

## Payroll Deduction Plan Is Adopted By Transylvania Industries

### Second Registration To Affect Approximately 1,150 In Transylvania

Over One Thousand Transylvanians To Register On February 16

#### MACHINERY SET UP

Approximately 1,150 Transylvania men will be affected by the second registration for the selective service draft on Monday, February 16, according to tentative figures compiled by the local draft board. Mrs. Allie B. Harlee, clerk to the local board, said that it is estimated that 60 per cent, in number, of the October 16, 1940, registration would register next month. The second registration will require all men between the ages of 20 and 44, inclusive, to register for future induction into military service.

Transylvania county had a registration of 1,806 in the October, 1940, registration for selective service draftees. To date a total of 103 of these registrants have been inducted into the military service. Another 65 young men, who would have come under the draft classification, have volunteered their services to their country.

Just what calls will be made upon the local draft board for men in the immediate future cannot be ascertained by draft board officials, but, judging by the thousands who are scheduled to be inducted in this state, Transylvania's next call will be a substantial one.

The machinery for the second registration of the current war in this county has already been worked out, according to Mrs. Harlee, and has been sent to State Headquarters for approval. It is understood that approval of the plans has been given by headquarters, and details of the registration will be issued at an early date.

Throughout the nation the second registration is expected to affect more than 20,000,000 men in every walk of life. This, of course, does not include those who registered in the first registration.

### RED CROSS RELIEF QUOTA IS ASSURED

#### Industrial Plants In County Contribute Heavily To War Fund

With Ecusta, the Silversteen industries, Carr Lumber company and Transylvania Pipe company making sizeable donations, the assurance was Wednesday that the Red Cross War Relief Fund drive will go "over the top."

In addition to the donations made through the industrial interests, several canvassers were still to report on Wednesday, and also several business firms whose employees are giving one day's wages each. Schools throughout the county, as well as some church groups, have made generous donations. Among the schools contributing was a \$75 donation from the Brevard colored school unit.

Goal set for this county is \$3,000, and leaders of the movement said Wednesday that this amount would be raised, with the scrap metal sales through the Agriculture Workers' Council materially adding to this county's part of the \$50,000,000 being raised throughout the nation.

C. M. Douglas and Jerry Jerome, leaders of the drive for war relief funds, requested that any funds not now in hand be turned in at the Times office, Brevard city hall, or Building & Loan office at once.

Half of the funds go direct to the training and army centers of the American fighting forces immediately for benefit of the boys now in service. A portion is kept by the local chapter for purchase of yarns, cloth, and other supplies which the local chapter will have made up by volunteer war workers during the next few months.

A new tomato bread, higher in vitamin content than ordinary bread and made by adding canned tomatoes or tomato juice to the dough, has been developed by the Army Quartermaster Corps.

### SHORT COURSE IN POULTRY PLANNED FOR FEBRUARY 9

#### Transylvania Will Play Host To Four Other Counties That Day

##### SPECIALISTS BE HERE

A poultry short-course for poultry raisers in Transylvania, Henderson, Buncombe, Haywood and Jackson counties will be conducted at the Brevard high school on Monday, February 9, from 10 a. m. until 4 p. m., according to Julian A. Glazener, county agent, who arranged for the district short-course here. Poultry specialists from State College, Raleigh, and the State College Extension service will lead the discussions on poultry production, management, feeding, housing and other topics pertaining to poultry husbandry.

All persons in the five counties mentioned above who are at all interested in improving their flocks are urged by Mr. Glazener to take advantage of this unusual opportunity of participating in discussion with recognized poultry authorities of the South.

In connection with the short-course there will be an egg show. Mr. Glazener announces. The show will consist of entries in both white and brown shell eggs, and prizes will be awarded in both classes. Prizes have not been selected yet, but they will be announced next week.

An entry in the egg show will be composed of a dozen eggs selected for uniformity, size, shape, weight, color and shell texture, and should be clean and free from stains, Mr. Glazener said. The eggs should weigh between 24 and 28 ounces per dozen. Judging will be done chiefly on general appearance and by comparison. The leading entries will be candled, and final winners will be determined by clearness and firmness of the white.

Two entries may be made by the same person, but not of the same shell color. That is, a person may make an entry in brown shells and an entry in white shells, but not two of the same color, Mr. Glazener emphasized.

