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## WILL J. FISHER IS DEAD AND CLIFFORD FISHER IS IN JAIL

### Clifford Fisher Held By Coroner's Jury For Death of His Relative.

## TRAGEDY OCCURRED IN REID'S SIDING SECTION

### Eye Witness Testified At Coroner's Inquest—Sheriff Wood Made the Arrest

Will J. Fisher, 55 years of age, died early Tuesday morning in the Lyday Memorial Hospital as a result of an attack made upon him Sunday evening by Clifford Fisher, according to a verdict rendered by a coroner's jury Tuesday. Clifford Fisher was held without bond for a preliminary hearing which will be held within the next few days. The victim was a son of Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Fisher, of Lake Toxaway, and was unmarried. Clifford Fisher is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Fisher, of Reid's Siding, and is 22 years of age.

At the coroner's inquest, presided over by Dr. G. B. Lynch, coroner, with a coroner's jury composed of Lem Brooks, Jess A. Galloway, Ed Gillespie, T. J. Wilson, E. R. Galloway and M. O. McCall, the only eye witness to testify was Edwin Owen, of Reid's Siding.

Owen testified that as he was passing the home of Ben Thomas, where the tragedy occurred, that he saw Will Fisher backing out of the front door, followed by Clifford Fisher who appeared to be pushing Will Fisher along; upon entering the yard, the witness said, Clifford Fisher knocked Will Fisher down.

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## BIBLE SCHOOL WAS DECIDED SUCCESS

Commencement exercises for the eight day Vacation Bible School held at the Brevard Methodist Church, which had a maximum attendance of 84 pupils were held at the church Sunday evening with George Mangum a member of the faculty presiding.

The teaching staff of the school included: Mrs. J. F. Winton who directed the operation of the school in addition to teaching a class; George Mangum of the Brevard Institute, Miss Winifred Nicholson, Mrs. A. A. Trantham, Miss Hattie Aiken.

The teachers were well pleased with the success attained by their pupils and were highly proud of the program rendered Sunday evening as were the parents and friends who packed the church to hear the exercises.

The program for the evening read:  
Song—Praise ye the Lord (children.)  
Song—America (congregation).  
Talk—Program and Objectives of the V. B. S., George Mangum.  
Bible Verses (Missionary) children.

Original Prayers, Children.  
Song—"This is my Father's World" children.  
Primary Department program.  
Story of the Piano, Margaret Moss.  
Story of the Shoe, Robert Moss.  
Song—"Lift Up your Heads", children.

Pageant—"Mrs. United States Goes To Market."  
The Mission Map of the M. E. Church So., Cornelia Winton.  
"Giving" Bible Verses.  
Song—"God Loveth a Cheerful Giver, children.  
Song—"America the Beautiful", congregation.  
The Benediction sung by children.

Plans are rapidly being completed for the Daily Vacation Bible School to be held at the Baptist church during the two weeks beginning July 18 and ending with commencement exercises Sunday evening July 31. Numbers of children have already expressed their desire to come. The sessions will begin at 9:00 o'clock each morning and close at 12:00 o'clock noon. No Saturday or Sunday classes will be held.

## Daily Vacation Bible School to Start At Baptist Church Monday, July 18

The well equipped Sunday School plant of the Baptist church will be used. Every minute of the time, from the time when the children first arrive on the church grounds to the time of dismissal at noon, will be directed by trained workers. The time is divided in worship periods, Bible study, story telling and dramatization periods, music periods, hand-work and play periods.

Since the school is a vacation school, every effort is being made by the faculty to make every form of work in the school attractive to the boys and girls who attend. Pupils are not asked to do any home study or use any books. The teachers do the studying and have the books used. The Bible is presented in story form and character building lessons are given by means of well selected stories, interesting handwork, and games which teach lessons and furnish fun and recreation. For example, the Intermediate boys will use hammers and saws and other woodworking tools part of the time as they learn to make to make useful things out of scrap lumber.

