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CHRISTMAS SHOPPING SEASON ON To Elect AAA Community Committees Next Week

A SCHEDULE OF EIGHT MEETINGS IS ANNOUNCED

All Farmers Urged To Attend One Of Meetings. Importance Stressed

AAA IS HELPFUL

The annual election of AAA community committeemen and delegates will be held in Transylvania county, starting next Monday and continuing through next Thursday, December 2. T. J. Wilson, county AAA committee chairman, announced today.

There are eight communities in this county and each community committee is composed of three members. Delegates to the county convention to select the county committee will also be chosen at these community meetings.

In a special message to the farmers today, Mr. Wilson pointed out that "it is very important that you arrange to attend the meeting in your community to elect men to represent your community in the AAA program for the year 1944".

"In these busy days some few farmers are going to be tempted to neglect this all important duty, but they shouldn't because we have received in the county this year through the AAA program 4,530 tons of ground limestone, 168 tons of superphosphate, 31,797 pounds of crimson clover and vetch seeds and to aid in the feed shortage, the AAA has handled over 15,000 bushels of government wheat to be used for feed." County Agent J. A. Glazener pointed out.

The schedule of meetings is as follows:

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CHRISTMAS SEAL SALE IS STARTED

County's Quota Is \$500. Public Urged To Help Fight Tuberculosis

The annual sale of Christmas seals to raise money to combat tuberculosis in Transylvania county and throughout the nation was started this week and will continue until Christmas.

The goal for the county is \$500 and Chairman Robert T. Kimzey, Brevard high school principal, expressed the opinion yesterday that this quota would be reached.

Sale of the seals is being conducted through the schools, through solicitation by mail and the Girl Scouts will hold sales here on the streets.

"Everyone is urged to co-operate to make this worthy campaign a success," Mr. Kimzey stated. "Be sure to buy seals and to brighten up your letters with them."

The sale is conducted by the Transylvania Tuberculosis association. Mr. Kimzey is chairman and

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Need More Helpers Here At Red Cross Bandage Work Shop

The Red Cross surgical dressing unit here has received an urgent request from national headquarters to complete all material now on hand in the dressing room located over the city hall before the first of the year, Mrs. Edwin Happ announces.

At the same time she reported that no workers at all showed up last Monday afternoon and only 5 that night. "If we meet this request, we've got to get busy at once and I am asking that every person in Brevard who can possibly spare any time to come and help at the shop," she declared. "We have between 70,000 and 80,000 bandages on hand to be made."

Mrs. Happ stated that there are now around 6 cartons of bandages completed and ready for shipment.

This Tennessee Man Had Good Luck



One of the first bucks killed in the 10th. annual Pisgah National Forest deer and bear hunt was bagged by Cecil H. Kelley, above, of Greenville, Tenn. This was his first deer and he brought it down with one shot. The buck weighed 132 pounds and had 7 points. Mr. Kelley is one of the 1,200 hunters who have participated in the 1943 hunt. He operates a machine shop in Tennessee. (Staff Photo.)

FINAL ROUND IN DEER AND BEAR HUNT UNDERWAY

Due To Dry Weather, A New Record Low In Kills Is Being Made

Final round of the 10th. annual Pisgah National Forest deer and bear hunt starts today and ends Saturday.

Less than 75 deer have been killed and 8 bears have been killed so far during the hunt and if the kills do not show a great increase during the last three days, a new low record will be established.

Last year a total of 191 deer and 16 bears were killed. The exact count Tuesday night of this week was 58 deer and 5 bears. Results of yesterday's hunting were not available in time for publication.

"I'm not much surprised because it is extremely dry in the forest," Ranger G. H. Griswold stated.

Hunters Cautioned

He also cautioned hunters to be most careful. "If any fires break out during the hunt, the hunt will be called off," he asserted. One small fire was reported last Saturday night.

Last Monday proved to be the best hunting day so far this season. A total of 14 deer were bagged in three areas, 11 in the Davidson river section, 2 in Bradley Creek wilderness area and 1 in Big Creek wilderness area.

Tuesday 6 deer and 1 bear were killed. Paul M. Whitmire, of Brevard, bagged a 122-pound, 10-point buck. Monday Tom McKinney, of Brevard, killed a 120-pound deer.

