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COTTON MILL HERE STARTED MONDAY

Brevard Concern Will Give Employment to Over Hundred Folk

Welcome identification of people returning to work was given Monday morning when the Pisgah Cotton Mills whistle gave its familiar toot-toot calling the workers back on the job.

Around fifty people are now employed at the mill, starting the production of yarns, with other workers to be added as the process moves forward through the mill.

Bank Plan Approved By Superior Court

Plan for speeding up liquidation of the closed Brevard Banking company has been approved by the Superior court, and announcement of filing of the plan with the clerk of court at Brevard is made in this week's issue of the Times.

The plan as set out in the agreement of depositors and the banking department was approved several weeks ago by a meeting of depositors.

Walter Weilt Kills Big Bear in County

Walter Weilt made his second bear kill of the season this week, the large fat black bear being larger than the first one killed a few weeks ago, which weighed 510 pounds.

The kill was made on the Tar Kilm Rod and Gun club in the Cathey's Creek section, practically the same spot the first bear was killed. Mr. Weilt used a .30 '06 Springfield rifle.

Several people profited handsomely by the successful shooting of Mr. Weilt, including the editor of The Times—choice cuts of bear meat being passed around.

Masons Meet Friday

Regular communication of Duun's Rock lodge will be held in the Masonic hall Friday night, November 8th at 8:00 o'clock. All members are urged to be present and a cordial invitation is extended to all visiting Masons.

At the conclusion of the meeting refreshments will be served.

People Should Guard Against Forest Fires

Editor The Times: The writer has for years had a complex against forest fires and now that the dry fall weather is here, he like "Uncle Bill" Childs, "feels a verse coming on."

Transylvania County, in area, is about 75 per cent woodland and in no section of the United States is there a greater opportunity for re-production of merchantable timber; all that is necessary is to keep fires out and nature will take care of the balance of the plan.

Year after year we see fires maliciously and carelessly set up and down the ridges of this beautiful French Broad valley, leaving behind desolation and ruin; leaf mold destroyed, young timber blighted, scorched and causing an almost incalculable economic loss to the community, particularly posterity.

For the last three years the company that this writer has been connected with has been operating on the East Fork of the French-Broad river and never in all his experience as a timberman and surveyor, north, south, east and west, has he seen such an example of what uncontrolled forest fires can do; fine virgin poplar, oak and chestnut timber, scarred and diseased, humus burned to the gravel, and the young thrifty reproduction stopped, and on many of the ridges nothing but exposed rocks and debris.

Old residents along the valley tell us that for the last 50 years during dry times, the tell-tale smoke could be seen off toward and on the Blue Ridge, and little or nothing done about it; in fact many seemed to believe that these fires were like boils, a good thing to have about once a year, even if they did leave scars.

It is going to be very difficult to convince some folk that if we are to preserve for future generations a continuous crop of forest products from these wooded areas of our county, that these fires will have to be eliminated as favorite outdoor sport but we can teach the young ones, they who will benefit most, the grave danger and instruct and advise in every possible way in school and home against carelessness with matches, cigarettes and in camp fire building in any of our forested sections. Hunters and fishermen should have common sense enough to guide them in this important phase of conservation in which they are interested.

More anon. A. H. HARRIS. Brevard, Nov. 3.

Renew Your Subscription

Booster Day Will Be Observed Here For Football Team

Booster Day will be observed in Brevard Friday afternoon, when all the town is asked to turn out for the football game between the Brevard College varsity and Boiling Springs varsity.

Several business houses have been contacted and others will be seen Thursday, with the view of closing all places of business from three to five o'clock, in order that all managers and workers in the various concerns may see the game.

The following business houses have agreed to close from three to five o'clock for the game: Times office, Bradley's, Trantham's, Plummer's, Farmer's Supply company, Moore Hardware, Simpson Barber shop, Smith Barber shop, Tinsley Barber shop, Variety store, Long's Drug store, Macfie Drug store, Brevard Shoe shop.

