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# AQUATIC SCHOOL TO OPEN WED.

"Pay-As-You-Go" Tax Measure Expected To Become Law

# WILL WITHHOLD 20 PERCENT OF INCOME IN JULY

Bill Also Provides For 75 To 100 Percent Abatement Year's Taxes

IN SENATE NOW

Starting July 1, individual income taxpayers in Transylvania and the nation will be placed on a "pay-as-you-go" basis, with 20 percent deducted from pay envelopes after family status exemptions have been determined, according to indications from Washington

On Tuesday the House, by a vote of over 2 to 1, passed the compromised Ruml plan and sent it to the Senate where early action is expected.

The final measure that was supported strongly by Republican members and by House Ways and Means Chairman Doughton, is expected to receive the approval of President Roosevelt.

It provides for from 75 to 100 percent abatement of one year's taxes and puts payment of this year's taxes on a "pay-as-you-go"

The bill provides:

1. 100 per cent abatement for each taxpayer owing up to \$50 in taxes for the one year, 1942 or 1943, in which he had the smaller taxable income.

person whose abatement year (1942-1943) tax bill is between \$50 and \$66.67.

3. An abatement of 75 per cent for all persons with an abatement -Turn To Page Four

### TO HOLD CANNING **DEMONSTRATIONS**

Miss Teague Plans To Hold bined Presbyterian and Episco-Demonstrations In All Communities

Miss Annabel Teague is now making plans to hold canning dem- was not learned. onstrations throughout the county this month.

regular meetings of home demon- intendent, Mrs. George Massey and stration clubs, meetings are to be Mrs. Albert Payne; primary, Mrs. ed a foothold. As a member of a

have had home economics training Bradley Combs, Mrs. B. W. Thomand experience will assist Miss Teague in giving some of the dem- McCall; Juniors, Mrs. A. E. Hamponstrations.

service are asked to get in touch Crisp, Mrs. R. A. Payne, Mrs. H. with Miss Teague.

ings will be published next week.

housewives that June 15 is the deadline for filing applications for pressure cookers. The county has

been given a liberal allotment. In connection with the demonstrations, Miss Teague stated that canning is a very important part of the food conservation program.

#### Fish Killed In French Broad To Be Replaced Soon

Provisions have been made to restock the French Broad river below Brevard with fish, replacing the large number that were killed following the heavy rain on Thursday night, May 20, J. H. Bradshaw, district game pro-

tector, said yesterday.

The fish were reported floating down stream on Friday, May 21, by game wardens.

Mr. Bradshaw said that after an investigation of the incident he had been unable to determine the cause of the death of the

Thousands of fish were said

to have been killed. Several local people said that in their opinion the fish were killed by acid released into the stream from the Ecusta Paper corporation. The official investigation, however, did not disclose

United States Nuns Flee Vengeful Japs



Carrying some personal belongings, these U. S. Sisters of Charity are pictured as they fled to the hills from the Yukiang Mission Church in China. They had just received word that Jap troops were on their way to Kiangsi Providence to slay, burn, and loot the area in reprisal for aid given to Doolittle's raiders. The photo was brought out of China by priests of the Vincentian Order.

# Four Vacation Bible Schools Are Now In Progress With A Total Enrollment Over 250

2. A flat \$50 abatement for each Will Continue For Several Days. List Of Teachers Is Announced

> Around 250 boys and girls of Brevard are in attendance at the four Vacation Bible schools which are now in progress at four churches in the town. The schools began last week and will come to a close the latter part of next week, or earlier.

The First Baptist church has the largest attendance, with a total of 125 reported to date. The compalian school has an enrollment of 60, and the Methodists report Mr. and Mrs. J. Wade Jackson, here. an enrollment of 35. The enrollment at the Second Baptist school

Teachers and assistants at the First Baptist school include: begin-In addition to demonstrations at ners, Mrs. Excell Lothery, super-Mrs. Bart Charles, Mrs. James A group of local women who Hawkins, Mrs. L. E. Bagwell, Mrs. ason, Mrs. Mitchell Neely, Betty ton, superintendent, Mrs. W. P. All communities that want this Tindall, Mrs. Roy Long, Mrs. J. A.

