

LITERATURE SUPPLY NEARLY EXHAUSTED

Chamber of Commerce Work Is Cramped for Lack of Operating Funds

Report was made at the meeting of the Chamber of Commerce Monday evening that inquiries and requests from the middle west and northern states had practically depleted the supply of literature on hand...

Mrs. Ralph Fisher, secretary, said that such travel agencies as "Ask Mr. Foster," Keystone Automobile Clubs, newspaper travel information bureaus, and others were sending in requests for Transylvania county folders...

The finance committee reported that several individuals had volunteered to pay into the treasury without being solicited, and The Times was requested to publicly request any citizen who is interested in the community to make payment to Mrs. Fisher or Mrs. J. W. Smith...

The secretary reported that WPA workers were finishing the cleaning and repairing of the U. D. C. library building in which offices are being maintained...

The public is invited to attend any and all meetings of the board of directors, and take part in discussing affairs of the community which are brought up...

Child Labor Laws In Effect First of July Throughout the State

Mrs. Charles Patton, superintendent of welfare of Transylvania county, announced today that Mr. Murray M. Grier, inspector of the Department of Labor had been in the welfare office here for the purpose of explaining provisions of the new maximum hours and child labor laws...

The inspector was here to acquaint the county welfare superintendent and members of the staff with rules and regulations prescribed by Major A. L. Fletcher, state commissioner of Labor, to govern the administration of the new statutes...

The hour law provides a maximum week of 48 hours for women and 55 hours for men employed in certain North Carolina industries. The maximum work-day is nine hours for women and ten hours for men...

The Division of Standards and Inspections of the Department of Labor will be in charge of its enforcement.

This new law provides a minimum age limit of 16 for the full-time or regular employment of children, with exceptions made for employment of children in the home or on the farm...

Employers who desire to acquaint themselves with full regulations contained in the new statutes may call the welfare officer for information of this nature.

Bridge Party Monday

As part of the Fourth of July celebration to be held here on Monday, a public bridge party will be held in the Civic club room on Jordan street from 8 to 11:30 o'clock, Monday night. The event is sponsored by the Women's Civic club.

Favors will be given and refreshments served. A nominal charge will be made for the affair, to which the public is invited.

Canteen Paints Up

New ivory and white paint in the Canteen Cafe has added another up-town business place to the list of re-decorated ones this spring and summer.

Rosman Girl Places 3rd at Waynesville

Miss Margaret Glazener, of Rosman, was third high scorer in the district health contest held in Waynesville last Friday to pick the most healthy 4-H club girl and boy in Western North Carolina.

Miss Glazener made a score of 94, which was four points under the winner—Miss Kathleen Taylor, 16-year-old Lees-McRae college student. Joe Hedden, of Sylva, was high scoring boy with a score of 97.

Junior Miller with 82.5 and David Franklin with 82 points, both of Brevard, represented the boys in the contest.

Oxford Orphanage to Bring Singing Class To Brevard Friday

The Oxford Orphanage singing class will present a program at the Brevard high school auditorium Friday evening at 8 o'clock. The class is under the direction of Mrs. Sadie T. Hutchinson.

Fourteen boys and girls comprise the class. The program will feature songs, recitations, drills, with colorful costumes and splendid music.

Golf Course Offers Attractive Playing

Increased patronage is looked for on the Brevard municipal golf course during the week-end, with summer people adding to the list of players.

The greens are in very good condition, and number four has been changed from grass to sand to conform with the other eight holes.

A crew of workmen are working daily on the course, and those who have played over it, say that the course is in best shape in years.

Children's Play To Be Under Supervision

An all-time supervisor of children's play will begin work in the park at the swimming pool Thursday, as a part of the recreational program here.

Mrs. Arah Hamlin, supervisor of the work, states that adult supervision will be kept at the wading pool, and over the playground for little tots adjoining the pool.

Under the recreation program, the grounds around the wading pool have been cleared, and other work is being done, looking toward making the park more attractive.

Edwin Wike and Nathan McMinn are on duty at all times at the main swimming pool, which adjoins the children's playground.