The game Friday will be the last one of the season to be played by the Brevard College squad at home with the exception of the Mars Hill game here on Thanksgiving, and in view of the fact that many of the business houses have consented to close their doors for duration of the game, it is believed that the move can be made unanimous.

The Jamesmen have had a good season so far, having tied one game and won the rest of the five game schedule played so far. Brevard fans are pulling for the college squad to be conference champions this year, an honor they tied for last year with the Mars Hill college aggregation.

WILL ROGERS FUND INAUGURATED HERE

Memorial to American Humorist Planned by People of United States

The Transylvania Times and the Transylvania Trust company will receive subscribers beginning Thursday, Nov. 7, and continuing through November 27 for the national memorial to Will Rogers, being planned by a commission organized for that purpose.

A nation-wide drive was begun Monday—the 56th anniversary of the birth of Will Rogers—to raise funds for appropriate memorial to the great American humorist and philosopher who was killed recently in an airplane accident in Alaska.

Carl Goerch, Raleigh newspaperman, has been appointed by the governor to serve as state executive for North Carolina Will Rogers Memorial Committee and he has requested C. M. Douglas, editor of The Transylvania Times, to act as chairman of the memorial committee in Transylvania county.

What form the memorial will take has not been decided and will depend upon the amount of money contributed by those who were made happy throughout the country by the warm and friendly humor of Will Rogers. But the commission emphasizes that it will not sponsor "a cold shaft of marble" for such a vital, human personality as Will Rogers was. Rather it will be some form of living memento worthy of the kind-hearted, sympathetic man whose memory it will perpetuate.

The national committee in charge is composed of Owen D. Young, Governor E. W. Marland of Oklahoma, Will H. Hays, Amon G. Carter, Jesse H. Jones, James G. Blaine and Capt. Eddie Rickenbacker.

Many other persons of national prominence are taking part in the campaign, such as Alice Roosevelt Longworth, Vice President Garner, Henry Ford, Herbert Hoover, Alfred E. Smith and dozens of others.

Admirers of Will Rogers are invited to use the coupon printed below in sending their contributions to The Times office or the Transylvania Trust company. All contributions will be forwarded by Chairman Douglas and the bank here at the close of the campaign on Nov. 27 to the Will Rogers Memorial commission and all donations will be acknowledged through The Times, unless the donor otherwise requests.

There will be no solicitation of subscriptions by the newspaper or the bank for funds, but voluntary contributions will be received in any amount by the bank or newspaper.

WILL ROGERS MEMORIAL FUND

Date.....

To the Editor: Wishing to have a part in perpetuating the memory of one of our most beloved and useful citizens, I enclose herewith my contribution of.....

to the Will Rogers Memorial fund. I understand that this gift will be added to others from Transylvania county and will go without any deductions whatsoever to the national fund to be expended, also without any deduction, as the memorial committee may determine.

Name..... Address.....

FOOTBALL

Celebrate Sixtieth Wedding Anniversary Thursday



Marking a milestone in the lives of Mr. and Mrs. Joe A. Bryson is their 60th wedding anniversary, which occurs on Thursday, November 7. The day is also the birthday of Mrs. Bryson.

Mr. Bryson will be 79 on December 27, and Mrs. Bryson is celebrating her 77th birthday Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Bryson make their home at Selma, two miles from Brevard, in the former home of Mrs. Bryson's parents. They are both natives of Transylvania county and have lived here all their lives with the exception of two years spent in South Carolina. They have been members of the Cathey's Creek Baptist church, near their home, practically all of their lives. Mr. Bryson, the oldest

member of the church, has served as deacon for many years.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryson both enjoy excellent health and are able to do considerable work about the home and farm. They have a wide circle of friends throughout the county, and a cordial welcome always awaits them in the Bryson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryson are the parents of 11 children, one of whom died less than a year ago. With the exception of two children living in South Carolina, all of them live in Transylvania county near their parents' home. In addition to the 10 living children, there are 40 grandchildren and 25 great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Bryson was formerly Miss Amelia Duckworth, daughter of the late Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Duckworth

of this county. Her father was a Baptist minister, former postmaster and clerk of the court and holder of other prominent offices in Transylvania county. Mr. Bryson is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Bryson.

