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CHAMBER COMMERCE DEALS WITH MANY MATTERS AT SESSION

Office Opened In City Hall-Meetings Be Held Twice Each Month

Golf course, entertainment, industrial survey, and other matters were discussed by the Chamber of Commerce at its meeting last Friday evening, with 16 directors and several members present.

Membership committee report show ed that the public in general is responding fine to the canvass, and while the committee members are working "between times," on contacting people, the response is very gratifying.

Need for more specific industrial data on sections of the county was presented by the secretary, upon request of two engineering concerns that are interested in trying to bring manufacturing groups to this section, and plans were made to go ahead with this survey, using the survey made several years ago as a basis, and bringing the data up to date, along with securing of prices on probable properties.

Sunday, movies were discussed, and the directors voted to indorse the step taken by the Clemson Theatre in showing Sunday pictures. One dissenting vote on this move was recorded, with two members not voting.

Services of an experienced person to be in charge of entertainment for visi- lodge of Asheville, who will present a tors here this summer was discussed Masonic play for Masons only, en-at length and a committee appointed to titled "A Rose Upon The Altar." check into the matter further.

Meetings of the Chamber of Commerce will be held each first and third Friday evenings, during the summer, it the meeting. was voted, and all people of the community have standing invitation to attend these meetings and take part in making such plans as may be brought up for public good.

The office has been opened for the summer in the city hall, with Mrs. Ralph Fisher as all-time secretary, and inquiries or information pertinent to the information bureau should be sent The telephone number is 14. there.

Miss Powell Given College Internship

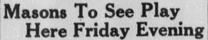
GREENSBORO-Miss Virginia Mae Powell, daughter of L. E. Powell, of Brevard, was one of the 382 graduates of Woman's College of the University of North Carolina at the 47th annual commencement, June 2-5.

Miss Powell has been a member of the Adelphian society; Education club; Home Economics club; and the Square

Miss Powell in home economics, she lory, Miami, horsemanship; Mrs. R. A. sufficiently high to be allowed to gradhas been appointed to internship as Scott, Miami, camp mother; Ben Bendietitian at the University Hospital, Western Reserve University, Cleveland, Thacker, campfire programs; J. P.



JOHN NANCE GARNER, vice president, announced Saturday through his close friends and political advisers that he was definitely in the race for Democratic nominee for president, regardless of whether President Franklin D. Roosevelt runs or not.



Members of Dunn's Rock lodge will be entertained Friday night at 8 o'clock in the lodge hall on Broad street by several members of John A. Nichols

Roy F. Ebbs, Past Grand Master of North Carolina, and S. M. Martin, Grand Master of South Carolina, will attend

Invitations have been sent to all adjoining lodges extending the visiting Masons a cordial invitation. At conclusion of the play, refreshments will be served.

Florida Boy Scouts **Camping at Connestee**

Boy Scouts of the Dade County Council of Florida are encamped at Camp Connesiee Cove for a month, arriving here last Sunday,

Sixty-one Scouters and leaders are ton. in the camp, and along with the summer vacation which is offered each year to leading troop members in the Dade County council, study and merit badge work is carried on at the camp. Col. A. S. MacFarlane, of Miami, is

in charge of the camp, assisted by the following leaders: Dr. J. K. Flanagan of the Virginia state health department Home Economics chub; and the bachelor Dance club. She received a Bachelor of Science degree in Home Economics. In recognition of the work done by In recognition of the work done by as camp doctor; Hugh Flannagan of

Industrial Survey Be Made By Committee **Chamber Commerce**

Request for specific and comprehensive industrial survey in Transylvania county has been made to the Brevard Chamber of Commerce, and the industrial committee has started work of checking possible sites for larger industries in the county.

Two prominent engineering concerns, which already have much data on this section, secured over a period of several years, have specifically asked for further briefs to be prepared on East Fork, Cathey's Creek and Little River.

