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\$1.00 PER YEAR IN TRANSYLVANIA COUNTY

# CARR BUYS O'CONNOR TIMBER LANDS

### **GUY WHITMIRE WINS** COUNTY CORN PRIZE

Transylvania Farmers Win All First Places In Judging Corn On Display

Guy Whitmire, of Cherryfield won first place in the Transylvania corn growing contest, with a yield of 138.8 bushels of corn on one acre of measured ground. Mr. Whitmire was awarded a cash prize of \$25 at the Transylvania-Henderson contest banquet in Hendersonville last Saturday evening.

First place for the two counties went to J. D. Hooper, 15-year-old Fu-ture Farmer of Mills River in Henderson county. The silver loving cup which was won by T. J. Wilson of Brevard last year, was presented to the young farmer at the banquet.

Winners in Transylvania included: Guy Whitmire, 138.8 bushels, \$25 given by the county commissioners; Gerald Allison of Cherryfield, 125.2 bushels, \$15 given by the Town of Brevard; E. Carl Allison of Cherryfield, 116 bushels, \$10 given by Transylvania Trust company; E. O. Shipman of Pisgah Forest, 101 bushels, \$8 given by The Tran-leaders, an Aldersgate Christian Mis-sylvania Times: Charlie Bryson of sion, one of a south-wide series of 85, Feed company.

company; Troy Owen of Lake Toxaway, 84 bushels, \$5 given by Jos. S. given by Brevard Kiwanis Club.

In the corn show held Saturday af- the Emory University church. ternoon in Hendersonville, J. D. Hooper of Mills River, won first place in and came to Nashville, Tenn., in 1930 the white prolific display: Charles to join the staff of the board of Christ-Bryson of Brevard, second; J. R. Suttles of Henderson, third; C. F. Pryor of Henderson, fourth; and E. Carl Allison of Cherryfield fifth. (Continued on back page)

### ALL SEED DEALERS MUST PAY LICENSE

Change Suggested For Benefit Rural Communities and Small Merchants

All dealers in garden and field seeds Future Farmers Will are required to pay a license fee to the State Department of Agriculture to cover the costs of inspection fees as provided in the Pure Seed Law of 1929 and amended in 1937.

The Pure Seed Law requires the of agriculture to ap point agents for the inspection and cation contest to be staged for the nine examination and for making analysis tests of agricultural and vegetable and Henderson counties. seeds sold in the state. The act also and Henderson counties. sets up standards and forbids selling seeds below these standards. In order to clarify some discussion, the text will be approximately 70 different seeds will be approximately 70 different seeds

fees is given in full. "Any citizen, firm, or corporation of this State shall have the privilege of having samples of seeds tested free of charge in the State seed laboratory; Homer Batson, and Edgar Meece. while individuals, firms and corporations outside the State shall have a like privilege on payment of a fee of twenty-five (25) cents for each purity test and twent-five (25) cents for each germination test.

"For the purpose of providing a fund to defray the expense of the examination and analysis prescribed in this act, each person, firm or corporation selling or offering for sale in or export from this State any seed as mentioned in this act shall register with the Department of Agriculture the name of the person, firm or corporation offering the seed for sale, and shall pay a license tax annually, on January first of each year, of twenty-five (\$25.00) dollars if a wholesale or a wholesaler and retailer shall be required to pay the retail license tax. The Commission er's receipt for such money shall be

license to conduct the business." Some of the smaller merchants who handle seeds only as a sideline are objecting to the ruling which is being put into effect this year for the first time since the law was passed in 1929. and some of the people who live in the more distant parts of the county say they are faced with the bardship of going considerable distance to buy seed on account of the fact that some of the smaller merchants feel that they cannot afford to pay the \$10 license fee, when their total volume of sales

will not justify the license expense. Suggestion has been made by interested citizens that the Department of Agriculture amend the ruling, making the seed wholesalers responsible for purity and germination tests, and that only those seed wholesalers whose seeds come up to standard be allowed to sell in the state, thus allowing a smaller merchant to handle seeds for the convenience of his customers.

