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BAPTIST CHURCHES TO HOLD MEET 29

New Organization Will Hold
First Convention at Oak
Grove, Near Quebec

Announcement is made that the Workers' Council of the Transylvania Baptist Association will meet with the Oak Grove church at Quebec on Sunday, August 29, in an all-day session. This council organization was set up at the meeting of the association held in Brevard last week, and will be comprised of pastors, church officials, Sunday school and church department superintendents and lay members. Purpose is to stimulate church interest and work, and to assist in working out problems which may arise in individual congregations pertaining to the work. Those who attend the council meeting are expected to bring lunch and spend the day. Program as announced by the Rev. N. H. Chapman, follows:
11 o'clock, song and prayer service;
11:15—welcome address to all delegates and visitors, by J. K. Henderson; 11:25, song and prayer; 11:30, sermon by N. L. Ponder; 12:15, lunch.
1:15, Special singing by Riverside Quartet; 1:30, the place of young people in the church, by Valray Carter; 1:45, general round table talks by all who will take part; 2:30, how to pastor or lead the flock, by M. L. Lewis; 2:45, how to reach our unsaved people for Christ, by N. H. Chapman; 3:00, sermon, by Yancey C. Elliott; 3:30, election of officers for the Council.

Squirrel Season To Open September 15

Squirrel season will open in Transylvania county on Wednesday, September 15, according to J. D. Chalk, chairman of the state department of game and inland fisheries. The word had somehow got noised abroad here that the season would open the first of September, but a letter Friday from the commissioner stated that Sept. 15 was opening date for all western counties. Bag limit for one day is 10 squirrels with no season limit being set.

Aunt of Miss Piercy Died at Coral Gables

Word was received here last week by Miss Grace Piercy of the death of her only remaining aunt, Mrs. Mary Byrd Green, 79, at her home in Coral Gables, Fla. Mrs. Green's husband, who died some years ago, blazed a trail near Coral Gables, and now this widely known and well traveled highway is known as the Byrd road. Mrs. Green had no immediate survivors. Miss Piercy had planned to visit her aunt in Florida this fall.

Graduation At College On Aug. 25

Brevard College summer school will close Wednesday, August 25, with a program of graduation exercises at 11 o'clock in the forenoon. The Rev. Reid Wall, pastor of the Catawba charge, will deliver the address to the graduating class. In addition to graduation from Emory University, Mr. Wall has the Master's degree from the same institution and has studied two years in the University of Chicago. He is considered one of the outstanding young ministers in the Western North Carolina Conference. Mr. Wall has been identified with the Council on a Christian Social Order, having been a charter member of that organization. In accepting the invitation to make the address, Mr. Wall referred to Brevard College as one of the most outstanding social experiments in North Carolina. The following young people are expected to receive their diplomas: Price Cornelius, Winston-Salem; Cecil Evans, Lexington; Ray Goodman, Concord; Joe Lee Hefner, Horse Shoe; Mary Lou Lathan, Crouse; Eva Nolan, Leicester; Marjorie Parnell, Burnsville; Thomas Porter, Bellwood; Irene Self, Casar; Harold Severs, Charlotte; Kate Sitton, Almond; Ed Swann, Andrews; and S. B. Tweed, Fletcher. The public is cordially invited to attend the graduation exercises.

Mail Fraud Checked By U. S. Department

The postoffice department at Washington announces that another million dollar swindle has been stamped out, and that 24 members of the various groups engaged in the fraud against the public have been brought to trial and convicted. This latest swindle to receive attention of the postal inspectors involved promotion of the mythical "Baker" or "Becker" estates in and around Philadelphia. The postoffice department warns that any person who receives a letter pertaining to be from some law firm or individual group which has for its mission interesting citizens in an "estate" or similar heritage, the recipient should at once contact the department at Washington, and for a certainty invest no money in such schemes.