The survey asked for includes lay of land suitable for industrial sites, distance from railways, highways, volume of water to be secured from the three streams mentioned, and probable cost of lands in the immediate vicinities.

The industrial committee of the Chamber of Commerce plans to contact people in the three particular sections as soon as possible, and also to make surveys in other communities. Results of these tentative surveys will be furnished engineers, along with prices agreed upon by land owners in case such sites are selected by industries.

Any options secured by the Chamber of Commerce committee will be taken in the name of some individual designated by the industrial committee, and will be used only for the purposes as

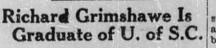
expressed in the request for data, and any actual instrument surveys will be made by engineers from the two concerns seeking the data, thus cutting costs of making the surveys to a very nominal figure.

The committee plans to pay only the minimum sum of one dollar for each option or agreement to sell, and the Chamber of Commerce will only be put to this cash outlay.

Bill Stroup Named Canton Police Chief

W. N. (Bill) Stroup, former chief of police at Rosman was named chief of the . Canton police force Monday night, succeeding W. N. Brenton.

Chief Stroup was in charge of the police department at Rosman for several years prior to accepting the Canton post two years ago, and has been desk sergeant, patrolman, and served in other capacities since going to Can-



Richard Grimshawe, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Grimshawe of Brevard, graduated this week from the University of South Carolina where he has majored in chemistry.

The Brevard young man was one of only a few in his class who made grades uate without taking the term examina-

Ex-President Visitor Transylvania Health Winners Place Second At District Meeting

Frances Walker and George Simpson, Jr., placed second in the girls and boys classes, respectively at the district con-test in Asheville last week to pick the most healthy girl and boy in 4-H club work.

Due to the fact that regulations called for each child entering to be 14 years or over, the two Brevard entries were eliminated in competing for first places

Juanita Ashe of Swain county, won first place in the girls class, and Howard Stout of Avery county won first in the boys class.

Mrs. Wilson Opening **Real Estate Offices**

Mrs. W. A. Wilson has opened a real estate and insurance office in the Clayton building, 116 West Main Street. General agency will be operated for fire and general insurance as well as the handling of real estate transactions. Mrs. Wilson was connected for a number of years with the office of the late Judson McCrary.

Square Dance Friday **By Fisher's Musicians**

Fisher's string band will play for a square dance to be given at the Rosman Community building Friday evening of this week from 8:30 to 12, it is announced by Dan Glazener.

There will be no charge for this opening dance with the Fisher band, Mr. Glazener said, and the general public is invited to attend.

Singing Meet Sunday

Upper district singing convention will be held at the Selica church Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, announcement has been made. Protected parking grounds will be provided for all cars.



Deerwoode, Transylvania, and Sapphire Holding Early Sessions Now

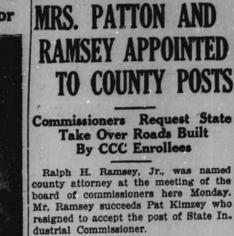
Three pre-season camps are in ses-

sion here through June, two of which are for girls and one for both girls and from Hoboken, N. J. In the short time he has been in Asheville Mr. Jacobs has made a place boys.

The pre-camp for girls opened at for himself in the civic and public Camp Deerwoode Sunday and will con- life of the community. He has broadtinue in session for three weeks, clos- cast from WWNC on religious proing on June 25. Mr. and Mrs. George grams and has contributed to the Citi-Mason Swift, owners and directors of zen Times articles on international Camp Deerwoode, are directing the pre. events.

A few weeks ago Mr. Jacobs address. camp in its seventh year of operation. The usual camp and waterfront ac- ed the students of Brevard College and sessions, one at the Baptist church and

tion of Miss Mary Gwyn, of New York funds for Jewish refugees or relief. the different departments, City. The camp session will continue The object of his sermon is to present A girls' pre-camp opened this week Visitors are cordially invited to this at Camp Sapphire, which will continue service. through this month, before opening of the regular camp session in July. Mrs. Stamp Club Meeting



\$1.00 PER YEAR IN TRANSYLVANIA COUNTY

Mrs. C. Y. Patton was re-named superintendent of public welfare for a term of two years at a joint meeting of the board of welfare and the commissioners.