No efforts have been spared to obtain a competent faculty. The faculty includes nine public school teachers, four college students, preachers, and Sunday school workers. All have had an abundance of experience in dealing with young people. While the list is not complete, the tentative list which follows gives some idea of the quality of the teachers who will have charge of the boys and girls.

## COUNTY SCHOOLS TO OPEN ON AUGUST 25

### Board Names Many to Places in Operation of the School System.

Transylvania county schools will open Monday morning August 25 for the regular school term, according to decision of the county board of education when they met at the court house Tuesday with all members present for their regular meeting.

L. C. Case, Jr., was reappointed repair man for the school buses in the upper part of the county and Erwin Galloway was reappointed repair man for the lower half of the county.

The Cedar Mountain school bus was rerouted by way of Ellen Bend and the residence of Tom Wilson.

Charlie Gravely was appointed guardian of the school property at lower East Fork, he to have general oversight of the building and prevent trespassing.

A resolution was passed by the board to ask the state board of equalization to reestablish a school on upper east fork at what is known as the Oak Forest school house.

It was ordered that the school bus not be used over the East Fork route until the road is made safe for travel.

Frank Galloway was appointed janitor of the Rosman school buildings; James Nelson, Brevard high school and J. B. Pettit of the Brevard Elementary buildings.

R. P. Aiken was appointed a member of the school committee at Old Toxaway to fill the unexpired term of Wiley Meece who tendered his resignation to the Board Tuesday.

Aston Heath was reappointed county mechanic and Mr. Heath will also drive one of the school buses. The

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## WORKING ON PLANS FOR '32 COUNTY FAIR

Organized plans for the annual Sylvan Valley Fair to be held this year early in October have been under way for months, according to Prof. Julian A. Glazener, instructor of vocational agriculture in the Brevard Public Schools.

Committees in both the Enon and Little River townships have been working diligently for two months, Mr. Glazener said and they are progressing rapidly in preparing for a bigger and better Transylvania county fair.

W. W. Shay, Swine specialist, said to be the outstanding authority on swine in the South has been engaged to judge the swine projects for the fair through the efforts of Mr. Glazener and it is expected that the swine department will be one of the most interesting features of the fair.

An additional shipment of 14 pure-bred Poland china pigs are expected to arrive here Thursday to be distributed upon a plan similar to that upon which the first lot was distributed.

## MR. MORRIS PATIENT AT HOSPITAL HERE

George Morris, editor of the leading newspaper in Memphis, Tennessee and owner of Camp Chickasaw, is confined to the Lyday Memorial Hospital. Authorities of the hospital state that Mr. Morris is improving steadily, being afflicted with chronic arthritis.

Mrs. Rebecca Glenn and Mr. Singletary, patients at the hospital for the past several weeks, are both responding to treatment very nicely, it is said.

## M. W. Galloway Defeats Henry In the Legislative Contest Here

M. W. Galloway, second high man in the June primary for nomination on the Democratic county ticket for the legislature, entered into the second primary against W. M. Henry, present member of the lower house and high man in the four-cornered June primary, defeating the present incumbent by 41 majority. The vote in the June primary was as follows:

Henry	692
Henderson	482
Verner	171
Galloway	537

Official reports given out by the board of canvassers Tuesday showed the run-off vote as follows:

Galloway	1032
Henry	991

Mr. Galloway, while long an active worker in his party and most active in public affairs, has never before held an elective office. Mr. Henry, defeated candidate, had held many

## COUNTY BOARD HAS BUSY DAYS SESSION

### Tax Advertisement Ordered Postponed Another Month—Contract With Hospital.

The Board of county commissioners met Tuesday July 5 for their regular monthly meeting with the following members present: O. L. Erwin, L. V. Sigmund, W. B. Henderson, A. C. Lyday and H. A. Plummer.

The budget presented by the school board was approved by the commissioners upon the motion of H. A. Plummer and the second of L. V. Sigmund.