The above picture was taken one year ago, and shows Mr. and Mrs. Bryson sitting in front of the group. Standing, reading left to right, are their children: Mrs. Emma Smith, nee of Cherryfield, who died in January of this year; O. H. Bryson, of Selma; Mrs. Robert Phillips, of Piedmont; S. C.; Mrs. E. N. Moore, of Marietta; S. C.; Al Bryson, of Rosman; Mrs. B. T. Tinsley, of Brevard; J. D. Bryson, of Selma; Joe Bryson, Jr., of Selma; Mrs. Tille Currie, of Selma; O. O. Bryson, of Selma, and Miss Mae Bryson, of Selma.

Board Aldermen Hold Regular Meet Monday

French Broad avenue at intersection of North Broad street is to be made a boulevard stop, according to action taken by the board of aldermen in meeting here Monday night. Chairman Kilpatrick made the recommendation from the street committee and pointed out that there had been several more or less serious wrecks at the intersection recently.

Order was made that suitable signs be painted on the streets, with "stop" being painted on French Broad and "slow" on Broad street. Policemen have been instructed to see that the stop rule is obeyed.

Decision was made by the board to start immediate construction of a bridge across King's Creek, northwest of the Pisgah cotton mills, the work being started now in order to have the concrete work complete before cold weather. R. P. Kilpatrick, contractor, will be in charge of building the bridge which will give people who live in that section of town better connections with the main streets.

Ralph H. Ramsey, city attorney, was instructed to proceed with foreclosure of 1932 tax sale certificates, with suits to be filed in the matter during November. Under the new tax law it is mandatory that foreclosure proceedings be instituted by which the town will take over all property on which 1932 taxes have not been paid, the town to give legal ownership of the property, with right to make transfer of the property as any common holder.

AT LYDAY HOSPITAL

Patients reported at Lyday Memorial hospital on Wednesday: Gertrude Gravelly, Clara Barton, Ray Blankenship, Walter Banks, Joe Breedlove and Alfred Mullis.

High School Plays Swannanoa Team on Thursday Afternoon

Coach Tilson's high school eleven will play Swannanoa gridsters here Thursday afternoon at three-thirty, the game to be played on the high school field.

Date of the game has been moved up from Friday to Thursday in order not to conflict with the Brevard College game here Friday afternoon with Boiling Springs.

Last Friday the Tilson men played at Marshall, and although they were short the services of Morris in the backfield, held the heavy Madison county team to a 0-0 tie.

Brevard is working hard for the Thursday afternoon game, the boys remembering the close win they had last year over the Swannanoa aggregation. Probable line-up will be: Ends, Hendrix and Nelson; tackles, Hollingsworth and Ashworth; guards, McMinn and McJunkins; center, Osborne; quarter, Pickelsimer; halfbacks, Siniard and Misenheimer; fullback, Morris.

Jurors Selected To Service at December Term Superior Court

Jurors to serve the two weeks mixed term of Superior court which will convene here on Monday, Dec. 2, were drawn by the jury commission Saturday and the list published herewith.

First week of the December term will be given over to the hearing of criminal cases, with the second week scheduled for hearing of civil matters. Judge W. F. Harding is scheduled to preside, with Solicitor Clarence O. Ridings appearing for the state in criminal cases.

