

MAYOR'S APPEAL IN SUPPORT OF EVENT

Urges All Citizens to Take Part in the Forget-Me-Not Program This Saturday

The Hon. Ralph H. Ramsey, Jr., mayor of Brevard, has issued a statement, reading as follows:

"On Saturday, November 7, the little blue flowers of remembrance, forget-me-nots, will be offered for sale in this city, as well as in all other cities of this nation, on behalf of the Disabled American Veterans of the World War. Forget-Me-Nots will, on that day, decorate those who have not yet forgotten their wartime promises; and the funds derived therefrom will be used by the D. A. V. to alleviate the condition of those unfortunate disabled ex-service men who are either under-compensated or who have not yet been enabled to prove themselves entitled to any Federal benefits.

"The expert service to disabled ex-service men, which has been made possible by the funds collected on Forget-Me-Not Drives, has in the past proven almost inestimable value to thousands of the less fortunate comrades of the members of this Congressionally recognized service organization, with consequently great direct and indirect benefit and increased income to the communities in which such men reside.

"The Forget-Me-Not Day Drive of the Disabled American Veterans of the World War helps to serve a most worthy cause, and it is to be hoped that the people of this community will generously respond by the purchase of forget-me-nots to help to serve those who so faithfully served us thirteen years ago."

The Parent-Teacher Association is sponsoring the movement here. The sale of the Forget-Me-Nots will begin Saturday morning at 8:00 o'clock, officials of the organizations announced Tuesday.

The committee directly in charge of the work has been announced as follows:

Miss Sarah Keels, chairman; Lillian Jenkins, Sue Hunt, Mae Jenkins, Helen Galloway, Mabel McNeely and Winifred Nicholson. Other high school girls will aid in the work also.

The flowers will be placed on sale at the main corners and street intersections of the town at a minimum price of ten cents and any amount above this price will be gladly accepted.

BIG EVENTS TOLD IN LITTLE PARAGRAPHS

(Gleaned by Clifford Montieth)

The new lighting system of the Statue of Liberty was turned on last week by Mlle. Jose Laval, daughter of Premier Laval of France, whose country it was that gave the statue to the United States.

Title to between 145,000 and 148,000 acres of land in the Great Smoky mountains of North Carolina and Tennessee was turned over to the government by those two states Mon., November 2, as a step in the creation of the Great Smoky National park.

A small fortune, \$120,000 in silver bullion and \$10,000 in gold coin, has been recovered from the strong room of a steamship, which crashed on Point Tosca several weeks ago.

Admiral Hugh Rodman, retired; John H. Hammond, of Washington; Elliot Wadsworth, of Boston; Under Secretary Jahncke of the navy, have been chosen by President Hoover to form his committee of vindication against naval budget charges made by the head of the Navy League.

Governor Gardner announces that the governors of Virginia, South Carolina and Georgia have agreed to meet with him in the near future to discuss the general agricultural situation in the four states, with a view to common action to relieve the situation.

Jean Mermoz and Coutain Rene Mailloux, noted French aviators, will try to beat Russell Boardman and John Polando's record for a straight non-stop flight by attempting to fly from Istres, near Marseilles, to Buenos Aires.

Starting at daybreak last Monday morning, the navy's new giant airship the U. S. S. Akron, launched on a 12 hour flight over Washington, Philadelphia and New York.

The organization of Bicycle Safety clubs and School Boy Patrols in the states of North and South Carolina, is the latest safety program of the Carolina Motor club.

Miss Phillis Schulz of Washington, D. C., has been given the honor of driving in to a railroad tie the silver spike which was presented to the Secretary of the Interior Dr. Ray Lyman Wilbur by Governor Balzar of Nevada upon the completion of the Hoover dam.

Will Rogers, comedian, story teller, and world affairs barometer, proved in Mexico City last Sunday that he

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SMALL COMING

Announcement in Wednesday's Asheville Times is made that former Congressman John H. Small is to speak in Brevard at an early date. He is coming under auspices of Asheville women who are working for modification of the prohibition law.