225-Pound Bear

Last Thursday E. R. Lytle, of Hendersonville, killed a 200-pound, 9-point deer and Williams Fields, of Goldsboro, bagged a 225-pound bear. J. W. Warren, of Candler, killed a 104-pound deer

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Strong Protest Made Against Greyhound Leasing Brevard-Hendersonville Bus Lines

Hearing To Be Held Before Utilities Commission On January 13

A strong protest against a proposed leasing of the Brevard-Hendersonville bus line by the Atlantic Greyhound Lines to the City Bus company of Hendersonville is being made by the Brevard chamber of commerce, city and county officials and citizens who use the line regularly.

A hearing before the North Carolina Utilities Commission has been set for January 13 to be held in Hendersonville. A request was made yesterday by the chamber of commerce transportation committee to have the hearing moved to Brevard since a majority of the people interested in the proposed lease live here and in the county.

C. M. Douglas, of the transportation committee, appeared before the commission in Raleigh a few days ago and protested the change of bus service operation. A long complaint has been filed by the transportation committee with the utilities commission and the ICC. Mayor Verne Clement and Carl Al-

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ED McMAHAN IS RE-ELECTED AS SCOUT CHAIRMAN

Frank Kerber Chosen As Vice Chairman. Annual Meeting Is Held

Ed H. McMahan was re-elected chairman of the Transylvania district of the Daniel Boone council of the Boy Scouts at an annual meeting held here last night.

Frank Kerber was elected vice chairman and committees were appointed.

Plans for 1944 include a more extensive camping program, organization of new troops, servicing of old troops, training of leadership, advancement programs and raising sufficient finances to carry on the work.

Rev. W. A. Jenkins will continue to serve as District Commissioner.

A brief review of the year's work showed that Scouting has gone forward.

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County's Flood Control Committee Makes Recommendation About Dams

Transylvania Flood Control committee, in meeting here Tuesday night, adopted a resolution calling upon the Tennessee Valley Authority to check the possibility of headwaters dams on French Broad river tributaries for detention storage space of the several smaller dams against the two proposed large dams below mouth of Cathey Creek on the French Broad and on lower Little River.

Letter to the chairman of the W. N. C. Flood Control committee with headquarters in Asheville, and to the Tennessee Valley Authority at Knoxville set forth that the committee approved of the general idea of flood control, but specifically pointed out that Trans-

sylvania farm lands in the Cathey's Creek and Little River sections would be greatly harmed if the present plans are carried out, and requested engineers from the TVA to present figures on detention storage space of the several smaller dams against the two proposed large dams below mouth of Cathey Creek on the French Broad and on lower Little River.

Letter from the TVA and WNC headquarters requested that the Transylvania committee approve the program with no specific mention of probable dams, but the

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SANTA CLAUS IS COMING TO TOWN



Brevard is one of the first stops on Santa's schedule this side of the North Pole. He will arrive here Saturday and officially open the Christmas shopping season. The Jolly Old Fellow will also distribute candy to the children.

SANTA CLAUS TO VISIT HERE ALL DAY SATURDAY

Brevard Stores Are Filled With Christmas Merchandise And Values

DECORATIONS, PRETTY

The annual Christmas shopping season officially opens in Brevard tomorrow, and Saturday Santa Claus will arrive and spend the day here visiting the stores and giving candy to the children.

In compliance with a request of Postmaster General Walker, Brevard merchants are urging the public to shop early and do their Christmas mailing on or before December 10th, if possible.

The stores here are beautifully decorated and have on display a surprisingly large quantity of Christmas merchandise and gifts. Several customers from Asheville were here shopping this week and one of them declared that Brevard merchants have more to offer than do most of the firms in Asheville.

Streets in the business district will be decorated with evergreens. With the exception of the grocery establishments, practically all of the stores in town will remain open on Thursday afternoons during the month of December, or until Christmas.

Many splendid values in Yuletide merchandise are advertised in this Christmas shopping edition, and every one is urged to take advantage of them.

In order to save gasoline and tires, the public is likewise urged to make this a trade-at-home Christmas.

Straus To Speak On Postwar Planning At Annual Chamber Of Commerce Banquet Tues.

RED CROSS MAN SPOKE AT B & P CLUB HERE TUES.

Orin E. Roberts Briefly Outlined Work Of National Organization

Orin E. Roberts, of Atlanta, general field representative of the American Red Cross for the Western North Carolina area, was the main speaker at the November

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Grocery Stores To Remain Closed Here On Thurs. Afternoon

The grocery stores in Brevard will continue to be closed on Thursday afternoons during December, since they do not feature much Christmas merchandise, it was announced today.

