

ANNUAL CORN SHOW BE HELD FEB. 19TH AT HENDERSONVILLE

Transylvania Farmers To Enter Exhibits—Banquet Saturday Evening

Annual Transylvania - Henderson corn show will be held in Hendersonville on Saturday, February 19. It has been announced by county agents of the two counties.

The show will be open all day in the Hendersonville City Gym, and the banquet which follows the show will be held at 6:30 that evening.

Around twenty entries will be made from Transylvania county, with equal or larger number of entries from Henderson county.

While the program for the banquet has not been completed, it is expected that several members of the State College extension department, and possibly President Frank Graham of State College, will be at the banquet, as well as heads of other agricultural departments in the state and district.

Last year the show was held in Transylvania county, and several hundred people attended the banquet. Only those who entered the growing contest between the two counties will be invited to the banquet, or will be allowed to make entries in the corn show.

The silver loving cup, won the first year by T. J. Wilson of Brevard, was won in 1937 by a Henderson county Future Farmer and will be awarded to the young man at the banquet.

Prizes offered by the two counties for individual yields in the counties will also be awarded at the banquet.

Special Methodist Services

Special services will be held at the Methodist church Sunday at the 11 o'clock hour. The Rev. W. L. Hutchins, representative for the Western North Carolina conference, will deliver the Aldersgate address at this time.

The Rev. W. A. Rollins, presiding elder of the Waynesville district, will introduce the speaker.

Unemployment Data For Transylvania

Transylvania County has 562 persons totally unemployed and who want to work, 266 employed in Federal emergency projects and 435 who are partly employed and desire more work, according to the census on total and partial unemployment recently made public in Washington. In the entire State there are 295,110 men and women who are entirely or partially unemployed or are working on WPA, NYA, CCC or other emergency work. Figures for the Nation show 5,821,035 totally unemployed and desiring work, 2,001,877 emergency workers and 3,209,211 part time workers who need additional employment making a grand total of more than 14 million men and women in the arm of unemployed and partly employed.

Federation Warehouse To Open Feb. 19

The Farmers Federation warehouse will open on Saturday, Feb. 19. It is announced by officials. Schedule was to open on the 12th, but due to unavoidable circumstances the opening was postponed until the 19th.

Mrs. Harmon Rogers Buried Wednesday

Mrs. Harmon Rogers, of Biltmore, but formerly of Camp Sapphire section was called in death Monday night. She was before her marriage 30 years ago, Miss Julia Reece, born August 12, 1859 in Haywood county. Funeral services were held at Cruso Wednesday, and burial was in Cruso cemetery. She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Jim Capps, of Biltmore; one step daughter, Mrs. John Rhineheart, of Cruso, and four sons, Jennings, of Virginia, Everett, Cline and Harmon Jr., all of Biltmore. Four brothers and three sisters also survive, Charles, Caswell and Theodore Reece, of Warren, and J. A. Reece, of Cruso; Mrs. J. A. Reece, of Brevard, Route 2, Mrs. George Sharpe, of Cruso, and Mrs. Kern Reece, of Brasstown.

Pisgah Church Services

Schedule of services for next Sunday at the Pisgah Forest Baptist church have been announced by the pastor, the Rev. W. S. Price Jr., as follows: Sunday school, 10 a.m.; D. P. Orr, superintendent; sermon, 11 a.m., by the pastor, on "The Value of Training our Young People"; B.Y.P.U., 7 p.m.; Valry Carter, president, a class for every one present; sermon, 8 o'clock, on the seventh commandment. A cordial invitation is extended the public to attend these services.

Mrs. Surret Given Rating by 'Industry'

Mrs. Beulah McGulre Surret, of Brevard R-2, has just completed a course of study with the Fireside Industries, and has been presented a diploma as a master craftsman of applied art. She completed a correspondence course in photo-color some time ago, and also has a certificate of 81 percent rating for the Federal School of Art.

Hand decorated novelties and gifts, designed exclusively by the Fireside Artists have been artistically decorated by Mrs. Surret.

Proof of Pudding Sears-Roebuck KNOWS It Pays To Advertise

Proof conclusive, in fact, 540 corroboratives of the adage "It Pays To Advertise" were received by the Brevard postoffice Wednesday afternoon.

The proofs each cost the sender 11 cents, or a total of \$59.40 for postage for the Brevard postoffice allocations, to say nothing of those pieces that went to Horse Shoe, Etowah, Penrose, Pisgah Forest, Cedar Mountain, Rosman, Lake Toxaway, Oakland, Sapphire, Balsam Grove, Wolf Mountain, etc. and etc.