SPELLING BEE WILL BE HELD THURSDAY

Ladies and Men To Contest at Court House For Third Time

Ladies of the community are recruiting all the best spellers they are able to find, and are seeking to regain their laurels at the spelling bee which will be held in the county court house Thursday evening of this week (tonight).

Likewise, the men of the community are trying to put the "best foot forward," and ask that all men who are able to spell beyond the CAT and RAT pages in the book be present to help retain the victory which they won two weeks ago from the ladies.

First match this summer went to the ladies, second to the men, and a new book will be introduced Thursday which promises to make an all-time champion speller.

An old Blue Back book was used the first time, a modern high school speller for the second, and an advanced business speller will be used this last time.

Music for the event will be furnished by Wallace Galloway and his string band partners who won second place in the old fiddler's convention here Saturday.

There will be no charge for admittance, either for spellers or spectators. A silver offering will be taken at the door, and home-made cakes will be given best speller in each class.

Nearly One Thousand Boys and Girls Are Enrolled In County's Organized Camps

Approximately 1,000 boys and girls from various sections of the county have arrived in Brevard the past few days to enroll in the 12 organized summer camps, which are opening this week in Brevard and Transylvania county. The camps are opening at varying dates from June 26 to July 1, and will all operate through July and until the latter part of August.

The camps accommodate from 50 to 200 campers each, ranging in ages from five to 18 years. Four of the camps are for boys, seven are for girls and one is co-educational.

In addition to the regular camp season, several of the camps operate pre-camp and post-camp seasons. Outstanding among these are the National Red Cross Aquatic school, which meets each year in June for a 10-day session at Camp Carolina; the annual three weeks' pre-camp for girls at Camp Sapphire; the Mary Gwynn co-educational camp which holds a four weeks' session each year at Camp Transylvania through June.

The pioneer boys' camp in Transylvania county is Camp Sapphire, which is starting its 25th season this year. French Broad camp is the second oldest camp for boys, having been established 24 years ago. Keystone camp is

TWO-COUNTY MEET SET FOR JULY 7TH

Transylvania And Henderson Baptist Young People Here Wednesday

A group meeting of the Transylvania and Carolina young people's associations of the W. M. U. of the Baptist church will be held in the Brevard Baptist church on Wednesday, July 7, in an all-day gathering. It is expected that a large representation from the two associations will be in attendance. The theme of the day's program is "Gates to the Garden of Joy."

Miss Mary Currin, young people's leader, of Raleigh, will be in charge of the meeting. An interesting program has been prepared for the morning and afternoon sessions. Each one attending will contribute toward the luncheon which will be served at noon.

The following program will be carried out: Morning session—Opening song, "I Love To Tell The Story"; devotional, "My Garden of Joy." Mrs. Yancey C. Elliott; "The Gatekeeper," Miss Ora Holt Long; "Is He Your Boy," Royal Ambassador of Carolina association; Sunbeam titling scripture Brevard Sunbeam; conference led by Miss Mary Currin, of Raleigh; special music, Y. W. A. of Carolina association; short talks, "The Joy of Leading a Sunbeam Band," Mrs. Julian Glazener; "The Joy of Leading a R. A.," the Rev. Yancey C. Elliott, Brevard; "The Joy of Leading a Y. W. A.," counselor of Carolina; "The Joy of Serving as an Associational Young People's Leader," Miss Pressley; hymn "Our Best"; "Christ's Call—Youth's Answer," Miss Currin.

Afternoon session—Hymn, "We've a Story to Tell"; devotional, "Joy in Serving Christ," Miss S. Fisher, Little River G. A. counselor; special music, Y. W. A., Pisgah Forest; "R. A. Tool Box," Mr. Moriah, Cherryfield; "State G. A. Houseparty," G. A. of Carolina; Y. W. A., Ridgecrest, Mrs. Yancey C. Elliott; State R. A. Conclave, Rev. Yancey C. Elliott; divisional R. A. camp, Mrs. Eugene Coker, divisional leader; pastor's impression of R. A. camp, Rev. Broadus Wall, Hendersonville; pantomime, "O, Zion Haste," Brevard Y. W. A.; closing prayer.

