

DOCK LUSK WINNER IN BIG EGG CONTEST

Four-Ounce Entry Brings Rosman Man \$1—Continues Three More Weeks

Dock Lusk of Rosman was winner of the big egg contest last week with an entry that weighed four ounces, or just exactly twice the weight of an U. S. standard egg.

Arthur McCrary and George Bowen each brought in entries that tied for second place three and five-eighths ounces.

Albert Williams of the Camp Carolina section, and Orville Mull of Conestee were third place runners-up with three and one-half ounce entries.

Mrs. P. J. Sitton of Pisgah Forest, Mrs. R. L. Thompson of Brevard R-1, and Mrs. Haskell Lyday of Enon, brought in eggs that weighed three and three-eighths ounces.

Gaswell Ball of Brevard had a three and one-quarter ounce entry; Mrs. Mary Kate Maxwell of North Brevard and Bruce Capps of Brevard R-2 entered eggs weighing three and one-eighth ounces.

Dollar for last week's winner has been mailed to Mr. Lusk at Rosman, and several eggs are already in for this week's contest. The contest will run three more weeks with a dollar cash prize being awarded each Saturday night to the one bringing in the largest egg during that week.

The big egg contest is open to any person living in Transylvania county, whether they are subscribers to The Times or not, and the only requirement is that the egg be laid by a Transylvania hen, and brought to The Times office sound and uncracked.

Honor Roll

The following friends of the paper have sent in their renewals since Wednesday of last week:

- Mack Bell, Brevard R-3.
- M. B. Bagwell, Brevard
- R. H. Morrow, Brevard
- J. H. Johnstone, Brevard
- J. M. Galloway, Rosman
- J. L. Lance, Brevard, R-1
- J. W. Nicholson, Pisgah Forest
- Mrs. M. B. Witmer, Alabama
- S. B. McCullough, Brevard
- E. J. Whitmore, Brevard R-3
- L. H. Thomas, Lake Toxaway
- Mrs. Ethel B. Owen, Brevard
- Mrs. Mary L. Reid, Washington
- Leo Winchester, Rosman
- Sam Orr, Brevard, R-2
- C. F. Misenheimer, Brevard
- J. E. Ruffy, Brevard
- J. E. Gillespie, Brevard, R-1
- Rev. W. H. Nicholson, Rosman
- Mrs. L. D. Calhoun, Georgia
- J. A. Mull, Brevard, R-3
- D. L. Thorn, Brevard, R-2
- E. B. Morrow, Michigan
- Mrs. H. C. Harrison, New York
- Mrs. Lottie Duckworth, Brevard
- Mrs. M. H. McCall, Brevard
- Sgt. Willie England, Michigan
- Mrs. J. W. Chapman, Charleston
- Frank E. Beane, Georgia
- Mrs. Julian Wingfield, Florida
- Mrs. Porter Tinsley, Brevard, R-1
- Mrs. W. D. Langston, Raleigh
- K. C. Maness, Burnsville
- Watherine McLeod, New York
- S. W. Reid, Lake Toxaway
- Mrs. J. H. Dunn, Brevard, R-3
- Mrs. Floyd Barnes, Hickory
- Clifford Raxter, Brevard, R-1
- Burlin Owen, Brevard
- Mrs. L. L. McCall, Penrose.

We are glad to send the paper to the following new subscribers this week:

Mitchell Lance, Pisgah Forest

C. J. Moltz, Lake Toxaway

Frank A. Peschl, Hendersonville

Jordan Brewer, Oakland

Still Phillips, Wolf Mountain

Oble Fisher, Lake Toxaway.

Geo. A. Gash, Asheville

Clarence Orr, Brevard, R-2

PTA Meet March 14

March meeting of the P. T. A. will be held at the grammar school building Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, announcement has been made.

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MICKIE SAYS—

NEW ADS COME IN OLD ADS GO, BUT GOOD OLD OPPORTUNITY GOES ON FOREVER IN OUR CLASSIFIED AD SECTION



In Business Here



ASHLEY HOUSTON, of Hendersonville, has bought the Smith Furniture company, and is again operating a business in Brevard.