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Upon petition presented by citizens of several townships, the commissioners made requests to the state highway commission that roads in Little River, Dunns Rock, Eastatoe and Hogback townships be taken over and maintained as a part of the county system. These roads have been constructed by the CCC workers and have put much of the heretofore inaccessible territory in the county close to good travel arteries.

MGM Buys Movie Rights To New Book By Hamilton Basso

Movie rights to "Days Before Lent," the new novel by Hamilton Basso, have been purchased by Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer corporation, it was learned here yesterday.

Mr. Basso's new book will be published July 31st of this year by Charles Scribners Sons, and the fact that motion-picture rights have been purchased in advance, bespeaks the general in-terest taken by the public in the new novel by the Brevard author.

Legion Meet Changed

Change of meeting date for the American Legion has been made to the second Tuesday night of each month instead of second and fourth Fridays. Next meeting will be held June 13th at the court house.



Baptist and Methodist Training Classes In Bible To **Continue Two Weeks**

Around 150 children are enrolled in two vacation Bible schools which began Monday morning for two weeks'

tivities will be engaged in during the session, assisted in supervision by a competent staff of counselors. en the students of Brevard Conege and conege and one at the Methodist church the students that his address was one of the best of the year. The Rev. Yancey C. Ellic of the Baptist church, is of The Rev. Yancey C. Elliott, pastor of the Baptist church, is director of the Baptist school, assisted by Miss Mary Gwyn camp is now in operation at Camp Transylvania for its fifth con-secutive session here, under the direc-Together." There will be no plea for a number of teachers and workers in One hundred and seventeen pupils In Three-Day Session through June. It is co-educational for to Christians the common elements in and workers are enrolled in the school, which is working toward the training Thirty or more executive secretaries of the American Red Cross will hold their annual meeting at the Franklin comprise the staff. Others assisting in the Bible school are: Mrs. Lester Martin, superinten-dent beginners department, Mrs. Excell Lothery, Mrs. Brock, Linna Heath, Elsie McJunkin, Edith Wright, Mrs. Randal Lyday, Carrie McNeely, Betty Regular meeting of the Brevard Stamp club, which was scheduled to meet Thursday evening of this week.

HERBERT HOOVER, former presi-

dent of the United States, was a

Western Carolina visitor over the

week-end, and while stopping at the

Fred L. Seely home in Asheville, in-vited several of his friends from Brevard to call. Brevard callers,

however, said that the former presi-

dent's talk was not political, and for

Speak Here Sunday

Rabbi Robert P. Jacobs will be guest

preacher at the Brevard-Davidson River church next Sunday at eleven

a certainty was "off the record."

Rabbi Jacobs Will

o'clock.

BUSINESS MEN WILL **RIDE DONKEYS TODAY**

Fancy Baseball Game Under Floodlights On Brevard **High Field**

Donkeys and would-be baseball fans will mix on the high school field Thursday evening, when the Lions club and W. O. W. teams play ball.

Flood-lights have been placed on the field, the donkeys have been well fed. and the men are practicing saying "Come up!" and "Whoa!" in anticipation of doing their best for the home squad.

will be used in the game, including such well-known monikered animals as Mae West, Madam Queen, Popeye, Dil-Mae West, Madam Queen, Popeye, Dil-Sellers, Jack Trantham and Mrs. J. F. linger, Andy Gump, etc.

proven to be successful in the matter of activities. Special music will also be attendance, and proceeds from tonight's a feature of the service. game will be used for the Boy Scout Building fund.