Pisgah Streams Will Be Open Three Days

Streams in Sherwood Forest in the Pisgah National Game Preserve will be open to fishermen on Friday, Saturday and Sunday of this week under federal regulations. Permits may be obtained at CCC F-25, near Sunburst.

Transylvanians desiring to fish will be required to have either a state license, or a daily permit before they can obtain a license from the federal government office at the F-25 CCC office.

All streams in the Sherwood area, including the Pisgah watershed, with the exception of Little East Fork will be open. No streams on the Transylvania side of the preserve will be open at this time.

Housewives Save-a-Penny

RALEIGH, June 30.—North Carolina shoppers, starting Thursday, will save a few pennies on their grocery purchases.

When the new sales tax rules go into effect July 1, flour, meat, meal, lard, molasses, milk, salt, sugar, coffee, bread and rolls will be exempt from the 3 per cent State levy.

It will be up to the merchants to keep the sales tax accounting straight.



Children's Parade To Feature Fourth Celebration In Brevard

Major attraction in Brevard for Monday, July 5th, which will be observed as a holiday, will be a children's parade at 10 o'clock in the morning, climaxing with a swimming meet and handicap races at the swimming pool.

Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, and all children of the town under 16 years of age, have been asked to participate in the patriotic parade which will start at the grammar school, through town by way of Broad street, and on to the swimming pool in Franklin Park.

The parade will be led by the boy and girl scout troops, followed by children of all sizes and ages. After reaching the park, handicap races for the boys will be held under supervision of Edwin Wike and Mrs. Arah Hamlin, followed by the swimming meet.

Mr. Wike has arranged the following contests for the youngsters: Children under 12, 15 yard dash; boys 12 to 16, 15-yard and 35-yard free style; girls 12 to 16, 15-yard and 35-yard swim, free style; boys over 16, 35 yards free style, breast stroke, and back stroke. The same will be observed by girls over 16. Diving and fancy contests will be staged by the 16-year and older groups.

County Health Unit Will Be Considered At Meet Wednesday

Dr. C. N. Sisk, district health officer of Waynesville, will confer with county and town officials here next Wednesday relative to setting up a health unit for this county under the state board.

Under plans which will be considered, an office will be established here with a full time secretary, full time nurse, full time sanitarian, and part time physician or health officer.

The town and county will cooperate in the movement, and will each pay a part of the county's cost of \$1500 per year for the service. The state board of health and the Tennessee Valley Authority will take care of the major part of the expense of the office, which is estimated will cost between \$6000 and \$7000 per year.

In addition to the regular health work, clinics will also be conducted in the county by the state board of health, with a dentist for at least twelve weeks each year, typhoid vaccinations, and other work of like nature.

Original plans called for establishing a joint unit with Henderson county, which would have given the two counties a health officer, but inasmuch as Henderson county has not yet agreed to the plan, it is likely that the temporary arrangement will be made with the Waynesville district comprised of five counties.

Establishment of the health unit here will bring work to all counties in the TVA watershed except Henderson, Madison, and Mitchell.

Board Equalization To Hold Meeting 12th

The county commissioners will sit as a board of equalization and review in the commissioners room on July 12th, according to announcement being carried in this week's Times.

Boyd, Brevard, Cathey's Creek, Dunn's Rock, and Eastatoe townships will be reviewed on that date. Any taxpayers who have matters pertaining to listing of their property for the year 1937, are asked to come before the board on that date.

Another meeting of the board will be held after Gloucester, Hogback, and Little River townships have been reviewed.

Dr. M. E. Parsons Dies At Home of Daughter

News has been received in Brevard of the death of Dr. M. E. Parsons, of Brevard who died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Theo Dwyer, in Betterson, Md., following a lingering illness.

He is survived by his wife and the following children: Mrs. Theodore Dwyer of Betterson, Md., Robert M., of Chesertown, Md., Fred W., of Mobile, Ala., Francis I., of Brevard, and Jamie A., of San Pedro, Calif., also four grandchildren.

Interment was in Chester cemetery, of Chesertown, Md.

Postoffice, Bank, Brevard Business Houses To Close For 4th

The Postoffice, bank, and Brevard business houses will be closed on Monday, July 5th, for a general holiday.