TOBACCO CROWNED KING IN CAROLINA

Passes Textiles In Value of Manufactured Products—Millions Involved

Raleigh, Nov. 4.—Tobacco products took the lead in value of manufactured goods in North Carolina in 1929, going ahead of textiles which had held the supremacy for several years, figures compiled in the 1930 Census and announced by the State Department of Conservation and Development show.

Cigars and cigarettes manufactured in 1929 were valued at \$480,038,850 or more than \$80,000,000 more than the value of the same products in 1927, two years before, which was \$392,050,130. Smoking and chewing tobacco and snuff are not included in these figures, which would carry the total considerably above the half a billion mark. In 1927 all tobacco products were valued at \$413,274,113, at which time the textile products were valued at \$425,437,522, but in 1929 the textile values had reached only \$52,000,000. Values of textile products increased almost 10 per cent from 1927 to 1929, while tobacco products increased approximately 20 per cent in the same two-year period.

Wage earners in cigar and cigarette making number 14,081 in 1927 and had decreased to 13,778 in 1929, but wages paid increased from \$11,542,745 in 1927 to \$11,783,472 in 1929. Costs of materials, supplies, fuel and purchased electric current increased from \$117,565,177 in 1927 to \$139,613,094 in 1929. This does not include the approximately \$250,000,000 paid for tobacco stamps, but this cost is computed in counting the value of manufactured products, by which, it is seen that the raw material and processing of tobacco products constitute more than half the value of the finished product, tax excluded.

STUDY COURSE IS MOST INTERESTING

The "Every Member Canvas" program was studied thoroughly by over 75 members of the Baptist churches of the county every night beginning at 7:30 o'clock during the week of October 26th through the 31st. The study course was held under the direction of Rev. Paul Hartsell, pastor of the Brevard Baptist church.

Seven delegates from each of the Baptist churches, of the county were among the group present. The church representatives studied the course in order to conduct a similar line of work in their home church.

The objects of the meetings were to encourage the church members to subscribe to the church plan of "giving" according to whatever system the church had chosen.

The study course was said to have been highly successful and it is expected that the course held in other churches of the county will meet with equal welcome and cooperation that the movement received in Brevard.

Henry Ford added one dollar to his regular pay of \$6 a day when the depression started, as his contribution to the emergency. He has now resumed his normal minimum pay of \$6 a day.

The state highway commissions of North and South Carolina have under consideration the opening of four interstate highways connecting important points in the two states.

Scientists at Purdue University Lafayette, Ind., have developed a method of stretching a drum-shaped pickup of gold leaf only one millionth of an inch thick, to be used for reproducing the low tones in talkies, almost without distortion.

Football authorities plan to abolish the "flying wedge," which caused the death of Richard Sheridan, West Point player.

Frances Lee, after visiting the campuses of 100 American colleges, says that the three R's of school life have been replaced by the three C's. They are cocktails, clothes and competition.

Simon Loke, inventor of the "even keel" submersible, and builder of the submarine Nautilus, is now experimenting with a one-man submarine with which he hopes to explore the "hidden realms of the deep."

During the first six months of Nevada's new six weeks divorce law more than 3,000 martial misfits were granted their freedom.

Dino Grandi, Italy's foreign minister is coming to the United States soon.

Planet P, the new heavenly giant recently discovered by Professor Pickering, has a diameter of 44,000 miles, is 95 times as far from the sun as we are, and requires 656 of our years for one of its years.

Company officials announce that Colonel Charles Lindbergh will pilot the American Clipper, a giant 50 passenger plane of the Pan-American airways, on her maiden commercial flight from Miami to Cristobal, Canal Zone, which is to start Nov. 17.

