

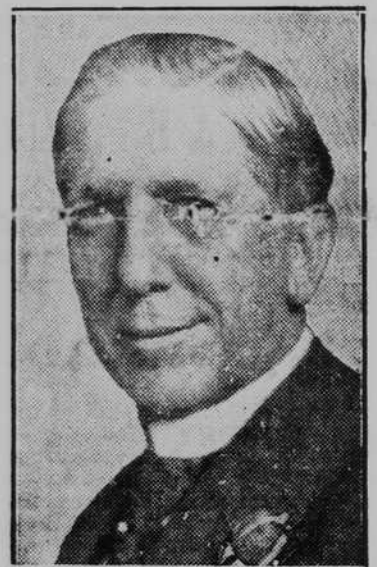
## Brevard's New \$75,000 Post Office To Be Dedicated Friday Afternoon, 2:00 O'clock

### DEDICATION HEADLINERS DEDICATORY SPEAKER



HON. WRIGHTSON CHAMBERS from the Fourth Assistant Postmaster General's office in Washington, will make the dedicatory address at the dedication of Brevard's new post office building tomorrow.

### HOEY ON PROGRAM



HON. CLYDE R. HOEY, ex-governor of North Carolina, will make one of the principal addresses at the dedication exercises.

### CONGRESSMAN WEAVER



HON. ZEBULON WEAVER, Congressman from this district, will speak briefly and introduce the dedicatory speaker, Mr. Chambers.

### HE IS TO PRESIDE



T. COLEMAN GALLOWAY, Brevard Postmaster, will preside over the dedication tomorrow.

### LOCAL RED CROSS HAS ORGANIZATION MEETING TUESDAY

#### Chairmen Are Named For Work; Expenditures Are Budgeted

Mrs. Catherine M. Stewart, field representative of the American National Red Cross, spoke here Tuesday night before an organization meeting of the executive board of the Transylvania county chapter of the American Red Cross and pointed out the urgent need for full preparation along all lines in which the Red Cross serves the country. She complimented the local chapter upon the excellent roll call membership obtained here during the past year and urged them on to even a more successful year ahead. General discussion included such topics as the establishment of highway first aid stations at strategic points in the county, first aid school supplies, the training of first aid instructors, home nursing service, preparation for national defense emergencies, and home service relief.

Joseph S. Silversteen, chairman of the Transylvania Chapter of the Red Cross, presided at the meeting at which nine members of the executive board attended. They were Mrs. John W. Smith, Mrs. H. N. Carrier, assistant production chairman, Miss Elise Walker, production chairman, Mrs. E. F. Tilson, newly appointed Junior Red Cross chairman, Mrs. Al. Kyle, knitting chairman, Alex Kizer, treasurer, Jerry Jerome, roll call chairman, and E. F. Tilson, first aid chairman.

The executive board voiced and approved the following nominations of members to the local Red Cross organization: Herbert Finck, disaster chairman; Henry E. Newbury, first aid chairman; Kin McNew, publicity chairman; Nancy Macfie, home nursing chairman; Jerry Jerome, Alex Kizer, Mrs. H. N. Carrier, Mrs. J. W. Smith, and Mrs. Al. Kyle, members of the nominating committee; Bert Freeman, home service chairman; and Rev. B. W. Thomason, home service secretary.

The report of the treasurer, Alex Kizer, showed the budget of the local chapter to be in good condition. The board approved allotments for the remainder of the year's work as follows: home service work, \$40; buying material for loan closet, \$15; first aid, \$60; fees for training two members in first aid at the Red Cross Aquatic school at Camp Carolina this summer, \$60; contingent fund, \$75; civilian relief fund, \$50; home nursing fund, \$50.

### ROOSEVELT SAYS FULL EMERGENCY EXISTS IN U. S.

#### Warns That U. S. Will Actively Resist Any Attempt To Control Seas

Repeatedly warning that America stands in peril of attack by the Nazis, President Roosevelt Tuesday night in an international broadcast, proclaimed the existence of a full national emergency and promised that all necessary measures would be taken to deliver war supplies safely to England. The speech went by short wave to distant lands, in English and half a dozen translations.

The chief executive warned Adolf Hitler that America will "actively resist his every attempt to gain control of the seas." And he called upon capital and labor to "merge their minor differences" in the broader interest of assuring "the survival of the only kind of government which recognizes the rights of labor or of capital."