The postoffice will be open in the morning from 8 to 8:30, and from 10:30 to 11. There will be no rural or city delivery.

Drug stores, cafes and service stations will remain open.

The Board of County Commissioners will hold their regular meeting Monday. Other offices in the court house will be closed for the day.

BUDGET ESTIMATE IS TO BE TAKEN UP BY BOARD MONDAY

Old Age Assistance and Debt Settlement Costs Likely To Raise Rate

Budget estimate and tax rate for the county will be special business of the board of county commissioners which will meet on Monday, July 5.

Final estimates were not ready Wednesday, and County Accountant Ralph Lyday said that he would be unable to estimate the tax rate until the budget was more complete.

With the addition of the old age pension and child assistance, however, it is very likely that the rate will necessarily have to be raised over that of last year.

In addition to the two items, the debt settlement is another item of added cost this year, and part of the agreement with bondholders is that adequate levy will be made each year to care for the new issues of bonds as they fall due.

Mr. Lyday said that in his estimation, the rate would not be but little higher than last year, which was \$1.55 on the hundred dollar valuation.

To Clean Cemetery

Next Saturday has been set as date to clean the Whitmire cemetery and all people who have relatives buried there are asked to aid in this work.

Presbyterian Services

At the Presbyterian church Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, the theme of the pastor, the Rev. C. M. Jones, will be "Some Questions About Liberty."

Fiddler Convention Draws Many People

Fowler Brothers band, of Horse Shoe, was first prize winner at the fiddler's convention held in the county court house Saturday night.

Wallace Galloway's string band of Brevard was second prize winner; Rob and Bob, of Boylston, third; Gillespie Brothers, fourth, and the "Cedar Mountain Girls," fourth.

The event was staged by the 4-H clubs of the county, and only seating capacity of the court house prevented a larger attendance. Nearly \$50 was realized from sale of the tickets. Money will be used to defray expenses of the 4-H club work.

Judges in the contests were R. L. Hogsdad, J. K. Mills, and B. D. Franklin. B. L. Lunsford, "Bard of the Appalachians," presided over the convention and played an important part in making the evening an entertainment of note.

At Lyday Hospital

Patients reported at Lyday Memorial hospital on Wednesday were: Miss Anna Patton, Miss Thelma Hubbard, Steven Bracken, Bobby Ratchford, Charles Wilson, Joe Bragg, Ed Mills.

Radio Purchased For County Home Inmates

A radio is being purchased this week for inmates of the Transylvania County home from proceeds of a square dance held here last Friday evening when nearly fifty dollars was realized.

The dance was staged by Mrs. T. J. Wilson and workers under her who have recently done considerable work about the home for the aged at Selma, and with addition of the radio the old people will have access to programs of entertainment that would otherwise not have been possible.

The ladies in charge of the dance wish to express their appreciation to the Galloway string band for music, to O. L. Erwin for giving the building, and to others who contributed to the success of the dance.

SCHOOL TEACHERS IN COUNTY ALLOTTED

Principals for Three Units In Upper District Are Selected

Transylvania county has been allotted 64 teachers for the school year 1937-38, according to figures released by the state board of education.

An additional teacher has been allotted to Little River school, one additional to Enon, while Rosman elementary, Lake Toxaway, and Silversteen schools each lost one teacher.

Teachers are allotted by the state board to the various schools of the county systems, based upon attendance the previous term.

At a recent meeting of the Rosman district committee, Mrs. Dorene Lee Rogers was elected principal of the Montvale school; Miss Ola Paxton was named principal of the Silversteen school, and Mrs. W. E. Galloway was re-elected principal of Old Toxaway.

Teacher allotment for the county schools follows: Brevard elementary, 14; Brevard high, 11; Cedar Mountain, 1; Connehee, 2; Little River, 3; Penrose, 3; Pisgah Forest, 5; Selma, 2; Rosman elementary, 9; Rosman high, 5; Balsam Grove, 2; Lake Toxaway, 2; Montvale, 1; Old Toxaway, 1; Quebec, 2; Silversteen, 1.