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### FUNERAL IS HELD FOR WM. MILLER, ACCIDENT VICTIM

### **Coroner's Inquest Be Conduct**ed Today Into Death of Last Monday Morning

Funeral service was held yesterday morning at 11 o'clock at the Oak Grove church for William Miller, 36, native of Sapphire, who died in the Transylvania Community hospital last Monday morning as a result of head injuries received when he was struck by a car on Highway 64 near Calvert around Sunday midnight. Rev. Wade Nicholson officiated at the service. Interment was in the Oak Grove cemetery.

According to reports released through Shreiff G. D. Shuford and Deputy T. E. Brown, who investigated the accident, Miller was struck down by a car said to have been driven by Carl Barrett, young resident of Rosman. Miller and a companion, William Parker, had been driving toward Brevard in a truck, the officers said, and they ran out of gas. At the time of the accident Parker was attempting to flag the car driven by Barrett, also headed toward Brevard, when Miller stepped from behind Parker into the path of the moving car. He was carried for several yards along the highway before the car could be stop-

Miller was rushed to Transylvania Community hospital for treatment, but his condition was regarded as critical from the outset. He died at 10:30 Monday morning.

Young Barrett was held in the custody of local officers until late Monday morning when he was released under \$5,000 bond. No charges have been preferred against him as yet, but a coroner's jury has been impanelled for an inquest into the death at 3 o'clock today at the court house, Coroner J C. Wike will conduct the inquest.

Miller is survived by his father, David H. Miller, of Sapphire: three brothers, Noah C. Miller, of Rabun Gap, Ga., and S. A. and Floyd K. Miller, of Sapphire; two sisters, Mrs. Ethel Owens, of Washington, D. C., and Mrs. Louise Har-rison, of Brevard.



#### All Camps And Many Firms Have Cooperated In Production of Edition

Included with this issue of The Times is the Boys' and Girls' Summer Camp Edition, a 16-page tabloid featuring stories and pictures about the various summer camps in Transvlvania county. The Times is happy to bring this special edition to its readers and sincerely



Shown above is the \$60,000 cafeteria building recently completed at Ecusta and opened to employes last week. Said to be the most modern cafeteria in this section of the state, it will seat around 300 customers.

(Times Photo by McNeil)



### **Diplomas On Completion** Of Work The current summer school session at

Brevard College will close Friday, Aug. 15, according to announcement by C. E. Buckner, dean of the college and director of the summer school.

Although no regular commencement exercises will be held, Mr. Buckner said, diplomas will be awarded to four students who are this summer complet- dingfield, Oakland; Ernest B. Todd, ing requirements for graduation from former Brevard College student, Myrtle the standard junior college course. Beach, South Carolina; Vetter Those to graduate are James Pickel-Hinkle, Sapphire: Walter William Holdsimer and Juanita Ward, of Brevard: K. N. Kirkman of Greensboro, Route 1: Horse Shoe: Melvin L. McCormick, Horse Shoe; Melvin L. McCormick, Vivian Huff, of Liberty, South Jina. Brevard, Route 2; Lewis M. Meece, Brevard, Route 2; James M. Alderman, Carolina.

Examinations for the close of sum- Brevard; Leroy William Searcy, Bremer school are to be held on Thursday vard, Route 2; Jones Garren, Cedar and Friday of this week, with the final Mountain. examination period closing at 12:30 p. m. Friday marking the end of the nine D. C. Landreth, Jr., Frederick William

weeks summer school term. Approximately 50 students have been enrolled at Brevard this summer, Dean

Buckner said.





### **ONS FUND QUOTA EASILY REACHED IN TRANSYLVANIA**

Total of 165 Persons, Firms **Make Contributions To Ambulance** Fund

One hundred fifty-six persons and firms contributed \$211.67 toward the Old North State Fund, over-paying the Transylvania county quota by \$11.67.

A committee for the county was named several weeks ago by Governor J. M. Broughton, and request made that as many people as possible be asked to make small contributions to the fund which goes toward buying an airplane ambulance for use by British civilians. Total cost of the ambulance is \$75,-000, and was underwritten by a group of patriotic citizens of the state. The ambulance will be delivered to London within a few weeks, and will be used exclusively for evacuation and hospitalization of civilians who are wounded in air raids.

People in all sections of the state are making contributions to the fund, it was announced from Raleigh first of the week, and at the same time, Transylvania was listed as one among the (Continued on page 12)



#### Passes By A Narrow Margin Of 203 To 202 Votes On **Tuesday Night**

WASHINGTON.-In an atmosphere of orous uproar, the House passed the army service extension bill last Tues-day by a single vote-202 to 202 The three volunteers in the group are day by a single vote-203 to 202. Morris, and Walter William Holden.