Department and other stores carrying Christmas gifts and merchandise will remain open on Thursday afternoons until Christmas.

No decisions have been reached, but it is probable that most of the stores will remain open at night the last week before Christmas day.

Jones Will Also Speak. Around 200 Persons Expected To Attend

Harry H. Straus, president of the Ecusta Paper corporation and state and district vice chairman of the Committee for Economic Development, will deliver an address on postwar planning at the annual Brevard chamber of commerce banquet to be held next Tuesday night in the dining room at Brevard college.

Edwin L. Jones, prominent Charlotte business man and chairman of the board of trustees of the college, will also speak.

Mr. Straus has been making a number of speeches on postwar planning during recent weeks. Special music will be presented by John Eversman.

Approximately 200 persons will attend the banquet, including specially invited guests representing chambers of commerce in Waynesville, Canton, Sylva, Franklin, Asheville, Marion, Tryon, Hendersonville, Rutherfordton and Forest City.

Ed H. McMahan, president of the Brevard chamber, will serve as toastmaster and Ralph Ramsey and Dr. E. J. Coltrane will introduce the speakers.

The Brevard chamber of commerce has approximately 90 members and all of them are urged to send one or more representative to attend the banquet.

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58 MEN PLACED IN CLASS ONE-A

Large Group Will Be Subject To Early Induction. Others Listed

Fifty-eight Transylvania county men have been placed in 1-A and will be subject to an early call, it was announced by the draft board here today.

Twenty-one were classified in 2-A, 55 in 2-B, and 13 in four other classes.

Those in 1-A are: David Norman, Theodore Merrill, Johnnie Buchanan, Charles Russell, James Hawkins, Artee Norman, Henry Walker, Glenn Shipman, Walter Robison, Richard Chapman, Carter Blythe, Kermit Broom, L. E. Wynn, Gordon Whitmire, Samuel Howell, Marcellus Mills, William Summey, Edward Logan, Jr., Harley Rogers, Robert Nash, Jr., John Driscoll, Tommie Babbs, Charles Hubbard, Gordon Lance, Ernest Gilliam, Turner Allison, Roy Lawing, R. J. Brown, Ernest Giles, Fred Owen, Robert English, James Meece, John Pickelsimer, Walter Hubbard, Willie Owen, Johnnie Crawford, Bill Nelson, Lewis Roberts, Thomas Jackson, Jack Thomas, V. L. Reece, James Brewer, Claud Bailey, W. McK. McNeill, James Brown, Roy Mc-

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Glazener Selected To Represent N. C. At National Meet

Julian A. Glazener has been appointed as one of the three delegates from the North Carolina County Agent's association to attend the National County Agents' meeting in Chicago next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

"Of course, I am delighted over being selected to attend this important three-day conference and I hope to get some fine ideas," Mr. Glazener stated.

The other two who have been chosen are J. I. Wagoner, of Greensboro, and M. A. Morgan, of Smithfield.

This selection is regarded as quite an honor for Mr. Glazener and Transylvania. It is an all-expense-paid trip.

Times Giving Free Tickets To Theatre

Maybe you are the winner of a free ticket to the theatre!

In all of the Christmas advertisements in this edition are names that have been chosen in an impartial numerical manner from The Times' mailing list.

Read all of the ads carefully and if you find your name, bring the advertisement to the Times office and you will receive a free ticket to a theatre here.

All tickets must be called for within the next week and they must be used on or before Christmas.

Be sure to take advantage of the many values offered now by Brevard merchants. Use this edition as your Christmas shopping guide.

Union Thanksgiving Service To Be Held At College Here This Morning

A union Thanksgiving day service will be held this morning at 11:30 o'clock at Brevard college with Rev. A. C. Gibbs, new superintendent of the Asheville district of the Western North Carolina Methodist conference, as principal speaker.

A cordial invitation has been extended for every one to attend the service. Appropriate music will be rendered.

At 10:30 this morning a Holy communion service is to be held at the Episcopal church.

At 3 o'clock this afternoon Brevard college and Brevard high

school football teams will play on the local gridiron field.

This is expected to be a thrilling game and a large crowd of fans will probably witness the Turkey Day classic.

All stores, county and town offices will be closed for the day. Brevard and county schools closed yesterday afternoon until Monday morning for the Thanksgiving holidays.

Grocery stores here reported record sales yesterday for the Thanksgiving dinners. A number of family reunions will probably be held throughout the county.