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## FARM PROGRAM FOR 1937 IS ADOPTED

### Increase in Livestock and Poultry, and Other Improvements Planned

Tentative 1937 farm program for Transylvania County was adopted at a meeting of farmers last Thursday who were called in by the county agents and agricultural teachers.

Twenty men were present for the meeting, and after discussing various phases of the agricultural situation here, adopted as goal for this county a general improvement program which includes soil conservation and building, improvement in livestock and poultry, reforestation, setting up of a co-operative market, staging a county fair and furthering 4-H and vocational work.

Stress is to be laid on the program of conservation and soil building which has already been started in the county, and each of the several communities will set up their own organizations to work with the county advisory committee in the program. Community organizations have been functioning during the past year, and have been material assets in furthering the agricultural and trucking programs.

More workstock in the county is to be one of the chief aims of the setup for the year. It was pointed out that there is a dire shortage of work animals in the county, and goal of 20 brood mares was set for the coming year, with one jack and one additional stud.

Dual purpose cattle was decided upon as most suited to this county with a few exceptions, and fact was also brought out that there should be tests for abortion and T. B.

Economical sources of feed for dairy and beef cattle was discussed with emphasis being stressed by those who had used them, on the trench silos. Several of the farmers present stated that ensilage cut their feed costs in half or less last winter. Goal of 16 additional new trench silos was set by the group.

Improvement of breed of hogs was set up as one of the objectives, with no special breed designated. Inoculation of hogs against cholera was pointed out as a factor which was necessary if there is to be a profit in hog raising, and mention was made of the fact that outside hogs are being brought into the county without first being inoculated.

There are less than a thousand sheep in Transylvania, it was revealed by informed farmers at the meeting, and these farmers said that raising sheep was out of the question until there (Continued on Back Page)

## Heavy Rainfall Here Thursday and Friday

The French Broad River reached the near-flood stage last Thursday and Friday, after a heavy rainfall throughout the county.

Roads leading from the Hendersonville highway to Little River, up Davidson River, and toward Pisgah Forest from the French Broad bridge, as well as several others in the county were flooded Friday. No serious damage to crops was reported, with exception of some of the lower bottom lands.

At Brevard, the official weather recording showed .64 inches of rainfall Thursday before 5 o'clock, and a total of four inches for the two days.

## Brevard Pastor At Methodist Conference

The Rev. J. H. Brandall, pastor of Brevard Methodist church, left Wednesday for Salisbury where he will attend the annual session of the Western Carolina Conference in session there through Sunday of this week.

Official request has gone to Bishop Paul B. Kern of the conference and Presiding Elder W. A. Rollins, asking that the popular minister who has served very acceptably as pastor here for the past two years, be returned.

It is felt in some circles, that Mr. Brandall may be sent to a larger charge by the conference officials, hence the request from the board of stewards and others that he be sent back to Brevard.

## Local Teachers Are Honored At Meeting

At the 14th annual convention of the Western district of the North Carolina Education association, held Friday and Saturday, in Asheville, a number of Brevard teachers and school officials were elected chairmen or members of various departmental groups.

Principal John E. Ruffy, of the Brevard elementary school, was elected president of the elementary principals' group; President E. J. Coltrane, of Brevard College, was elected president of the higher education group; Jack S. Dendy, of the Brevard College science department, was named president of the science teachers' group; Miss Beulah May Zachary, of the Brevard elementary school, was made secretary of the dramatic art group.

At a meeting of the Western Carolina Adult Education association held in Asheville in conjunction with the teachers' meeting, officers of this group were also elected, with Mrs. Allie C. Wilson, of Brevard, being elected president. Mrs. Wilson is supervisor of the adult education work in Transylvania county.

Adult education workers attending the Asheville meeting included: Mrs. Allie C. Wilson, Miss Sadie North, Miss Susie Jordan, Mrs. Sam McCullough, Mrs. Ruth Simpson and Mrs. Ethel Wilde.

T. C. Roberson, superintendent of Buncombe county schools, was elected president of the Western district teachers' association.

## Ben Ames Williams Writes New Serial For Our Readers

Ben Ames Williams, one of America's foremost fiction writers, is the author of "Deputy of the Devil," this paper's new serial story. It deals with a famous physician, Dr. Greeding, who imagined himself endowed with strange supernatural power. He used it selfishly



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to gain his own desires at the expense of others, forgetting the old axiom that "he who eats with the devil must use a long spoon." Like the famous Dr. Faustus, this man was finally rebuffed by his own fiendish tactics.

Intermingled with this unique plot is a fascinating love story in which the doctor's daughter and a young college professor whom Dr. Greeding dislikes are the principals.

"Deputy of the Devil" follows a series of remarkable stories by Ben Ames Williams, including "Hostile Valley," "Honeyflow," "All the Brothers Were Valiant" and "Great Oaks." He has also written innumerable short stories for magazines.

