

## Spelling 'Bee' Here Tonight

There'll be no courtesy shown the ladies Thursday night by chaps who ordinarily are suave courtesy itself. Fact is, it appears from a preview of the scene as it will take place at 8 o'clock in the court house Thursday evening, that the men are going up with the determination to be as ungentlemanly as possible.

However, the rudeness will only apply to spelling words with long handles, silent vowels, and unintelligible consonants. The men who are able to start off spelling such words as ABACUS, and go right through to ZYMURGY, without miscalling a single letter, while they are hoping (silently of course) that the ladies miss AARON, spell "cat" with a K and "bee" with an I.

The event will be a spelling match between the ladies and the men, sponsored by one of the circles of the Brevard Methodist church, and is to give the men a chance to redeem themselves in the eyes of the public for the ignoble defeat suffered a few weeks ago when three ladies were still spelling merrily and accurately along when the last two gentlemen "sat down" on PORPHRY.

All ladies of the community are invited to attend and take part in the spelling match, and the men are urged to be present, and are gently reminded that it would not be amiss to check up on some of the hard words that may be "given out" by the master of ceremonies.

No admission will be charged, and all who will, are asked to take part in the spelling match, and others are also invited to come as spectators. Prizes for best spellers will be home-made cakes.

A silver offering will be taken at the door.

### Dahlia Meet Tuesday

Members of the Transylvania Dahlia Association will meet Tuesday evening of next week at 8 o'clock in the offices of Fred Shuford at Brevard. Business pertaining to the annual dahlia show on August 28 will be discussed at the meeting.

### New Arrival

Mr. and Mrs. Noah Miller announce the birth of a son, David Fielding, on June 7th.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Gray announce the birth of a son, Melvin Eugene, on Sunday, June 6.

### Presbyterian Bible School In Session

Thirty children were enrolled Monday morning in the daily vacation Bible school which is in a two-weeks' session at the Brevard Presbyterian church.

Miss Lucilla White and the pastor, Rev. C. M. Jones, are assisted in the staff operation by Miss Elizabeth Shipman and Miss Dorothy Dean.

The school will close on Friday of next week.

## Chamber Commerce Meet Is Set for Friday Evening

All interested citizens of Brevard and the surrounding community are asked to meet Friday evening at 8 o'clock in the Civic club rooms on Jordan street, to adopt plans for operating the Bureau of Information this summer.

Space may be had for the bureau in the U. D. C. library or in the office of Mrs. Mary Jane McCrary, and neither of the places will be costly to the community in the way of rent.

Mrs. McCrary has offered the use of her office at a very nominal sum, and the U. D. C. library is available at no cost other than for lights and telephone, and care of the building.

Some of the community leaders desire to hire an experienced worker for the summer, and it is understood that a college student (local boy) may be had without cost as to salary to the community.

In either event, there will be some cost attached to operating the information bureau and those who are interested sufficiently to be willing to help in the cost, will be asked to make selection of the place and the secretary for the summer.

Sufficient descriptive booklets were lithographed last year to care for this year's needs, and with the small additional cost of printing leaflets, postage, telephone, and incidental expenses, the bureau may be operated at a very nominal cost to the community.

The citizens are asked to be present Friday evening, as the information bureau must be opened the first of the coming week.

### Brevard Woodmen to Hold Memorial For Deceased Members

Annual memorial services will be held by the Brevard Woodmen camp Sunday morning at 11 o'clock at Brevard Presbyterian church for deceased members.

The Rev. C. M. Jones, pastor of the church, will preach the memorial sermon, and both Woodmen and Woodmen Circle members will attend the service as special guests of the church.

### Highway Offices Will Continue Under Webb

Brevard will continue to be district headquarters for the state highway, according to tentative plans announced by Commissioner E. L. McKee last week, and Ernest H. Webb of Brevard will remain as district engineer.

T. G. Moody will continue in the office as district supervisor, and T. H. Leverette as superintendent of the Calvert Prison camp, W. F. Swift, prison superintendent of Haywood Prison camp, and D. R. Lyday, superintendent of Henderson Prison camp.

The district is to be composed of Transylvania, Henderson and Haywood counties.

John C. Walker, of Asheville, will remain as division engineer. Headquarters will be in Asheville with district offices at Brevard and Sylva.

### W. N. C. Committee Opposing Closing Of Main Park Highways

Members of the Western North Carolina Advisory committee meeting in Canton Wednesday, voted to oppose license fees for travel on main highways in the Great Smoky Mountains National Park, and by resolution so informed the state highway commission.