### BLOCKADERS USE KIDS BUY SUGAR

#### Children Make Run On Grocery Stores The Past Week End

The current sugar shortage gave the jitters to many a housewife, but it also presented quite a problem to blockade runners who have been used to buying sugar in large quantities when they wanted it.

According to local merchants, one or more enterprising blockaders got busy the past week end and put a number of children to work for them—buying five pound packages of sugar from the grocery stores. For some time now the grocery stores have been limiting sugar purchases to five pounds to a customer.

One or two merchants caught up with the ruse being used by the blockader or blockaders when one child came to the same store a third time for a bag of sugar. Investigation revealed that the children were carrying the sugar to a central point where it was being loaded on a car, the merchants said.

### Jones To Speak To Women's Civic Club

J. B. Jones, county superintendent of schools, will be the guest speaker at the regular meeting of the Women's Civic club next Monday afternoon at three o'clock at the club room in the City Hall, it has been announced.

Mr. Jones will speak on phases of the civilian defense program.

### Commandos Return After Raid



Men of a British Commando, which staged a successful raid at Vaagso Islands off the Norwegian coast, return to their ships after the raid. They also raided Maaloy Islands. The operation resulted in the destruction of 15,650 tons of enemy shipping, fuel and war materials.

### President's Ball Expected To Draw Big Crowd Here

#### Over 300 Enroll At College Here

Registration for the second semester of the current year at Brevard college was completed Monday, and administration officials announced that preliminary enrollment figures were stacking up well with the previous semester. A total of 310 students completed registration on Monday.

Classroom work for the second semester got underway on Tuesday morning at 7:30.

### THREE RED CROSS FIRST AID CLASS GROUPS ARE OPEN

#### Two Other Classes Are Projected In County For The Near Future

With three Red Cross First Aid classes under way in the county, and two others projected for the immediate future, the work of the civilian defense council in preparing for any possible emergency in the current war is off to a good start. The work is being carried out under the general supervision of Dr. G. B. Lynch, county health officer and chairman of the emergency medical service committee for the defense council.

Dr. Julius Sader is conducting a class for adults in the room over the City Hall on each Wednesday and Friday evening, from 8 to 10 p. m. He reports a full enrollment, with many applicants having to be turned away. His fourth class was conducted last night.

Leonard W. Roberts, head of the department of physical education at Brevard college, is teaching two classes each week in First Aid for the benefit of Brevard firemen and members of the auxiliary fire department. His classes are conducted Monday and Thursday nights of each week, from 7 to 9 p. m., in the room over the City Hall.

A total of 51 high school students have enrolled for the special

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#### Chairman McFaul Announces Complete Plans For Gala Event Friday

##### BUCCANEERS TO PLAY

Prospects for one of the largest crowds at a formal dance in the history of the county was predicted here Wednesday by Ernest McFaul for the annual President's Birthday Ball to be held at the Brevard Country Club on Friday evening, beginning at 10 o'clock. Mr. McFaul, chairman for the ball, and Miss Roberta Bryant, assistant chairman, have completed plans for the gala event, proceeds from which will go to help in the fight against the dread infantile paralysis.

The Carolina Buccaneers, popular orchestra of Asheville, have been engaged to play for the dance, which promises to be one of the stellar entertainment events of the season in Transylvania.

To sponsor the ball are the following well-known citizens: Mr. and Mrs. Randall Everett, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Croushorn, Dr. and Mrs. Boyce Lynch, Dr. and Mrs. Harry Bobst, Mr. and Mrs. Alex H. Kizer, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Jerome, Mr.

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### CAGE GAMES SET

Two basketball games are scheduled at the Brevard college gymnasium Thursday evening of this week as a memorial event for the Naismith Foundation, Springfield, Massachusetts. A portion of the proceeds will go toward erecting a hall of fame at Springfield in honor of the founder of basketball, according to Leonard W. Roberts, basketball coach at the college.

The initial game will be played between Brevard High and Mills River High, to begin at 7:15. The feature game will be played between Brevard college cagers and a quintet from Hiwassee Junior college, in Tennessee.

#### SALE IS COMPLETED

It was learned here this week that the transactions between the Carr Lumber company and the E. H. Jennings estate for timber rights on the 16,000 acre area have been completed. Also, the Champion Fibre company, of Canton, completed transaction for the right to cut chestnut timber on the estate.

