

RED CROSS EXCEEDS MEMBERSHIP QUOTA

War Relief and American National Calls Will Take Every Cent Collected

Transylvania chapter American Red Cross exceeded the allotted quota by a wide margin according to official statement received here this week from Wm. Carl Hunt, eastern manager.

New Irish Potato Is Now Blight Resistant

North Carolina's contribution to the Irish potato field, the recently developed Sequoia, will get nation-wide attention Friday, January 12, through the coast-to-coast network of the Mutual Broadcasting System.

St. Philip's Service

Sunday services at St. Philip's Episcopal church as announced by the rector, the Rev. Harry Perry, will be in accordance with the following schedule:

Bookmobile Library Will Serve Transylvania County

A bookmobile, furnished by the WPA and sponsored by the county commissioners and the Transylvania chapter of the U.D.C. will make its initial trip on Monday, January 15.

Aged Citizen Dies



Wm. (Uncle Bill) McCrary, who would have reached the age of 102 had he lived until March 7 of this year, died Sunday morning at 10:30.

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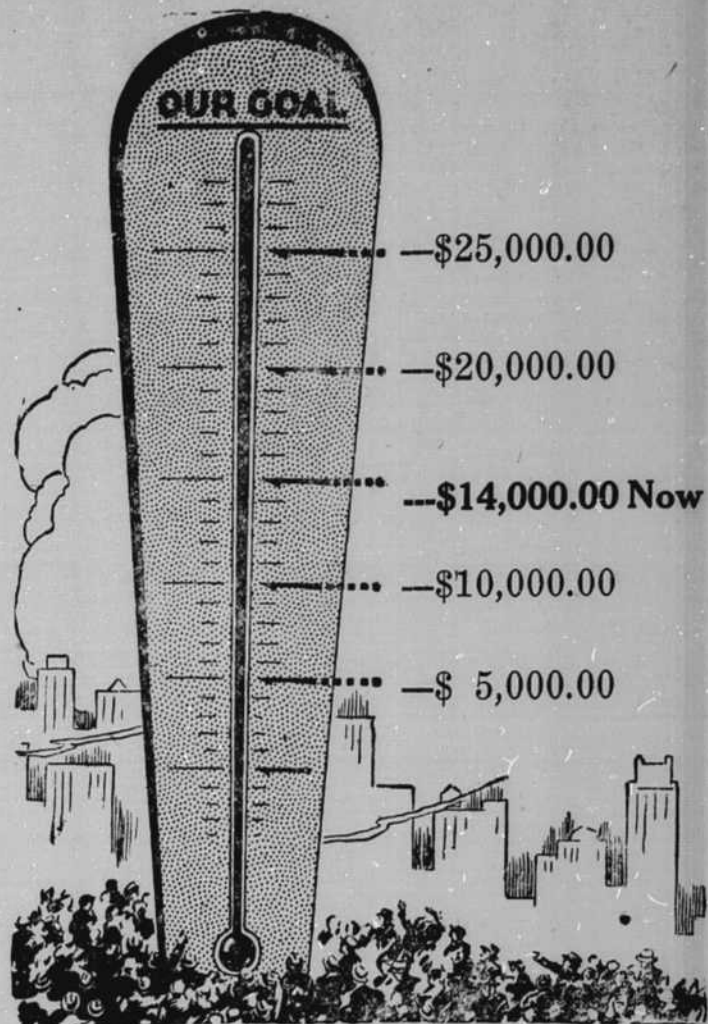
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Mercury Stands Still For Week



Donations for the Community Hospital Fund came in slow during this week. Treasurer George Wheeler reported Wednesday, and consequently the "mercury" in the large thermometer on the court house lawn remains at the same line it was last week—\$14,000.

any time to any member of the committee, or through The Times office. A total of \$25,000 is needed to match like amount to be given by the Duke Foundation, in order that work may start on the new building.

Snow Blankets Eastern America; Schools Close

Five to eight inches of snow blanketed Transylvania county Sunday, causing congestion of traffic, and was responsible for schools closing for another week's holiday.

Starting about 7 o'clock Sunday morning, the snow fell fast and soon had everything covered. During the afternoon a light rain and sleet fell, seemingly tying the snow to earth.

In addition to the snow of Sunday, an inch or more fell last Friday, and part of this was still in evidence Sunday morning when the general snowstorm started.

