

OPAL CRANE, ST. LOUIS SCHOOL TEACHER, KILLED IN ACCIDENT PISGAH FOREST LATE TUESDAY

Miss Opal Crane, St. Louis school teacher, is dead, and her body on its way back home for burial; Miss Marguerite Meehan, a companion, is in the Transylvania hospital, injured; and R. C. Stinson, fireman of Concord, N. C., is under a bond of \$1500 to appear at the December term of Superior court, all as a result of an automobile accident which occurred in Pisgah National Forest late Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Crane was in a party of six ladies who had arrived in Hendersonville last Sunday night, registering at the Ames hotel. Tuesday they engaged a seven-passenger Buick car from the Shipman garage, with Hilliard Stepp driving, and started out to view the matchless scenes from the top of Mount Pisgah. The party crossed the mountain from the Candler side, and were descending on the Brevard side. At a point about three-quarters of a mile from the Brevard entrance to the park, Stepp claims his car met a Hudson touring car, which crowded him to the edge of the roadway, and the bank crumbled, his car left the highway, plunged down a 30-foot embankment, turned completely over and pinned the unfortunate woman beneath the car in the water's edge of Davidson river.

Miss Crane and Miss Marguerite Meehan were on the front seat with the driver, while Mrs. Hattie Crane, the dead woman's mother; Mrs. M. T. Vick and daughter, Miss Ruth, and Miss Janet Mitchell, were on the back seats. Miss Meehan was injured, but all others escaped with minor bruises and scratches, while the driver of the ill fated car was also uninjured. Miss Crane's neck was broken, according to announcement made by Coroner E. S. English, and many other bruises and cuts about the head, body and legs were noticeable.

Employees of the Hoosier Engineering company, working nearby, rushed to the aid of the injured party, and succeeded in dragging the body of the dead woman from underneath the car, which soon caught fire and burned all parts of the car that was not covered with water. G. C. Kilpatrick was notified, and rushed to the scene with ambulance and hearse. Sheriff T. E. Patton, Jr., and his deputies were on the ground within a short time after the accident. The five women were rushed to the Transylvania Hospital, and given medical attention. Coroner English soon was on the scene, and ordered the body removed to the Kilpatrick Undertaking Parlor. Sheriff Patton placed Stepp under arrest.

Upon Stepp's assertion that a Hudson touring car had crowded him off the highway, and upon the further evidence given by employees of the Hoosier Engineering company who were working nearby that they had seen such a car pass, Sheriff Patton sent deputies into the forest in search of the car. A few miles above the scene of the accident the officers met a Huron car, returning to Brevard. It was driven by R. C. Stinson, of Concord, N. C., and with him were D. B. Folkes, Dick White, F. G. White, F. C. Carroll, all of Concord, and Dr. Carl Hardin, prominent dentist of Brevard. These men asserted that they had passed no car since entering the government land except a Chevrolet car, which they had passed on Avery's Creek, some distance from the scene in question.

Mr. Stinson was held, however, for a coroner's jury investigation. The following citizens were summoned to act as jury: B. J. Stinson, H. C. Aiken, Goode Loftis, J. C. Hendrix, Mitchell Neely and Hale Simard. The jury, with the coroner, viewed the body in the undertaking parlors, and then repaired to the court house, where the session lasted until 1:30 o'clock Wednesday morning.

After many witnesses had testified, the jury brought in the following verdict:

"We, the Coroner's jury find that the Hudson car did meet the Buick car and crowded the Buick off the road. We recommend that R. C. Stinson, driver of the Hudson, be held for the Grand Jury which sits at the December term of court."

Bond in the sum of \$1500 was demanded of the Concord man, which was given.

Ralph R. Fisher, solicitor in the County Court, appeared for the state at the investigation; Wm. E. Breese represented Mr. Stinson, and Senator T. C. Galloway represented Mr. Stepp, driver of the Buick.

Among the many witnesses examined, were Mr. Stepp, who told of a Hudson car crowding his car from the highway. Charlie McCrary, employee of Hoosier Engineering company, testified he lifted the wires in assisting a Hudson car to pass just a minute and a half or two minutes before he heard a crash around the bend of the road.

Among the witnesses examined were Mr. Stepp, Deputy Sheriff Wood, Sheriff Patton, Judge D. L. English, C. F. Jenkins, L. D. Martin, all of Brevard. Mr. McCrary was first on the scene, and assisted in rescuing the passengers of the overturned car, and in helping to drag the dead woman from underneath the auto-

EASTERN STAR'S PROGRAM ENJOYED

Members of the Pisgah Chapter Order of the Eastern Star presented an enjoyable program at the high school auditorium Monday evening. The entertainment was given under the direction of the Boston School of Expression and Dramatic Art, of which Dr. John K. Lacock is president.