Clara Barton, Perfect Incarnation of Mercy, Lived for Others all Her Life

VICTORY THROUGH WEAKNESS

No one would have picked out Clara Barton for the part she played. She was weak, slight, timid,—everything seemed against her. But one of the very things that was responsible for some of the handicaps pointed the way to her life work. When she was eleven she began to care for her invalid brother, David. "For two years I only left his bedside for one half a day," she said later. "I almost forgot there was an outside to the house." Her growth was arrested by the strain and confinement.

After sixteen years as a school teacher, physical weakness manifested itself in a complete breakdown. In 1868 when she was delivering a lecture in the interest of her work her voice left her. All that winter she lay helpless. Three years of unsheltered days and nights, the sun and storms, the dews and damps had done their work. In 1870, when she was urged to bear the Red Cross to the Prussian firing line, she felt she must decline, because she was an invalid. Yet the call to service could not be resisted. In 1876 she went to a sanitarium, and remained in the hospital and vicinity for nearly ten years. Yet during those years she rallied whenever there was a call to do something she felt she alone could do. And in spite of these repeated breakdowns she retained her youthful appearance. When she was 85 years old a reporter spoke of her as a middle aged woman.

Another serious handicap was her excessive timidity and fear. In the early years of my life I remember nothing but fear, she confessed in 1907. In 1836 her mother, wondering what such a timid child could do, asked the counsel of a phrenologist concerning her. "The sensitive nature will always remain," he said. "She will never assert herself for herself, she will suffer wrong first. But for others she will be perfectly

fearless." His prophecy was fulfilled.

On the field later, when a soldier in agony begged her to extract a bullet with her pen knife, she did as he wished. "The courage that she attained," her biographer says, "was due not to the absence of fear but to the fact that she overcame it."

One reason this frail woman could overcome obstacles was that her heart was in every thing she did. She did not work for money. As a teacher in Burlington, New Jersey, she gave up her salary that she might teach a free school.

Another remarkable characteristic was her utter indifference to the opinion of others, if she felt she was in the right. She paid no heed to those who declared she was unwomanly because she worked in a government department. Wherever she went she won deference and love. In her first school, taught when she was fifteen, instead of being looked out as the previous teacher had been, she looked herself in the heart of every boy and girl.

Miss Barton was remarkable both for her initiative and for her persistence. She suggested improvements in the way of handling the wounded that were adopted at once. When she made up her mind that the United States should enter the company of nations which signed the Red Cross Treaty, she began a fight for recognition which lasted for eleven years.

She had her reward in abundant recognition. Between 1870 and 1900 twenty-four decorations were conferred upon her, but she found more pleasure in the knowledge that she had been of use than in all of these, and after her death—at the age of ninety-one—these words were written of her:

"She was perhaps the most perfect incarnation of mercy the modern world has ever known, the embodiment of one vital principle of all religion—love of humanity."

—C. D. C.

INSTITUTE BEATS THE BLUE DEVILS TO NAME OFFICERS FOR KIWANIS CLUB

The Brevard Blue Devils took the little end of a 13-0 score when the Brevard Institute eleven handed them a severe trouncing on the local grid here Friday afternoon.

The B. I. Boys outpassed, outran and in every way mastered the Blue Devils in a fast game of football. The pigskin twice crossed the goal for the Institute and once sailed over the bars for the extra point.

Concentrating on passing and end runs, the Institute presented a snappier outfit. Due to the fact that the Blue Devils had the heaviest, strongest line, few gains and few plays were made by line rushes.

The B. I. boys made both their touchdowns with perfectly executed passes, using a new play which they have only recently mastered. Three men spread from each side of the offensive line and the defensive never knew to which end the ball was going. If they found out it was too late and the other two boys on the ends made good interference.

This is the first time in the history of Brevard football that the Blue Devils have bowed to the Institute eleven, it has always been a different tale.

Neither team had a game scheduled for Friday, Nov. 6, when The News went to press Wednesday night.