Lineups as announced for the two outfits include-Lions, Charles Moore. Donald Moore, John Christenbury, J. I. Ayres, John Smith, Rev. E. P. Billups, Joe S. Tinsley, Harold Kilpatrick, J. H. Tinsley, Ashe Macfie, Jack Trantham, Grady Brittain; Woodmen, Dr. C. J. Goodwin, Melvin Gillespie, Robert Raines, William Raines, Albert Shuford. Jimmy Rogers, Dean Whitlock, Ralph Brown, John Dickson, William Case Vance Jackson, Valry Carter, Thos Cooper, Harry Stroud, Roy Wolfe, Leon. ard Bonnell, David Barton.

St. Phillips Services

Harold V. Smedberg, lay leader of St. Phillip's Episcopal church, will have Times received here. charge of the 11 o'clock service Sunday morning, in absence of the rector, the Rev. Harry Perry, who is at Myrtle Beach on two weeks' vacation.

Mrs. Glazener Named **Officer of Auxiliary**

Mrs. W. D. Glazener of Brevard was elected vice president of the Smoky Mountain Rural Letter Carriers auxiliary at Sylva last week

Plans were made to hold the next annual meeting of the carriers and the humans, and perfecting of this process carriers auxiliary in Franklin next year. has been one of the crowning achieve-Mr. and Mrs. Glazener left the convention for a motor trip through Ten-nessee, Kentucky, Virginia and other states

Caldwell, crafts; W. C. Watson Jr., Red Cross Secretary waterfront; Randolph Hanson, commissary, Alex Steinberg, athletics; Fred Sutton, archery.

The campers have already started on their studies in woodcraft, trail making, botany, water activities, and other merit badge work, and the camp was in order and ship-shape within a short while after the campers arrived. Trips to points of interest in Western Saturday of next week. Carolina, overnight hikes, and other

four weeks.

Layman's Day Sunday At Methodist Church

Layman's day will be observed at 11 o'clock worship hour Sunday morn- Red Cross Work. This is an annual observance of ing.

nger, Andy Gump, etc. Two previous games played here have telling of different phases of laymen's

Art School Cancelled

Summer session of the art school of William H. Oliver has been cancelled due to the illness of Mr. Oliver, who is under treatment at Oteen hospital. announcement has been made

Transylvania Native Winning Recognition In Research Field

Whitmire Research Corporation St. Louis, Mo., has announced the leascarry on their research work, according the week. Bulk of the student body, to marked copy of the St. Louis Star- expected to pass the 200 mark, will ar-

Homer E. Whitmire, former Transylis head chemist, and general manager of the corporation.

Of general interest, also, is the fact as soon as possible. that the United States government has is manufactured by the corporation. Chemists had tried for years to perfect an insect spray which would be both deadly to insects but harmless to

ments of the former Transylvania man. New home of the Whitmire corporation has a total floor space of 20,000 Cross; Dr. John M. McGehee, Cedar-town, Ga.: Harry A. Kenning, Nationsquare feet.

Group To Meet Here

hotel here on Thursday, Friday and

Secretaries from North and South recreation will be enjoyed during the Carolina will be present for the meeting ,and Wm. Carl Hunt, of Washington, adviser head of the southeastern district will be leader of the training school work.

Mrs. Elizabeth Ellis Thompson, of Washington, D. C., in charge of publicity, will be present, as will several the Methodist church at the regular other prominent national figures in the

Bernard Fetzer, of Concord, and Mrs. William Fetzer, of Brevard, are directors, assisted by an able camp staff.

New Bathroom Tile Shown

is being displayed at the Brevard meeting will be held at the home of Plumbing company showroom on East Mrs. Rowena Summey, 309 Probart Main street.

has been postponed until Thursday

al Staff, American Red Cross; Oliver

Allen, National Staff, American Red Cross; Ellis Fysal, National Staff,

American Red Cross; Charles Mix, Na-

tional Staff, American Red Cross; Mrs. Fannie Mix, Daytona Beach, Fla.; Miss

Jo Woodard, Birmingham, Ala.; John Broadway, Chattanooga, Tenn.; Mrs. June Clark Eaton, Washington, D. C.; Mr. James MacMillan, Coccoa, Fla.;

Miss St. Clair Buist, Charleston, S. C.;

Miss Dorothy Tolleson, Charlotte; Frank Culvern, Charlotte; D. C. Dun-

Dan McCarty, Fort Pierce, Fla.; La-

Rue Osborne, Winter Haven, Fla.; Brian McCarty, Fort Pierce, Fla.; A.