ROSMAN SCHOOL NOT TO BE CONSOLIDATED

County School Board Chairman
Says No Such Move Ever
Contemplated

Spiking a rumor to the effect that the Rosman district schools were to be consolidated with Brevard, Dr. C. L. Newland, chairman of the county board of education, said Monday that there was no such thing in mind, and that the proposition would be impossible if it were to be tried. "There would be no sense to such a move," the chairman of the school board said. "In the first place, the Brevard school buildings are crowded, and there are no funds with which to build new and larger buildings, which would be the first thing necessary if such a move were put into effect." The chairman said that he had heard of no such rumors when approached by a Times representative, and said further that the board would not even consider the move if it were brought before it.

Memorial Services At Quebec Church Sunday By Woodmen Circle

ROSMAN, Aug. 18.—Memorial services will be held Sunday afternoon at the Whitmire cemetery, Quebec, for the late Annie Lyday Whitmire. Ladies of the Rosman Woodmen Circle and men of the Woodmen lodge will join in the service, at which time a monument will be unveiled for the late member of the local circle. The program will begin at 2:30, and will include musical numbers appropriate to the occasion, and an eulogy by A. B. Galloway, of Brevard, district manager for the Woodmen.

Canton Scout Troop Camping Near Brevard

Troop Two, Boy Scouts of America, from Canton, are camping this week at Lake Sega, where the boys are enjoying a week's vacation, and at the same time doing merit badge work. Nineteen boys, together with their scoutmaster, Melvin Crisp, are at the lake. Three patrols comprise the troop, with Frank Childers, Ernest Newman, and Bill Hicks, patrol leaders.

Agriculture Boys In Camp At White Lake

Ten agriculture boys of the Future Farmers of America, of Brevard, attended a week's encampment at White Lake, in the eastern part of the state, last week. Games, swimming and other recreational features were enjoyed at camp. One day was spent at Carolina Beach. The boys were accompanied on the trip by their leader, Randal J. Lyday, Mrs. Lyday, and R. T. Kimzey.

Mayor Mitchell Better

T. M. Mitchell, former mayor of Brevard, and prominent citizen of the Brevard community, was reported to be improving at his home on Wednesday, where he has been seriously ill for the past two weeks. Mrs. J. B. Page of Belmont, and Blanton Mitchell of Washington, were called here the first of the week on account of their father's illness.

Association To Meet With Boylston 1938

Boylston church was selected as meeting place of the Transylvania Baptist Association for 1938, with the Rev. W. S. Price, Jr., of Brevard, named as preacher for the annual sermon. Date of the associational meeting was changed from Wednesday and Thursday after the second Sunday in August to the same days after the first Sunday, which will be August 10th and 11th.

At Lyday Hospital

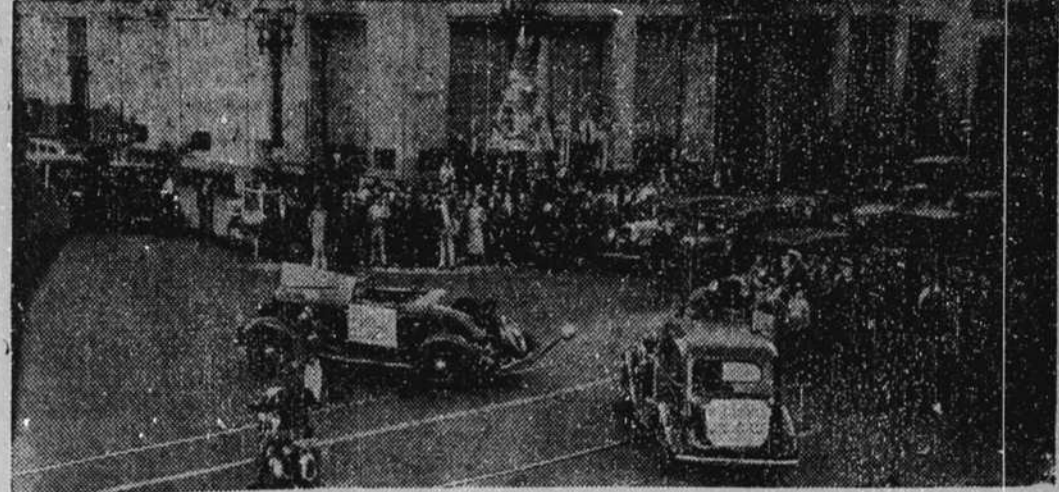
Patients reported at Lyday Memorial hospital on Wednesday were: Catherine Case, Mrs. Richard Watson, Mrs. Mitchell Neely, Mrs. J. L. Morgan, Mary Ann Ramsey, Mrs. Lewis Osborne, Mrs. J. E. Ruffy, Mrs. H. L. Burnette and infant daughter, Blanche Maxine, born Monday, August 16, Roger Daughtry, Jr., O. A. Jones, Harrison Rhodes and Charles Osborne.