Following is list of jurors chosen:

- First Week J. T. Harrison, Sapphire; J. H. McCall, Brevard R-2; S. P. Allison, Brevard; Overton Kitchen, Lake Toxaway; Harold Hart, Pisgah Forest; A. E. Hogsd, Romain; Karl T. Bosse, Brevard; Lewis Orr, Brevard R-2; John McKelvey, Brevard R-1; D. R. Bryson, Brevard; K-3; Geo. Hendrix, Brevard R-1; H. B. Ciappell, Rosman; Lewis Morgan, Rosman.

- M. D. Hardin, Lake Toxaway R-1; A. R. Gillespie, Brevard; W. A. McCall, Balsam Grove; C. L. Osborne, Balsam Grove; Dealus Cantrell, Rosman; O. Duels, Brevard; Charlie Buckner, Balsam Grove; J. B. Jones, Brevard; C. K. Osborne, Brevard; L. T. Farning, Brevard; Jackson Holden, Brevard; A. N. Jenkins, Brevard.

- Second Week Reland Owen, Brevard; Daniel Justice, Penrose; V. B. Waldron, Brevard R-3; John Holler, Brevard; Hudson Hall, Lake Toxaway R-1; H. G. Rogers, Lake Toxaway; M. A. Moore, Brevard R-3; John W. Mann, Brevard R-1; R. W. Breedlove, Brevard R-3; J. H. Conner, Rosman; A. D. Rogers, Rosman.

- L. R. Staton, Rosman; E. J. Edney, Penrose; A. P. Nicholson, Sapphire; A. O. Brown, Brevard R-2; Oscar Galloway, Lake Toxaway R-1; Claude Jones, Lake Toxaway; R. A. Owen, Lake Toxaway R-1; Howard Whitmore, Brevard; C. C. Yongue, Brevard; J. C. Maxwell, Brevard R-2.

- J. K. Henderson, Brevard; Thomas Whitmore Jr., Brevard; H. G. Burrell, Brevard; Charlie Gillespie, Brevard R-1; Manning McCrary, Cedar Mountain; S. A. Bryson, Rosman; Chris Fisher, Brevard; Ira McCall, Balsam Grove.

Fashion Store Sold at Bankrupt Sale

J. D. Hobbs of Mt. Holly bought the Fashion Department store at bankrupt sale here Wednesday afternoon, he being highest of a large group of bidders.

Mr. Hobbs stated after the sale, which was held by Ralph H. Ramsey, trustee in federal court bankruptcy proceedings, that the store would be re-opened in the near future.

Two Brevard Girls Honored at School

Miss Ora Holt Long and Miss Dorothy Everett, popular Brevard girls who are students at Salem Academy, Winston-Salem, have been signally honored by being selected to important posts in the student body of the widely known institution.

Miss Long, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Roy Long, has been elected editor-in-chief of the "Quill Pen" staff, the school annual, and Miss Everett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Randall W. Everett, is head of the Purple Athletic association and treasurer of the senior class organization. Elections at the academy were held last week, and the two Brevard girls were given the highest offices in the student organizations.

Little Theatre Here Will Be Fine Asset

The Little Theatre movement in Brevard began October 14 at the home of Miss Beulah Mae Zachary. The meeting was called to order by Miss Zachary, the organizer, and after some discussion the following officers were unanimously elected: President, Miss Beulah Mae Zachary; vice president, Mrs. Eugene Coltrane; recording secretary, Mrs. Thorvald Berg; corresponding secretary, Miss Lillian Jenkins; treasurer, J. A. Carlisle.

It was decided that the organization should be governed by an executive committee consisting of the officers and Miss Martha Boswell, Mrs. Lucille Smith and Miss Ethel McMinn.

The purpose of the movement is to find and get together the people in Brevard who are interested in dramatics and in giving public performances of various plays. The organization will be glad to cooperate with the clubs in town and hopes to prove a useful and pleasing adjunct to the community.

There are to be two types of members, i. e., those who wish to participate actively in the productions as actors, playwrights, directors, property managers, publicity directors, etc., and those who wish to be just spectators. The membership fee is the same in both cases. This fee entitles the member to admission to all public performances and choice of seats before tickets go on sale to the general public.