Houston Buys Smith Furniture Store Here

Ashley H. Houston, former operator of Houston Furniture company in Brevard and one of the town's progressive business men for years, announces through The Times that he has bought the Smith Furniture company here.

Mr. Houston will continue his furniture business in Hendersonville, where he has been located since leaving Brevard in 1932, operating here under management of Theodore E. Reid.

W. R. Smith, who has operated the Smith company for the past year, has not announced his plans, but he is expected to continue making his home in this community. He is owner of the Clough farm, director of Transylvania Trust company, and also interested in business property here. Mr. Smith also owns a furniture business in Marion, and has a wood business in Virginia.

Brevard leaders are glad to welcome Ashley Houston back here in business circles. Mr. Houston was born in Duplin county and spent his boyhood days on a farm near Beulaville.

On December 31, 1936, he went to work in a furniture store in Wilmington, and later became associated with his uncle, F. H. Miller, in the furniture business.

BTU CONVENTION AT WEAVERVILLE SOON

Brevard Minister Announces Three-Day Program For Baptist Workers

Annual meeting of the Baptist Training Union of Western North Carolina will be held in the Weaverville Baptist church, beginning Friday, March 31 and continuing through April 1, announcement has been made by the Rev. Yancey C. Elliott, regional president of Brevard.

This region consists of 12 associations, including Transylvania, Buncombe, Carolina, French Broad, Haywood, Macon, Tennessee River, New Found, Tuckasegee, Western North Carolina, Liberty and Yancey.

The host church, of which the Rev. W. H. Covert is pastor, will provide free lodging for those who wish to spend Friday night in Weaverville. It will be to the advantage of Brother Covert and his entertainment committee, it is said, if those expecting to spend the night will write ahead. The meeting will begin promptly at 8 o'clock Friday afternoon, and adjournment will be at 3:10 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

These regional conferences have been growing from year to year, and from the interest being shown the meeting in Weaverville will be the best that has been held. The program is now complete, and those responsible for building the program have been surprised and encouraged by the willingness on the part of those asked to make a contribution to this meeting. Some of the interesting parts of the program will be: Junior memory work tournament; intermediate sword drill tournament; senior better speaker's tournament; adult Scripture reading tournament.

Among the Brevard members to take part on the program will be Miss Emma Sue Gray, Miss Martha Kate Moore and George Simpson, Jr.

Henry Carrier Listed On N. C. Honor Roll

CHAPEL HILL, March 8—H. N. Carrier, Jr., of Brevard, N. C., was among students at the University of North Carolina who made the scholastic honor roll last quarter.

To make the honor roll a student must make an average grade of B (90-95) on all courses.

ENTERTAINMENT—

A large percentage of the population of Brevard turned out en masse Tuesday morning when the fire siren sounded—lots of the auto drivers got in the way of firemen and had the fire been a serious one the people would have certainly added their bit to causing more damage.

Despite the interference the fire was put out before it did much damage to the Bob Pruitt home.

FARM MEETING TO BE HELD SATURDAY

Soil Conservation Checks To Be Paid—New Program Also Explained

Farmers of the county are invited and urged by the county agent to attend a meeting at the court house Saturday afternoon of this week at 2 o'clock at which time the 1939 soil conservation program will be explained, and also checks for 1938 payments given out.

Mr. Glazener said that he now had \$6,300 in checks for payments of last year's conservation program on hand, and that these would be ready for distribution Saturday. He also said that inasmuch as there are records to be prepared for issuance of each check, that it would be impossible to make the payments before Saturday afternoon.

Assistance in making out 1939 programs of work will be given at the meeting, with agriculture teachers and farm committeemen aiding, and it is thought that this meeting will take the place of several community or section meetings.

At Lyday Hospital

Patients reported at Lyday Memorial hospital on Wednesday were: Mrs. Floyd Wiley, Mary Osborne, E. L. Hamilton, Boyce Bishop, T. B. Hampton, Gaines Falls, Mickey Rooney, Robert Wheeler, George Buchanan, Avery Monroe, Boyd Smith, Jasper Stone, W. E. Brees.

