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BREVARD QUINT TO PLAY MANY GAMES

W. C. T. C. Varsity Among Teams On Schedule; To Enter State Tourney

By JAZZY MOORE
Brevard College basketball team will play at least twenty games with opponents of Western North Carolina and upper South Carolina before the North Carolina junior college tournament is held at Charlotte on February 22-23, according to a schedule arranged by Head Coach Ralph James.

The schedule will open here tonight against Biltmore and will probably close in Brevard on February 14th in a melee with Textile Junior College, of Spartanburg, S. C., although other games may be booked after that date.

The Jamesmen, with the other North Carolina junior college basketball teams, will compete in the state tournament at Charlotte in late February. They also hope to enter the Southeastern junior college tournament to be held at Newport, Tenn., on March 5th.

The full schedule for January is as follows:

- Jan. 17—Biltmore here.
- Jan. 18—Enka B here.
- Jan. 19—W. C. T. C. varsity there.
- Jan. 22—Biltmore there.
- Jan. 23—Asheville School here, 4 p. m.
- Jan. 25—Christ School there, 2 games.
- Jan. 26—Blanton's Business College here.

No games will be played during the week of Jan. 28, on account of examinations.

Game Bill Introduced

By W. M. Henry

Transylvania county game law will conform with state regulations under a bill introduced last week in the house by Representative W. M. Henry.

A bill passed by the 1933 legislature set opening of the game season in this county for November 20 and closing date in February. The bill as introduced by Mr. Henry makes opening and closing dates the same as other counties in this district. The bill follows:

Section 1. That section one of chapter 579 of the Public Local Laws of 1933 be amended by striking out the words "Transylvania County" in lines two and six thereof.

Section 2. That all laws and clauses of laws in conflict with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed.

Section 3. That this act shall be in full force and effect from and after its ratification.

New Brevard Police

C. F. Misenheimer is on night duty in Brevard, substituting for Church Morris, who is off on account of illness.

J. L. Wright Buried In Gillespie Cemetery

J. L. Wright, 79 year old Brevard man, died at the County Farm last Wednesday, following a lingering illness.

Funeral services were held the next day conducted by the Rev. John Simmons, pastor Brevard Presbyterian church, and interment was made in the Gillespie cemetery.

Sales Tax Is Advocated To Cover All Merchandise and Supplies In N. C.

RALEIGH, Jan. 16—Chief of interest of the week ending Wednesday in the general assembly was Governor Ehringhaus' message to the body last week and the state budget for the next two years.

A \$114,000,000 budget with \$2,500,000 a year additional revenue for schools, 15 per cent salary raises for state employees and a sales tax to cover all commodities was gist of the governor's submission on Tuesday.

This huge sum, covering operation of all the state's departments, is divided almost equally between the years 1935-36 and 1936-37. For the first twelve months a total expenditure of \$57,042,922 is provided, while \$56,485,601 is allocated to the second period.

The chief difference between the two figures lies in a \$2,600,000 revolving fund for highway department to be established in the first half of the biennium.

The 1935-37 proposed obligation is based on an estimated revenue of \$123,526,624 for the biennium and compares with expenditures and estimates of \$103,536,114 for the biennium 1933-35.

Under terms of the 1935-37 revenue bill, also accompanying the budget the sales tax, listed as "emergency revenue for the benefit of the public school system of the state," would be extended to cover all commodities offered for sale. It is provided also that should revenue levied under the sales tax "at any time during the next biennium be in excess of the appropriations and any unfunded deficits existing in the general fund, the director of the budget may increase the compensation of all employees.

HOLLOWELL TO SPEAK AT KIWANIS CLUB MEET

Noah Hollowell, former Brevard newspaperman and now head of the district FERA, will be guest speaker at the meeting of Brevard Kiwanis club on Thursday.

Mr. Hollowell will discuss the rehabilitation program as is now being put into effect by the federal government.

Rev. J. E. Burt Moving To South Carolina

ROSMAN, Jan. 16—The Rev. J. E. Burt is moving with his family to Ninety-Six, S. C., on Thursday of this week.