Special W. O. W. Drive

A membership drive will be started by the two Transylvania Woodmen camps beginning next Monday which will continue through March. At the meeting of the Brevard camp Monday night, outline of the plans for the drive will be made by officers and members who attended a district meeting in Lincolnton on Tuesday night.

Aldersgate Speaker



BOYD M. McKEOWN

With the Rev. Nat Long, of Atlanta, Ga., and Boyd M. McKeown, of Nashville, Tenn., as guest speakers and leaders, an Aldersgate Christian Mis-Brevard, 89 bushels, \$7 given by B & B will be held for Methodist students at Brevard College, Brevard, N. C., March Herbert Fisher of Lake Toxaway, 2 and 3, at the chapel periods, accord-85 bushels, \$6 given by Carr Lumber ing to Professor John Bennett, of the department of religion.

The visiting leaders are prominent in Silversteen: Larry Lee Hogsed of the field of religious education. The Cherryfield, 81 bushels, \$4 given by Rev. Mr. Long, formerly connected with Brevard Kiwanis Club; Jess Gillespie, the general board of Christian education, Country Club, 80 bushels \$3 given Methodist Episcopal Church, South, has by Brevard Kiwanis Club: Cecil Fisher of Lake Toxaway, 79 buhsels, \$2 given by Brevard Kiwanis Club.

had wide experience as student pastor in college centers. At present he is pastor at Glenn Memorial in Atlanta.

Mr. McKoewn is a native of Texas ian education. Here he is director of college promotion in the department of schools and colleges. Prior to coming to Nashville he was head of the department of education in McMurray College, Abilene, Texas.

The Aldersgate missions are units of the Methodist-wide Aldersgate Episcopal Commemoration sponsored by the College of Bishops of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South to celebrate the bi-centenary of the evangelical conversion of John Wesley, founder of the Methodist Church, which took place in 1738 at a religious meeting in Aldersgate Chapel, London.

### **Enter Seed Contests**

Members of the Brevard and Rosman chapters FFA will go to Etowah high school Saturday afternoon where they will take part in a seed i

The event is scheduled for 2 o'clock will be approximately 70 different seeds of the act regarding inspection and to be identified, including grasses, legumes, weeds, and miscellaneous var-

> Boys who plan to enter from Brevard Grady Baynard are Jack Holden,

> Rosman boys who will enter the contest are John Rogers, Gerald Allison, and Charles McNeely.

-Odell Scott, Reporter

### MISS MOORE NAMED TOP SCHOOL CITIZEN

Brevard Student To Compete For Annual Pilgrimage To Washington Fete

Miss Martha Kate Moore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Moore, has been chosen by the faculty and senior class of the Brevard high school as the requested to serve in this capacity unschool's best citizen. This honor will der the new and broader setup, and entitle her to represent Brevard in the has accepted the chairmanship. state contest sponsored by the national organization of the Daughters of the

The purpose of the state-wide contest is to select from candidates representing every city and town in North has qualified as loaning agency trip to Washington, D. C., with all expenses paid, at the time of the annual Continental Congress of the D. A. R. These state winners will be presented one will be decorated with a D. A. R. 20 or more years. good citizenship pilgrimage award.

Miss Moore, 17 years of age, a mem ber of the 1938 senior class of the Bre-(Continued on back page)

#### **Brevard Composer To** Have Music Broadcast By U. S. Marine Band

"Glory Bound," a military march, will be broadcast Friday afternoon over the Columbia chain by the United States Marine band.

The music was composed and published by Donald Moore, popular young Brevard musician and composer, who has had several numbers broadcast over national chains, and played by leading musicians of the nation.

The march will be played on the regular half-hour program which is rendered by the marine band, and will probably be heard best in Brevard from station WIAM, Anderson, S. C.