T. McDaniel, Mrs. Walter Kay, A full list of volunteer workers Mrs. Ed Morgan, Mrs. T. E. Reid; and a tentative schedule of meet- intermediates, Mrs. A. J. Beddingfield, Mrs. A. B. Galloway, Mrs. Miss Teague again reminded Riley Merrill. Rev. B. W. Thomason and Mrs. W. P. Tindall are general superintendents, Susan Redden is general secretary, and the Pacific and that the sun makes Mrs. Flora Shytle is general as- it hot there for the Americans. sembly pianist. Closing exercises

will be Friday night, June 11. Teachers and assistants at the Presbyterian-Episcopal school are: primary, Flora Lyday, Rosalie Aherns, Barbara Bobst, Mrs. Rose-

## **JACKSON FOUGHT** JAPS LAST YEAR ON GUADALCANAL

Transylvania Man Has Been In Thick Of Fighting. Visiting Here Now

Staff Sergeant Huey Jackson, who is now spending a much-earnwho live in the Little Mountain section, has seen a great deal of against the Japs.

He was among the first U. thick of firing and fighting for several months.

Staff Sergeant Jackson has also seen action in Australia and New Caledonia, as well as other Pacific islands where he was in the thick of fighting.

Jackson was one of the first to enter service from this county. He has been in service around two and a half years. Previously he worked at Ecusta.

He says the Americans are really making it hot for the Japs in

The temperature stays around 120 degrees almost all of the time and only varies about 15 degrees between summer and winter. His furlough ends Friday at

which time he expects to resume Turn To Page Five fighting against the Japs.

# Regular Summer School Session At Brevard College Will Open Monday

good enrollment at Brevard college for the summer session which will open next Monday morning, June 7, Dr. E. J. Coltrane announced today.

To meet wartime emergency educational needs, the college is offering this summer, for the first time in its history, an accelerated, streamlined course for high school students who can meet certain requirements and who have at least

Brevard college June 7 with eight of programs which will prepare units of credit and remaining here them for efficient service to their through the summer and fall ses- country and guarantee their prosions will be ready for admission motion in the armed forces." in the freshman college class next stated.

The prospects are bright for | February 1." Dr. Coltrane said. For the duration, the college will be in continuous operation. Three full semesters of college work are offered. The summer session starts June 7 and ends September 18.

Dr. Coltrane also announced that college students who stay in school continuously for any two semesters can complete a regular college year.

"Boys who expect to enter some branch of military service will find "A high school student entering at Brevard college several types

# INDUSTRY TOLD TO PLAN FOR REPLACEMENTS

All Physically Fit Men Under 38 Are Scheduled For Military Service

Industry should make plans now o replace all men under 38 who are physically fit for army service. state selective service officials told Transylvania and other Western North Carolina draft board officials at a meeting in Asheville Tuesday.

Attending from here were Chair man A. H. Harris and Oliver Orr members of the local draft board: Attorney Mitchell, appeal agent and Mrs. Harllee, clerk.

Major Charles R. Jonas, of the co-ordination division and Major Hugh L. Caveness, state adviser on occupational deferments, spoke.

They stressed that an employer can exercise some control over the time his men are to be drafted. It was pointed out that the system calls for "an orderly withdrawal of men from industry for the army." Draft board officials were told they should make it plain to employers that they will not be suddenly bereft of help, but the withdrawal will begin evenly and will continue consistently and in orderly fashion, allowing time for replacements. These, it was stated, should come from men 38 and over, those who are physically unfit for army service and women

They were also told that the state selective service system will not require one board to fill calls with fathers while single men and married men without children are on rosters of other boards.

The only single men and married men without children who will not be called before fathers are drafted are those high on the list of occupational deferments.

The local board did not classify any registrants at the meeting last

Yesterday Mrs. Mildred C. Finley, clerical auditor supervisor of ed furlough visiting his parents, the state system, Raleigh, was

### action in the Pacific war area SOYBEAN VARIETY army troops to land on Guadal- DEMONSTRATION IS held in all communities in which Harold Runion, superintendent, this service is desired. Harold Runion, superintendent, field artillery unit, he was in the STARTED TUESDAY

Nine Different Varieties Are Planted On Deer Park Home Farm

An interesting soybean variety demonstration will be conducted this season on the Deer Park Home farm by James Dickson, operator of the farm, in co-operation with the extension service, Julian Glazener announces.