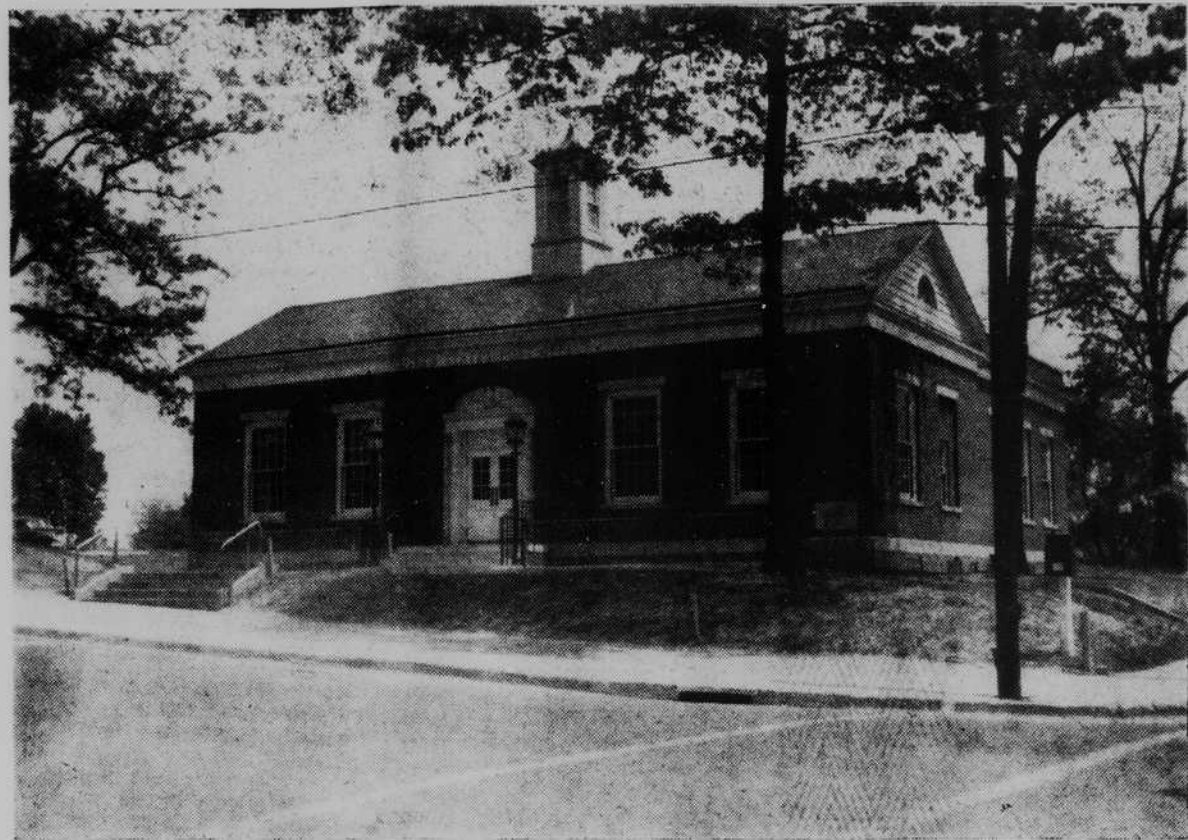
With his proclamation of a full emergency Mr. Roosevelt took to himself extraordinary powers to be exercised as developments demand. He can, by issuing additional proclamations, close or commandeer radio stations, demand preference for troops and war materials by all transportation systems, suspend trading on the securities exchanges, and take over power houses, dams and conduits needed in the production of munitions.

These are, in fact, but a few of the powers he can wield. In legal circles it was considered that most of them could have been exercised under the "limited emergency" already in effect. Consequently there was a disposition to believe that Tuesday night's proclamation was principally for the purpose of impressing upon the people a full realization of the gravity of the present situation.

### UDC Library Will Be Closed All Day Friday

The U. D. C. Library will be closed all day tomorrow, Memorial Day, announcement has been made by the librarian, Miss Annie Jean Gash.

### WILL BE DEDICATED HERE TOMORROW AFTERNOON



Brevard's \$75,000 Post Office Building which will be formally dedicated here tomorrow afternoon in ceremonies beginning at two o'clock.

### CHAMBERS WILL MAKE ADDRESS OF DEDICATION

Hon. Clyde Hoey and Congressman Zebulon Weaver Are Speakers

### GALLOWAY WILL PRESIDE

Hundred Postmasters From Surrounding Country Expected Present

Brevard's new \$75,000 post office building will be formally dedicated here tomorrow afternoon, with ceremonies beginning at 2 o'clock and with Wrightson Chambers, from the division of engineering and research in the office of the Fourth Assistant Postmaster General, Washington, making the dedicatory address. Other speakers scheduled on the program are Hon. Clyde R. Hoey, ex-governor of North Carolina, and Hon. Zebulon Weaver, United States representative from this district. T. Coleman Galloway, Brevard postmaster, will preside at the exercises.