The marine band program lasts from

### New Federal Housing Will Be Available For Buildings Here

A "Better Housing Committee" will be named in Brevard within a few days to take advantage of the loaning facilities of the Federal Housing administration, as authorized by new national housing act.

Judson McCrary, who acted as chairman of the committee in 1935, has been

Mr. McCrary said Monday that he expected to receive full instructions as American Revolution in the annual D. to carrying out the provisions of the A. R. good citizenship pilgrimage to loan act within a few days, and that a committee would be organized im-

mediately to start taking applications. The Transylvania Trust company Carolina the most outstanding young this county, and will handle the loans lady high school senior. The winners to prospective home builders and those from each state will be given a free who wish to make repairs, here at Brevard. Under the federal guaranteed loans a person paying ten percent down on a home will be enabled to bormeeting in the nation's capital in April. row the balance at a low rate of interest, and repay at a low monthly to the assembled delegates, and each rate, stretched out over a period of

It is expected that the loans start a revival of building activities in this section, as there is a pronounced shortage of houses.

The following telegram has been received by Mr. McCrary from Stewart McDonald, federal housing administrator, of Washington, D. C.:

"The passage of the new national housing act opens the way for a real residential construction program which should carry with it a genuine business revival. The president asks that we again request your participation as voluntary chairman to organize a better housing committee to immediatly sponsor this revival in your community and get its full benefits immediately. Please wire me collect tf you accept and letter outlining plan will immediately follow. "Stewart McDonald, federal housing

#### Sunday School Meet

Announcement is made that the Baptist associational Sunday school meet-3 o'clock to 3:30, and the Brevard com- ing will be held with Brevard Baptist poser's music will be heard during that church on Sunday afternoon, March 6, beginning at 2:30 o'clock.

## Annual Big Egg Contest Will Be Staged By Times This Week

Annual "Big Egg" contest by The Transylvania Times begins this week with the first weighing of eggs to be held Saturday night of this week. One dollar will be paid each week for the largest egg brought to The Times office.

Only eggs laid by Transylvania county hens may be entered in the contest, or those in the Wolf Mountain, Etowah, and Horse Shoe sections, which communities are served by this newspaper.

Size of the eggs will be determined by weight this year instead of by tape measurement, which is regarded as the more accurate manner of getting at size. The weighing will be done each Saturday

after closing the office and one dollar mailed to contestant winer on Monday

The contest will be open five weeks, and one dollar will be paid each week for the heaviest egg. There is nothing to buy, and any-

one is eligible to enter an egg in the contest who resides in the trade area served by The Times. The eggs must be brought or sent to The Times office, and will be weighed the week brought in, with no eggs being carried over from week to week.

The contest has been put on for several years by The Times, and has created considerable interest, especially among some of the young farmers of the county.

## Plans Operation At Once On 17,000-acre Boundary

# **BE STAGED BY CLUB**

School Students of County To Compete In County Contest March 12

in the Brevard and county schools on Saturday, March 12, in the new Brevard primary building. The contest is spon sored by the Mathatasian club, and will Jackson counties had been purbe open to the public from 2 to 5 o'clock.

Blue, red and white ribbons will be awarded as prizes in the three classe of entries. Winners in the local contest will be eligible to enter the district contest in Asheville on March 15, enter the state contest in Raleigh. tries be brought to the primary building here on Friday, the 11th, between 3 and 5 o'clock.

W. H. Oliver, local art instructor, will assist in the contest and will act as judge.

Mrs. Pat Kimzey is chairman of the art contest, assisted on the committee by Mrs. J. B. Jones, Mrs. Harry Sellers, Mrs. Julian Glazener and Mrs. Willis Brittain.