Planting of nine different varieties has been completed. The purpose of the demonstration is to test the yield and the oil content. to attend." Each variety covers about one twentieth of an acre.

"This is the first complete test for seed and oil," Mr. Glazener

Other tests are also being car ried on at the Deer Park Home farm. These include tests in varie of Austin Winter peas and barley

Another significant thing that Dickson has done during recent months is to set out 5000 locust trees on the farm.

#### YES, SIR, YOU CAN GET YOUR CUFFS NOW!

If you have been worried because your "victory" suit didn't have any cuffs, you can stop worrying now because in the future your trousers can legally have cuffs!

The WPB has lifted the "no cuff" ban, provided they can be made from the average 3-inch "turn-up" allowance on trousers manufactured from wool, gabardine and heavyweight cotton and rayon material. The WPB said 300,000

ments had been made from cuff material obtained during the ban-

#### Demand Action Of Congress Now!

Every American citizen who loves his country and who desires above everything else a speedy and victorious termination of the war should forthwith write his congressman and senators demanding that resolute action be taken NOW to reopen the coal mines. We record it with deep humiliation and concern that our Chief Executive after solemnly pledging to the nation a scant four weeks ago that coal would be mined appears to be unable or unwilling to act. That places the matter squarely before congress. The American people at this critical hour are not in a mood to countenance equivocation or delay. They demand courageous and effective action . . . NOW!

'No contract, no work," the miners chanted as they marched from the pits at the instigation of John L. Lewis. The action of Lewis and his henchmen, in the language of the War Labor Board, which he has arrogantly and repeatedly defied, "challenges the sovereignty of the United States in time of war and gives aid and comfort to our enemies."

The constitution defines such action as treason. Lewis and his miners are in open rebellion against the government of the United States. Whatever the merit of their claims or grievances may be, there can be no justification for such conduct. The adjudication of the dispute among Lewis, the operators, the WLB and Secretary Ickes is no longer the fundamental issue presented to the American people by Lewis' arrogant action. The question is, shall the American people countenance treason?

Lewis at this critical hour has definitely aligned himself with the enemy by hampering the war effort and brought reproach upon thousands of patriotic miners. We repeat: Write your members of congress now! Urge that they take such action-any action-that will revive the coal mining industry and expedite the war effort .- An Editorial.

# Annual Meeting Of Woman's Missionary Union To Be Held In Brevard Next Thursday, 10th fire aid, swimming, diving, boating first aid and accident prevention, canoeing and so on.

# SUNDAY SCHOOL ASS'N. TO MEET

June Session To Be Held At Second Baptist Church. Price To Speak

The June meeting of the Transylvania Sunday School Association will be held at the Second Baptist church here this Sunday, starting at 2:30 o'clock and closing at four, Supt. Fred Monteith announced to-

Rev. Mr. McGuire will have charge of the devotionals and Rev. W. S. Price will speak on the subject of Highlight of the afternoon session 'A Revival in Every Church."

During the business session, each superintendent will be requested to give a report.

"We would like for every church to see that the Sunday school is represented at this meeting," Mr. Monteith said. "By working together, we can accomplish the things that we would like to accomplish in our Sunday school work, otherwise we will not.

"We owe it to our children and good, live Sunday schools for them

Major H. J. Bradley, Mrs. Bradnolia, Miss., are visiting relatives school, Mrs. Ed Mackey; Margaret fant daughter, Barbara Joan, born and friends here.

Approximately 100 Expected To Attend. Will Meet At Second Church

Approximately 100 persons from HERE ON SUNDAY the 15 churches of the Transylvania Baptist association are expected to attend the annual meeting of the Woman's Miss Union, which will be held in the Brevard Second Baptist church next Thursday, June 10, in an allday meeting, it was announced yesterday by Mrs. J. A. Anderson, superintendent.

> The main feature of the morning session will be an address, "Christ Exalted in all the Kingdoms of the Earth," by Mrs. J. S Farmer, of Raleigh, State W. M. U. president. The program theme for the day is "Christ Pre-eminent." will be an address by Miss Bertha Smith, missionary from China.