### JEROME IS NAMED CHAIRMAN OF RED CROSS UNIT HERE

Succeeds J. S. Silversteen, Chairman For Twenty-Five Years

#### OTHERS ARE ELECTED

Jerry Jerome, popular young business man of Brevard, was elected chairman of the Transylvania chapter of the American Red Cross to succeed Joseph S. Silversteen, prominent local industrialist who had served as chairman for 25 years, at the annual meeting of the chapter at the First Baptist church here Monday afternoon of this week. E. H. McMahan, local attorney, was named vice chairman, Mrs. Annie M. Douglas, secretary, and Alex H. Kizer was re-elected treasurer.

At the meeting reports on the annual Roll Call and the War Relief fund drive were given. The retiring chapter chairman, Mr. Silversteen, reported that Ecusta, the Carr Lumber company, the Silversteen industries and The Transylvania Pipe company had already subscribed to over half of the War Relief quota of \$3,000.

Members of the chapter extended a vote of thanks to Mrs. H. N. Carrier, Miss Elise Walker, and Mrs. J. W. Smith for their splendid work and cooperation in carrying out production in the Red Cross workrooms. Thanks were also voted to Mr. Silversteen for his long and valuable service as chairman of the Transylvania chapter.

Other reports were heard from the new chairman, Mr. Jerome, who emphasized the need, now more than ever, for each member doing his part in the Red Cross work and the defense effort, and C. M. Douglas, War Relief drive chairman, who paid tribute to the work of the women of the county and to the Negroes for their contribution to the fund. Mr. Douglas also suggested that First Aid kits be placed in Negro schools.

### DAIRY MAN TO BE IN COUNTY

All farmers in Transylvania who are interested in producing raw milk for the pasteurizing plant which will soon be opened in Brevard or for other commercial purposes are invited to meet with F. R. Farnham, State Extension Dairy specialist, at the county agent's office in the post office building next Tuesday, February 3, J. A. Glazener, county agent, has announced.

Mr. Glazener said that all persons interested in dairying are invited, and a special invitation is made to those planning to produce milk commercially.

### Nantahala Creamery Changes Its Name

Effective today, the Nantahala Creamery is changing its name and henceforth will be known as Transylvania Dairies.

The concern is now erecting a pasteurizing plant in Brevard and will soon be able to use raw milk from commercial dairies in the county.

#### PLAN VISITATION

A special Sunday School attendance and visitation program is being inaugurated at the First Baptist church here, it has been announced, and a cordial invitation is extended to everyone to attend Sunday School each Sunday.

### Freeman Warns Observe Rules

Chief of Police B. H. Freeman, in a statement Wednesday, warned bicyclists in Brevard to stay off the sidewalks and to observe red lights and other traffic rules just as motorists do.

Within the past few weeks the number of bicycles in use in Brevard has increased tremendously, and the disregard of traffic rules by cyclists is creating a hazard, Chief Freeman said. He pointed out that the law requires cyclists to observe the same traffic rules as motorists.

### AMERICAN FLIERS INFLECTING HEAVY LOSSES UPON JAPS

#### Total Of 14 Or 15 Japanese Ships Sunk In Macassar Straits

U. S. Flying Fortresses, the war department reported yesterday, have blasted two more Japanese ships, one a cruiser. This raised the tally of losses inflicted by American forces in the battle of Macassar Straits to 14 or 15 Japanese ships sunk, damaged or probably lost.

One American Flying Fortress was lost in the Macassar action, the war department reported.

Gen. Douglas MacArthur's forces on Bataan peninsula, the communique said, continued to enjoy a lull in their battle against the Japanese. The enemy landed "relatively small" additional forces in the Subic bay area. But land attacks virtually had ceased, presumably pending Japanese concentrations in preparation for another assault.

Japanese forces converged along the four main highways of Malaya on Wednesday, pressing behind tank spearheads toward the British, Australian and Indian troops massed near the tip of the

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### Should List, Pay Taxes This Week

Edwin A. Morgan, county tax collector, has announced that an extension of two days has been granted for paying 1941 taxes without a penalty, and taxpayers may have through Monday, February 2, for settling the previous year's taxes before a penalty is added.