The following are the rules for the

1. The work submitted will be group-(Continued on back page)

### Pisgah Forest Road Work Is Progressing

Crews engaged in right-of-way work on the Pisgah National forest highway are practically through, and construction work is expected to begin within on the lands at around 50,000,000 feet. the next two weeks.

now by Chandler Brothers who have of the company by trucks and rall the contract for the lower end of the where all sawing and finishing will be highway and it is expected that three of the eight structures will be complet-

Work will also be resumed soon on the upper sections of the highway, which require but the surfacing to be complete. Contract of Chandler Brothers calls for completion of the lower five-mile stretch by early fall.

Income Tax Man Here

their income and intangible tax reant, and requests that those people who come to the office on that date bring their figures for reports.

Twin Sons Announced

Mr. and Mrs. J. Elsie Parker of Mr. and Mrs. J. Elsie Parker of the half of the Brevard Park section, announce the Brevard Park section, announce the 32,000,000 feet of lumber last year. birth of twins-Eli and Elton-born on Wednesday, Dr. R. L. Stokes and Miss Ruth McCall, nurse, who attended the arrival of the two young men said years ago, when he went to New Mexithat they were doing fine.

At Lyday Hospital

Patients reported at Lyday Memorial hospital on Wednesday were: Howard it was announced that "Uncle Louie Owens, Thad West, Sarah Jane Townsend, Peeples baby, Mrs. J. S. Stell and Mrs. Tillie Curry.

Organize Camera Club

A Camera club in Brevard is being planned by several enthusiastic amateur photographers, with details of the club to be announced shortly.

G. Kyle, who has been doing present camera, as well as Jakot Rohwer, L. W. Bonnell, and others, are inwill have kodaking as its feature. Announcement of first meeting will be made next week.

#### Mrs. Ida B. Payne Buried In Haywood

Funeral services for Mrs. Ida B Payne, aged 80, who died at Lyday Memorial hospital here Friday morning, were held at the Massie funeral home in Waynesville Sunday afternoon. Interment was in the Waynesville Members of the church are expected

Mrs. Payne had been in ill health for several months. She was a native of Virginia, but moved to Waynesville District BTU Meets many years ago, where she resided with her husband, the late Captain James H Payne, of the Southern Rallway system. Upon the death of her husband 20 years ago, she moved to are called to meet Sunday afternoon at Lake Toxaway to make her home with 2:30 o'clock at Plegah Porest Baptist her daughter, Mrs. W. W. Ray.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Ray, of Lake Toxaway, and Mrs. F. L. around the theme of "The Bible, His Baker, of Knoxville, Tenu; two sons, Witness," with the following program J. H. Payne, of Asheville and H. C. to be rehearsed:

#### ART CONTEST WILL | Logs Will Be Brought To Pisgah Forest Mill-Insures Long Work

Announcement was made Wednesday by the Carr Lumber company of Pisgah Forest A creative art contest will be held that the 17,000 acre tract of timber on the O'Connor lands lying in Transylvania and chased by the local concern and that operations on the would start imboundary mediately.

The O'Connor tract is one of the few remaining virgin hardwood timber and these winners will be entitled to tracts in the Appalachian area, and is covered with a fine growth which will March 26. It is requested that all en- be manufactured by the Pisgah Forest

The purchase was made from the Morris-Taylor Lumber company of Asheville, for an unannounced sum, and the deal was announced late Wednesday after all papers had been signed by the Carr and Morris-Taylor interests.

W. W. Croushorn, secretary-treasurer, and general manager of the Carr Lumber company said plans of his company were to start logging in the vast boundary immediately, and that present employes of the Pisgah Forest company would be used entirely in all operations, and that no new workmen would be engaged at this time.

Mr. Croushorn said that under normal operations, the 17,000 acre tract would provide employment for his workers for a period of around ten years, and that a very conservative estimate would place the fine hardwood

The hardwoods on the big tract will Culverts and bridges are being built be brought to the Pisgah Forest plant where all sawing and finishing will be done. It is probable, that the timber will be trucked to Lake Toxaway from the first cutting on the boundary, and shipped by rail to Pisgah Forest.

