

GLANCING BACK AT BREVARD

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Capt. John W. Mills, one of the best known and most respected citizens of the county, died at his home near Brevard last Friday. His honorable connection with the events of the Confederate war, and his prominence as a citizen make a short memoir a necessity, which will appear in next week's issue.

Wednesday excursions to Lake Toxaway, which proved such a drawing card last summer, are again inaugurated this year. The fare from Brevard and return is only 75c. Those who have not enjoyed the scenery around Lake Toxaway should take advantage of the low rates on Wednesdays.

The Brevard Institute school building is being fitted up this week with a new fire department. Electricity will be installed, and the new library is being fitted with sectional bookcases and sup-



This tiny miss is too young for a permanent, but it is an established fact that her mama cannot obtain a more becoming hair-do than that made possible by the Cool Wave method. Let us explain its superior advantages.

RUTH'S BEAUTY SHOP

West Main St.

plied with books. The school management will offer this year to the public a Star Lecture course of six attractions, beginning in September and running until March.

Ed Flack has been tried over 100 times and has been found guilty of being the best cleaner and presser in Brevard. Give him another trial.

At the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Mull, near Brevard, on the morning of June 6th, their daughter, Miss Allie V. Mull, was united in marriage to C. Russell Sharp. Rev. R. G. Tuttle, pastor of the Brevard Methodist church, officiating. Immediately after the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Sharp left by way of the Southern for the home of the groom in Intelligence. Mrs. Sharp is one of Transylvania county's handsomest and truest young women, and Mr. Sharp is a bright young business man of Rockingham county.

W. T. Bosse, of the News force, has been on the sick list since last Friday, and the editor has been working like the "devil" ever since.

Uncle Joe Duckworth, of the Carson Creek section, 79 years old, failed to find help enough to gather his rye this year, so he concluded to do it himself. He succeeded in shocking his whole crop, keeping up with the reaper. "I haven't a boy in the world that could do any more," he said. Pretty good for an octogenarian, we say.

Prof. C. M. Gallamore will have the position of the Flat Rock graded school this year. Misses Sallie Osborne and Lela Wilson have been secured as assistants, and a 6-month term will begin about September 1.

After waiting for months for building material, Wm. M. Henry has at last succeeded in making a start on his new residence, corner of South Caldwell and Jordan. The construction is in charge of Robert Kilpatrick.

Those sidewalk brick that have been palmed off on the town would hardly be received by an honest inspector. If they are to be used in sidewalks they should be thoroughly sorted, as many of them will not stand frost, not to mention a freeze. If the town expects property owners to pay half or more of the cost on paving the walks, it should put into them only good material.

New Mexico is the second fastest-growing state in the union. Its population increased from 423,317 in 1930 to 531,818 in 1940.

Hibiscus Queen



A GROUP of flying officers who recently returned from the South Pacific have selected Tess Daniels as Hibiscus Queen of Cypress Gardens, Florida. (International)

Soil Fertility A Pasture Problem

Soil fertility is the major problem in permanent pasture development in North Carolina, says Dr. R. L. Lovvorn, associate agronomist of the N. C. Experiment Station at State College.

Much of the pasturage necessary for increased livestock production must come from lands that are now very low in fertility, according to the agronomist. Such lands have been severely depleted through cropping and erosion and leaching has taken its toll of certain elements. These must be supplied through the use of lime and fertilizers, if good permanent pastures are to be established.

Tests show that at least one legume should be grown with the grasses if maximum growth is to be realized, says Lovvorn. The use of a legume in the sod has doubled the yield of Dallas grass during the month of April, when pasturage is badly needed.

The grazing season was lengthened and the total yield of feed was increased. A well balanced program of grass-legume production, however, depends upon the fertility of the soil and the use of lime, manure, commercial fertilizers, and soil improving crops are recommended by the agronomist.

NOTICE OF SALE

Under and by virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Transylvania County, made in the special proceeding entitled W. D. Glazener and wife, plaintiffs, vs. Lela Glazener Whitmire, et al., defendants, the undersigned commissioner will on the 24th day of September, 1943, at 12 o'clock noon, at the Court House door in Brevard, North Carolina, offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash, those certain tracts of land lying and being in Brevard Township, Transylvania County, North Carolina, and more particularly described as follows:

FIRST TRACT: Beginning on a stone on the east bank of the public road leading from Brevard to the Country Club and runs; thence south 65 1/2 deg. west 51 1/2 poles to a stake on the bank of the ditch; then south 21 deg. east 34 poles to a stake, Shuford's corner; then north 56 3/4 deg. east 23 poles and 5 links to a stone on the west bank of the road; thence north 35 1/4 deg. east 22 poles and 5 links to a stake; then north 21 deg. east 13 poles to a stake; then north 3 deg. east 3 poles to the beginning, containing 5 acres and 80-100 of an acre, more or less.