Highway crews kept the main roads in the county open Sunday and Monday, and started clearing some of the side routes Tuesday.

Business people of Brevard cleared sidewalks in the uptown section Monday, and city crews worked Sunday and Sunday night in effort to keep drains open in case of thaw.

State highway crews hauled snow off the streets over which the main highways are routed in Brevard, but on most other streets in the town, as well

as many of the sidewalks, walking was precarious Wednesday at noon.

The snowfall was reported as being general throughout the nation Sunday, and Missouri reported 24 inches, with the entire eastern section covered from one inch to eight inches in depth.

J. M. Allison, who went to Columbia Sunday morning to visit his son who is in a hospital there, reported that sleet and ice covered the road all the way to the central South Carolina city, and that on his return trip Tuesday morning there was still evidence of the winter blast below Greenville.

The mail carriers made their rounds as usual Monday, although some parts of the rural routes could not be contacted. Star mail from Hendersonville and Greenville came through slightly behind schedule. Buses to Asheville maintained their schedules, with the Brevard via Caesar's Head to Greenville line falling, to make its regular trips Monday and Tuesday.

No major accidents were reported in the county.

SCHOOLS CLOSED ON ACCOUNT DEEP SNOW

Entire System Has Holidays Extended to January 15—Attendance Low

All schools of the county were closed Monday morning for another week, with opening postponed until Monday morning, January 15.

New Masonic Officers Take Charge Friday

At the regular communication of Dunn's Rock Masonic lodge Friday evening at 8 o'clock at the lodge hall, newly elected and appointed officers will fill their stations and places. These officers were installed in Asheville Monday night by J. Edward Allen, of Warrenton, grand master of the grand lodge of North Carolina.

The new officers are as follows: A. E. York, master; Claud Stroup, senior warden; A. M. Paxton, Jr., junior warden; A. N. Jenkins, treasurer; Henry Henderson, secretary; Paul Beck, senior deacon; D. R. Boyd, junior deacon; D. H. Winchester and Waverly Morris, stewards; Tom Stroup, tyler.

Basketball Game To Be Played Tuesday

First basketball game of the season will be played here Tuesday night of next week, January 16, at 7:45, when Coach Christenbury's charges meet the Textile Institute quint from Spartanburg.

Plans are to have the game in the college gym, but definite announcement will be made as to place on Monday.

The College team goes to Bowling Springs Thursday night of this week for a conference game there.

TAX LISTERS WILL CONTINUE IN JAN.

Books Will Be at Residences Rest of Month—Brevard Township Starts

Tax Supervisor Ralph Lyday said Wednesday that people throughout the county had listed taxes this year better than in any previous year since he has been in charge of the work.

There are still a few people in each of the townships who have not listed, Mr. Lyday said, and for the benefit of these people, the tax listers in each township will keep the books open at their places of residence.

All of the public listing appointments were filled this week, with exception of Brevard township, where listing starts Thursday of this week.

The Brevard list taker will be at Pisgah Forest post office Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week, after which he will be located in the county commissioners room at the court house until January 27th.

Send In Your Renewal To-Day

MICKIE SAYS—

WHEN YOU GET THROUGH READIN' THIS GREAT FIRESIDE COMPANION, MAIL IT TO A FRIEND—THEN MEBBE WE GIT A NEW SUBSCRIBER, YES?



Honor Roll

Thanks for the following renewals which have been received during the past week, and may we express the hope that some of our subscribers will remember that the year is still new, and send theirs in at once.

- Leonard Brown, Brevard
J. W. Blackwell, Brevard R-3
Dewey Gravely, Brevard
Miss Margaret Gash, New York
E. L. Gash, New Orleans
Mrs. Adeline Garrett, Asheville
Miss Carrie Duckworth, Raleigh
Mrs. T. A. Miller, Seneca
Frank Shuford, Pisgah Forest
Mrs. G. J. Eubanks, Pisgah Forest
Mrs. Grace Howell, Candler
P. L. Gallamore, Brevard R-2
Charles W. Lee, Lake Toxaway
Roy Kilpatrick, Brevard R-1
L. D. Gillespie, Brevard R-1
J. H. Raxter, Brevard R-1
S. C. Gibson, Brevard
Jeff Lance, Brevard
B. F. Arrowood, Brevard, R-1
Mrs. Bess W. May, Brevard
Mrs. Bates Patton, Pisgah Forest
Mrs. R. J. Orr, Brevard
A. B. Burton, Knoxville
We are happy to add the following names to our ever-increasing list:
Wesley Wilson, Brevard
Mrs. Georgia Galloway, Alabama
Oscar Bryson, New York
E. K. DeLong, Brevard
Mrs. Nell K. Howell, Waynesville
Agnes Hunt, Brevard

