

SERIOUS CHARGES DRAW HEAVY BONDS

Four Young Men Held in Bonds of \$3000 Each to Superior Court

MUST STAND TRIAL FOR 2ND DEGREE BURGLARY

Broke Into Lyday's Filling Station—Barely Escaped First Degree Charge

Clarence Cole, of Ohio, Jess Shadrick, Leonard Fanning and Clarence Stamey, of this county, were given a hearing before Judge D. L. English Monday and bound over to court under bonds of \$3000 each, on a charge of second degree burglary. The four men were arrested, charged with breaking into the Lyday Filling Station at Davidson River. The fact that sleeping quarters for one of the men connected with the business are maintained in the filling station constituted the charge as that of second degree burglary. Because of the fact, it is said, that the man was not sleeping in the place on the night of the theft, caused the four men to escape the charge of first degree burglary, which is punishable by death.

Sheriff Patton and Deputy Sheriff Tom Wood are being complimented upon the manner in which they detected and arrested the four young men. It is said they have confessed to the charge.

Under the law in this state, breaking into any building where any one sleeps and uses as a home, is a capital offense, punishable by death.

The young men, whose ages range from 17 to 21 years, are said to have stolen about fifty dollars worth of goods. Two of them were sent to the chain gang in Henderson county on other charges, to be returned here when the short sentences expire. They are Leonard Fanning and Clarence Stamey.

The burglary case will be heard at the December term of court.

BELIEVED THAT RAILROAD MEN WILL BE RETURNED TO BREVARD

It is believed that the Southern Railway company will rescind its order of last week, and re-arrange the schedule on the Toxaway division in such manner as to permit the train crews to live in Brevard and at Toxaway as heretofore. A change was made ten days ago that caused the removal of the crews from this county, placing most of the members at Hendersonville, and called for running mixed trains altogether.

Last Friday a delegation of citizens, including Jos. S. Silverstein, C. R. McNeely, W. W. Croushorn, Thos. H. Shipman and James F. Barrett called upon Mr. W. F. Cooper, superintendent of the Asheville division of the Southern, and urged him to re-arrange the schedule so as to permit the train crews to live in Brevard. After hearing the Brevard men, Superintendent Cooper assured these citizens that the Southern wanted to do all it could for this community, and had made the

change simply as a measure of economy to the company.

A plan was worked out, whereby one train can leave Toxaway early in the morning, do all the freight work to Brevard, and run to Hendersonville from Brevard as a passenger train. Returning to Brevard, this train would then do all the freight work between Brevard and Toxaway.

The other train would leave Brevard early in the morning, do all freight work between Brevard and Hendersonville, do switching on the Hendersonville yards for four hours, and return to Brevard at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

This plan would leave one train crew in Brevard, as heretofore, together with the shop men, while the other crew would live at Toxaway.

Mr. Cooper gave the Brevard delegation a most cordial reception, and while the above plan is not officially announced, it is believed by members of the delegation that official announcement will soon be made to that effect.

SAYS MOUNTAINS RICH IN MINERALS

New York Times Tells of Great Wealth In This Section

PREDICTS MINING WILL BE SOUTH'S SALVATION

North Carolina "Coming Back" as a Copper Producing State

That mining soon is to become one of the biggest enterprises in Western North Carolina is given further proof by the following article, which appeared in a recent issue of The New York Times:

A development to be looked forward to hopefully in North Carolina is the establishment of a copper smelter, in view of the wave of interest sweeping one of the principal sections of the state where deposits of this mineral are found, says a bulletin of the Department of Conservation and Development of that state. Four mines have been taken over either to open immediate operations or for thorough prospecting with a view of future development. Commenting on prospects that have arisen from this attention directed to copper, State Geologist H. J. Bryson says:

"If prospecting in mines taken over during the last few weeks should show large ore bodies which would last through many years, it seems that the logical thing to do would be to erect a copper smeltering plant in some central locality, probably near Sylva or Bryson City. This would save transportation from this

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STRINGING WIRES THROUGH THE TOWN

Southern Public Utilities Company Working Big Force of Men

SAYS TOWN TO BE WIRED WITHIN NEXT FORTY DAYS

Brevard Will Have Two Power and Light Companies—Includes Pisgah Forest

With a force of fifteen men, poles are being set and lines strung over the town by the Southern Public Utilities company, leading from the sub-station near the station of the Southern Railway, and those in charge of work stated Wednesday that within forty days the wires would be ready for serving any citizen in Brevard and suburbs and in Pisgah Forest with electricity for lights, power, or operation of any electric driven or heated apparatus. Feed lines from Hendersonville were strung some time ago, and this sub-station completed at the depot. This means that Brevard will soon have two power and light companies in actual operation. The Brevard Power and Light company, a local corporation, has been serving this community since 1908, and the coming of the Southern Public Utilities company will provide the town with its first competitive power and light service.