WOMEN TO ATTEND DISTRICT MEETING

It has been announced that Mrs. Plax Lawrence will speak for the Brevard Business and Professional Women's Club at the District No. 1 meeting which is to be held in Asheville, Saturday. Mrs. Lodema Robertson will respond to the Asheville toast of welcome.

The sessions will be held in the Woman's club building. Miss Nettie Brogden, state president, will deliver an address on "A Vision for Service," which is expected to be one of the most important features of the meeting.

Miss Jane Truex will bring greetings from the Hendersonville club to the district gathering.

Miss Jeanette Talley, Mrs. Plax Lawrence and Mrs. Lodema Robertson of the Brevard club are expected to attend the meeting Saturday.

MAY CLOSE STREET FOR THE CHILDREN

At a meeting of the Brevard aldermen, Monday night S. M. Macfie and William Wallis were appointed to meet with representatives of the local Parent-Teacher association to discuss the matter of closing the street immediately in front of the grammar school building for a skating rink for the children.

It has been proposed that the street be closed from 8:00 until 9:00 o'clock each day for the benefit of the skaters. This matter will be threshed out at the meeting to be held, it is planned, some time this week.

The aldermen are willing to close the street, it is said, if definite arrangements are made for someone to be responsible for closing and opening the street each day.

Further actions are pending the joint meeting and the results will be announced next week.

ARMISTICE DAY

Next Wednesday, November 11, is Armistice Day. A committee is to call upon the business men Thursday and Friday, to ascertain wishes of people in observing the day as a holiday.

RELIEF WORK TO BE DIRECTED BY BOARD

Meeting Set for Thursday Evening to Perfect Plans for Carrying on Relief

Members of the Transylvania County committee on Unemployment relief have been called to meet in the office of Prof. J. B. Jones, Superintendent of the Welfare work, Thursday night at 7:30 o'clock.

When assembled they shall elect an executive committee, one of whom shall serve as permanent chairman, and an executive secretary which will be named by the committee chosen; also committees on shelter, fuel, clothing, food and work relief are to be named. At present J. S. Silverstein is working on the shelter committee.

It has been suggested that sub-committees be set up in each community to aid Prof. Jones, superintendent of schools, and school teachers in the county who know the community needs. The Transylvania County committee on Unemployment and Relief includes 18 members, representatives of the county work.

The Red Cross officers of the local organization as announced last week were:

General Chairman, Joseph S. Silverstein; Secretary, Miss Martha Boswell; Treasurer, A. H. Kizer. Chairman of Roll Call, Rev. Harry Perry. Publicity Chairman, Miss Alma Trowbridge and Mr. James F. Barrett. Mrs. J. W. Smith, Home service secretary.

The Red Cross Roll call campaign, final plans for which will be perfected at the meeting tonight, begins Wednesday November 11 and continues through Thursday, November 26. The quota for Transylvania county based on the population has been announced 350 or 3 to every 100. The sum of \$500.00 has been named as the amount needed for the projects to be undertaken.

County wide organization for the movement of the Red Cross has been placed in the hands of Superintendent of Welfare, Prof. J. B. Jones.

ALDERMEN IN MEET MONDAY EVENING

The City Council of Brevard met at the City Hall for their regular meeting Monday night, and according to its officials many routine matters were discussed and read concerning items pertaining to Brevard.

The bridge report was made and it was revealed that the pipe for the Railroad bridge has been ordered, already shipped and is expected at an early date. Immediately upon its arrival, the bridge instead of being rebuilt will be replaced with this metal pipe which is supposed to last over 25 years.

COOPER HOME BURNS EARLY WEDNESDAY

Wednesday morning, shortly after 8:00 o'clock the small cottage home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cooper near Cooper's Hill caught fire from some unknown source and was burned to the ground.

Mr. Cooper was out working and Mrs. Cooper had locked the house and was to be away for a short time. Smoke pouring from the windows first attracted Mr. Cooper's attention and he rushed to the house to investigate. He sent for help and connected a small garden hose, in an effort to quell the flames.