A second meeting was held November 4th, with many interested persons attending. These signified their preference as to type of membership by signing the blanks furnished by the president.

A play, "Judge Lynch," was most interestingly presented by Mrs. E. Coltrane, assisted by Mrs. E. Coltrane, J. A. Carlisle and J. W. Williams.

At the next meeting definite arrangements will be made for the public presentation of a play to take place in the near future. Much interest has been evidenced in this movement and the organization welcomes the support and encouragement thus shown.

HIGHWAY 284 GIVES WORK TO BIG GROUP

Work Also Started On Part Of Important Road In Haywood County

Over a hundred and fifty men are given employment on the Looking Glass section of the Pisgah National Forest road known as highway 284, with the payroll each week running to \$2,300.00.

Crews are engaged in road building and construction of bridges, our structures to be erected on the five-mile project, with two steam shovels being used on the job.

Plans now call for completion of the five mile stretch of this important highway link by June 1 of next year, at which time it is hoped letting of the two connecting links— from the Looking Glass project to Wagon Road Gap, and from Looking Glass to the Boylston road, will be taken care of by the state highway commission.

When completed the road will be 24 feet wide with an 8-foot base of crushed-stone surface and will receive treatment to be done later.

W. H. Anderson Construction company is building the road with P. J. Reece in charge. Rickenbacker Construction company is building the structures with T. R. McMillan in charge. State Highway Engineer Grace has supervision of the work for the state.

Transylvania county people are vitally interested in this road as it will offer direct connections with the Scenic Highway within less than twenty miles of Brevard, and will also tie in with U. S. 76, U. S. 84, and the Pickens highway.

WAYNESVILLE, Nov. 6—Work has started on the Bethel Springs-Edale four-mile stretch of highway 284, with C. A. Bagley, engineer of Louisburg in charge of supervision. Two bridges will be constructed on the project, entire cost of which will be \$90,000.

NEW ARRIVALS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Newton Teague a daughter, Mary Nell, on Saturday, October 26.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Corn a son, Thomas Charles, on Wednesday, October 30. Mrs. Corn is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Barnett, of Pisgah Forest.

Revival Services to Close Sunday Night

Revival services which have been in progress at the Brevard Presbyterian church the past 10 days will come to a close with the final service Sunday night, according to a statement by the pastor, the Rev. J. P. Simmons.

An increasing attendance is noted each night and the gospel messages delivered by Dr. R. D. Bedinger are forceful and inspiring. Special musical features at each service and Dr. Bedinger's 10 minute talks on his African missionary experiences are added features of interest and helpfulness.

In observance of National Week of Prayer and Self-denial for foreign missions, November 3 to 10, the services this week stress this national observance. Dr. Bedinger speaks for a few minutes each evening on some phase of foreign mission work in addition to telling of his African experiences.

The three circles will have a joint meeting at the church Thursday afternoon at 3:45 o'clock, at which time Dr. Bedinger will address the ladies. He will also speak to the ladies at Pisgah Forest Friday afternoon.

Rosman Legion Meeting

Announcement is made by Eck Sims, commander of the American Legion at Rosman, that a meeting will be held Friday night at 7:30 o'clock in the Rosman Woodman hall. All ex-service men are urged to be present.

WPA WORK WILL START IN COUNTY DURING NEXT WEEK

Several Transylvania work projects under the Works Progress Administration will be going by the middle of next week. W. E. Brees, district director said Wednesday.

Funds for projects for the entire district are being received at the Asheville office, Mr. Brees said, and he hopes to have several thousand people at work in the district in a few days under the WPA setup.

Farm to market roads will be first on the list for Transylvania county for employment of men, the director said, with very probably a sewer project starting in Brevard at the same time, and some of the women's work.

First work is being started in the sections where needy unemployed labor is found, in order to take care of relief cases, with other work to be added.

Brevard High Thursday Brevard College Friday