Included in the evening's program were vocal selections, readings, solo, chorus and novelty dances and two one-act plays, one of which was entitled, "Joint Owners in Spain," the program concluding with the second play, "Sister Masons."

The entertainment was pronounced a huge success, and was apparently thoroughly enjoyed by the large number of people in attendance. The program was presented for the benefit of the local chapter Eastern Star, which has only recently been organized in Brevard.

Jessie McAmis

An unusually sad death occurred last Thursday, when Jessie McAmis, ten-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. McAmis, died, following an operation for removal of tonsils. The McAmis family lives in Hendersonville, and the little girl was brought here for the operation to be performed by her uncle, Dr. Robert L. Stokes. The operation had been completed, and the little patient was placed in the usual position following such operations, when embolism caused death.

A blood clot, it is said by surgeons, strikes the respiratory center and stops breathing, while heart action continues for some time, as in this case. It is said the little girl's heart continued beating for some twenty minutes after she had stopped breathing.

Funeral services were held Friday night at the Baptist church, with Rev. W. H. Hartsell and Rev. Shoup, of Washington, D. C., conducting the services. Interment was made at Gillespie cemetery.

The little girl was a favorite with her uncle and aunt, Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Stokes, and the Brevard surgeon and his wife were deeply touched by the many kindnesses shown them and the parents of the child by Brevard people during their troubled days.

TEACHER TO ENTERTAIN ALL FORMER PUPILS

Mrs. Walter L. Boggs, formerly Miss Maggie Neely, is planning a reunion of all her former pupils and members of their families to be held at the Boggs home, Liberty, S. C., on Thursday, August 29. The reunion is expected to bring many friends back together for the whole day's program. Mrs. Boggs invites all her friends, in addition to her former pupils, to spend the day with her at that time.

PISGAH FOREST DEFEATS FOREST CITY TEAM, 7-6

Pisgah Forest defeated the fast semi-pro Forest City team on the McLean Field Tuesday afternoon by the close score of 7-6. Features of the game were the twirling of Gibson for the locals and a homer by Simmons in the fifth, giving Pisgah their winning run.

REV. R. L. ALEXANDER WILL BE ORDAINED

A meeting of the Asheville Presbyterian will be held at the Brevard Presbyterian church Thursday night of this week, at which time the pastor, Rev. R. L. Alexander, will be ordained and installed.

Those taking part in the service will include the Rev. Dendy, of Weaverville, Rev. E. T. Wilson, of Asheville, the Rev. Dr. Wilson, of Montreat, and others.

CAPTURE BIG STILL

Rural Officer Eck Sims was instrumental in capturing a still Monday, and 18 gallons of liquor on Diamond Creek, it is said. The capture was made in the vicinity of the recent house burning in that locality, but no arrests were made.

Most of this evidence connected the Hudson with the accident, or was corroborative in nature.

Mr. Stinson, and his four companions from Concord, and Dr. Hardin of Brevard, all occupants of the Hudson car, testified in positive manner that they did not pass the Buick car, or any other car after entering the national forest, until they passed a Chevrolet car on Avery's Creek.

The body was taken to Asheville, Wednesday, and, with the mother accompanying it, was started on the way back to St. Louis for burial. Other members of the St. Louis party planned to leave Thursday for their home. The men from Concord left Wednesday morning.

BIG CROWD GREETED THE MEN'S WEDDING

Local talent again demonstrated their ability to captivate a large audience with an evening's entertainment of fun and laughter, when men of the town presented the Womanless Wedding Thursday evening at the high school auditorium. The event was given under the auspices of and for the benefit of the four churches of the town, and was directed by Mrs. Ralph Fisher.

A packed house greeted the bridal party as they entered the auditorium, each escorted to the stage by the ushers and properly introduced. From the time of entrance of the first member of the bridal party to the last number on the program, the house was kept in an uproar, the large audience evidently enjoying the evening's fun to the fullest.

All participants in the wedding, from the bride, J. H. Pickelsimer, and groom, Verne Clement, down to the little flower girl, Lewis Johnson, all received hearty applause and evoked peals of laughter from the responsive audience. The costumes were ludicrous, though particularly appropriate to the various characters represented, and added much to the enjoyment of the occasion.

Many expressions of delight over the enjoyment of the entertainment were heard from those in attendance, and a neat sum for the benefit of the four churches of the town was realized, it is understood.