TAX LISTERS NAMED BY COMMISSIONERS

Property Listing Will Start In April—Miss Clayton Be at Brevard

Tax listing in Transylvania county will start the first of April, according to action taken by the board of county commissioners in meeting here Monday.

Definite dates for listing in each of the townships will be announced within a few days.

The following listers were appointed by the board Monday: Boyd township—L. F. Lyday; Brevard, Miss Jackie Clayton; Catheys Creek, Paul Whitmore; Dunns Rock, George Maxwell; Eastatoe, A. M. Faxon; Gloucester, Obie Fisher; Hogback, Henry McCall; Little River, Hal Hart.

At Methodist Church Georgia Pastor Will Be

Dr. Nat G. Long, pastor of the Glenn Memorial Methodist church of Emory University, Georgia, will preach at the Methodist church here Sunday at both the morning and evening services, announcement has been made by the pastor, the Rev. E. P. Billups.

Sunday will mark the beginning of Religious Emphasis Week, which will be observed with two daily services held at Brevard College during the week. Dr. Long will be the speaker at all of the college services.

Transylvania Asking For Refund From Government

Transylvania county commissioners will again endeavor to secure refund from the federal government for tax income on lands taken over by Pisgah National Forest.

At the meeting here Monday, resolution was passed, asking Congressman Zeb Weaver to give Transylvania county's claim consideration, and pointing out reasons for such request.

The following news item was sent out from Washington last Friday concerning refunds to Western Counties—

WASHINGTON, March 8—Representative Zebulon Weaver (D. N. C.), reintroduced in the house today a bill designed to bring relief to counties which have lost a large portion of their taxable property through the federal acquisition of land.

While the Weaver measure is primarily designed to assist Swain and Haywood counties in his own district, the Western North Carolina congressman believes it will furnish the framework for general legislation to aid similar political units with depleted budgets due to the withdrawal of lands for parks and other federal purposes.

Refund Due Transylvania
The commissioners point out that

Parkway Entrance Be Plenty Adequate

Brevard's entrance to the Great Smoky Mountains National Parkway will be adequate in every way, according to R. Gettys Browning, chief locating engineer for the state highway commission.

"Rest assured that highway 284 at Wagon Road Gap will have a first class entrance into America's greatest travel route," Mr. Browning told a Times representative in his office at Raleigh last week.

The statement was made in reply to query as to status of proposed crossing of highway 284 (Brevard to Waynesville) and the parkway. Word had been passed around here the first of last week to the effect that no entrance would be allowed at the top of the mountain due to the severe grade crossing.

Mr. Browning showed The Times representative proposed entrance plans which call for a grade crossing for the time being, but later to be a double "V" on both the east and west side of the parkway at Wagon Road Gap.

With completion of the parkway, a bridge will be placed over 284, Mr. Browning explained, allowing the through traffic on the parkway to pass the intersection without interference from east-west travel on 284.

However 284 will have four entrances to the parkway at Wagon Road Gap, with a "V" ramp to be constructed on either side of the parkway, giving far better connections than a grade crossing could possibly offer. Traffic going direct from Brevard to Waynesville or Newport will pass under the scenic parkway, while that desiring entrance on the parkway will have choice of either swinging to the left or right at the top of the mountain onto the scenic drive.

Main purpose of completing 284, Mr. Browning said, is to give a scenic feeder route into the parkway from Brevard and Waynesville, and at the same time make available a portion of the route to the public before the en-

tire roadway is completed. Plans call for completion of the two links from Wagon Road to Tennessee Bald within the next two years, and a perfect loop will be formed with the Pisgah Forest Road and the Rosman-Gloucester road tying in at either end of the completed link.