By that narrow margin, it saved the administration from a devastating defeat and apparently assured the ultimate enactment of the legislation, perhaps by the end of this week.

Twenty-one Republicans joined 182 Democrats in voting for the bill. The oppositoin votes were cast by 65 Democrats, 133 Republicans and four minor party members. (All Carolinians voted

### **TIMES WILL RAISE RATES SEPT. 15TH**

Announced elsewhere in The Transylvania Times today is a change in the subscription officers in their attempt to track down

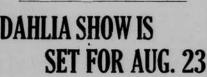
has increased in size as well as tered. new features being added. Publisher Ed M. Anderson

pointed out that a slight ad- arily unoccupied. Homes entered were vance in the rates was neces- listed as those of Nat Townsend and sary at this time because of rising prices on practically all materials used.

Subscribers, however, may take advantage of the present rates before September 15 and Jerome, but that a number of articles are urged to renew or to send were taken from the other two. All were in new subscriptions at once. The new rates are announced in detail in the advertisement they were temporarily out, indicates in this issue of The Times.

### **Plummer's To Hold** Summer Clearance vard.

Plummer's, one of Brevard's leading department stores, will stage their ninth annual summer clearance sale beginning Friday morning of this week. Prices have been slashed to the bottom for this event, Robert Plummer, manager, announces, and he urges all of his customers to come in and take advantage of the quality merchandise at the very low prices.



Annual Event Will Be Held At protection College Gymnasium; Silver **Cups** Awards

Brevard's 12th annual dahlia show will be held in the gymnasium of Brefor the bill except McMillan of the Sixth vard College Saturday afternoon and

Clothing, Jewelry, Money Are Among Articles Taken From Homes Here

A series of break-ins to Brevard homes have temporarily baffled local rates, effective September 15. There has been no advance in rates since The Times was day the meager clues were being sifted established in the early 30's, and that finger prints were being taken and since that time the paper from a window of one of the homes en-

Four private homes have been entered within the past week here, Chief Free-man said, two of which were tempor-Horace Hall, on Parkview Drive, and Walter Hart and Jerry Jerome, just off Park avenue. The latter were unoccupied for the summer.

The report issued by local officers stated that nothing was missing in the homes of Nat Townsend and Jerry entered at night. The fact that the burglar or burglars entered the homes of Mr. Townsend and Mr. Hall when that the person or persons entering knew pretty well the daily habits of these two families, officers said, and therefore they are pretty well satisfied that the break-ins were made by a person or persons living in or near Bre-

Articles taken from the home of Walter Hart were listed as jewelry, ladies' clothing and a small amount of money. A portable typewriter, portable sewing machine, rings, and a lady's watch were given by officers as the articles taken from the home of Horace Hall.

Chief Freeman said that fingerprints were being taken off the window of Hall's home where the entry was made. He said he hoped that this, together with other clues which he did not reveal, would enable them to track down the guilty person or persons.

The epidemic of break-ins has brought anxiety to the entire community, and inquiries have been plentiful at local hardware stores for pistols. In making these inquiries, local citizens stated that they hadn't ever kept firearms in their homes, but if such as this kept up they felt like they needed them for



Thirteen Transvlvania county men have been called in the selective service draft call for August 20, Mrs. Allie B. Harllee, clerk to the local draft board. has announced. They will be inducted at Fort Bragg Men notified to report for induction are D. C. Landreth, Jr., of Brevard, Route 2; Frederick William Morris, Bre-

trusts that it will be of interest and the country club Saturday night, be

Camps which have participated include Deerwoode, Rockbrook, Carolina, Transvivania, Keystone, Sapphire, Connestee, Eagle's Nest, Cateechee, and Illahee, all of the regular established camps in the county. Firms which helped make the edition

Trust company, Hayes Motor company, Ernest McFaul, gate. Co-Ed and Clemson theatres, Tinsley's Gulf Station, The Carr Lumber company, the churches, D. Guy Dean, Gal loway's Cafe, Parson's Jewelry stor Farmers Federation, Rose's, Center Bowling alleys, Gibb's Esso Star Dixie Stores, Belk's, Pet Dairy Pr ducts, Hallie's Shop, Western Auto A sociate store, Plummer's, B & B Feed and Seed company, and Patterson's The town of Brevard and Transylvania county also cooperated.

FARM AGENT RECOVERING

J. A. Glazener, Transylvania farm agent, is reported to be resting well a the Veterans' hospital in Johnson City Tennessee, where he has undergone operations recently.

He expresses appreciation for the many letters he has received from friends and regrets that he will be unable to answer them at present.