It required eighteen bags to carry the 540 pieces to Brevard, and the mail distribution was late at the local office—way late—while the clerks wrestled with the heavy bags and the multitudinous pieces of unwieldy mail that wouldn't fit into the average postoffice box.

Going on the basis of The Times circulation in Transylvania county, there must have been at least 1,500 to 1,800 of the do-jiggers received in the county, which was a lot of mail for a lot of people, and a lot of work for a lot of postoffice employees.

Sears & Roebuck believes that it pays to advertise, and they must have spent thousands of dollars to get the Transylvania county bunch of catalogs printed and distributed—and sent one time to each customer. Incidentally, The Times believes it pays to advertise, and like Sears & Roebuck—believe it also.

"Another Albert" Was Connected In Shooting

Albert Kilpatrick of North Broad street requests The Times to tell all the people who are interested, that he is not the Kilpatrick who was shot in the "Kilpatrick-Shadrack-Orr family row" on Saturday night, Jan. 29.

Mr. Kilpatrick said that the story carried in last week's Times caused considerable worry among his friends, and quite a bit of comment among the general populace. He said that it would have been bad enough had been in the fracas down at the Orr residence near Park Place, but that he didn't want to be blamed for something he was not connected with.

Here-There Over the County

(J. A. Glazener, County Agent)

R. L. Capps of the Glade Creek community is constructing a new barn. Just something impressive about new farm buildings.

Jud McCrary is continuing to lend a firm touch to his farm in the Pisgah Forest community. Latest improvement is a new laying house. Mr. McCrary received 600 White Leghorn chicks this week. Layers in the making and eggs this fall. With a few more would think of the value of better farm flocks. Records show poultry to be a good side line to the main farm income for the larger farms and the best source of income for the small farms.

Mrs. J. M. Williams also received 400 Barred Rock chicks this week. With her splendid battery equipment for brooding and her ever watchful eye, fried chicken is just around the corner.

T. J. Wilson is the proud owner of a pair of fine horse colts which he bought last week. Amos and Andy have been suggested as suitable names for the new members of the barnyard family.

Folks in the Quebec, Lake Toxaway, and Gloucester counties are interested in learning more about soil conservation meetings held in those communities last week. We cannot increase our farm income on poor soils. Why not resolve now to start some soil improvement work? Cooperate with the program which has as its real objective the conservation of our soils. We owe it to our children to improve our land rather than let it wash away and draw from it all the valuable plant food nature has stored over the long years of the past. It is not ours. We are only trustees of the soil and as a good trustee we should strive to improve it and leave it better than we found it.

Smilin' Charlie Says



"My idea o' something practical is a couple o' guys stagin' a prize fight for th' benefit o' some hospital..."

TOWN BUYS BUILDING TO USE FOR OFFICES

Harris-Reynolds Property Will Be Remodeled—Provides Ample Facilities

The Town of Brevard now owns its own home.

Transfer of title to the Harris & Reynolds building on West Main street was made Tuesday, by Judson McCrary, agent, to the town, and as soon as repairs and remodeling is completed, the town offices and equipment will be moved to the new place, which is just across the street from the present offices.

The large brick structure is regarded as ideal for the town's needs, with large storage space in the basement, commodious well-lighted office space, and room for the fire truck and other equipment on the street floor.

The upstairs will be used for storing supplies, and later as mayor's office and courtroom, according to plans which the board discussed at a meeting several weeks ago when trade for the property was made.

Some residential property, and a cash consideration, was traded for the building, which stands the town \$5,000.

The board of aldermen have been trying for years to find a suitable place for the offices and at the same time provide storage and fire equipment space, and decided that the Harris building would answer the purpose for many years to come.

To Confer First Degree

The first degree will be conferred at the regular communication of Dunn's Rock lodge which will be held in the lodge hall Friday night at 8 o'clock.

At conclusion of the degree work refreshments will be served. A cordial invitation is extended to all visiting Masons.

School Clinics Will Be Conducted During Month of February

Diphtheria tests were given 4th and 5th grade students of Little River, Enon and Pisgah Forest schools on Wednesday by Dr. G. B. Lynch of the Transylvania Health unit, and similar tests will be given at like clinics throughout the county schools for pupils of these two grades.

Friday afternoon Dr. Lynch and Mrs. Albert Chance, nurse, will visit Connettee, Cedar Mountain, and the Glade Creek colored schools, and give the tests to determine if the children need diphtheria vaccine.

On Feb. 16th the tests will be given at Brevard; at Rosman on the 18th; Selica, and Rosenwald colored on the 23rd.

Readings of the tests will be made to the students on the following dates at the schools: Feb. 14, Little River, Enon and Pisgah Forest; 15, Cedar Mountain, Connettee, and Glade Creek colored; 21, Brevard; 22, Rosman; 28, Selica, and Rosenwald.