It was voted that the Board of Commissioners appoint a committee of not more than 3 to partition the real property at Pisgah Forest not to include personal property, formerly belonging to the Brevard Tanning Co., into two equal portions as nearly as same can be divided and that T. C. Cox of Asheville, receiver of said Tanning Co. be allowed to choose such portion as he desires and that then proper deeds be made from said T. C. Cox to the County and from the County to said Cox.

Upon the vote of the board the County Treasurer was authorized to accept any 1932 taxes until books are completed and obtain tax receipt for same when books are turned over to the tax collector.

The Tax collector was authorized to refrain from advertising the 1931 delinquent taxes for a period of 30 days.

The Commissioners voted to recommend and file petition that the road leading from the present public road at what is known as the old Allison field near Old Toxaway church and passes by G. W. Halcomb to the South Carolina line and also the road leading from the public road near the Mt. Moriah church at Calvert to the sweat ford a distance of about two miles be taken over for state supervision.

It was agreed for the county to enter into a contract with the Lyday Memorial hospital for the hospitalization, treatment and care of indigent and insolvent citizens cared for by the hospital.

## GRAND MASTER IS TO VISIT LOCAL LODGE

Members of Dunn's Rock Masonic Lodge are planning another night of instruction this Friday evening when Jerry Jerome, Senior Warden will give instruction in the Fellowcraft Degree. Much interest is being attached to the announced visit of Grand Master Alexander of the Grand Lodge of North Carolina, who will visit Dunn's Rock at an early date.

Visiting Masons are invited to attend the meeting Friday evening and enjoy the work of instruction. Renewed activities in Masonic circles throughout the state and nation are being noted, and the Grand Lodge of North Carolina is taking the lead in this work.

## B. Y. P. U TO GATHER AT ENON SUNDAY

The Seven Unions of the lower district of the B. Y. P. U. for Transylvania county will meet at the Enon Baptist church Sunday afternoon July 10 at 3 o'clock, according to Paul Glazener, president of the County B. Y. P. U. The following program has been arranged for the occasion:

Theme—Better Leadership.  
Song service—Pisgah Forest Union Devotional—Blantyre Union.  
Special song—Boylston Union.  
Roll Call and business.  
"Better Christian Leaders for Tomorrow"—Vernon Gosnell.  
Special Song—Turkey Creek Union.  
"What I want of My leader"—Billy Middleton.  
Adjournment.

offices, both elective and appointive. He is a veteran in the General Assembly; he has been postmaster in Brevard; held the office of register of deeds, and for many years was a member of the board of aldermen in Brevard.

Mr. Galloway went to the people with a platform calling for economy in county affairs; reduction in taxes, and pledged to a program of legislation that would assist the average citizen in home ownership.

Both men waged active campaigns and each had large followings, as evidenced by the close margin of votes in deciding the winner in the run-off primary election.

Welch Galloway won the race for constable of Eastatoe township, defeating Sylvester Galloway by a 72 majority. The vote read:

W. Galloway	171
S. Galloway	99

## TAKES THREE CENTS TO MAIL LETTER NOW

### Postmaster R. L. Nicholson Pleased With Manner Public Met the Change.

Three cent stamps bearing the famous Stuart portrait of Washington identical in size and design with the two cent stamp of the Washington bicentennial series except for the change of denomination numerals and omission of dates were being sold Wednesday for the first time, in order to help the government get out of the red.

It is said that it will be several months before all of the two cent stamps now in existence are exhausted and it will be necessary to use a two cent and a one cent stamp in order to mail a letter. Post card postage rates will remain the same.

Two other varieties of three-cent stamps will be used—the current Lincoln stamp of the regular issue and the three-cent of the bicentennial series.

Four billion new stamps are being manufactured. Despite the publicity given the change in postal rates, officials say that thousands of letters probably will be mailed tomorrow and in the next few days after that bearing the old-two-cent variety. It takes time, they say, to get the public to comply.

Not a single letter stamped a two cent was found in the Post Office Wednesday morning in the letter box, according to R. L. Nicholson postmaster, all of the letters bearing a two cents stamp and a one or three ones. This exhibiting the thoughtfulness of the people in complying with Uncle Sam desires and requests.