The Southern Public Utilities company is a subsidiary of the Duke Power company. The Duke people own considerable land in the upper end of the county, and many people see in their coming here a great development of some kind in the county within a short while.

Gardner Pleads for More Potatoes And Dairy Products in the State

More money from milk cows and Irish potatoes was offered the western North Carolina farmer today by Governor O. Max Gardner.

Substantial profit can be made by western Carolina farmers by increasing dairying for local cheese and creamery markets and in growing certified seed Irish potatoes for the eastern Carolina potato truckers, declared the governor, speaking outdoors to a large gathering assembled at West Jefferson from Ashe and the three adjoining counties of Alleghany, Watauga, and Wilkes.

The occasion was the second annual farmers picnic and field day, in improvement in the Ashe county area celebration of which farm and dairy was featured. The exercises fea-

tured the success of Ashe county in furnishing milk for the use of the cheese factory built in West Jefferson a little more than a year ago and so successfully operated that the Kraft-Phoenix Cheese Corporation now proposes to build a \$100,000 plant in two units in order to furnish a permanent market for the dairy farmers in Ashe and adjoining counties. A representative of the Kraft-Phoenix Corporation attended the rally and made a brief address in behalf of his corporation.

The governor advocated the policy of each farmer supplementing his present business by the gradual addition of pure-bred and carefully graded milk cows and dairy cattle, and

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FOOTBALL SQUAD STANDING TIPTOP

Boys Working Out for Positions of the 1929 Football Season

With glittering new uniforms and plenty of pep, the Brevard football squad was out Wednesday afternoon presenting a thrilling spectacle to the bunch of early fans out to witness pre-season form.

Speculation was rife as to who would play here and who play there on the team. An average of three would-be Granges were out for each position, and have been for the past week. With the largest squad in the history of football at Brevard High, no place seems assured any one player as yet, although practically all letter men are out, along with some new material and second string men from the previous season. Indications point toward several of last year's second-stringers being moved up. However, "you never can tell," and Coach Tilson has not committed himself as yet to any statement in regard to who will be who.

With the date of the first game two to three weeks off and with the vim the boys are going at their workouts, the first game is slated to be a thriller. Schedule of games has not been made up yet, but Christ School is billed to come here the latter part of the month or the first of October.

GONE FOR BIG GAME HUNT IN BRITISH COLUMBIA

Randall W. Everett and Dr. Geo. B. Lynch left Monday for Windermere, British Columbia, where they will engage in a big game hunt until about the first of November. This is Mr. Everett's thirteenth annual trip to the wilds of British Columbia, and is the second trip for Dr. Lynch.

MISS ENLOE TO BE BURIED THURSDAY

Miss Lillie Enloe, aged 32, died at midnight Tuesday night at the home of her mother in South Brevard, following an illness of tuberculosis since last February. Funeral services will be conducted at the residence Thursday morning at 10 o'clock, conducted by Rev. Wallace Hartsell, pastor of the Baptist church. Interment will be in Glazener cemetery.

Miss Enloe had worked to help support her widowed mother and invalid sister until stricken with influenza last February, which developed into tuberculosis, resulting in her death six months later. Efforts had been made to place her in the state sanatorium, but proved futile on account of the fact that her condition was considered hopeless almost from the first.

Surviving are her mother, Mrs. Ella Enloe, four sisters and two brothers, including, Mrs. W. M. Heath, Mrs. O. Duclos, Mrs. R. P. Miller, all of Brevard, Mrs. G. H. Leopold, of Glenville, W. P. Enloe, of Boston, and Walter Enloe, of Brevard.

LITTLE GIRL'S NARROW ESCAPE FROM POISONING

Cecile Simpson, 10-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Simpson, swallowed atropine last Friday evening by mistake, and recovered from the poison only after several hours' careful attention by physicians in the Transylvania hospital. It is said the little girl was preparing to take some medicine, and a younger brother offered to assist her, and poured some of the atropine in a glass without the knowledge of the parents or Cecile, and this was taken in the medicine which she swallowed a moment later. Friends of the family rejoiced with Mr. and Mrs. Simpson that the little girl was saved.

FINAL CONCERT OF SEASON SATURDAY

Brevard's municipal band will present the last concert of the season next Saturday night. The band boys will be in full dress uniform, and it is expected that all members will be present to take their part in the concert Saturday night.

This concert will mark not only the end of the summer season, but also the end of Prof. Cutter's engagement as band instructor for the past five years.