The Rev. Mr. Burt has lived here for the past four years, and has been actively identified with the work of the Baptist church in this county, having been pastor of the Rosman Baptist church for more than three years and is now pastor of the Oak Grove church at Calvert. He will continue to serve these two churches.

Mr. Burt and family have made many warm friends throughout the county during their stay here, and many expressions of regret have been heard of his having to move away.

DISTRICT OFFICE OF FERA NOW LOCATED IN HENDERSONVILLE

Organization of the district relief agency has been effected with Transylvania, Polk and Henderson counties comprising one unit instead of three as has been the case for the past two years.

Noah Hollowell, former Brevard newspaper man, but more recently in business in Hendersonville, has been selected as district supervisor. Fred Miller, Transylvania disbursing officer under the CWA setup, has been appointed as district farm supervisor with J. R. Reagan of Asheville as project engineer. Ralph B. Hester of Hendersonville as disbursing, Miss Deen McNeill of Asheville as district case worker, and Miss Jeanette Nabors of Polk county as district statistician.

In the Brevard office Mrs. Patton, Mrs. Ryan and Mrs. Franklin are continuing with the same holding true in the case of Miss Dorothy Southers and Mrs. Tom Mitchell. Miss Connie Ratchford is in charge of the supply depot. W. A. Wilson, director for this county since inception of the work here, resigned the first of the year and entered business as manager of the Whiteway Dry Cleaners.

Mrs. Clyde Sitton Is Heart Attack Victim

Funeral services for Mrs. Clyde Sitton, 38, who died Friday night of heart attack at her home near Selma, were held Sunday afternoon at Cathey's Creek Baptist church. Officiating ministers were the Rev. Walter Holtzclaw, pastor, the Rev. C. C. Reece, the Rev. Judson Corn and the Rev. Paul Hartsell. Interment was in the cemetery nearby.

Mrs. Sitton, the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bryson, of Selma, is survived by her parents, husband, seven children and several brothers and sisters. Pallbearers were brothers of Mrs. Sitton.

Town Board Seeking Permission To Accept Any Bonds For Back Taxes

Bill Introduced in Senate Calling For Payment of 1930 and Prior Years Taxes in Bonds and Notes Maturing At Any Date—May Be Amended to Include 1931 Levy.

The board of aldermen in meeting Saturday night passed resolutions asking that Senator Ralph Ramsey and Representative W. M. Henry introduce a measure in the general assembly allowing the town of Brevard to take notes, bonds and coupons of any maturity in payment of 1930 and prior taxes, and for paving assessments.

After lengthy discussion, the board decided that a clause leaving it to the discretion of the board as to whether demand should be made for payment of the current year's taxes in order to take advantage of the 1931 and prior year's offer.

It was pointed out by the board that payment of special taxes and other incomes of the town government might be sufficient to take care of the general fund provided current tax payment would fall off under the payment plan advocated for past due taxes.

Under the provisions of the bill requested, debt service portion of taxes for 1934 would still be payable in past due bonds.

A bill was presented in the upper house of the legislature last Friday by Senator Ralph H. Ramsey of Transylvania county, which will if passed, make it mandatory that the tax collector take past due bonds, notes and coupons in payment of debt service portion of taxes of current year, and bonds, notes and coupons of any maturity in full payment of 1930 and prior taxes.

It is very probable that an amendment will be offered to the bill so

as to include 1931 taxes also. The bill as introduced, follows:

Section 1. That the Tax Collector of Transylvania county shall accept in payment of the debt service portion of current and/or delinquent taxes any bond or bonds, note or notes, matured interest coupon or coupons, due or to become due in the current fiscal year at par value.

Section 2. That the Tax Collector of Transylvania county shall accept in full payment of taxes levied for the year 1930 and year prior thereto any bond or bonds, note or notes, due or to become due, and/or matured interest coupon or coupons of said county at par value; Provided, that before accepting such bonds, notes and interest coupons in full payment of taxes levied for the year 1930 and years prior thereto, the said Tax Collector shall require the payment of current taxes; and, Provided further that if foreclosure suit shall have been started on any tax sale certificate issued for taxes levied for the year 1930 or years prior thereto all costs incurred in said suit and charged against taxpayer shall be required to be paid in cash.

