and Sewerage available.

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