Williams started his career as a newspaper reporter in Boston, following his graduation from Dartmouth college in 1910.

He now lives in Massachusetts, spending his summers in Maine indulging in his favorite sports of trout and bass fishing, tennis, golf and swimming.

We urge our readers to follow "Deputy of the Devil" from issue to issue as it unfolds serially in these columns. You'll receive a pleasant treat from this unique tale . . . a treat seldom made available to newspaper readers.

Don't put it off—renew your subscription today.



## POLITICAL PICK-UPS IN TRANSYLVANIA COUNTY

### Jim Shipman, Mrs. McKee To Speak For Demos

J. E. Shipman of Hendersonville, will speak at Brevard court house Thursday night of this week (tonight) at 8 o'clock. On Saturday night Mrs. E. L. McKee, Democratic nominee for State Senate will speak at 7:30.

### Republican Speaking At Silversteen

Zeb Watson, prominent Republican of Jackson county, will speak at a Republican rally to be held at Silversteen school house on Thursday night of this week. The meeting will start at 7:30.

### Democratic Candidates Speaking Dates

Democratic county candidates are scheduled to speak at Cathey's Creek school house Thursday night at 7:30 o'clock; and Friday night at Pisgah Forest school house at 7:30.

### Hamlin To Speak Over Radio

Lewis P. Hamlin, of Brevard, will speak over radio station WWNC at 8:15 o'clock Monday night, October 26. The Brevard man will speak in the interest of the campaign of Clyde H. Jarrett, Republican nominee for congress.

### Institute Public Opinion Favors Roosevelt

Figures released Sunday by the American Institute of Public Opinion, gives President Roosevelt 54 per cent of the popular vote of the nation, with 390 electoral votes in the Roosevelt column—124 more than needed to elect.

### Landon To Speak Saturday Night

Governor Landon will speak Saturday night at 9 o'clock EST, over the C. B. S. network. Best station to get the speech from here will be Baltimore, WCAO, or Washington, WJWS.

## HONOR ROLL

The following subscribers have sent in their renewals to the Home Paper since Wednesday of last week:

- A. E. York, Brevard.
- M. M. McCall, Penrose.
- George Maxwell, Pisgah Forest.
- C. E. Buckner, Brevard.
- George Simpson, Brevard.
- Rufus Guffey, Brevard R-2.
- Mrs. E. H. Webb, Brevard.
- A. H. Caldwell, Arizona.
- E. C. Huggins, Brevard.
- W. R. Lewis, Rosman.
- Mrs. Laura Wilson, Brevard R-2.
- A. A. King, New Jersey.
- Mrs. Leota Brown, Brevard R-2.
- R. L. Raines, Brevard R-2.
- W. A. Wilson, Brevard.
- Mrs. Lila Baker, Brevard R-1.
- C. Y. Patton, Brevard.
- J. N. Whitmire, Brevard.
- Mrs. Van Epp, Florida.
- J. M. Orr, Brevard.
- Maj. H. Allison, New Jersey.
- C. S. Osborne, Brevard.
- J. W. Dickson, Brevard R-3.
- J. G. Reid, Washington.

The Times Welcomes the following new readers who have subscribed since Wednesday of last week:

- Mrs. Manson Hamilton, Penrose.
- Nelson Bowen, Pisgah Forest.
- Miss Cora Cooper, Brevard R-2.
- Mrs. V. Shepard, Gastonia.
- Adrian Alexander, Hendersonville.
- Ralph Morris, Hendersonville.
- Ben Arrowood, Brevard R-1.
- Glenn Galloway, Cullowhee.
- R. D. McKinney, Pickens.
- Dr. Burt Loomis, Brevard.
- June McCall, Florida.

### Masons Plan Home Coming

Plans are being made by Dunn's Rock Masonic lodge for the annual home coming which will be held in Brevard on November 6.

First part of the meeting will be held in the afternoon, with dinner to be served at 7 o'clock, and another meeting in the evening following the dinner. Invitations are being mailed to all members to attend.

### New Arrival

Mr. and Mrs. Winfred Holden of the See Off section announce the birth of a daughter, Anna Lee, on October 20th.