Section 3. That the Tax Collector of Transylvania county shall be allowed full credit in his settlement with said county for all bonds, notes and interest coupons received by him in payment of taxes in accordance with the provisions of this act.

Section 4. That all laws or clauses of laws in conflict with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed.

Section 5. That this act shall be in full force and effect from and after its ratification.

DONATIONS MADE TO NURSERY SCHOOL

Acknowledgement of cash and other donations for the ERE nursery school is made by one of the teachers, Mrs. Constance Banks, and appreciation is expressed to the following donors:

Cash for coal—Mrs. John Verner, Mrs. J. B. Petit and Mrs. J. N. Waters.

Clothes, valuable donation of coats, mittens and warm woolen clothes—Mrs. Harold Norwood, Mrs. Charles Jenkins and Mrs. Kate DeLong.

Toys and other donations—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sellers and Mrs. Bertram Ramsay.

Lumber to make folding camp cots—Carr Lumber company.

Canvas for cots—J. S. Silverstein.

An appeal is made by the teachers of the nursery school for the urgent need of cash for coal and house rent. A ton of coal is needed each month and the house rental of \$10 per month is now due, donations towards which by organizations or individuals will be gratefully received, it is stated.

Of interest to note concerning the school is the fact that there have been no absences of children from the school on account of sickness during the recent flu epidemic in the county. This fact is accounted for largely because of the proper feeding and expert care of the children during school hours each day.

Corn-Hog Contracts

Crop production, or corn-hog contracts have not been received in this county yet, according to Professor Julian Glazener, but are expected within a short time. Exact details of the contract are not known, but are expected to be similar to last year's.

Commissioners Held Brief Meet Saturday

At a meeting of the county commissioners last Saturday, M. B. Bagwell was hired to fire the furnace at the county jail at a monthly salary of \$20. R. H. Hale, janitor at the court house, was continued on his job at a rate of \$30 per month.

Senator Ralph H. Ramsey was in conference with the commissioners in regard to placing the county officials on a salary instead of commission basis.

HONOR ROLL

The following have renewed their subscription to the home paper since last Wednesday:

- Mitchell Holden, Brevard R-1.
 - T. G. Miller, Brevard.
 - Carl Bryson, Brevard.
 - J. M. Meece, Brevard R-2.
 - W. W. Duckworth, Marshall.
 - S. C. Yates, Landrum.
 - Mrs. Ella M. Bryan, Duncan.
 - Glenn Miller, Tennessee.
 - Mrs. H. C. Stophel, Rosman.
 - A. L. Owen, Wolf Mountain.
 - D. H. Orr, R-2.
 - R. E. Capps, R-2.
 - J. L. Jones, Brevard.
 - Mrs. Jno. F. Henry, Kentucky.
 - Mrs. J. F. Matney, Statesville.
 - Mrs. M. C. Sumeral, Rosman.
- The Times welcomes the following new members to its family of readers:
- Mrs. J. E. Bracken, Brevard R-3.
 - G. A. Hovis, Rosman.
 - Wade H. Davis, Liberty, S. C.

DROUTH CATTLE ALL BEING SHIPPED OUT

The last of around 2,400 head of drouth area cattle have been ordered shipped out of the county by state relief headquarters, according to Noah Hollowell, district FERA manager.

The latest decision to remove all the government cattle from North Carolina was caused by the fact that cattle in some sections were found to be infested with scabies. This brought about complications between the state department of relief and veterinary, and rather than aggravate the situation, Mrs. Thomas O'Berry, state relief director, gave orders to remove all government cattle from North Carolina.

Mr. Hollowell specifically stated that there had been no evidence found scabbies in the cattle in this section, but that inasmuch as the order was general for North Carolina, the three hundred or more head that had been left here had to be shipped out.