### SCHOOL OPENING PLANS ARE SET

#### **Opening Day Programs Will** Be In Charge of Building Principals

County Superintendent of Schools J. B. Jones said here yesterday that plans were gonig ahead for the opening of all public schools in the county on Thursday. August 28, in accordance with announcement made two weeks ago.

Opening day programs will be in the hands of the individual building principals, but none of them have announc ed a detailed program for that day. Mr. Jones said that some busses wer

being replaced this year with new ones while others were being reconditioned to make them absolutely safe for the school children to ride in. The bus routes, he said, will cover the same mileage as last year, with the exception of the whility that some six miles will be possibility that some six miles will be added in the lower end of the county. During the summer time repairs have been made on a number of school build-ings in the county, including painting, of exterior and interior of some.

value to all who read it and to those ginning promptly at 9 p.m. (Eastern Closing Out Sale Be Staged At who have cooperated in its production. daylight time). Tickets are now of sale at all the drug stores.

Music will be furnished by Dave Burnside and his famous radio orchestra of Greenville, S. C., secretary John Anderson announces. Committee chairmen for the mid-summer dance are: Joe Hunter, in charge of the music and possible include the Ecusta Paper cor-poration, Long's Drug store, Brevard Auto Supply, The Grill, Transylvania Karl Straus, chief marshalls; and

SINGERS TO MEET

The Upper District County Singing onvention meets at Zion church on Sunday, August 17, at 2 o'clock p.m. convention members have announced. Sion church is located near Rosman. Il singers are invited to attend.

A SIX-YEAR-OLD **FLIES AIRLANES ALL BY HERSELF** 

This modern machine age caught up with blase little Willie Kate Waters, 6, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Waters, of Brevard, last Monday when she winged off to Buffalo, New York, all by her lonesome on a fast passenger airliner.

Wee and winsome Willie Kate was down for a visit with her grandpar-ents, and she just had to get back to "Noo York" in a hurry—to see an ailing doll perhaps—so she made reservations on a plane stopping at Greenville, S C.. She didn't drive down to meet the plane, but once at the airport she bid her grandparents adieu and boarded the airliner, bag, baggage and powder puff.

On board, she settled back comfortably for the 600 mile trip, smoothed out the ruffles on her thigh-high dress, and be-gan wondering how her doll was getting along way up in "Noo York."

South Carolina.) Her Shop Beginning Tomorrow Morning

Mrs. Harllee announced that the

September 11 call quota was for eleven

Jennie Bowen's, ladies' exclusive eady-to-wear shop which has operated in Brevard for the past several years, will be discontinued here, according to announcement by the operator. Jennie Bowen. Beginning tomorrow, a closing out sale, featuring outstanding values in ladies' ready-to-wear, will be held in the establishment on West Main street

Jennie Bowen, in making the an nouncement that she would close her shop in Brevard, said she was sorry that she had found it necessary to close her shop here, but that her business in Hendersonville is taking all of her time. She said she sincerely appreciated all of the business the citizens of Brevard and Transylvania county had given her and that her business relations here

had been very pleasant. She urges all of her customers to come in and take advantage of the greatly reduced prices during the closing out sale.

The shop will be closed all day in preparation for the sale, she said.

The measure had already received Senate approval in different language, but the principal provisions exactly the same

The President is empowered to keep draftees, militiamen, reservists and maximum period of 18 months beyond the term for which they were inducted. All will receive a raise of \$10 a month after they have completed one year in the army. (The present basic army pay is \$30 a month.)

The previous restriction limiting the number of draftees simultaneously in the army to 900,000 is removed.

Subject At Methodist **Church Sunday Given** 

The pastor, Rev. E. P. Billups, will reach at 11:00 a.m. on Sunday morning using as his subject, "Sensitive to the Divine".

The Methodist congregation will unite with the Baptist congregation at the Baptist church on Sunday evening at 8:00 o'clock. Visitors are welcome at both services.

evening, August 23, from 1 to 9:30 o'clock, sponsored by the Transylvania Dahlia club. The dahlia show, which has for its

main purpose to encourage and inspire dahlia growing in Brevard and Transylvania county, will be open to all dahlia army enlisted men in the service for a growers in the town and county, who are urged to enter one or more in the different classifications. Exhibitors are asked to have their flowers at the building by 11 o'clock Saturday morning in order to allow plenty of time for arrangement before the judges begin their work. Members of the club will be in readiness to assist exhibitors with arrangement of their dahlias, if desired. Exhibitors are asked to bring their own flower containers.