The fire had gained such a headway that the volunteer firemen were only able to save a small nearby building from destruction. The entire furnishings were destroyed. It is said that the cottage was partially covered by insurance.

NEW ORLEANS MAN IS BUILDING HOME HERE

C. R. Sharpe, contractor, announced Tuesday that he had received a contract to build a two-story brick home in Wolf Pen Cove, on what is known as the MacDougald property, for Dr. Cotz Allen, of New Orleans. The construction work is to begin immediately. The house is to be built on the same plan as the P. S. King residence on Probart street.

SMITHS SURRENDER TO SHERIFF HERE

Luke Smith and his son, Ed Smith, 17, were imprisoned Friday in the county jail, when the pair gave themselves up to Sheriff T. E. Patton after fleeing from Canton following a shooting in Canton in which the elder Smith and his son were charged with the murder of Horace Brock, a former deputy sheriff.

The Smiths were reported to have engaged in an argument with Brock which ended in a gun fight late Tuesday night, Oct. 27. Brock was shot three times, with a .32 calibre pistol. They are being held in Haywood jail pending trial.

PROF. JONES HEADS TEACHERS' GROUP

County Association Elects Officers for Coming Year—Work Outlined

Transylvania County Teachers Association named Prof. J. B. Jones as head of the organization for the new year at their regular monthly meeting Saturday held at the Brevard High School. Robert Kimzey of the Rosman High School was chosen vice president and Miss Martha Boswell was selected secretary.

Prof. G. C. Bush, principal of the Rosman High School was chosen to lead the High School group work, with Sherrill Bromfield secretary of the group.

The Grammar Grade group chose Prof. J. E. Ruffy as their chairman and Miss Julia Deaver, secretary. Robert Kimzey was elected leader of the Primary group, with Mrs. J. E. Ruffy, Vice chairman and Miss Mamie Lyday, secretary.

The purposes of these three groups, as pointed out by Prof. Jones, is to study the problems common to that department. The teachers meet with the members of their group, discuss new ideas for meeting difficult problems. In this manner it is possible for one teacher who has found a new method or line of work profitable, to pass it on to another, Prof. Jones, said.

Retiring President, G. C. Bush, principal of the Rosman schools delivered an interesting address, recounting the many activities of the association during the year just closed.

President Jones outlined the program for the coming year's work, which includes many constructive features.

GLADE CREEK NEWS

Mrs. J. R. Brown had as her guests Friday, her brother, Rev. Tom Drake and family, of Easley, S. C.

We are sorry to have Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Orr leave this community. Mr. and Mrs. Orr have moved into the Turkey Creek section to be near Mr. Orr's farm.

Mrs. Jim Cox and daughters, Mary Lou and Martha, who have been ill, are very much improved.

Mrs. Mack Drake continues very ill. Mrs. Drake had as her guests Thursday, Mrs. J. R. Brown and Miss Blanche Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Drake of Big Willow, were visitors recently of Mrs. Drake's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Orr.

Richard Rodgers, of Enon, was a visitor here last week. Edward Owenby and Blanche Brown were dinner guests of the latter's grandfather, J. W. Alexander, Sunday evening.

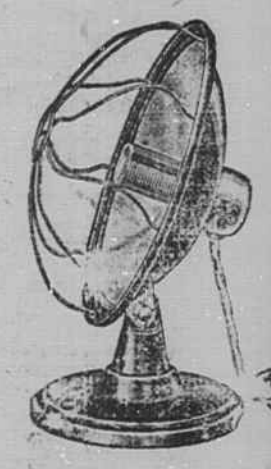
Clyde Brown, of Statesville, spent the week end here. The farmers of this place have been very busy gathering corn, pumpkins, turnips, etc., so Jack Frost failed to do much damage here except to the flowers.

Eugene Brown, of Hendersonville, visited his mother, Mrs. J. R. Brown recently.

Arnold Brown was an Asheville visitor recently.

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