Music for the occasion will be furnished by the combined Brevard College and Brevard high school bands, which are under the respective direction of Leonard W. Roberts and Mrs. Clyde McDonald. The group will present a concert on the post office lawn at 1:30 tomorrow afternoon, prior to the actual opening of dedication exercises. Immediately following the principal addresses and just prior to the benediction the band will play a patriotic air.

A great throng of people is expected here for the dedication ceremonies, and included in that group will be postmasters and members of their staff from post offices in the surrounding counties. Postmaster Galloway said that some 100 postmasters in Western North Carolina and adjoining South Carolina had been invited to attend the exercises.

In the event of unfavorable weather the dedicatory exercises will be held in the Brevard high school auditorium, but scheduled plans call for holding the program on the lawn at the post office building where speakers stand and band stand have been erected by the local NYA group. A loud speaker system will be installed in order that people out on the streets may be able to take in the full content of the program.

According to schedule the dedicatory program will open with the playing of the "Star Spangled Banner" by the combined band group, followed by the invocation given by Rev. B. W. Thomason, pastor of the First Baptist church. An address of welcome will be made by Dr. Carl Hardin, mayor of Brevard, and a response to that welcome will be made by Wythe M. Peyton, Asheville Postmaster. T. Coleman Galloway will recognize guests at the ceremony, after which Ralph H. Ramsey, Jr., Brevard attorney, will introduce Hon. Clyde R. Hoey, who will make one of the principal addresses.

The introduction of Congressman Weaver will be made by J. B. Jones, superintendent of Transylvania county schools, and Congressman Weaver will in turn introduce Hon. Wrightson Chambers, who will make the dedicatory address.

The benediction will be pronounced by Rev. E. P. Billups, pastor of the Brevard Methodist church.

The committee in charge of arrangements for the dedication program is composed of Julian A. Glazener, chairman, Randal Lyday and Flave H. Holden.

### Surface Treatment Given Highway Section

A two-mile stretch of U. S. Highway 64 between Brevard and Pisgah Forest is undergoing repair this week by receiving a surface asphalt treatment.

For the past few days parts of the highway from the center of town here have been closed and traffic has been detoured, but late Wednesday afternoon it was reported that the stretch from Brevard to the top of Gallamore Hill is now open for traffic.

Officials at the State Highway Office said that the repair job would be completed within ten days or less.

### Draft Board Announces Office Hours Schedule

The selective service draft board here has announced the following office hours, effective immediately. The office is located in the Pickelsimer-Ramsey building directly over Simpson's Barber shop.

The office will be open from 8:30 to 12:00 in the morning and from 1:00 to 4:30 in the afternoon, except Saturday. On Saturday office hours will be from 8:30 until 12:30.

Mrs. Allie B. Harlee, draft board clerk, urges that persons having business to transact at the board office take note of these office hours in order to avoid unnecessary visits to the office.

### COUNTRY CLUB TO LAUNCH DRIVE FOR MEMBERSHIP TODAY

#### Lists For Solicitation Have Been Issued To Drive Committee

Today the Country Club membership drive committee, composed of John Anderson, Lee Bauer, John W. Smith, Rev. E. P. Billups, Rev. B. W. Thomason, Robert F. Thomas, Karl Straus, Lewis Hamlin, Jr., Russell Ramsey, and Mrs. W. P. Jordan, today launches its annual membership drive. Lists for solicitation have already been given to members of the committee, and they are to start working immediately, it is understood.

Members of the recreational board of the town and Country Club, urge that persons join right away in order to take full advantage of the opportunities offered there this year. Bob Smith, manager of the club, reported that the golf course is now in good condition and that other facilities have been improved. Fees for single memberships are \$12 per year. Family memberships are \$18. Green fees are 50c daily.

Board members pointed out that the Country Club is a distinctly worthwhile project of the town of Brevard and that everyone should do his or her part to support it. He emphasized that by becoming members of the Club citizens could take their full share of responsibility in the Club.

### BANK TO BE CLOSED

The Transylvania Trust company will be closed all day tomorrow, May 30, in observance of Memorial Day, bank officials have announced.

## Swimming Party At Little River Ends In Near Tragedy For Four

### Masons To Confer 1st Degree Friday Night

A special communication of Dunn's Rock lodge will be held Friday night at 8 o'clock in the lodge hall on Broad street for the purpose of conferring the first degree.

Members are urged to be present and a cordial invitation is extended to all visiting Masons.

### Square Dance Is Set For Tomorrow Night

Members of the Country Club committee have announced that the regular weekly square dance will be held at the Country Clubhouse tomorrow evening from nine until twelve o'clock. String music will be furnished, and 'Speedy' Jones, popular square dance caller, will call the sets. Admission price has been set at 35c per person.