RECITAL AT METHODIST CHURCH NEXT MONDAY

A benefit recital sponsored by the choir of the Methodist church will be given at the church Monday evening at 8:15, August 26. The program will be featured by selections by Mrs. B. H. Gault and J. E. Snyder, assisted by local talent.

Mr. Synder, who is organist at St. Luke's Church, East Hampton, N. York, comes to Brevard highly recommended as an organist. Other numbers on the program will include vocal, organ and piano solos.

A silver offering will be taken, which will be used to defray the expense of tuning the organ. A cordial invitation is extended to local people and visitors to be present on this occasion.

MOORE RECITAL

Piano pupils of Alvin Moore will give a recital in the old High School building on Friday evening at 8 o'clock. Included on the program will be violin solos, readings and selections by the Brevard orchestra. All those interested are invited to be present.

Boston School of Expression In Farewell Recital This Evening

Final entertainment of the Boston School of Expression and Dramatic Art will be held at the high school auditorium Thursday evening, August 22.

An interesting and varied program has been arranged for the occasion, participated in by members

LAWN FESTIVAL IS ENJOYABLE AFFAIR

Franklin Hotel's spacious lawns presented a scene of beauty and charm Tuesday afternoon and night, when members of the Guild of St. Philips Episcopal church staged their annual lawn festival for the benefit of the church building fund.

The afternoon was given over to the sale of fancy articles, eatables and attractions in the various tent booths scattered about the lawn. The event of the evening was in the nature of a gypsy fete, the gypsy theme being carried out in the different numbers appearing on the program. Those taking part in the evening's entertainment were attired in attractive costume appropriate to the occasion, all combining to present a delightful scene and an equally enjoyable program. Including in the varied program were several solo gypsy dances, vocal solos, a mysterious dance of the nymph and the fawn, vocal duets, and the concluding of the program by several selections of the negro spirituals by the Silver Lee Quartet.

Out of town talent contributed much toward the evening's enjoyment with their music and dancing, and among the local offerings on the program which were apparently especially delightful to the audience was the vocal duet by Misses Dorothy and Adelaide Silversteen, singing "Carolina Moon" and an equally enjoyable encore. Alvin Moore's vocal solo, "Danny Deever" and Nancy Macfie's solo gypsy dance also were most favorably received by the large audience witnessing the program.

Adding further to the effectiveness of the occasion were the numerous vari-colored tiny electric lights strung in pleasing effect about the lawn and surrounding the natural outdoor stage where the program was presented. The fortune telling booth and various attractions provided for the children all contributed much toward the success of the event. Ice cream and cake and other delicacies were served during the afternoon and evening on small tables attractively arranged about the lawn.

PROGRAM FOR SATURDAY AND SUNDAY AT ENON

An all-day working on the Enon cemetery will be held Saturday of this week. Everybody interested in the work is requested to come with tools prepared to assist in cleaning off the graves.

Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Enon church memorial services will be held, conducted by Rev. Wallace Hartsell. The graves will be decorated with flowers before the services begin.

of the school, assisted by local talent. Included on the program will be readings, vocal and piano selections and three one-act plays, interspersed by selections by the Brevard orchestra.

There will be no admission charge, and the public is invited.

PISGAH FOREST WINS FROM CANTON 3-2; BREVARD LOSES TO MARSHALL 7-6

Carmen Win Their Game In Ninth Inning—Nine Hits In Entire Game

Pisgah Forest "took the lion by the beard" and forced him to jump through the loop Saturday afternoon when they defeated the classy Canton Y team 3-2 on the latter's home ground.

The game was an undecided victory until the ninth frame. Both teams were playing a first class kind of ball and hits were noticeably scarce throughout the game. Gibson, for Pisgah Forest, allowed only six hits during the nine innings, while Fish, for Canton, let the Carmen down with three.

Pisgah Forest scored first in the third when Morris was safe on an error by the catcher, safe on second when the second baseman erred, and came home on a two-bagger by Gibson.

Canton retaliated by scoring two in the fourth. Cater, first man up, was hit by pitcher Steve second, and came home on a two-bagger by Price. Price was safe at home when Smathers, who followed him connected for a long single. Again in the sixth and the seventh, Canton was near scoring when they got two hits in each frame, but failed to cross the plate, and the two teams went into the ninth 2-1 in favor of Canton.