The purchase did not include the South Carolina and Georgia boundaries of the Morris-Taylor concern, which is now operating plants near Walhalla,

The Carr Lumber company is well known as one of the larger operating Carl Felmet, deputy insurance col- lumber companies in the south, and lector, announces that he will be at the has been located at Pisgah Forest for clerk of court office on Wednesday. the past 25 years, where they operated March 9, to assist people in making for years on timber from the Biltmore estate which is now Pisgah National ports. Mr. Felmet will have an assist- Forest. Their flooring under the trade name of "Biltmore," is shipped to all parts of the world.

Louis Carr is president of the Carr Lumber company, which also operates a large plant in New Mexico, under the name of Southwest Lumber com-

Mr. Carr was in active charge of the Pisgah Forest plant until a few co to take active charge of his extensive lumber holdings there. As proof of his popularity as a friend of his employes, dozens of his men left hera to make New Mexico their home when was going to be boss on the job

Starting as an emigrant lad in the lumber business, Mr. Carr has worked his way to the top of the ladder in his field, and is now rated among the leaders of the nation in lumber production,

Veteran Loans Available Notice has just been received that

the World War Veterans Loan Fund considerable work with his Christmas has five hundred thousand dollars available to be loaned at this time. This can be borrowed by veterans only terested in an organized group which for the purpose of building homes either in town or on farms. Any veteran who is interested can secure detailed information by calling at the office of J. B. Jones, Commander Post No. 88 American Legion.

Enon Cemetery Work

Friday and Saturday of this week are days set for work on the cemetery and church grounds at Enon. people who have interests in the cemetery and live away are asked to bring lunch and tools for a day's work. to cooperate in work on the church grounds.

# With Pisgah Forest

Lower District B.T.U. organizations

church. The afternoon's program will be built

Payne, of Aneville and H. C.
Payne, of Thompson, Ga. Also surviving are one grandson, H. C. Payne, Jr., of Uniou, S. C.; two sisters, and two brothers, Mrs. Cornella Celbart, Mrs. Emma Clark, J. J. Bryant, and Bernard Bryant, all of Washington, D. C.

Moore and Trantham funeral directors were in charge of arrangements.

Greenville Bureau Says Brevard Sign Is Confusing To Motorists



NOTE-Loan of the above picture was made at request of The Times by The Greenville News. The story is taken from the Sunday News of Feb. 18. The Brevard Chamber of Commerce will probably order the sign revised at

its next meeting. The highway sign at Travelers Rest, shown above, has had a lot of northbound tourists on United States Highway No. 276 al! fogged

up recently. It hasn't materially improved the temper of some of the citizens in the Marietta, Renfrew and Cleveland sections, either.

It seems that many of the motorized wayfarers who wanted to go to Asheville from this area have misread the sign and instead of heading for the Pearl of the Land

of the Sky they have veered off to the northwest and headed toward Marietta, Renfrew, Caesar's Head and Brevard. Some found their error in a few miles and others finally arrived in Asheville after making the long, roundabout trek by Brevard and back to Hendersonville, thence on to Asheville.

Citizens on the Brevard road are tired of being asked how to get to Asheville and the travelers doubtless are weary of getting on the wrong road, losing a lot of time and fussing up their tempers.

Recently the Greenville council, United Commercial Travelers resolved that something ought to be done to stop the confusion and bother. Maybe the sign should be taken down, or certainly revised a

Fut up some years ago by Brevard interests the sign is really correct in the information it was designed to give. It stands facing south, near the intersection of the Caesar's Head-Breverd road and the Buncombe road. Routs 276 does go to Asheville, just as the sign says, but right under the word "Asheville" is a big arrow, pointing up the other road, which goes to Caesar's Hoad and Brevard. Fast driving motorists apparently take one glance at the word "Asheville" at the top of the sign, then see the arrow below pointing to Brevard, and sell out in a hurry on the wrong road.

Anyway the sign seems to be causing considerable worry just now to a considerable number of