SECOND TRACT: Beginning on a stone on the bank of a ditch 23 feet northwest of a wild cherry in Shuford's line marked as a pointer and runs north 53 deg. 10' east 400 feet to a stone in the margin of the public road leading to Island Ford Bridge; then, with the road, south 8 deg. 30' west 400 feet to a stake in the road; then south 4 deg. 40' west 200 feet to a stake on a bridge crossing a ditch at Shuford's corner; then, with the ditch, to the Beginning, containing 2 acres, more or less.

THIRD TRACT: Beginning on a stake in the forks of a ditch just below where G. L. Glazener home was located and runs with the ditch the following courses and distances, north 55 deg. west 9 poles and 19 links to a stake; then north 26 1/4 deg. west 29 poles to a stake; then north 6 deg. west 9 poles and 20 links to a stake; then, leaving the ditch and runs north 59 deg. west 9 poles and 8 links to a stake in another ditch; then, down and with the ditch the following courses and distances: to the beginning; south 20 deg. east 40 poles; then south 7 deg. east 4 poles; then south 4 deg. west 4 poles to the Beginning, containing 2 3/4 acres, more or less. This the 23rd day of August, 1943.

RALPH H. RAMSEY, JR., Commissioner.

An Interesting Picture Of Wild Flowers In This Section Shown At Kiwanis Club By Chas. Moore

RAMSEY WARNS PEOPLE AGAINST "SLOWING UP"

Local Lawyer, Urging Bond Buying, Recalls Dangers Of Recent Years

Although the war situation today "looks good," Ralph Ramsey, local attorney, speaking to the local Lions club last Thursday evening warned against a spirit of complacency in urging the purchase of war bonds.

Japan, Mr. Ramsey said, is "hearing the thunder of her approaching doom." The Russian armies are hurling back the German invader over a front of hundreds of miles. Italy has been reduced and Mussolini has been ousted. Enemy cities are being blasted and the sulking submarine has been defeated. Citizens of European states held in subjection are rising in revolt against the oppressor.

"It looks like victory is ours and some people say we should slow up," Mr. Ramsey said. However he invited his hearers to go back a year. Rommel was within sight of Egypt; the Nazis had reached the coast of the Black Sea and were driving on Stalingrad. A year before, Hitler had broken his treaty with Russia and invaded their country. Few thought the Soviets could resist the Nazi onslaught. The preceding summer, the Nazis had quickly overwhelmed Netherlands, Belgium and France and England was in a desperate plight. There were anxious fears that England would fall and that Hitler would gather a mighty fleet and attack the U. S. Meanwhile, Japan had overrun much of the orient. Mr. Ramsey said he believed the American people would buy bonds generously to avert the dangers that menaced them during those black years of Axis triumphs.

Mr. Ramsey was introduced by Ed H. McMahan, county chairman, who predicted the county would subscribe its quota of \$432,000. Mr. McMahan was commended by

Rev. W. A. Jenkins Made Talk On Third War Loan Drive Plans

One of the most informative programs ever to be given before Brevard Kiwanians was the showing of color pictures of native wild flowers by Charles Moore at the meeting held Friday night at the Bryant house.

Mr. Moore has several hundred pictures of native wild flowers and shrubs which are found in this section, and some of which are to be found in no other section of the world.

Pictures shown by Mr. Moore through a projector, were all taken in natural color and the flowers and shrubs were photographed in their natural setting, some inside the city limits of Brevard, others alongside the highway between here and Pisgah Forest, and many of them in Pisgah Game Preserve, ranging from Bent Creek to Tennessee Bald.

Along with showing of the pictures, Mr. Moore briefly told something of the flowers, their ancestry, and peculiarities pertinent to each bloom.

The Rev. W. A. Jenkins spoke on the Third War Loan drive, and said that he was positive there would be no lagging in Transylvania county; that this county had gone over the top with all previous requests from the government since the war started, and in his opinion the record would not be broken—provided—he said, that each person did what was expected of him, plus a little for some few who always act the laggard in any worthwhile movement.

Rev. B. W. Thomason was guest of Brown Carr, and Dr. J. D. Hurt of Winter Haven, Fla., was a visiting Kiwanian.

During the business session, the club voted to contribute \$15.00 toward expense incurred in the Third War Loan drive.

Mr. Ramsey for his able direction of the second War Loan drive, when the county more than tripled its quota.

Ira B. Armfield was elected lion tamer, succeeding Lloyd Hughes, who will leave for the army tomorrow.

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- SMOKES

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George Hunter, Owner



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LONNIE C. FISHER

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Lonnie C. Fisher, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Fisher, is in the field artillery, stationed at Camp White, Medford, Oregon. He volunteered in the service last November. He was on a recent furlough here with his parents.

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