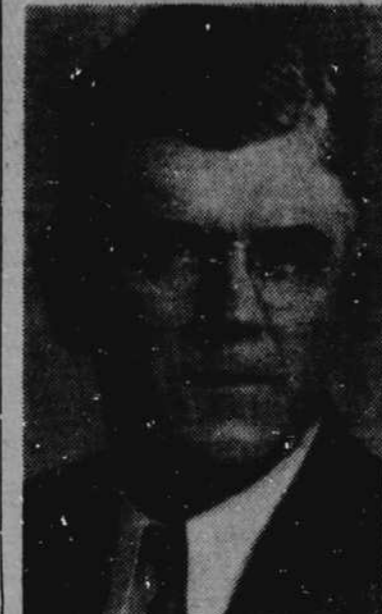
"I am not worried about the people who come by Brevard getting onto the parkway at Wagon Road," Mr. Browning said, "but I am concerned about your people being able to care for the people that the most beautiful drive in all the world will bring into your community."

"You need hotel facilities badly in Brevard," the engineer who has spent considerable time here during the past three years said, "accommodations which will enable Brevard people to capitalize on the greatest thing they will ever secure in the way of guaranteed tourist attractions—and," the W. N. C. booster emphasized, "it will not be summer business alone, but a great stream of people coming through your section from the south and east, continually, every month in the year. Brevard has a chance to capitalize on this opportunity, and I hope your people will realize this and begin working to the end that your town will be able to care for the influx of visitors the like of which has never been seen in the mountains."

Albert Brothers crews are clearing right-of-way at Wagon Road Gap, with between 75 and 100 men already employed, and others to be added as the work progresses. Their contract calls for completion of five and one-tenth miles of the parkway within the coming year.

President Albert of the construction company, said Tuesday that the work had been hampered during the past few days on account of bad weather, but that he hoped to be able to push forward much faster with the coming of spring.

Friend of Brevard



R. GETTYS BROWNING, chief locating engineer for the state highway commission is a great booster for W. N. C., and a special friend of Brevard

Jack Lyday Named To Presidency of State-Wide Future Farmers

RALEIGH, March 8—Jack Lyday of Brevard had been elected today as president of the State College chapter of Future Farmers of America. Young Lyday is a junior in agricultural education.

Other new officers of the chapter are Lloyd Langdon of Selma, vice president; David A. Sutton of Goldsboro, secretary; Jim D. Hemmings of Dodson, reporter; Travis E. Hendren of Hiddenite, watch dog; N. Willis Freeman, Jr., of Star, program chairman; and Prof. L. O. Armstrong, adviser.

The newly-organized chapter has been progressing rapidly.

NOTED MINISTER TO CONDUCT MEET HERE

Emory University Man Lead College Religious Week—Other Activities

Dr. Nat G. Long, pastor of Glenn Memorial church, Emory University, Ga., will conduct the "Religious Emphasis Week" services at Brevard college, beginning Sunday, March 12 and continuing through Friday, March 17.

Dr. Long will arrive on the campus Saturday evening. Throughout the week, he will give talks, both in the mornings and evenings, after which he will confer with any student about his problems.

Dr. Long was one of the most impressive speakers who appeared on the Brevard college platform last year.

For the past several weeks, chapel programs have been arranged to lead to a climax in "Religious Emphasis Week."

Dr. Eugene J. Coltrane, president of the college, Earl D. C. Brewer, director of the department of promotion and extension, and Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Campbell are attending the conference for Southern Mountain Workers to be held in Knoxville, March 7-9.

Educational, social, economical, and religious problems in the Southern Highlands will be discussed at the sessions. Dr. Coltrane will lead a discussion group on "How can we better use the Conference of Southern Mountain workers and the various agencies in our Southern mountains to effect a more constructive program of action."

The Brevard college Forensic club was well represented in the results of the N. C. Junior college debating conference held in Charlotte, March 3-4.

The men's debating team, composed of Billy Shipman, Wayne McLain, Brice Ratchford, and Jennings Ballard, took first place in that event. Delbert Bynum, Jean Summey, and Mildred Griffith, rated second place in extempore speaking, poetry reading, and girl's oratory, respectively.

The Brevard college debating teams, both men and women, defeated the Textile Institute of Spartanburg, S. C. team, in the college auditorium, Monday evening, March 6.