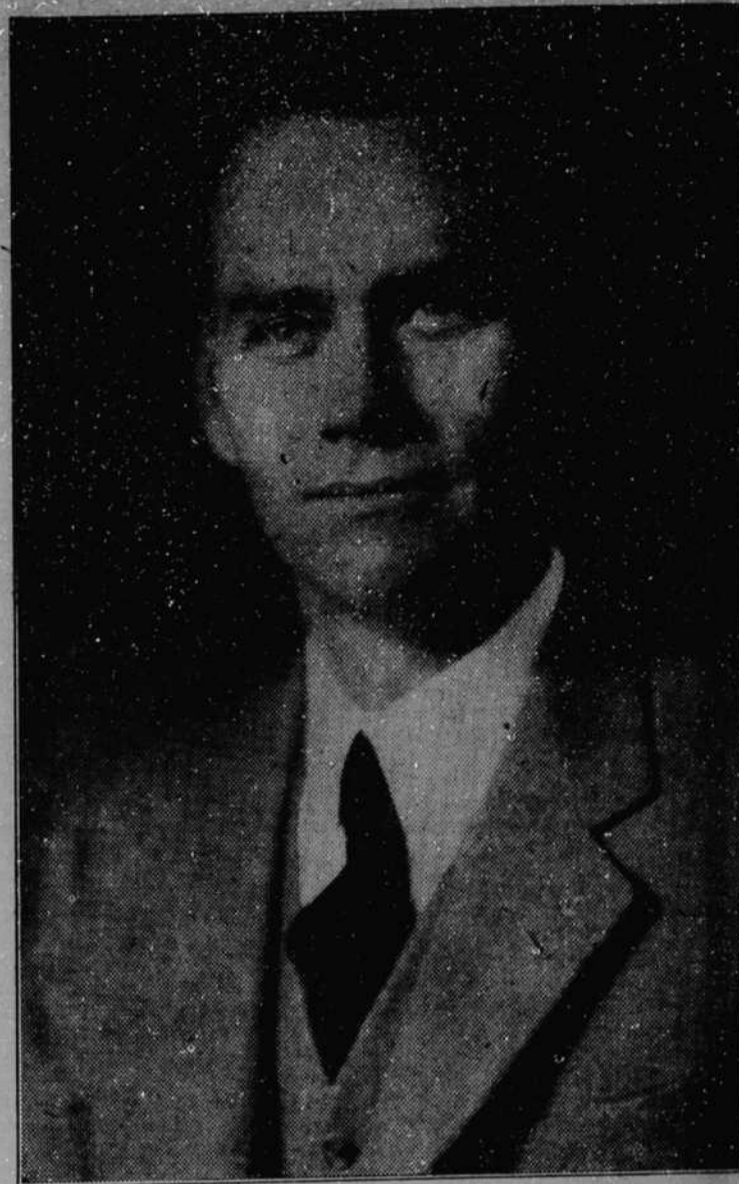
### College Boys Playing At Kannapolis Oct. 24

Brevard College football eleven leaves here Friday afternoon for Kannapolis, where the Tornado meets the Wingate team Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the first conference game for the Ranson-coached team.

Fresh from a victory over the Blittmore College outfit last Saturday, the College squad is expected to be in a scrapper frame of mind when they march out in the Towel Town Saturday afternoon.

Coach Ranson plans to leave here Friday afternoon, in order that his boys will not be faced with the 170-mile trip on the same day they play. They will travel in a chartered Smoky Mountains bus.

## Popular Baptist Minister Leaving Brevard



THE REV. PAUL HARTSELL, pastor of Brevard Baptist church, who is leaving here November 9th to take charge of the Baptist church at Johnston, S. C.

The Rev. Mr. Hartsell, who has been here for the past six and one-half years, announced his resignation at the morning service Sunday, and although leaders and members of the church and other citizens of the community prevailed upon the popular minister to reconsider the move, he stated that he had already accepted the call to the Johnston church, and expected to leave on November 9th.

Mr. Hartsell came here following the resignation of his brother, the late Wallace Hartsell, and has made an exceptionally good record as a pastor and as a citizen.

## Noted Violinist To Give Concert Here Tuesday Evening

Mark Wollner, noted violinist of Asheville, is scheduled to give a concert at Brevard high school auditorium on Tuesday evening of next week, beginning promptly at 8:15 o'clock.

The Asheville musician, who is recognized as a leader in the musical world, will be accompanied by Miss Mary Brooks of Hendersonville, it is announced by the Women's Missionary Society of the Brevard Methodist church which organization is sponsoring the concert.

Those listed as sponsors of the concert, with the missionary society include:

- Mr. and Mrs. Jos. S. Silversteen, Donald Lee Moore, Alvin Moore and music class, Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Moore, J. M. Gaines, J. E. Smith, W. M. Hunt, Miss Whitmire and music class, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Twigg, Harry Stroud, Sheriff and Mrs. T. S. Wood, Mrs. Charles McCrary, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Case, Mr. and Mrs. Lem Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown, Miss Jackie Clayton, Mrs. J. L. Saitz.