Smilin' Charlie Says



"Th' feller who leads a double life is apt t' be beside himself once in a while" ---

Safety Parade Will Feature Magic Car Here Friday Afternoon



A driverless car will thread its way over the main business section of Brevard, Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock, as a part of the Safety Day Parade to be held here.

Large Crowd Expected To See Safety Parade In Brevard Friday Afternoon

Mad Dog Killed Near Brevard Country Club

A mad dog was killed by Walter Glazener near his home in the Country Club section last Friday night, after the dog had bitten two of the Glazener dogs. Head of the dog was sent to Raleigh by the county health unit and a telegram was received from the hygienic laboratory Monday afternoon stating that the dog was mad. Mr. Glazener is having his two dogs treated by a veterinarian in Hendersonville, and in addition is keeping them in closed pens for observation. Mr. Glazener said he was sure the dog bit one other, and possibly a number of dogs in that section, and advises that all dogs in the section be confined and watched carefully for a period of several weeks.

Driverless Auto Will Be Big Feature of State Sponsored Event

Arrangements have been completed for an interesting safety program in Brevard Friday afternoon, main feature of which will be a parade at 3 o'clock demonstrating a "magic car." A Chevrolet car without a driver will turn the corners, stop, go, blow its horn, and perform all the functions that a car would do if it were piloted by a careful driver, yet there will be no one in the car. Captain J. J. Lynch, safety expert, who has been staging similar shows over the state for the past year will control the car from another car several feet in the rear of the magic car. The parade will emphasize sane driving and safe walking, and the "magic car" is used to demonstrate the fact that an automobile within itself is not a dangerous piece of machinery, and only becomes such when it is not handled correctly. Official approval has been given the safety parade by the state department of safety, Mayor and officials of Brevard, and by the public in general where the parade has been staged. It is expected that a large crowd of people will be on hand Friday afternoon to witness the parade. In addition to the magic car, the fire department, Boy Scouts, officials, and others will take part. The parade will form at the city hall on West Main street, move up to the square, turn right on Broad street to Jordan, left to Maple, left again to Main, and west to the city hall where Captain Lynch will give an address on safety of walking, and sanity in driving. Several business concerns are cooperating to bring the parade to Brevard. The Standard Esso station on Broad street will furnish the gas on which the car is driven; a battery will be furnished by the Howard Whitmire service station and the magic car itself will be provided by the McCrary Auto Service. The car will be seen on the street in front of the Canteen Cafe between the hours of 12 and 1 o'clock at noon Friday, in charge of Captain Lynch. Highway patrolmen from the district office will be here for the parade, as the state highway patrol gives full endorsement of the program which the team of Hoesier and Lynch has been putting on in various North Carolina centers for the past year.

Brevard Scouts Will Aid In Safety Parade

The Brevard Boy Scout Troop will enter the Safety Parade in Brevard, on Friday, August 20, at 3 o'clock. All Scouts who have uniforms are requested to wear them; those who don't, to try to borrow them. They will meet about 2:30 at the City Hall, join the parade carrying flags and safety banners. The parade will feature a driverless car to be piloted by remote control, by Capt. J. J. Lynch, well known safety crusader. Motorcycle patrolmen, the Brevard fire department, city and county officials and business concerns will enter the parade also. —Oliver Orr, Reporter.