## SHOT BY PLAYMATE BUT WILL RECOVER

Hope was held out for L. E. Brown, Jr., Wednesday evening when the latest report was received here concerning his condition following an accident during which he was shot in the abdomen by a playmate.

Young Brown, the son of Mrs. L. E. Brown, dean of girls at the Brevard Institute was spending some time at his summer home in Montreal when the accident occurred, and he was taken immediately to the Mission hospital.

Young Brown and his playing, E. S. DeLancy, Jr., 12, were playing on the porch of a cottage at Montreal when a .22 calibre rifle in the DeLancy boy's hands was accidentally discharged, the bullet penetrating young Brown's abdomen. The boys said they did not know the gun was loaded.

An operation was performed at Mission hospital in an effort to save young Brown's life. Outcome of the operation could not be determined but hospital authorities said the boy had a chance to live.

## COUNTY STRONG FOR ITS TWO FAVORITES

Ehringhaus, Democratic nominee for Governor defeated his opponent for the nomination, R. T. Fountain, by a majority of 778 in Transylvania according to official report of the vote Saturday. 1334 votes were cast for Ehringhaus in the county and 556 were cast for Fountain. The other nominations settled by the second primary received the following vote in Transylvania county.

Commissioner of Labor	
Clarence Mitchell	642
A. L. Fletcher	1087
U. S. Senate (Short term)	
Cam Morrison	307
R. R. Reynolds	1687
U. S. Senate (Long term)	
Cam Morrison	282
R. R. Reynolds	1651

## JONES AGAIN HEADS HIGH SCHOOL FORCE

### Board Names Teaching Staff For City Schools—Only Two Changes Noted.

Brevard's school committee composed of Chairman R. P. Kilpatrick, Secretary A. H. Kizer and Fred Johnson met Saturday evening and elected a teaching staff for the Brevard public schools. Only two changes were made in the entire personnel; Miss Martha Boswell will replace Miss Jessie Copp in the High School English department and Miss Ruth Waters will teach the second grade of the grammar school, which was taught last year by Miss Geneva Neill.

The high school teachers follow: J. B. Jones, city superintendent; Hinton McLeod, Principal and Mathematics; Miss Sherrill M. Bromfield, History; Miss Martha Boswell, English; Miss Mary Frances Biggers, English; Ernest Tilson, Science and Coach; Miss Sarah Keels, Mathematics; Miss Nancy Macfie, Science; Miss Janie Strickland, Commercial department; C. E. Wilke, Latin and History; Miss Jaunita Kimzey, Home Economics and Miss Jaunita Puette, French and Librarian.

Grammar school teachers follow: J. E. Rufty, principal and seventh grade; Miss Agnes Clayton, 6th grade; Mrs. T. E. Reid, 5th grade; Miss Myrtle Barnett, 5th grade; Miss Garnett Lyday, 4th grade; Miss Josephine Clayton, 4th grade; Mrs. S. P. Verner, 3rd grade; Miss Willie Aiken, 2nd grade; Miss Ruth Waters, 2nd grade; Mrs. J. E. Rufty, 1st grade and Miss Eva Call, 1st grade and public school music.

## FUNERAL SERVICES HELD FOR FISHER

Funeral services were held at the Lake Toxaway Baptist church Wednesday at noon for Will J. Fisher, whose death occurred early Tuesday morning as a result of a conflict with the Clifford Fisher. A great throng of relatives and friends attended the services, which were conducted by Rev. S. B. McCall and Rev. Paul Hartzell.

The deceased was a member of Glenville Masonic Lodge, whose officers requested Dunn's Rock Masonic Lodge to conduct the rites, and the funeral was attended with Masonic honors.

Kilpatrick and Sons, Brevard undertakers, had charge of the funeral arrangements.

Surviving the deceased are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Fisher, of Lake Toxaway, three brothers, Granville, Warren and Louis, of Lake Toxaway, and three sisters, Mrs. Leo Case and Mrs. Walter McNeely, of Lake Toxaway, and Mrs. Spaulding McIntosh, of Brevard.