Osteen, first up for Pisgah, went out at first; Ross was safe on an error by shortstop; Clayton was out to left field; Bryson singled and Ross went to second, kept going and was safe at third. In the mix-up Bryson was safe on second, and Pruett smacked a perfect "Texas Leaguer" over second to tally the two needed runs. Morris was out pitched to first. Canton placed three men up in their half of the ninth, and those three men sat right back down—Coburn was out to Short in center in a good stop, and the next two men were out via strikeouts.

Holt's Crew Fail To Keep Vis- itors from Crossing the Home Plate

Sadness prevailed throughout the game on McLean Field Saturday afternoon, when Marshall put the props under Holt's Brevard crew for a 7-6 win.

Inability to be at the right place at the right time and do the right thing seemed to be the Brevard outfit's trouble. The Marshall bunch, who have heretofore been easy pickings for the Brevard and Pisgah teams when on the local diamond, played a different game altogether Saturday. They were wearing hitting clothes and managed to connect for eleven safeties, three of which came in the first inning and two of the later ones being for circuit clouts, coming each time with a man on. They scored two in the first inning, two in the second, two in the seventh and one in the ninth.

Brevard was able to connect safely for ten hits during the game, but had them scattered over the entire nine innings. They bunched three hits in the sixth for their first two scores. Again in the eighth they managed to tally three runs and one in the ninth.

Holt, pitching for the locals, was touched for ten hits in six and one half innings. Payne was more tight with his delivery, and allowed only one hit during the remainder of the game, though he walked two men in the crucial ninth, which, coupled with a perfect infielder tallied the run needed by Marshall.

Canton Here Saturday
Canton will play Pisgah here Saturday afternoon at 3:30 on McLean Field. Brevard goes to Marshall. It is expected that local fans will see Harry Clayton, dapper little shortstop for Pisgah, perform on the mound for the Carmen. Payne or Kilpatrick will hurl at Marshall.

MANY CASES HEARD IN COUNTY COURT

Van Tinsley Found Not Guilty in Case Charging Him With Abandonment

HEAVY FINES GIVEN THREE BREVARD MEN

Dynamiting for Fish Is To Prove An Expensive Proposition

Van Tinsley, charged in an indictment with non-support by his wife, Edna Allen Tinsley, was found not guilty by a jury in the General County Court late Wednesday afternoon. The case has attracted much attention, both the Tinsley and Allen families having large connections throughout the county. A mistrial resulted in the case last week, and a new jury was ordered summoned and the case opened again Monday. The jury was out more than twenty-four hours before a verdict was returned.

Many other cases have been disposed of, among which heavy fines were given Aut Aiken, Overton Mull and Lolia Tinsley, charged with assault upon a negro, by throwing bottles at the colored man and chasing him about the streets. Aiken drew a fine of \$20; Tinsley was given a fine of \$35, and Mull was taxed \$50. Each defendant was taxed, in addition, with one-third of the costs of the case.

That dynamiting the rivers in Transylvania county is not a very economical way of fishing was demonstrated in Judge English's court this week when four men were tried and found guilty of dynamiting. Judgment will be pronounced on the first Monday. Intimation was given that fines would range from \$50 to \$150, and in event the fines could not be paid, jail sentences ranging as high as four months would be handed out. Those charged with the offense and found guilty were Frank Galloway, Hayden Crane, Fred Fisher and Esby Buckner.

Court adjourned Wednesday until the first Monday in September. Several civil matters were before the court, in addition to the large criminal docket.

FINE YOUNG MAN CALLED IN DEATH

Overton Lewis, aged 28, died at his home here early Sunday morning, following an illness of the past several months. Funeral services were conducted at the residence Monday morning at 10 o'clock, following which the body was removed to the family's former home at Walhalla, S. C., for burial. Officiating ministers were Rev. A. L. Aycock, pastor of the Brevard Methodist church, Rev. Wallace Hartsell, pastor of the Brevard Baptist church.

Mr. Lewis was a member of the Brevard Methodist church, and was held in high esteem by a host of admiring friends. He was known to all have a kind and pleasant word for all with whom he came in contact, and will be sorely missed by his neighbors and numerous friends throughout the community. He is said to have borne the pair of his diseases which caused intense suffering with great patience, greeting his friends at all times with a smile and a cheery word.

Surviving are his mother, Mrs. M. E. Lewis, three sisters, Mattie and Eloise Lewis, and Mrs. Helen Terry, of Atlanta, two brothers, Lamar Lewis, of Wilmington, and A. K. Lewis, of West Asheville, two half-brothers, E. E. Lewis, of Weaverville, and Arthur Lewis, of Hamlet, besides numerous other relatives in this county and elsewhere.