The committee took the position that in as much as the park was to be a publicly-owned playground, and the further fact that two highways—107 and 284—were already practically constructed and were maintained by the State of North Carolina as main thoroughfares of traffic, that these two roads at least should not come under the fee system.

The committee heard reports from the president and secretary to the effect that Ambassador Josephus Daniels was now in Washington conferring with Secretary Ickes of the Interior Department, and President Roosevelt in regard to starting work on that portion of the Blue Ridge Parkway which lies between Wagon Road Gap and Balsam Gap.

Ambassador Daniels, who is home from Mexico City on vacation, assured the advisory committee last week that he would do all in his power to assist in securing early work on the parkway west of Asheville, and has spent several days in Raleigh conferring with Chairman Frank Dulaney of the state highway commission, and the governor on the matter, before going to Washington.

Members attending the meeting Wednesday included, Charles E. Ray, of Waynesville, W. J. Dantoff, of Canton, Verne Rhodes, of Asheville, Harry E. Buchanan of Hendersonville, A. J. Dills of Sylva, Lewis P. Hamlin and C. M. Douglas of Brevard, W. E. Elmore of Bryson City, Frank E. Patton of Franklin.

### To Confer First Degree

Regular communication of Dunn's Rock Masonic Lodge will meet in the lodge hall on Broad street Friday night at 8 o'clock.

After the regular routine of business the first degree will be conferred. Refreshments will be served at the conclusion of the degree work. A cordial invitation is extended to all visiting Masons.

### ALDERMEN SELECT EMPLOYES OF TOWN

#### Harry Patton Resigns Post of City Clerk; A. H. Kizer Named To Place

Practically no changes were made in the town of Brevard employe list by the board of aldermen in meeting here Monday night, with exception of city clerk's post.

Alex H. Kizer was elected to the place of city clerk to succeed Harry H. Patton, who was not a candidate for re-election. Mr. Patton, who has served as clerk for the past number of years, told the board some time ago that he would be unable to serve longer, and only one application was made for the post.

New terms of office will become effective July 1. Other officers re-elected by the board include:

Ralph H. Ramsey, Jr., city attorney; B. H. Freeman, chief of police and supervisor of streets and water; C. C. Morris, night policeman; J. P. Deaver, watershed patrolman; J. S. Bromfield, chief fire department; Dan Merrill, fire truck driver; A. M. Case, building inspector; Harold E. Norwood, electrical inspector.

Committee members from the board of aldermen were named as follows:

Streets—Aldermen Shuford, Duckworth, and Waters; water and sewer—Aldermen Kilpatrick, Trantham, and Waters; sanitation—Aldermen Waters, Duckworth, and Trantham; lights—Aldermen Trantham, Kilpatrick, and Shuford; finance—Aldermen Duckworth, Shuford, and Kilpatrick; Aldermen Trantham and Kilpatrick and the city clerk were designated as park committee.

### SCHOOL BUS DRIVER LIST FOR '37 TERM

#### Board of Education Renames Majority of Last Year Transport Men

Drivers for the school bus routes in the county have been named by the board of education for the 1937-38 term. The board met here Monday, and after adopting a budget for the coming fiscal year, named the bus drivers and transacted other routine matters.

Drivers named are:

**Brevard District**  
Cedar Mountain—Joseph Jones; Little River, Merrimon Shuford; Penrose, H. B. Talley; Boylston, Robert Taylor; Carson Creek, G. F. Rains; Rich Mountain, John Mann.

**Rosman District**  
Lake Toxaway, Clarence Norton; Silverstein, Harlow McCall; Balsam Grove, Orville Long; East Fork, Charlie Gillespie; Balsam Grove (contract) Walter Fisher; Montvale (contract) Robert Wilson.

### To Clean Cemetery

Cleaning of the Mt. Moriah cemetery has been set for Saturday morning of this week, June 12, when all members of Mt. Moriah Calvert, and Cherryfield, are requested to bring tools and help with the work. Other people who have relatives and friends buried in the cemetery are requested to help in the work. The work will start at 7 o'clock Saturday morning, it is announced.

### Captain Nesbit "Home"

Captain and Mrs. Arthur P. Nesbit have returned to Brevard for the summer, and are both now firmly convinced that there may be plenty of other places "just as good," but none of them suit quite so well, everything considered.

Captain Nesbit has been in training at the officers' school at Fort Benning, Ga., and Mrs. Nesbit and young son have been visiting in Tennessee. They are located in the Bagwell apartments on Caldwell street.