## W. A. WILSON NAMED WELFARE OFFICER

W. A. Wilson was appointed, county welfare officer, Tuesday when the members of the Board of Commissioners and Board of Education met in joint session.

Mr. Wilson will assume his new duties at once. According to a recent explanation of his duties Mr. Wilson will have supervision of the execution of the child labor laws, prisoners payroled in the county, children on probation from reform schools, and the county poor fund. He will also assist in seeking employment for the unemployed, act as county school attendance officer and have charge of the County Welfare office here.

## Bishop Mouzon Calls Upon People Of State to Rally to the Dry Cause

Charlotte, July 5—"Now is the time for all lovers of their country and for all friends of righteousness to stand together" and to elect to the state legislatures and to the United States congress people who will fight the fight of prohibition, declares Bishop Edwin D. Mouzon of the Methodist Episcopal church yesterday in repudiating both the "soaking wet plank" of the democrats and the "damp" plank of the republicans.

Bishop Mouzon declared that the fight on the prohibition law is not over, that it is just beginning. The Volstead act still stands as the law of the country, and, although "the wet hysteria has for a moment had its way," and "the intolerance and bigotry of the wets has for the time being drowned the voice of clear and calm reason," the people who have the real interests of the country at heart will work for "principles that we believe to be fundamentally moral, since they have to do with private and public righteousness," he said.

## MIRACLE MAN OF THE MOUNTAINS WONDER WORKER OF THE AGE

### R. R. Reynolds Defeats War Horse for Nomination in the Run-Off Primary.

### EHRINGHAUS MAJORITY IS SURPRISINGLY SMALL

### Wet Candidate Given More Than 100,000 Majority Over Mr. Morrison.

Raleigh, July 6.—Robert Rice Reynolds, Asheville, "playboy of the western world," is now the "miracle man" of the entire nation. All eyes are now centered on this ruddy and debonair campaigner, who, defeated twice in state-wide contests, took the third tip and overwhelmingly defeated that warhorse of Democracy, former Governor and Senate appointee, Cameron Morrison, in a primary vote Saturday which still has the old-timers staggering.

Richard Tillman Fountain came up from under to such an extent in the second race for the nomination for Governor that the bulk of those interested will await the official report of the primary before they will celebrate what now appears to be a clear victory for John C. B. Ehringhaus, Elizabeth City, whose lead of 47,000 in the first primary was whittled down to around 18,000 in the second.

Major A. L. Fletcher, deputy Insurance Commissioner, was assured by a big lead of the nomination for Commissioner of Labor over Clarence E. Mitchell, Raleigh printshop operator, in the third state-wide second primary contest.

But the remarkable race was that of Mr. Reynolds, embracing the "wet" issue in "dry" North Carolina—allegedly dry—who piled up a majority that may exceed 100,000, or almost two to one in a total vote of some 328,000, against Senator Morrison. Incomplete returns indicate that Mr. Reynolds must have carried more than 90 of the 100 counties, to less than 10 for Senator Morrison, the vote for the short and long term running fairly close.

This contest has the old-timers shaking their heads and wondering

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## GALLOWAY THANKS THOSE WHO HELPED

To My Friends:  
I desire to express my appreciation of the manner in which my friends over the county stood by me in last Saturday's Primary. We had a strong and well drilled organization to oppose and political workers of long experience in the hustings to overcome. I have not witnessed a more splendid exhibition of friendship and loyalty than was shown me in this contest, and especially was this true on the part of the farmers and working men and women of the county.

My one wish is that I may not prove disappointment to those who made possible the success won.

From this point onward through the November election I rate every democrat in the county (and almost every republican) as my friend, and by and through the combined efforts of all we are hoping for a political landslide in November that will go far to re-establish confidence and restore, at least in some measure, the prosperity we all desire.

Again let me thank every one who had part in making possible my success in Saturday's primary.

Respectfully,  
M. W. GALLOWAY.

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