SERMON FOR THE YOUNG PEOPLE SUNDAY MORNING

Next Sunday morning at the Brevard Presbyterian church special services will be held for the young people members of that church who will soon leave to enter various colleges. A sermon suitable to the occasion will be delivered by the pastor, the Rev. R. L. Alexander.

Announcement is made by the pastor that the last of the Sunday night musical services will be held next Sunday night, bringing to a close what has been generally series of special summer Sunday night services.

HOME-COMING DAY AT CARR'S HILL BAPTIST CHURCH

Carr's Hill Baptist church will observe Home-Coming Day on the First Sunday in September, and a great program is being arranged for the occasion. The program will begin at 10 o'clock in the morning, adjourning for an hour at noon, when a picnic dinner will be enjoyed, and then the program completed in the afternoon. Many people from South Carolina will be on the program, singing solos, duets, and special numbers, to add interest to the program.

Short addresses will be made by invited speakers, and members of the church having the program in charge extend an invitation to the public to attend the celebration.

MAKING PLANS FOR SCHOOL OPENING

High School Office To Open Next Monday—List of Studies Given

SCHOOLS OPEN YEAR'S WORK ON SEPTEMBER 2

Books For Elementary Grades Obtained at the Brevard Pharmacy

Superintendent J. B. Jones, of the Brevard schools, announces that beginning Monday August 26th the office of the Brevard High school will be open to the public daily from nine to twelve and one to three o'clock. Parents and pupils are invited to come in and make plans for the regular session which begins September 2nd.

A complete supply of high school text-books has been received and these may be secured at the office by those who wish to purchase early to avoid the rush.

Following is a list of books by grades:

8th Grade
Tanner—Correct English
Scott—Literature and Life, Book One
Gray and Jenkins—Latin for To-day, First Year
Wells-Hart—New High School Arithmetic
Pieper and Beauchamp—Everyday Problems in Science
Trilling and Williams—A Girl's Problems in Home Economics
Hughes—A Text-book in Citizenship

9th Grade
Tanner—Correct English
Scott—Literature and Life, Book Two
Gray and Jenkins—Latin for To-day, Second Year
Wells and Hart—Modern High School Algebra, Revised
Smallwood and Bailey—New Biology
Hazen—Modern Europe, Second Edition
Trilling and Williams—Art in the Home and Clothing

10th Grade
Tanner—Composition and Rhetoric
Scott—Literature and Life, Book Three
Chardenal—The Phonetic Chardenal Smith—Essentials of Plane Geometry
Gordon—Introductory Chemistry
Webster—Early European History, Revised
Gregg—New Rational Typewriting
Gregg—Shorthand Manual

11th Grade
Tanner—Composition and Rhetoric
Scott—Literature and Life, Book Four
Chardenal—The Phonetic Chardenal Black and Davis—New Practical Physics
Beard—History of the United States, Revised

Gregg—New Rational Typewriting
Gregg—Shorthand Manual
No pupil will need all the books in any grade, but they should be selected according to the subjects the child takes.

Books for the Elementary grades may be obtained at the Brevard Pharmacy.

CAMP PERRY-ANN IN ANNUAL REVIEW

Camp Perry-Ann was the scene of gaiety and enchantment Tuesday evening, at which time the camp's annual Review was held in the spacious recreation hall. The thirty-five or more young lady campers flitting about in their many-colored costumes, representing various characters, presented a veritable fairy-land of beauty.

The entertainment, which was featured by dancing and singing, is an annual event which is anticipated with much pleasure by the campers and is one of the most enjoyable attractions of the entire camp season. Directing the Review was Miss Melba Aaron, of New Orleans, who is one of the camp instructors and is a dancing teacher of wide reputation.

About 100 people from Brevard and many out of town guests were present to enjoy the pleasures of the occasion.

MRS. P. G. TILSON

Mrs. P. G. Tilson died Wednesday night at the home of her sister, Mrs. Guy English, in West Asheville, following an illness of the past two months with pellagra. Funeral services were conducted at the residence Friday afternoon, with interment in the West Asheville cemetery.

Mrs. Tilson, who was 37 years of age, was before her marriage, Miss Telesia Tinsley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Tinsley, of Brevard. She was born and reared in Transylvania county and lived in this section until the time of her marriage. She had numerous friends in this county, and was greatly beloved by all who knew her.

Surviving are her husband and two small sons, Raymond and Teddy Carroll, besides three sisters, Mrs. Van Putnam and Mrs. Guy English, of Asheville, Mrs. Homer Edney, of Flat Rock, and two brothers, Branch Tinsley, of Brevard, and William Tinsley, of Florida.