It was original intention of the FERA to retain three hundred head of the best cattle in the county, some of the milk cows to be loaned to needy families in the rehabilitation program, and some steers for working under the same plan.

Twenty-five work mules have been received in the district comprised of Transylvania, Henderson and Polk, and these will be used in the program.

Mr. Hollowell stated that it was not the intention of the government to give these mules away; neither was it the purpose to give feed for them, but that in all cases, including furnishing of any kind of provisions or supplies, the people would be required to pay for same.

Bagwell Opens Store On East Main Street

Announcement is being made in this issue of The Times by Lambert E. Bagwell of the opening of a new grocery and feed store in the old Chamber of Commerce building on East Main street.

Mr. Bagwell is well known throughout the section, having been in business near Rockbrook for a number of years.

AT LYDAY HOSPITAL

Patients reported at Lyday Memorial hospital the past week include: Connell Talley, J. C. Whiteside, Will Bowen, Martha and Omelia White, Clara Barton and Lucien English.

Credit Association To Meet In Asheville

The annual meeting of the Asheville Production Credit Association serving the counties of Buncombe, Henderson, Haywood, Madison and Transylvania will be held on January 29th at the court house in Asheville, it is announced by K. V. Morrow, secretary of the association.

Not only are all of the farmer-borrowers of Class B stock expected to be present, but Mr. Morrow said that a most cordial invitation was also extended to all other farmers in the territory served by the association and that it was hoped that large numbers would accept the invitation.

PROPOSE CHANGE OF TAX LISTING DATE

RALEIGH Jan. 16—The legislature is expected to change the annual date of listing property for taxes from April 1 to January 1 beginning with the 1935-1937 biennium.

The local government commission, in a special recommendation to the general assembly, advocates this change, emphasizing that "it has long been a sound contention that much personal property is escaping the tax books on account of the listing date in neighboring states being January 1."

Sam F. Puette Dies At Home In Lenoir

A telegram Monday announced the death of Sam F. Puette in Lenoir. Particulars were not given, though it is known that he had been in declining health. Mr. Puette was once a resident of Brevard, and is remembered as a popular citizen, and brother of the late W. J. Puette whose widow lives here now.

Mr. Puette was the uncle of Mrs. C. D. McFee, Mrs. John Smith and Mrs. Will Hunt of Brevard, and is survived by three grown children of his own, and his wife.

BILL DRAFTED TO PROVIDE FOR LEGAL LIQUOR

RALEIGH, Jan. 15—A liquor bill to liberalize the Turlington act and provide for the legal sale of whiskey in North Carolina has been drafted by a member of the general assembly, who has been a life long dry, and will be introduced in the next few weeks, it was learned tonight.

The proponent of the measure requested that his name not be used until the bill is actually introduced.

The proposed bill is complete in every detail, containing 24 sections, it was learned. No estimate of the amount of revenue to be raised under the measure has been made, but the state would get a tax of 10 per cent on the sale price of the liquor and all of the profits.

The measure would set up a system of state liquor stores to be located at points selected by the state board, which will administer the act.

A certain percentage of the qualified voters of any municipality would be allowed to outlaw location of a liquor store there.

Transylvania Men Are On Committees

Transylvania county's members of the General Assembly were recognized in the appointment of committees, with Senator Ralph H. Ramsey being made head of the important senate committee on salaries and fees, while Representative W. M. Henry was named chairman of the committee on institutions for the blind.

In addition to the chairmanship, Mr. Ramsey was also made a member of the following senate committees: Trustees of the university, public roads, election laws, appropriations, manufacturing, labor and commerce, judiciary No. 1, journal and institutions for the blind.

Other house committees on which Mr. Henry was assigned includes committee on finance, education, institutions for the deaf and dumb.

Effort Being Made By Henderson County Group To "Rehabilitate" River Valley

Concerted effort is being made by people of Henderson county to have the French Broad River valley drainage program started by the federal government.

A committee formed and authorized by the Henderson county board of commissioners during 1934 made report last week that it had completed its preliminary plans and was ready to submit plans to the federal government and TVA officials, both of which have sent representatives to this section in interest of the rehabilitation program.