Prof. Cutter states that it has seemed next to impossible to have all of the boys present at any one concert during the summer, but that he feels confident they will show their loyalty and interest by being present at the band stand 100 percent Saturday night for the final concert.

These concerts which have been held throughout the summer, have proved very popular with residents and tourists, and have meant much in the summer recreational program.

SAYS GREAT ENKA PLANT IS WONDER OF SOUTH

Mrs. J. L. Saltz, owner of the Waltemire Grill, spent Monday at Enka, and is loud in her praise of the systematic manner in which the big industry is conducted. Naturally she was attracted to the cafeteria work at Enka. She had lunch in the Enka cafeteria, and reports a splendid lunch that cost her the sum of 13 cents. It is in this cafeteria that the young women who work in the plant take their meals.

Nine hundred people had lunch in the cafeteria Monday, Mrs. Saltz said, and so smoothly was the work done that there was no sign of hurry or bustle as these hundreds enjoyed their lunch.

FIRST CASE HEARD UNDER THE COMPENSATION LAW

Transylvania county's first hearing under the new Workmen's Compensation law was held in the office of Clerk of Court Roland Owen last Friday. S. J. Peterson, with Duke Power company, received injuries while at his work. Dewey Dorsett, of the state department having charge of this new work, was commissioner in the hearing. Ralph R. Fisher represented Mr. Peterson.

The case was quickly disposed of and allowances made for the time lost and injuries received.

MR. PEACOCK SERIOUSLY ILL IN CHARLOTTE SANATORIUM

L. J. Peacock, Jr., has been returned to the Charlotte Sanatorium for further treatment. He was operated on in that institution several weeks ago, but his condition made it necessary for further treatment, and he entered the hospital again last Saturday.

P.-T. ASSOCIATION TO MEET FRIDAY, 13

Regular date for the Parent-Teacher association will be changed for the September meeting from the third Monday to Friday, September 13, at 3 o'clock at the Grammar School building.

A short business meeting will be held, following which an address will be made to the parents and teachers by Dr. E. H. Branch, of the state board of health, speaking on the subject, "Development of the teeth," stressing pre-natal care of the teeth. The lecture will be illustrated with slides.

Since the high school and elementary Parent-Teacher organizations have combined into one association, meeting jointly, it is expected that a large number of the parents as well as teachers will be present at this important meeting Friday afternoon of this week.

KINDERGARTEN WORK IS AVAILABLE HERE NOW

A kindergarten for children of pre-school age has opened in Brevard, conducted by Mrs. J. C. McLean in the Primary school building, five days in the week, from 9:45 to 12 in the morning.

In addition to the kindergarten, Mrs. McLean also takes private pupils in other grades. There are now enrolled in the kindergarten five pupils with several more prospective students in view. Those enrolled include, Larry Wilson, Jerome Moltz, Stanley Morris, Lewis Grogan, Paul Jones, and Frank Carr Jr., in the second grade.

Mrs. McLean is well known in Brevard, having taught in the Brevard Elementary school before her marriage, as Miss Julia Skinner.

PARKER REUNION IS TO BE HELD NEXT SUNDAY

Annual Parker reunion will be held at the Silverstein school house, in Gloucester township, on the third Sunday of this month, September 15. It is expected that many friends and relatives of the Parker family will be present at this gathering, and a happy occasion is anticipated. All are requested to bring well filled lunch baskets.

HAMLIN-KIMZEY DISSOLVE LAW PARTNERSHIP FIRM

L. P. Hamlin and Pat Kimzey, heretofore associated in the practice of law under the firm name of Hamlin & Kimzey, have dissolved partnership, due to the fact, it is said, that Mr. Hamlin is serving as solicitor in the General County Court. Offices will be maintained in present quarters over Pushell's store, Mr. Hamlin having the west suite while Mr. Kimzey's office will be in the east suite.

MRS. M'GUIRE IS CALLED IN DEATH

Friends throughout the county were saddened on learning of the death of Mrs. Nannie Hill McGuire, of Hendersonville, which occurred Tuesday night at Patton Memorial Hospital, that city, following an attack of peritonitis, caused, it is thought, by a fall which she suffered about two months ago. Funeral services will be held at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Thomas Shepherd, in Hendersonville, Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Mrs. McGuire, who was 79 years of age, was a native of Macon county but had spent many years of her life in Transylvania county and had a host of loving friends in various sections of the county.

In addition to her daughter, Mrs. Shepherd, Mrs. McGuire is survived by one son, W. E. McGuire, of Greenwood, S. C., and two brothers, Frank Hill, of Highlands and Charles W. Hill, of Tulsa, Okla. Another sister, Mrs. S. L. Norton, died at her home in Brevard about two months ago.