Also, Ralph W. Lyday, county tax supervisor, urges all citizens to list their taxes this week-end and avoid the penalty for late listing.

### COUNTY PRINCIPALS TO MEET SATURDAY

#### Will Hear Talk By Glazener On Victory Home Gardens In '42

J. B. Jones, county superintendent of public schools, has announced a meeting of all principals of Transylvania county schools, to be held in the county commissioners office in the Brevard court house on Saturday morning of this week. The meeting will open at 10 o'clock.

Highlight of the meeting will be a short talk by Julian A. Glazener, county farm agent, on Victory Gardens for 1942. He will urge the school principals to cooperate in promoting the planting of farm gardens throughout the county.

Other subjects to be discussed at the meeting will be the air raid warning signals and drills, the standard tests for sixth grade elementary pupils, and some of the problems of daylight saving time which will be initiated on Monday, February 9.

### Recapping Firm To Recap Truck Tires

W. H. Pless, manager of the Brevard Tire recapping company, has announced that after February 1 he will have on hand plenty of rubber for recapping truck tires and a limited supply for recapping passenger car tires.

He announces that he will not have rubber for recapping tires during the rest of this month.

### SALES OF DEFENSE BONDS, STAMPS ARE UP IN THE COUNTY

#### Leading Industries Of County Are Behind Payroll Deduction Plan

##### PLANS BEING EFFECTED

A tremendous boost for the sale of defense bonds and stamps in Transylvania county was given this week when officials of the major industries in the county all announced that they would adopt the payroll deduction plan for their employees. Included in the industries which have signified that they will adopt the plan are the Ecusta Paper corporation at Pisgah Forest, the Silversteen industries at Brevard and Rosman, Wheeler Hosiery Mill in Brevard, Pisgah Mills, Brevard, the Carr Lumber company at Pisgah Forest, and Transylvania Pipe company, Brevard.

W. M. Melton, superintendent of Pisgah Mills and chairman of the defense savings staff county committee on industrial plants, announced that the above Transylvania in-

An example of true patriotism was laid this week by Alfred L. Skinner, 22, Ecusta employee, who asked officials in charge of the payroll deduction plan there to take out from his salary each week enough to buy a \$25 defense bond, or \$18.75. This represents about half of his weekly income, it was understood.

dustries had agreed to adopt the plan after a special meeting of his committee. Though the amount which will be invested by employees of these firms could not be easily approximated, Mr. Melton was confident that the annual sales of the defense bonds and stamps would be boosted by many thousands of dollars yearly due to the adoption of the plan.

None of the plants have as yet worked out details for carrying out the payroll deduction plan, it was understood, with the possible exception of the Ecusta Paper corporation.

### GIVE INFORMATION ON SALVAGE DRIVE

#### Collection Agencies For Various Waste Materials Listed

For the benefit of those people in the county who have various waste materials to contribute to the Victory Salvage drive, Ralph H. Ramsey, Jr., chairman of the county civilian defense council, has issued the following information relative to salvage work in Transylvania county.

Waste paper collection is in the charge of the Boy Scouts, and anyone having old paper on hand may call E. H. McMahan or any of the scoutmasters in town. Paper will be called for promptly.

The collection of scrap iron, already under way, is being sponsored by the Agriculture Workers' Council, with Julian A. Glazener in charge. In Brevard the vocational boys of the high school are in charge of the work. Those having scrap metals to contribute may contact Randal J. Lyday.

Cancelled postage stamps, which have valuable dyes, are being collected under the sponsorship of the D. A. R., with Mrs. J. S. Silversteen in charge. Those desiring to save stamps are requested just to tear them from the envelopes and turn them in that way.

Empty toothpaste, shaving cream, etc., tubes are being collected at any and all of the drug stores in town. They will turn them in to the proper agency.

The collection of tin cans has not yet got under way in the county, but the schools will sponsor this collection, Mr. Ramsey said. No arrangements for the sale of cans has been worked out as yet, but people are requested to keep them until further notice.

#### SCRUGGS BUYS CAKE

Mrs. Mabel Kellar announced this week that the cake she baked for the Red Cross was bid off by Mr. Plato Scruggs at \$2.80. The proceeds were turned over to the Red Cross War Relief fund.