### Musical at Rosman

The "Aristocratic Pigs" string band artists from station WFBC, Greenville, will give a musical show at Rosman high school Monday evening at 8 o'clock. The show is sponsored by the Parent-Teacher association.

### Fiddler's Convention Is Set For June 26th

The Brevard 4-H club held its monthly meeting June 3, and completed the plans for the fiddler's convention.

The convention will be Saturday, June 26, at 8 o'clock in the court house. Prizes will be awarded to the five best players; \$5 going to the first, \$3 to second, \$1 to third, and 50 cents each to the fourth and fifth.

The man winning first prize in the convention will be known as the "champion fiddler" of Transylvania county. Anyone wishing to play in the convention is asked to leave his name at the County Agent's office. Please register not later than 12:00 noon, Saturday, June 26.

The proceeds from the convention will be used in building up county 4-H clubs.

The next 4-H meeting will be held July 1, at 3:00 in the high school building. All members are urged to be present. The program for the last meeting will be given then, as plans for the convention were taken up and members were chosen to go to the State Short Course in Raleigh for a week. If it is convenient to carry two members, both Paul Owens and Edward Glazener will represent our club there the latter part of July.

Irene Tinsley, Sec. and Treas.



HARRY A. KENNING



RAMONE S. EATON

## Record Enrollment Expected at Camp Carolina for 10-Day Meet

A record enrollment is expected at the National Aquatic School which opens at Camp Carolina, Sunday, and continues for ten days.

Mr. and Mrs. Ramone S. Eaton arrived last week to supervise preparations for opening of the camp, and other directors are expected to arrive Thursday of this week, and through Saturday.

Harry A. Kenning and Jimmy McMillan, two popular members of the staff are expected Thursday, and will immediately begin work on the water pageant which is always one of the major drawing cards of the summer season. The water pageant will be given during the last part of next week.

In addition to the large registration which is expected from South and Southeastern states, several local people will attend the training school. Nominal fee of \$10 has been set for local entrants who do not stay in camp for food and lodging.

Marshall Wayne, national diving champion, is expected to be a member of the faculty, and will also do training work while in camp. Other celebrities in first aid, and water course will be on the staff.

Basic and advanced courses will be taught at the school in swimming, small craft courses, special boat and canoe counselor's course, life saving, first aid, and supplementary courses.

### Young Folk Leader At Carr's Hill, 13th

A meeting of the Transylvania Baptist Training Union will be held at Carr's Hill Baptist church Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, at which time Miss Mabel Starnes, of Raleigh, associate secretary of the B. T. U. department of North Carolina, will address the gathering.

Miss Starnes will speak on "Open Doors in the Transylvania Association." This will be the first time for Miss Starnes to address the local association, and it is expected that a large crowd will be present to hear the address. Hubert Batson is director of the Transylvania association, and will preside.

Definite plans will be announced at this meeting for the B. T. U. revival, which is scheduled for August 8-13. At this time 14 experienced Training Union leaders will come to the association under the leadership of Rev. Nathan C. Brooks, state B. T. U. secretary. The churches will have simultaneous revivals, and it is anticipated that hundreds of B. T. U. members throughout the association will take part in this revival.

Sunday afternoon's program will be carried out as follows: Song service, Paul Glazener, Calvert; devotion, Miss Ruby Whitmire, Cherryfield; special music; What the B. T. U. revival should mean to our association, Hubert Batson; What I want the B. T. U. revival to mean to my church, Rev. F. H. Holden; Will we do it and how will we do it, Miss Hibernia Shipman, Little River; business; song by audience; address, Open doors in Transylvania Association, Miss Starnes; prayer of dedication, Rev. Yancey C. Elliott, Brevard.

### Award List Given at Brevard College For Meritorious Service

As a part of the commencement exercises of Brevard College, the oratorical contest for girls was held in the auditorium on Monday evening during the week's program, and the oratorical contest for boys on the following evening. Prizes are awarded annually to the winners in these two events.

The Josephine Doub Memorial medal, given by Mrs. E. J. Coltrane in memory of her mother, was won by Miss Satekian Nahikian, of Asheville. Miss Nahikian used the subject, "The Bravest Person."

The Frank S. Moser Memorial medal, given by Dr. S. E. Moser and Rev. Claude Moser, of Gastonia, was won by Leighton Presson, of Charlotte, who used as the subject for his winning oration, "One More Law."

Annually there is given also a prize of \$15 by Miss Ruth Colvard, as a memorial to her sister, to the student who submits the best "Creative Idea" pertaining to campus work. The ideas must be original and practicable. This prize this year was won by Revis Frye, of Gastonia, for submitting the idea of using left-over paints. These he mixed and used in decorative purposes and doing interior finishing. He proved how small amounts of paint, which ordinarily are left to dry, may be utilized.