The morning session, which will open with a hymn and the watchword given in unison, will include the following other features on the program: devotionals, Mrs. Harold pastors; business, conducted by the superintendent; Christ exalted in the local society, by W. M. S. our neighbors' children to have presidents and young people's leaders; Christ exalted in the association: Superintendent, Mrs. J. A. Anderson; mission study, Mrs. J. W. Glazener; community misley and their son, John, of Mag- sions, Mrs. S. F. McAuley; training

# DeMolays Sponsor "Write Letters To Men In Service Campaign" In County

With a slogan of "They Fight— and to keep this file up-to-date so We Write, The More We Write that it will be available to every-The Better They Fight," the Brevard chapter of the order of De-Molays has launched as a major relatives and friends of men in project a Transylvania county 'write letters to men in service and present addresses of the men. campaign.'

The DeMolays are urging that individuals, civic clubs, churches more letters to men in service. Such a campaign, they say, will dress boost the morale. "Nothing else

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To obtain this information, the DeMolays are asking the parents, service to send them the names

They are also asking these same individuals to notify the men of this project and to ask that in and all other organizations write the future they send the DeMolays a card giving any change of ad-

The project was discussed at a will cheer them up quite so much meeting with representatives of as letters from home," it is stated. other organizations, held here in As a direct service feature of the courthouse a few days ago. this letter writing campaign, the All of them pledged full co-opera-

DeMolays propose to compile a list of names and addresses of all men in service from this county where in this issue.

### TO HOLD NATIONAL RED CROSS SCHOOL AT CAMP CAROLINA

Will Last 10 Days. Students From Large Area Will Attend

STAFF WILL MEET

The Red Cross National Aquatic school, which attracts the attention of water front officials of Eastern America to Brevard twice each summer, will open the 20th. annual session at Camp Carolina next Wednesday for the first of two 10-day periods.

The first session will last 10 days, ending June 19 and the second one will be staged from August 21 to 31.

Harry Kenning is expected to direct the school again this season, and the school's staff, which is composed of top men in their field, will meet the first of the week.

The students for the aquatic school, who are chosen by Red Cross chapters over the Southeastern area, represent a large number of states and take the courses of study here in order to qualify themselves as instructors in their home Red Cross units and

to become camp counselors. The Brevard school is one of five such schools conducted in eastern America.

The curricula offered includes tion, canoeing and so on.

### **COUNTY DOUBLES** MAY BOND QUOTA

After Record Month, May Sales Were Far Better Than Anticipated

After having made the second best record in North Carolina in war bond sales in April, Transylvania came back strong in May and more than doubled its monthly quota, Chairman E. H. McMahan announced yesterday.

The county's sales during May were over \$60,000, while the quota was \$29,350.00.

Sales were reported as follows: Pisgah Forest post office, \$18,-806.25; Brevard Federal Savings and Loan, \$9,973.25; Transylvania Trust company, \$8,887.50; Brevard post office, \$2,643.75 and Transylvania

a total of \$40.667.00. In addition to that, the Federal Norwood; greetings, Mrs. Marvin Reserve has given the county credit Edney; response, Mrs. J. L. Gilles- for about \$20,000 more, \$15,000 of pie; recognition of visitors, by the which was believed to have gone in too late in April for credit.

Tanning company, \$365.25, making

#### AT THE HOSPITAL

Patients reported yesterday afternoon to be in Transylvania Community hospital were: Mrs. D. R. Cathey and infant son, born May 29. Mrs. E. W. Gevedon and in-May 26, Mrs. Maxie Head, Mrs. John R. Hudson.

#### Cost Of Getting Drunk In Brevard Is Nearly Double

The cost of getting drunk in Brevard has nearly doubled since the election of Mayor Verne Clement.

A few months ago the average first offender got off by paying fines and cost amounting to around \$10.00, but in the Mayor's court now the fine is \$10, plus \$8.05 cost, making a

total of \$18.05. "The cost of most everything else has advanced and I see no reason why public drunkenness shouldn't cost more too," the new Mayor declared.

In addition to that, it is pointed out that the cost of liquor has also advanced considerably. "Considering everything, it ap-

pears that only a rich man can drink now," some one asserted.