BIGGEST STILL OF AGES FOUND NEAR BREVARD

Deputy Sheriff Tom Wood and other officers captured what is declared to be the biggest wildcat still ever found in the mountains of Transylvania county. A boiler was in use so large that two big men could not touch one another's hands while stretching their arms about it. Three complete stills were on the ground, two that had been in recent use, and one that seems to have been discarded for some time.

The plant was found on Range Mountain, in the See-Off section. No one was about the place, although indications pointed to recent work being done about the plant.

HENDERSON IN CHARGE OF KIWANIS MEETING

T. C. Henderson, former county superintendent of public instruction, is to have charge of the program at the meeting of the Kiwanis club Thursday. President Cleet is away, and he requested that members attend the meeting and assist Mr. Henderson in having a great program.

WHEN HENS CACKLE AND COCKS CROW, DIMS, QUARTERS AND DOLLARS GROW

That poultry is rapidly becoming one of the greatest revenue producing articles of commerce in this state is emphasized in a report made by the Department of Agriculture of the state of North Carolina. Transylvania county shows greatest gain in number of pounds of poultry shipped in 1928 over the previous year of any county in the state.

In 1927 this county shipped 6,843 pounds of poultry to outside markets. In 1928, there were 17,800 pounds of poultry shipped from Transylvania county, of which records were made. Much other poultry was shipped from which there is no record, owing to the fact that the county has no farm demonstration agent to keep tab on such matters.

Shipment of poultry in this year will be much larger than that of 1928, showing, it is believed as great an increase this year over last, as

THANK YOU, YES SIR, FOR SAYING IT NOW

No Change in School Books to Be Made in 1930-31 School Term

Following is a report of the Associated Press, sent out from Raleigh Tuesday:

RALEIGH, Sept. 10. (AP)—There will be no change of textbooks in the public schools at the opening in 1930, or at any time during the 1930-31 session, the state textbook commission has announced.

The commission which met in Raleigh Monday, notified the state board of education today of its action and said it was the unanimous desire of the commission not to make any report this year.

The board of education, meeting today, approved the action of the commission which means there will be no textbook adoption in December of this year.

Members of the commission are: A. E. Akers, of Roanoke Rapids, chairman; Miss Path Gunter, of Sanford, secretary; Miss Ethel McNairy, Statesville; Miss Anne Holdford, Raleigh; Benjamin L. Smith, Spizdale; R. G. Fitzgerald, Greenville, and Chester C. Haworth, Burlington.

ECK L. SIMS RESIGNS AS HIGHWAY PATROLMAN HERE

Eck L. Sims, for the past twelve years an officer in Transylvania county, has resigned as highway patrolman and will enter private business at once, according to announcement made by the officer Monday. Mr. Sims served as deputy sheriff under Cos Paxton, was chief of police in Brevard and in Rosman, and later was appointed as rural police and then as highway patrolman. He has made many friends in the county during his tenure in office, and will be greatly missed on the beat where he had become such a familiar figure.

CLEMENT VISITING OLD HOME IN NEW ENGLAND

Frank D. Clement is in Vermont, spending his vacation with friends and relatives in his old home section. He expects to return to Brevard some time next week.

TO OBSERVE CONSTITUTION WEEK THROUGHOUT NORTH CAROLINA

Durham, Sept. 10.—W. P. Stacy, chief justice of the North Carolina Supreme court, and R. O. Everett, of Durham, chairman of the North Carolina Bar Association committee on American citizenship, will speak over Radio Station WBTF, in Raleigh, on Monday night, September 16, opening the observance of Constitution Week in North Carolina as endorsed and sponsored by the State bar at its recent meeting. Mr. Everett and the members of the committee are making extensive preparations for a state-wide observance of Constitution Week, and letters have been sent to all judges of the Superior court that they charge the grand jury during that week on the preservation of the constitution.

Mr. Stacy, as chief justice of the the State Supreme Court, and Mr. Everett, as chairman of the American bar committee in North Carolina are considered well qualified to open

the observance of this occasion in this state.

Literature on the constitution of the United States has been sent to members of the committee, and it is planned to observe Constitution Week in an active way in every county in the state. Other members of the committee are: Miss Julia Alexander, of Charlotte; Charles A. Armstrong, of Troy; P. S. Bernard, of Asheville; W. B. Jones, of Raleigh; H. M. London, of Raleigh; H. Edmund Rogers, of Wilmington; and J. H. Bridges, of Henderson. These will have charge of observances in their sections, which will embrace the schools, churches, courts, civic clubs, and other organizations.

This is the greatest move of its kind to impress upon the minds of the people the significance of their national constitution, and it has received wide commendation from supreme and superior court judges as well as from the press and civic leaders.