Three silver cups will be awarded, pesides. 14 other prizes and ribbon awards. The dahlia show classification will be printed in next week's paper. Dr. G. B. Lynch is general chairman of the dahlia show. Other chairmen and committee members include: John Ashworth, co-chairman; F. E. Shuford, classification chairman; Mrs. John Maxwell, entry chairman: Mrs. Brown Carr, publicity and prizes; Mrs. C. R. Sharp, ribbons; Mrs. Marcus Williams, registration chairman; Miss Julia Deaver, building and staging; John Ashworth show room and tables.

## **FARM TOURS TO OPEN HERE TODAY**

#### Visitations Will Be Made To **Demonstration Farms In** The County

The annual community farm tours for Transylvania county, sponsored by the county farm agents and the Agricultural Extension Service, will get un der way here today, Edwin L. Shore, ssistant county farm agent, has announced.

Mr. Shore said that tours will be made to the various demonstration farms in the county, with about 10 farms to be visited each afternoon of the four-day schedule. The public is cordially invited to make these tours with the agricultural officials, he said, and some trans-portation will be furnished if officials at the county agent's office are contacted. The tours will begin about 2:30 o'clock and return will be made to Brevard

The schedule of dates and co ties to be visited follows: Thursday, August 14, Little River; Friday, August 15, Brevard-Dunn's Rock; Monday, her conqueror in recasting the map of August 18, Gloucester-Lake Toxaway; the world, and threatening to smash Tuesday, August 19, Calvert-Cherryleld.

### **Certificates Will Be Awarded** In Junior, Standard, Advanced Aid

A 20-hour course in first aid under the auspices of the American National Red Cross, in which certificates in junior, standard, and advanced first aid will be awarded, will be opened in Brevard next week, Carl M. Gross, who will instruct in the first aid course, has announced. Classes will be held each Tuesday and Thursday evening from 8 until 10 p.m., and the first class will be conducted next Tuesday evening probably. The Red Cross work room over the City Hall will be used as a classroom.

Instruction is absolutely free, Mr. Gross emphasized, and both men and women will be welcomed to the classes. He pointed out that the course would beneficial to people in all walks of life and that knowledge gained in such a course may mean saving a life or a limb some time.

Mr. Gross said that all members of the local fire department are especially urged to enroll for the course, and he stated that provisions for making up classes would be made for those who wish to enroll and who are working shifts at Ecusta or other industrial plants in the county. Henry Newbury, safety director at Ecusta, is expected to enroll for the course along with a number of other Ecusta employes.

Those desiring further information about the first aid course should get in touch with Mr. Gross prior to the opening of the first class next Tuesday. He is manager of Carlton's Jewelry store on West Main street, and may be contacted there.

### Dances, Sings Are Drawing Big Crowds

With upwards of 3,000 people attending the Monday night street dances, and 500 to 800 attending the Thursday night community singings, the Junior Cham-ber of Commerce is going forward steadily with its plans for summer entertainment.

"Big ring, circle left, and ....", the street dances are attracting people from South Carolina and even parts of Geo-gia each Monday, along with hundreds of summer visitors and home folks as

At the Thursday night singing, a held on South Broad near the high school, many visitors register at each event, and over a hundred of these have asked the privilege of keeping the song programs.

In normal times France imports three times as much wine as she exports

Soviets Announce Nothing Important To Release In Communique Comparative calm descended on the astern front Wednesday, indicating

the Russian resistance had put a check to the third German offensive from the northern lakes to the fields of the Ukraine. The early morning Soviet communique announced significantly that there was nothing important to report from the front. The Red air force continued action over land troops locked along the 1,800 mile battle lines. At the same time, German military sources declared that German troops stormed forward to the shores of the Black sea, hemming in large Russian forces in the Odessa area and making

the Red army's position in the Ukraine virtually untenable. Marshal Philippe Petain fatefully

summoned France to collaborate willingly with Germany, gravely calling upon the nation to share with upon (Continued on page 12)

**Reports Indicate German** Third Offensive Stopped

**Moose Lodge To Sponsor Minstrel** 

The local lodge of the Loyal Order of Moose has voted to sponsor a minstrel show at an early date, proceeds raised from which will go toward equipping the nursery for the Transylvania Community hospital, John A. Ford, secreary of the lodge, announces.

Mr. Ford stated that some members are still confused about the hour of meeting. Meetings are held each Monday evening in the Woodmen Hall on Broad street at 8 o'clock daylight saving time, he emphasized.

### PENDLETON TO PREACH

Rev. B. W. Thomason, pastor of the First Baptist church here, is spending the week in Townville, South Carolina. E. R. Pendleton will fill the pulpit in the absence of Mr. Thomason next Sun-day morning at 11 o'clock, it has been announced.