Prizes Announced For Brevard Swim Meet

Edwin Wike, manager of the municipal swimming pool, announces that free tickets to the pool will be given as prizes to winners in the swimming meet which is to be held next Monday afternoon, August 23, at 8 o'clock. Four free swims will be given for first places, and two for second places in the three classes. The competitors will be grouped in ages between six and 10 years; 10 and 14 years; and over 14 years. The two younger classes will compete only in swimming, while the older group will also give diving exhibitions.

Bar Members Plan To Attend Meeting

Members of the Brevard Bar association are planning to attend the meeting of the 18th district association which will meet in Marion on Saturday of this week. Pat Kimzey of Brevard, is president of the district association, and announces that an interesting program has been arranged for the day by the Marion bar, which includes speeches by leading lights of the state bar, luncheon, swimming, and golfing. The meeting will be held at the Lake James club house. An address will be made to the lawyers by Heriot Clarkson, justice of the N. C. Supreme court. The program will begin at 10:30 and end at 3.

Washington Visitors

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Smith and son, of Washington, are visiting the former's father, N. E. Smith in Little River. Mr. Smith left here 21 years ago for the west coast and this is his first visit home.

State Blind Worker On Inspection Trip

Mrs. Madaline P. McCrary, field supervisor for the State Blind Commission, was in Brevard, Monday, checking with Mrs. C. Y. Patton in regard to the program for blind people here. Mrs. McCrary said that there were 33 blind and partially blind people reported in this county, and that it was desire of her department to be of such assistance as her department would be able to give in the several individual cases. Work among the blind is a part of the social security program which is being instituted in all counties in the state.

To Clean Orr Cemetery

Announcement is made that the Orr cemetery in Little River will be cleaned off on Tuesday, August 24. All people who have relatives or friends buried there are requested to come to the cemetery prepared to spend the day working if necessary.

Temperature and Rainfall In Brevard

Date	Max.	Min.	Rain
August 11	85	65	.72
August 12	84	62	.75
August 13	83	63	.19
August 14	84	65	.12
August 15	82	66	.04
August 16	85	64	—
August 17	88	62	—
Average	84	64	.28

MACK PERRY FOUND DEAD WEDNESDAY AT HOME OF BROTHER

Ex-Soldier Believed To Have
Been Victim of Whiskey
Or Weak Heart

McKinley (Mack) Perry, 41-year-old resident of the Cedar Mountain section, died sometime during Tuesday night from either a weak heart or over-drinking of whiskey. The man died at the home of his brother Will Perry, who lives just off the Greenville highway in the See-Off section, and members of the family were uncertain as to the time of his death. Sheriff George Shuford and Coroner John Kilpatrick were summoned to the home of Will Perry on Wednesday morning, and after investigating the matter, decided that an inquest was unnecessary. Milas Perry, who was at the home of his father Tuesday night, said that Mack went down to the creek below the house shortly after dark; that Mack had been in a rather nervous and weakened condition due in part to over drinking; that he and his sister went down to the creek and brought the ill man back to the Will Perry porch where he was asked to be laid on the porch. The man was left lying on the porch, Milas said, apparently the worse from drinking which he was in the habit of doing, and that he was found still lying there Wednesday morning by Will Perry. The man was dead when first seen Wednesday morning, Will Perry said. The deceased had been living in South Carolina, near Marietta, it was disclosed to the sheriff, and had been brought to the Will Perry home Tuesday afternoon by a man named Walter Ellenburg, who said that he would return the following day, and left the Will Perry home, presumably to send a doctor out from Brevard. However, no doctor showed up, the family said. Two small bruises showed on the dead man's forehead, but they were not sufficient to cause death, Coroner John Kilpatrick said. His face was discolored and misshapen due to the fact that he had lain face down for possibly 12 or 15 hours when the coroner viewed the body. Funeral services will be held at 11 o'clock Thursday morning from the Dunn's Creek church, and interment will be made in the cemetery nearby. Perry was an ex-soldier, and the Veterans Administration authorized the funeral expenditures for him. Kilpatrick Funeral Home had charge of arrangements. He enlisted in the army on August 7, 1918, and was honorably discharged from Fort Wadsworth, S. C., on February 28, 1919. He is married and has a wife and three small children in South Carolina. He is also survived by his mother, three brothers, and two sisters.