At the time the readings are given, students who need the diphtheria vaccine will be given treatment, and other students given small pox vaccine. The small pox vaccine will not be given at the diphtheria test taking time.

There will be no charges for the tests or the vaccine, Dr. Lynch said, this being a part of the service of the health unit.

The health officer will be in his office in Brevard on Thursdays, and on each Saturday morning, for the present.

Work Stock Association Will Meet Saturday

The Transylvania Workstock Breeders association will meet Saturday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock in the county agents office in Brevard. Business pertaining to work of the association will be gone into, and each member is requested by the county agents to attend.

A. M. White Lauded For Musical Talent

(Furman Hornet)

A. M. White, Furman student and piano pupil of Wendell Keeney, participated last week in the contest sponsored by the Columbia Music Festival association. This contest, which took place over the week-end in Columbia was for young South Carolina artists. White was one of the ten that Mme. Olga Samaroff, who judged the contest, chose after the preliminary trials. Before giving her decision, Mme. Samaroff recalled five of these ten contestants. White was one of the performers in this group also.

The only college student to reach the finals, Mr. White had to compete with professional teachers and instrumentalists. Mme. Samaroff stated that the decision awarding a prize of \$300 was a very difficult one for her to make. Finally, however, she awarded the prize to Mrs. Paul Thompson of Spartanburg, a contralto.

A. M. White, of Rosman N. C., is a senior and a major in piano. He is accompanist for chapel singing. He has appeared on numerous student recitals while here and is planning a recital in the spring. A capable and resourceful performer, Mr. White's playing has been noted with a great deal of interest by local musicians.

A. M. is a son of Mayor and Mrs. A. M. White of Rosman, and studied music in Brevard for several years under Professor Alvin Moore.

He Studied Not in Vain



Broken Fire Hydrant Causes Grief for Two North Brevard Gents

Two residents of North Brevard made strong complaint to the board of aldermen last week, stating that they were made very uncomfortable through unwarranted damage to town property.

It seems that the weather was real cold a few days ago, and that two husbands who feel that they were unduly persecuted, were told by their wives to cut the water off from the residence system. In each case, the husband demurred, and flatly refused, saying "Aw it's not cold enough."

Next morning arising rather early—no water, and the usual "I told you so," was the greeting from the real boss of the two homes.

After working for some time trying to thaw out pipes that refused to thaw, one of the men came into Brevard with the expressed purpose of sending out a plumber to do the "dirty work."

Near King's Creek bridge on North Brevard, the real reason for the "frozen" pipes was discovered. Some chap had run into a fire hydrant on the main line running to North Brevard; broke the hydrant off, and the water that should have been going to North Brevard was gushing out and making a good sized stream down the side of the street. These men, and the officials of the town as well, are emphatic in their statements, that to damage city property in any way, and not report same is a law violation.

New Arrival

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Otto Alexander a daughter, Sara Love, on Saturday, February 5, at Lyday Memorial hospital.

Debt Settlement Declared Operative Monday to Save County Considerable Sum

Refunding plan for Transylvania county was ordered operative by the board of county commissioners in their regular session Monday, whereby the county will save approximately \$1,700,000.00.

County Attorney Pat Kimzey announced that 90 percent of the outstanding bonds had been received from the holders, and that the Local Government Commission had given full approval of the plan, and of the desire of the county officials to declare the plan operative at once.

Bond attorneys have given their approval of the legality of the bonds to be exchanged, and Mr. Kimzey said that actual exchange would probably take place within the next sixty days.

Bondholders who had started suit against the county, and had secured judgments through mandamus proceedings, have consented to the plan, and have listed their bonds with the local government commission for exchange of the low interest bearing notes which are being given for the old past-due paper. Approximately \$300,000 was in default when the refunding plan was started last spring by the commissioners, and holders of a large percent of these past due bonds had gone into federal court to take steps to force the county to levy sufficient tax to take care of the past due obligations. However, under the plan now effective, these suits have been stopped, and the tax rate will not have to be raised, provided people of the county will co-operate in paying their taxes.

Old Age Assistance Handled By Welfare

Several old people appeared before the county commissioners Monday and asked that their cases be considered for old age assistance.

The commissioners explained that they did not have anything at all to do with this phase of the co-operative federal-state-county setup, and that all applications should be made to the welfare department, where they will be made out and sent to the state for approval after passing the local board of welfare.

Considerable checking has to be done by the welfare department before any application is passed upon, and the commissioners have no part in this work. It was explained to those coming before the board.

Parent-Teacher Group To Name New Officers

The February meeting of the P. T. A. was held Tuesday afternoon in the grammar school building, with teachers and patrons of the school present.