A representative of the Tennessee Valley Authority was in Brevard during August of last year, and met with members of the county commissioners, the board of aldermen and other citizens, at which time the matter of rehabilitating farms in this section was gone into thoroughly. There was no publicity given the matter at that time by request of the Tennessee Valley representative it being this official's suggestion that an actual survey be made before the general public was told of the movement.

The matter is fully set forth in the following letter which was mailed by the authorized committee of Henderson county last week, the letter being forwarded to the North Carolina representative of the TVA and a copy to the several governmental agencies:

"Dear Sir:

"In keeping with your suggestion that our committee of local citizens interested in the development of Henderson county submit a

HI SCHOOL STARTS SEASON ON TUESDAY

Brevard and Rosman Teams To Play Double Header On Main Street Court

Brevard high school basketball squads will officially open the season here next Tuesday night in the city gym with a double-header between Brevard and Rosman.

The gym has been put in excellent shape and seats for around 150 provided. Coaches Tilson and Wilkins state, however, that there will be plenty of standing room for those who wish to attend.

Both the boys and girls teams are showing up better this season than last, while the Rosman aggregation has been noted for several years for its up-to-date playing, both the Rosman girls and boys being rated among the best teams in this section of the state.

On Monday night of next week the local boys outfit will play Christ School there.

Bank To Close Saturday

Transylvania Trust company will be closed on Saturday of this week, Jan. 19, in honor of Robert E. Lee's birthday, this being a holiday in all North Carolina banks. Business houses are advised to get change and cash for payrolls on Friday.

Dry Leaders Called To Meet Here On Friday

County leaders in the dry cause are called to meet at the Brevard Baptist church on Friday evening of this week at 7:30 o'clock, at which time the Rev. Jesse C. Owen will discuss the liquor question as it now stands in North Carolina.

The Rev. Mr. Owen, a native of Transylvania, is now devoting his entire time to temperance work, and has headquarters in Asheville.

Hunters Ask Repeal of Legislative Enactment

Recommendations were adopted at a meeting of the Game Commission here last Friday night asking that the hunting law as passed in the 1933 legislature be repealed and that the squirrel law read Sept. 1 to Nov. 30; the quail ground, Nov. 15 to Jan. 1; and that the fishing season remain as now in effect. Other game seasons to be guided by general laws now applicable to the western zone.

The petitions will be presented to Representative Henry and Senator Ramsey, and were signed by Judge D. L. English for the Transylvania Fish and Game association, and by W. L. Aiken, E. R. Galloway and Otto Alexander, members of the game commission for Transylvania county under the department of conservation and development.

Garbage Truck Makes One Round Per Week

Announcement is made by the town of Brevard to the effect that beginning this week the garbage truck will make only one round through the residential sections.

This move is necessitated, it is explained by City Clerk Harry Patton, due to the small force the town is now employing. It will not be necessary to telephone the city hall for the truck, as it will make regular rounds each Friday throughout the residential section.

Effort Being Made By Henderson County Group To "Rehabilitate" River Valley

plan of proposed developments, we are herewith offering the following suggestions:

"First, make an agricultural survey of the French Broad valley and its principal tributaries with the view to determining our agricultural possibilities and the advantages that would result from better drainage and flood control.

"Second, Analyze the practicability of blasting and moving Buck Shoals on the French Broad river with the view to lowering the stream bed of the river and removing numerous logs and drifts of fallen timber which have clogged the streams, and lowering the stream beds of the river and tributaries and straightening the stream channels where necessary to increase the flow.

"Third, Make a survey with the view to determining the increased population that could be placed to advantage on the French Broad river and its tributaries, as a result of drainage, prevention of soil erosion and other agricultural improvements, this increased population in valley to come from Henderson county sub-marginal lands.

"Fourth, Continue in the area testing of fertilizers made by the Tennessee Valley authorities and demonstrate the value of the same, and show the practicability of prevention of soil erosion through demonstrations of land terracing.

"Fifth, Study the advisability of restoring the Blue Ridge lime plant.

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