E. Gordon, Fort Lauderdale, Fla.;

Charles Merriam, U. of Penn., Phil.; Thomas Costello, Rollins College, Win-

ter Park, Fla.; Earl Clark, Miami,

Fla.; Dan Sharp, Nashville, Tenn.; A. J. Berres, Miami, Fla.; A. L. Taylor, Florida Light & Power Co., Daytona

Beach, Hubert Plaster, Shelby, N. C.

othy Rawls, sisters of the famous

Katherine Rawls, will be students at

waterfront pageantry and other kin-

dred courses will be given.

Miss Evelyn Rawls and Miss Dor-

can, Bluefield, W. Va.

street.

Marie Galloway, Mary Price, Mary Alice New materials in bathroom tiling evening of next week at 8 o'clock. The Hardin, Mrs. Gillespie; Mrs. Yancey partment, Mrs. Ackright, Lorene Payne,

Dorothy Gray, Mrs. Clyde McCrary, Betty Massagee, Mary Jane Brown, Susan Redden, Douglas Wyatt, Everett Green.

Sixty children are enrolled at the Methodist Bible school, of which the pastor, the Rev. E. P., Billups is director. The school is held from 9 to 11 o'clock each week-day morning. Annual Session At Carolina Sunday June 18.

Other teachers and workers in the Bible school are: Mrs. J. F. Zachary and Lillian Zachary, beginners department; Mrs. Fred Holt and Miss Helen Galloway, primary department; Miss Eloise Lewis, Mrs. Donald Jenkins and Mildred Maxwell, junior department. Mrs. Billups assists with the music in all of the departments.

Plans Being Made To Hold Tonsil Clinic In **Brevard June 13-14th**

Plans are being completed by the Transylvania county health board to hold the annual tonsil clinic at the Brevard grammar school on June 13-14. Dr. W. E. Brackett, of Hendersonville will be in charge of the operating room which will be fitted up in the building, and Miss Theodoria Flud, district nurse, and Mrs. Albert Chance, Transylvania nurse, will be in charge of the patients following operations.

Entire staff of the western district health department will be here to assist the school, coming here with their trainer, Al Gordon who is nearly as well known as Ray Eaton himself, Jimmy MacMillan or Harry Kenning in the work, Dr. G. B. Lynch announced, and around 80 tonsil operations will be performed.

A minimum fee of \$7.50 is charged at the health unit for the operation,

Sixteenth annual session of the National Aquatic school of the American National Red Cross will open Sunday at Camp Carolina, and continue for ten days

The school has grown to such proportions that one session cannot care for all the pupils who wish to attend. and another school will open here on August 24.

Ramone S. Eaton, Mrs. Eaton, and several assistant directors and instructors arrived the first of this week for opening of the school, and others are ing of a new three-story building to expected to arrive today and through rive Saturday and Sunday.

Director Eaton said Wednesday that vanian, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jordan Whitmire of the Cherryfield section, ed, and special price of \$10 for the entire course will be given. Mr. Eaton requests that local applications be filed

A faculty composed of leaders in put its stamp of approval on work the first aid, safety, and water front acresearch laboratory has been doing, and tivities from many sections of Eastern also on the rotenone insect spray which America will teach the various phases of class work. The sessions will con-tinue through Wednesday, June 21st. Most of the faculty members are well known here, having been in Brevard for a number of summers. Complete list of the faculty follows:

Ramone S. Eaton, director; Dr. W. L. Lacy, National Staff, American Red

Director of Camp



RAMONE S. EATON, who arrived last week to make arrangements for opening of the aquatic school of the American Red Cross at Camp Caro-