Debating the query "Resolved that United States government should cease the spending of public credits for the stimulation of business," were Brice Ratchford and Jennings Ballard for the men, and Mildred Griffith and June Marlon for the girls.

Kiwanis Planning To Hold Fiddlers Meet

Brevard Kiwanis club members are planning to stage a fiddler's convention immediately after the close of school, with proceeds to be used to apply on the high school athletic fund deficit, it was announced at the club meeting Thursday.

Members of the club voted to hold meetings each first and third Thursdays at 12:15, instead of each week, as has been the case for the past several weeks.

Dr. Edwin P. Jones, chemist, and Herbert F. Finck, engineer, of the Eucosta Paper corporation, Jack Fortin, Pisgah Forest Ranger, and Charles Schoenkecht, biology professor at Brevard College, were welcomed into the club as new members by President Charles M. Jones.

PLANNING BOARD IS AIM OF LOCAL FOLK

Zoning and Long-Time Program of Improvement To Be Proposed Here

Matter of zoning the town or rather of formulating plans for the healthy and sane growth of Brevard in the years to come, was discussed at a meeting of several interested citizens at the city hall Tuesday evening.

Hugh R. Pomeroy, field representative for the American Society of Planning officials, was present and went into detail as to setting up and operation of a planning board, stressing the fact that to make the best of the community, all people would have to be interested.

"Overnight settlement of plans for the town's future is better left alone," Mr. Pomeroy said. "It is a matter for much thought, gathering of varied opinions, and the adoption of the best plan suitable to the particular section to be benefited."

"I have found considerable interest here by different people during my one-day visit, and I feel sure that all of you citizens will be interested, especially in view of the fact that the people are the ones to do the planning, the carrying out of the plans, and the backing of any movement like this," the highly rated field service man said.

No action was taken at the meeting, which was called yesterday after Mr. Pomeroy arrived, but the group present Tuesday evening, along with as many citizens of the town as will assist in the project will be called at a near date in the future.

While some good is expected to come of the movement immediately, it will be months before a set plan may be presented, and a complete survey of the town will be made in the meantime.

Loan agencies that have been contacted in the past few months with regard to loans for new buildings here have stated emphatically that a planning board is necessary before they will feel free to make loans in the town, although some loans are now being made.

Former Rosman Boy Wins Forensic Meet

G. C. McClure Jr., of Shelby, a graduate of the Rosman elementary school, was adjudged men's debate winner in the recent North Carolina Junior College forensic tournament held in Charlotte.

Young McClure is the son of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. McClure, formerly of Rosman, but now making their home at Bolling Springs, near Shelby. His picture, along with other Western Carolina winners in the forensic tournament, appeared in the Sunday Charlotte Observer.

Stamp Club Meeting

The Brevard Stamp club will meet Thursday evening at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Rowena Summey, on East Main street.

Frank Graham Died After Long Illness

Word was received in Brevard last Friday morning of the death of Frank Graham of Fernandina, Fla.

No details of the former newspaper publisher and banker's death were received, but he had been in bad health for a number of years.

Deceased is survived by his widow, and one son, Tom, both of Fernandina. Mr. Graham was a great booster for this section, and had a host of warm friends here where he had spent several summers.

Kelvinator Party Be Held Here March 17

Kelvinator 25th anniversary party will be given by the local Duke Power company office on the afternoon of March 17, between the hours of 3 and 5.

New models of the Kelvinator will be displayed in the show room of the Duke office, and refreshments will be served the ladies who attend. The "Silver Jubilee" model will be featured.

New Arrival

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Rhyme a son on Monday, March 6.

MOUNTAIN -MAN-

New Serial Story To Appear Weekly In Your Paper

Beginning this week, in the second section of The Times will be found a story of the West which has been selected for enjoyment of Times readers.

The story is by Harold Channing Wire, an author of ability, who has written a number of novels of the out-doors.

This is one of the many extra features The Times provides for its readers, and is offered with the belief that it will interest a large group of our subscribers.