Free Books For Pupils

Elementary pupils of Transylvania county schools will have free school books this year, according to announcement made by County Superintendent J. B. Jones. Students of the two high schools will not be allowed the use of free text books, but will be given the privilege of rentals at one-third the cost of the books, Mr. Jones said. For the grades one to seven, there will be only one book to buy for each child, a Supplementary Reader, which will range in price from 40 to 75 cents. Checking on the required books which an average student in an elementary school will use, it was found that the saving would amount to excess of \$3.00 per student, to the parents. A fifth grade student would be required, under the old setup, to buy books amounting to \$3.75.

E. C. Heath Buried At Cedar Mountain

Funeral services for Earle Connor Heath, who died at nine o'clock at a hospital in Greenville, Saturday night, were held at Rocky Hill church at Cedar Mountain, Monday morning at 11. The services were conducted by Rev. A. L. Vaughn and the Rev. J. E. Finley, and interment was in the family plot in the church cemetery. The pallbearers were his brothers-in-law. The flower girls were Misses Essie Bishop, Eldred Burns, Fall Summey, Hazel Heath, Ruby Robinson, and Frances Bishop.

Mr. Heath was 22 years old, and was a member of Sans Souci Baptist church. He is survived by his foster father, E. A. Heath, and the following foster brothers and sisters: Jack Heath, of Asheville; Walter Heath, of Greenville; Mrs. Lottie Hamby, Mrs. Joe Pace and Miss Sidney Heath, of Greenville; Mrs. D. L. Allison and Mrs. P. K. Jones, of Cedar Mountain; and Mrs. Perry Taylor and Mrs. Edgar Street, of Florence, S. C.

Road Worker's Life Saved By Transylvania Residents

O. A. Jones, of Jackson, N. C., owes his life to a group of four men who pulled him from Davidson River last Sunday afternoon and brought him back to life after he was apparently drowned. Jones was driving a heavy motor grader machine along the Davidson River road about a mile above the swimming pool when it left the road and plunged down a 20-foot bank into the river, where he was submerged and entangled in the wrecked cab of the machine. A motorist from Mississippi, who was following the machine witnessed the accident and turned back down the road to the home of Carter and Chester West, who went to the scene and pulled the man from under the water. The Mississippi man then went down to the Davidson River swimming pool where he secured the aid of Lewis W. Morris and A. W. Allen, who administered artificial respiration and soon had the man breathing. The man was said to be under the water from five to eight minutes, and after the men started working with was unconscious for nearly half hour

him. An ambulance was summoned from Brevard and Jones was brought to Lyday hospital where he was reported Wednesday to be getting along very well. Mr. Allen, who is Boy Scout executive for the Daniel Boone council, was spending the day at the picnic grounds near the swimming pool, and as usual had his first aid kit with him. Young Morris, whose home is at Rome, Ga., has been attendant at the swimming pool for the past two summers, and had studied first aid and life saving from an approved text book. The two men, Morris and Allen, soon had the drowned man breathing, and assisted in bringing him to the hospital where medical care was given. Young Morris is an enrollee at the Balsam Grove CCC camp, and is detailed to look after the swimming pool and picnic grounds. Scout Executive Allen said that the young man deserved much credit for his aptitude in the work under stress. The machine was pulled from the river Monday morning by the Ragland Construction crew, by whom Jones is employed on the highway job in Pisgah National Forest.