At Lyday Hospital

Patients at Lyday Memorial hospital, as reported Wednesday morning include: Mrs. Mack Jackson, Mrs. Alice Dixon, Mrs. L. F. Cooper, Mrs. Clyde McCall, Mrs. Warrior Owens, Ernest McFaul, Ben Arrowood and B. C. Walker.

Frank King Is Taking Business Census Here

Frank King has been named business and industrial census taker for Transylvania and Jackson counties, and started his work last week.

Mr. King replaces Walter I. Reece of Rosman, who resigned last week. Dan Tompkins, assistant supervisor for the district, was here last Friday and Saturday, assisting Mr. King in starting the work.

Mr. Reece stated to The Times that sickness in his family at the time the work was supposed to start caused him to have to resign from the appointive position. Mr. Reece, in a letter to the paper, states that he appreciated the appointment, but that circumstances over which he had no control prevented him from continuing with the work.

The population census will be started early in April, or the last of March. Mr. Tompkins said, following closely behind the business and industrial census.

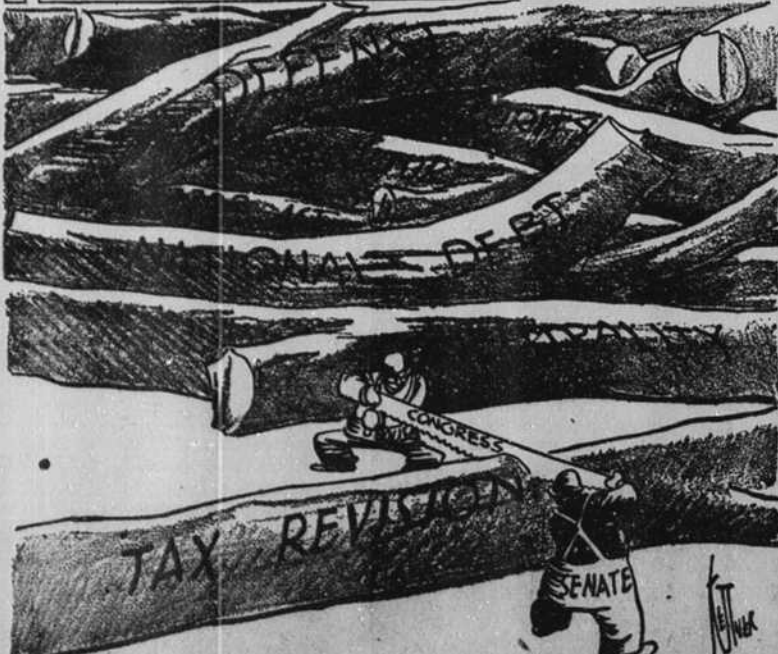
Sylvan Valley Name of New Florist Shop

"Sylvan Valley Florist" was selected as name for the new flower shop which held its formal opening here last Friday evening. Dr. B. G. Lynch submitted the winning name, and was given a basket of flowers as prize.

Over a hundred suggested names were submitted. A. B. Galloway, manager, said, many of them very appropriate. At the formal opening Friday evening, between 200 and 300 people visited the new florist shop, and expressed their appreciation to the managers for opening the much-needed new business here.

Clay Tankersley, who has had a number of years experience in florist work, is in charge of the Sylvan Valley Florist.

Hard Wood



1,113 AUTO TAGS SOLD IN BREVARD

Vehicle Registration Here is Greatest in History At This Time Year

One thousand and thirteen auto tags had been sold by the Brevard branch of the Carolina Motor club Tuesday at noon, Mrs. Mary Jane McCrary reports.

In addition to the automobile plates, 273 truck tags have been sold, and 15 trailer tags.

Car registration in Transylvania is far ahead of the same time last year, and is expected to pass the number of 1939 by 200 to 300.

Total registration for 1939 at the local office was 1,384 autos, 483 trucks, and 66 trailers.