### Ask Representatives Appear For Library

Miss Annie Jean Gash, chairman of the U. D. C. library committee, has announced that people from the various communities in Transylvania county who are interested in the securing of a Bookmobile library for this county should send a representative to appear with the library committee before the County Board of Commissioners next Monday morning, June 2, at 10 o'clock to present their views on the subject.

Miss Gash emphasized that it was very important that all communities be represented.

### AT THE HOSPITAL

Patients reported to be in the Community Hospital Wednesday morning were: James Rice, Dan Ward, Mrs. Wade Eubanks and Mrs. L. V. Gosnell.

### Pisgah Forest Gets More Mail Service

The Postmaster at Pisgah Forest has just received notice from the Post Office Department in Washington, D. C., that his office is soon to have additional mail service.

In addition to the schedule service now in effect, and beginning next Monday, June 2, 1941, the star route from Greenville, S. C., will serve the Pisgah Forest office. It is scheduled to arrive at 5:37 p.m. and depart at 5:40 p.m.

The patrons of the Pisgah Forest office are asked to post their mail not later than 5:15 p.m. so as to allow plenty of time to prepare the mail for dispatch.

### Four Children of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil McCrary Were Involved

Four members of the family of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil McCrary of Penrose, narrowly escaped death by drowning Tuesday afternoon in Little River near their home, according to reports reaching here today. Involved in the near-tragedy were Mrs. Dola Shipman, 22, Julia McCrary, 21, Charles McCrary, 10, and Lucy McCrary, all children of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil McCrary.

Reportedly, Charles, who was just learning to swim, went down out near the middle of the river and Lucy, swam to his rescue. In the struggle to rescue Charles she was swept under herself and the other two members of the family. Mrs. Shipman and Julia came in to help. They, too, in the excitement and confusion, were swept under.

Julia was almost drowned before she was finally rescued by members of the party, and her brother and sisters attempted resuscitation for thirty minutes before rushing her to Brevard to a local doctor who was successful in reviving her.

Wednesday she was reported improved from the shock and was resting well.

### NINETEEN FROM TRANSYLVANIA BE INDUCTED JUNE 5

#### Four Are Volunteers; Seven Are Replacements On Other Calls

The local draft board office has called for induction for call No. 12 on June 5, nineteen selective service draftees from Transylvania county, Mrs. Allie B. Harlee, clerk of the board here, has announced. The call was made for ten men as the No. 12 quota, Mrs. Harlee pointed out, but an additional seven men are to be taken to be inducted as replacements on former calls, some members of which failed to pass entrance examinations at the camp. A total of nineteen men have been called to report for the induction on June 5 because of illness among one or two members of the group which may call for deferment in one or two instances, Mrs. Harlee said.

Leader named was James Allen White, Charles Ernest Paxton was named assistant leader.

Four of the following men called for induction, Vaughn Lane, Monroe David Wilson, Quentin Crane and Clarence Mitchell Revis, are volunteers.

Vaughn Lane, Brevard  
Edward H. Mackey, Penrose  
Joe Earle Jones, Cedar Mountain  
Charles Ernest Paxton, Brevard  
Carl Dean Bryson, Brevard  
Ray Joseph Beddingfield, Hendersonville

Charles Mac King, Rosman  
Alvin Dwight Wilson, Brevard  
Luther Monroe Holden, Brevard  
Fred Harris Israel, R-1, Brevard  
Monroe David Wilson, Brevard  
Ralph Edwards Ezell, Brevard  
Dewey Sylvester Winchester, R-1, Brevard

James Allen White, Rosman  
Harold Lawrence Erwin, Brevard  
Quentin William Crane, Rosman  
Clarence Mitchell Revis, Oakland  
Joe Bill Lance, Rosman.  
Harold Rivers Merrill, Rosman.

All of those called will report at the local board office on Broad street on Wednesday evening, June 4, at eight o'clock for final instructions, Mrs. Harlee stated.

### Post Office Will Be Closed Most of Friday

The Brevard Post Office will be closed all day Friday, May 30, except from eight to eight-thirty in the morning and from ten-thirty to eleven o'clock in the morning, when general delivery windows will be open to give out general delivery mail and to sell stamps.

The Post Office is being closed in joint celebration of Memorial Day and the dedication of the new building.

### JAYCEES TO ENTERTAIN POST OFFICE SPEAKERS

Officers of the Brevard Junior Chamber of Commerce, Eddie Varner, Edgar Loftis, Mack Allison, and John Anderson, will entertain the guest speakers for the dedicatory of Brevard's new post office at a luncheon at the Pierce-Moore hotel tomorrow at 12:30, members of the Jaycees have announced here.