Mrs. Thomas Hampton, Rev. and Mrs. Paul Hartsell, Simpson Brothers, Mrs. L. K. Ratchford, Dr. and Mrs. C. L. Newland, Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Zachary, T. W. Whitmire, Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Allison, Dr. and Mrs. E. S. English, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. McNeely, Mrs. C. T. Dorsett, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Galloway, Mr. and Mrs. Julian Glazener, Prof. and Mrs. C. H. Trowbridge.

## Seed Potatoes Will Grow In Transylvania

C. M. Siniard, of North Brevard, who has been growing potato slips as boy and man for more than 30 years, is authority for the statement that Transylvania farmers are safe in raising their own seed sweet potatoes.

Mr. Siniard brought a vine to The Times office Friday, that had several blooms on it, which he said was proof conclusive that the potatoes did mature perfectly in this section.

Mr. Siniard said that he and his father had bedded all the way from a few bushels each year to 97 bushels.

### Little Theatre Meet

Miss Lucile Smith, head of the department of English and Dramatics at Brevard College, will have charge of the program to be given at the Little Theatre meeting which will be held in the organization's home on Jordan street Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

### Join U. S. Army

A. J. Dickson of Brevard, and T. M. Cassell of Brevard R-1, were among the large group of young men who joined Uncle Sam's army at the Charlotte recruiting office last week.

## PLANS COMPLETED FOR HOME COMING

### Brevard College Alumni And Friends To Hold Gala Event October 31

Plans for the home coming at Brevard College have been completed. Events will begin with a bonfire Friday night, October 30, on the athletic field. At 8 o'clock the men and women in the four literary societies will entertain former society members at semi-formal parties.

A meeting of former students and alumni is scheduled for 11 o'clock in the college auditorium, to which the public is invited, Saturday, October 31. President E. J. Coltrane has been invited to speak on "The Future of Brevard College." Lunch will be served at 12:30 p. m. The football game with Belmont Abbey Junior College will be played on the local field at 2:30 in the afternoon. Following the game a barbecue is being planned for students and alumni. At eight o'clock a costumed Halloween party will be held in the administration building and West hall.

The student council committee on arrangements is composed of Eddie Carlisle, Bostic; Jimmy Rogers, Norfolk, chairman; Miss Margaret Wilson, Bryson City; Ruth Brewer, Charlotte; Bernice Brantley, Mocksville. The faculty committee is composed of C. E. Buckner, D. W. Colvard, Miss Harriet Killough, and Miss Liddy Smith.

## Teachers To Meet Here Next Saturday

Principals and teachers of Transylvania county schools will meet in Brevard Saturday morning for the regular monthly meeting.

The principals will meet at 10:30 o'clock, and the principals and teachers will meet together at 11 o'clock, when a prominent out of town educator will make the address.

## DR. LOOMIS TO SPEAK HERE SUNDAY MORNING

Dr. Burt Loomis, head of the psychology and educational guidance departments of Brevard College, will speak at the morning service of Brevard Presbyterian church at 11 o'clock Sunday.

### Dr. Parker at Kiwanis

Dr. W. A. Parker, head of the extension department of Western Carolina Teachers College, will be guest speaker at the meeting of the Brevard Kiwanis club to be held Thursday at noon.

Dr. Parker has been coming to this county for the past two years, where he has been conducting extension classes for teachers.

## WEEK-END DEATH TOLL OVER NATION TOTALS 137

Automobile accidents over the week-end claimed at least 137 lives throughout the nation.

- Alabama, 7; Arizona, 2; Arkansas, 3; California, 9; Colorado, 4; Georgia, 1; Illinois, 6; Indiana, 3; Iowa, 3; Kentucky, 2; Maine, 2; Massachusetts, 4; Michigan, 12; Minnesota, 7; Missouri, 7; Mississippi, 3; New Mexico, 1; New York, 7; North Carolina, 9; Oklahoma, 2; Pennsylvania, 18; South Carolina, 6; Tennessee, 3; Texas, 11; Virginia, 2; Washington, 3; Wisconsin, 3.

## Brevard High School Team Will Play Fast Christ School Eleven

Brevard high school will play at home Friday afternoon, when the Tilton-men meet the scrappy Christ School outfit on the high school field at 3:30 o'clock.

Rated as among the best in its class, the Christ School aggregation will come here Friday afternoon with odds in their favor, but the youngsters on the high school field have been gaining in technique and drive each week, and outsiders of the go cannot be positively declared until the game is over.

James Picklesimer, last year's crack quarterback for Brevard, will be on the visiting team, playing in the backfield.

## MICKIE SAYS—

FRIENDS, IF YA LIKE BARGAINS, TH' MOST FER TH' MONEY IS THEM "MIGHTY MIDGETS"; THE VANT ADS—THEY REHT HOUSES 'N FARMS, GET FOLKS JOBS, FIND THE LOST, AN' TURN WHITE ELEPHANTS 'NTO CASH—ALL FER A FEW NICKELS