Mrs. W. C. Austin, president, in charge of the meeting, appointed the following nominating committee for the election of officers at the next meeting: Mrs. Constance Banks, Mrs. F. P. Sledge and Mrs. Ernest Tilson. It was reported by Mrs. Tilson, chairman of the Christmas seal sale that \$84.15 had been realized from the sale, of which amount \$61.91 remains here to carry on the health work in the community.

Proceeding the business session, an enjoyable musical program of vocal solos and duets was presented by Alvin Moore and Rev. C. M. Jones. Mrs. W. C. Maness was program leader.

Brevard Basketball Games Friday-Mon.

Brevard high school will meet the Etowah basketball teams in a double header at the Flat Rock gym Friday night, and Rosman there Monday. Rosman teams played a delayed double-header here Wednesday night, after the paper was put on the press, making the scores unavailable for this issue. A return game will be played on the Rosman courts Monday.

The game Friday night at Flat Rock is a return engagement. At the previous game the Etowah girls won 36-17, and the Brevard boys won 25-9. The Etowah girls have the distinctive record of never having lost a game to a Brevard team, and this meet is expected to furnish real interest.

FOREST NURSERY TO BE ESTABLISHED IN CRAB CREEK SECTION

Hardwood Plantings Will Be Available To Farmers of Transylvania County

Announcement has been made from Raleigh that a state forest nursery will be established near the Transylvania-Henderson county line, with work on the project to be done by Camp Sledge CCC enrollees.

Definite statement has not been made as to actual location of the nursery, but it is understood that it will be in the Crab Creek section, and that work will start immediately on the project.

Hardwoods, native to this section, will be grown at the nursery, and farmers and land owners will have access to planting for reforestation and plantings, with the cost of the plants to be very low.

Complete details of the nursery will be announced within a short while.

Lawn Meeting Thursday

People interested in improving their lawns and otherwise beautifying their property are invited to attend a meeting at the county agents office on Thursday evening of this week at 8 o'clock.

Preparation of soils for combating parasitical growths, and the methods of killing moss which is now seriously threatening many lawns here will be discussed by County Agent Glazener, and schedule of co-operative work which will enable property owners to secure needed improvements at very nominal cost will be explained.

Club Plans To Plant Shrubbery at School

The Women's Civic club held the regular meeting Monday afternoon in the club room. There were several guests present.

Plans for the year were discussed, projects to be undertaken mapped out and the happy, hopeful tone of the meeting was very encouraging to officers and members. The question of planting shrubbery around the new school building was brought up and plans made for beautifying the grounds this spring.

At the close of the business session, the president, Mrs. Oliver Orr, presented Pat Kimzey, who made an interesting and informative address concerning civic pride. Since the civic club is a county wide organization, Mr. Kimzey discussed the business outlook in the county, past, present and future, stating that in his opinion happier and more prosperous days are just ahead for Transylvania county. Commending the club on well sustained plans in the year just closing, the speaker urged the club to stress hospitality as a major objective, joining our Governor in a sincere endeavor to make North Carolina known far and wide as one of the most hospitable states of the union.

At the close of the meeting sandwiches and coffee were served from a tea table suggestive of spring, with its pale green linen cover, centered with a crystal bowl of yellow jasmine.

METEORITE MAY BE FOUND AT PENROSE

Lower Transylvania Resident Believes He Saw Unusual Mass Fall Late Monday

Boyd Meixell of Penrose reported to The Times Tuesday that he had seen what he believed to be a meteorite fall about five or six miles northeast of his home the afternoon before about 6:15.

Young Mr. Meixell said that he glanced around just in time to see the huge ball of fiery mass above the horizon, and that on account of passing cars on the highway he could not say that he heard any accompanying noise.

J. C. McCall found what he believed to be a meteorite several weeks ago near his home in the Boylston section, but fragments sent to State College have not been reported on. The one found by Mr. McCall was very small.

Meteorites are large masses of solid matter which fall upon the earth's surface at the rate of two or three a year and weigh several pounds or many tons. The largest meteorite known to have struck the earth in modern times fell in Siberia in 1908. It struck the earth at an angle and cut a swath through the forest 25 miles wide, and its weight has been estimated at 40,000 tons.

Meteorites are a conglomeration mass of metal and stone and in them are found many of the metallic elements known on earth. Scientists believe that meteorites are wanderers in space and originated either as part of our own planetary system or in some other system that has long since been demolished.—Standard Encyclopedia.

Singing at Dunns Rock

Announcement is made that a community singing will be held at the Dunns Rock Baptist church Sunday afternoon, beginning at 3 o'clock. An invitation is extended to the general public, and all singers are especially invited to attend.