The three awards were made at the close of the graduation exercises Thursday morning.

### Cathey's Creek Service

The Rev. Homer Coren will preach at "Old Cathey's Creek," at Selma, Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

## MRS. DORA PATTON HEAD OF WELFARE DEPARTMENT HERE

### Mrs. S. P. Verner Chairman of Board—Payments Not Start With July

Mrs. Dora M. Patton of Brevard, was elected superintendent of county welfare at a meeting of the recently appointed welfare board and the county commissioners held here Monday morning.

Prior to the joint session of the two boards, the welfare group met and selected Mrs. S. P. Verner as chairman of the unit. Other members of the board include Gaston Whitmire of Cherryfield, and P. Brown Carr, of Pisgah Forest.

Only two applications were presented to the joint session Monday for superintendent of welfare, that of Mrs. Patton, and M. W. Galloway, also of Brevard. Chairman A. B. Galloway, who was asked to preside at the joint session, explained that there could be nominations from any member present aside from the two applications, but there were no other suggestions.

The board, in the minutes of the meeting, pointed out that inasmuch as Mrs. Patton was the more qualified, according to the state regulations which had to be as nearly as possible followed, was given the post.

Requirements as set out by the state for eligibility as superintendent are:

- (a) The candidate should have a bachelor's degree from an accredited college. In exceptional cases a minimum of the completion of two years in an accredited college may be accepted.
- (b) One year or more in an accredited school of social work.
- (c) A minimum of one year's experience in a social agency as a paid member of the staff.

The candidate may be provisionally approved on condition that he obtain the one year of training in an accredited school of social work by 1940, provided he has a minimum of two years in an accredited college and two years of experience as a paid worker in a social agency.

The superintendent, together with the welfare board, and the commissioners will have charge of distributing the social security (old age assistance and

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### New Paint Up-Town

New green paint on the front of the Ward-Smith place on Main street is another added spot of freshness in the uptown section. From week to week, a more summer-time neatness is taking place.

### Cooking School Be Held Three Days

A three-day cooking school and demonstration will be held at the court house Thursday, Friday and Saturday afternoons of this week from 2 to 4 o'clock. The event, sponsored by the Women's Missionary society of the Methodist church, is free to all ladies of the community.

Mrs. R. L. Allison, a trained and experienced food demonstrator and dietitian, will conduct the classes. Fifty prizes will be awarded at each session. In addition to these valuable prizes, grand prizes will be awarded at the end of the series on Saturday.

### President Coltrane Gets Doctor Degree

An honorary degree of D. Ed., doctor of education, was conferred upon President E. J. Coltrane, of Brevard College, by High Point College on May 31, during the commencement exercises of that institution.

President Coltrane was deemed worthy of the high honorary degree because of outstanding work in the field of education, and many other qualifications which entitled him to this honor.

## College Summer School Starts With 100 Students Enrolled

### Term Will Continue Through August 25—High School Work Offered

Registrations for Brevard College summer school on Wednesday showed an enrollment of around 100 students, according to an announcement of Dean C. E. Buckner, director of the summer school.

Regular class work will begin on Thursday, and the school will continue through August 25. Practically all of the regular college faculty are remaining to assist in the operation of the summer school.

High school work is a special feature of the summer quarter, and is not offered during the regular school year. Work in the 10th and 11th grades in high school will be offered to those desiring such courses this summer.

The summer school enrollment includes students who are beginning their college work with this quarter, as well as those who are remaining to complete the work for graduation and those who are taking merely high school work.

### Bus Schedule To Give Better Service Here

Change in Greyhound Bus schedule has been put into effect at Brevard, with the bus going straight through to Asheville via Hendersonville instead of a change being necessary as heretofore.

The Greyhound bus leaves Brevard at 6:50 in the morning and at 1:45 in the afternoon, arriving at Asheville from Asheville and Hendersonville at 1:30 and 6:50 in the afternoon.

No change has been made in the Smoky Mountain line—leaving here at 9:50 in the morning and 4:30 in the afternoon, and arriving from Asheville at 9:30 in the morning and 7 in the afternoon.

### At Lyday Hospital

Patients reported at Lyday Memorial hospital on Wednesday were: Mrs. Roscoe McCall, Miss Clifford Middleton, Mrs. Verda Blythe, Mrs. Frank Wolfe, Miss Inez Lyday, Miss Anna Patton, Ed Mills.