IS— The Land of Waterfalls, Mecca for Summer Camps, Entrance to Pisgah National Forest and Home of Brevard Music Festival.

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SECTION ONE

COLORED SCHOOL CONTRACT LET

To Broadcast Weekly Concerts

Bid Of High Point Concern Of \$137,000 Was Lowest, Work

MUSIC SCHOOL-CAMP OPENS ITS **FOURTH SEASON**

Pfohl Says Enrollment Is Ahead Of Last Year; Noted Artist On Faculty

COPPER WIRE STRUNG

James Christian Pfohl, director, announced yesterday that there would be weekly broadcasts of concerts from the Transylvania Music School-Camp, which opens for its fourth season today.

Three concerts will be given weekly, with the first scheduled for the evening of July 4 at 7:30. After that there will be concerts on Tuesday evenings at 8:00 o'clock, Friday evenings at 7:30 and Sunday afternoons at 4 o'clock. The first 25 minutes of the Friday night programs will be broadcast over WWNC and WBT with the possibility, the director said, that later other stations in the Columbia network would be added. Mr. Pfohl stressed the fact that no charge whatever it made for these concerts and he urged music lovers generally to attend them.

Mr. Pfohl reported that through the generosity of the local Lions club and the Citizens Telephone company a copper line had been installed from the camp to the Brevard exchange, which will make direct broadcasts possible.

This year 140 students and counselors are attending the camp, which is a material increase over last year, Mr. Pfohl said. They come from eleven states and their qualifications as musicians are su-—Turn To Page Four

POLICE TO HOLD BALL ON FRIDAY

Large Crowd Is Expected To Attend Function At Country Club

A large crowd is expected to attend the Brevard policemen's ball to be held at the country club Friday night beginning at 9:00 o'clock, Chief B. F. Banther reports today.

This is the first event of its kind to be staged here and the chief is pleased with the advance sale of tickets. Music for the affair will be furnished by the Ecusta string band and there will be both round and square dancing.

Many out-of-town guests have been invited to attend the ball and members of the police department plan to make it an annual event

All funds received from the ball will go into a special police department fund to be used for purchasing necessary law enforce--Turn To Page Five

CALENDAR OF **EVENTS**

Thursday, July 26 - Taylor Hall vs. Unit No. 5, at Brevard college diamond, 5:30. B & PW club at country club, 7:00. Masonic Lodge to confer first degree, 8:00, lodge Several Popular Singing Groups To to confer first degree, 8:00, lodge

Friday, June 27-Family fellowship supper, Methodist church, 7:00. Doubleheader softball on high school field, 7:30. Dance recital, high school auditorium, 8:00. Police ball, Country club, 9:00. Mass meeting of Training Union in Baptist

Saturday, June 28-Canton vs. Ecusta baseball nine, 3:30, Ecusta

Sunday, June 29-Attend the church of your choice. Fifth Sunday singing convention, court will be installed so that persons nearly ten years. house, beginning 10:00 a. m. Bea- unable to find seats can hear the con golfers vs. Ecusta, Country program outside. club 1:00. Union service of wel-

Monday, June 30-Jaycee street from North Carolina, South Caro- Higgins, noted for his teachings dance in front of high school, 8:00. lina, Georgia and Tennesse are throughout the country, will at local officers arrested him in the and Yates M. Barber, student at In commenting on fishing in the not necessarily of Brevard. softball on high school field, 7:30. group is the Harmoneers Quartet,

Record Number Of Girl Scouts And Brownies Attend 10-Day Camping Session



A total of 58 Transylvania Girl Scouts and Brownies and a complete staff of counselors attended the 10-day camping session at Camp Deerwoode, near Brevard, which closed last week. These annual outings are sponsored by the Brevard Girl Scout council of which Mrs. R. E. Matthews is the commissioner. Included in the group pictured above are several Brownies from Clemson, S. C. Members of the group, front row, reading from left to right, are: Pat Bryant, Martha Bell Wheeler, Florence Ann Gaines, Margaret Brown, Martha Wood, Eleanor Kelley, Linda Mauldin and Becky Rhyne. Second row: Genie. Paden, Nita Sheldon, Carolyn Thackston, Nancy Sader, Gail Matthews, Ruth Feinson, Myrna Fisher, Betsy Ingham, Kathryn Sands, Nella McIntyre, Helen Shipman and Winifred Miller. Third row: Shirley

Gaither, Carolyn Daniels, Shirley Johnson, Barbara Newman, Nancy Simmons, Martha Massey, Edith Wood, Jeanne Feinson, Bobbie Plummer, Susan Matthews, Patsy Banther and Pat Duckworth. Fourth row: Nancy Dilliard, Verna Wilbanks, Mary Ellen Loftis, Martha Mc-Crary, Alice Howard, Mary Lynn White, Susan Thackston, Janet Jones, Elaine Hill, Molly Siniard, Marion Gravely, Lois Plummer and Mary Jo McCrary, Fifth row: Mary Frances Plummer, Betsy Brittain, Betty Masters, Virginia Osborne, Sandra Timmons, Mary Ann Whitaker, Winifred Rodgers, Carolyn Kimzey, Ethel Tankersley, Annie Lee Bowman and Betty Gettys. Sixth row: Dot Osborne, Harriett Smith, Ann Montanari, Edith Sheldon, Nancy Loftis, Betty Milford, and Ruth Costello, director. (Staff Photo.)

Is Appointed



JOHN D. EVERSMAN, recreational director at the Ecusta Paper corporation, has been appointed as a member of the North Carolina Recreation Advisory committee by Governor R. Gregg Cherry for a term of two years. (See story on page four.)

Dance Recital To

Under the auspices of the Brevard PTA, Brevard and Asheville ing put in. students of the Marguerite Hyatt ning promptly at 8:00 o'clock. -Turn To Page Four

The public is invited to attend

and participate in the class sing-

Town To Start Campaign Next Tuesday To Destroy All Flies; Mayor Asks Citizens To Help

INSTALLING NEW FIXTURES HERE

Inside Of Building Being Completely Remodeled. Lobby Space Doubled

installed. The work, according to adopt it. R. J. Duckworth, the vice-presiin the next three weeks.

same time, Mr. Duckworth ex-Be Given Friday plains. The lobby space will be

School of Dancing will present a on an inclosed directors' confer- canvass will be made and special held at the First Methodist church street and north of Main; Fridayrecital at the Brevard high school ence room on the mezzanine. Wade auditorium on Friday night begin- Manufacturing company, of Charlotte, is installing the fixtures.

The Davis trio, of Gastonia, is

Famous for the gospel songs he

has published is W. Lee Higgins,

also scheduled to appear. The

The fifth Sunday singing con- one of the South's outstanding gos-

ginning at 10:00 a. m., it has been are representatives of Stamps-

announced by Glenn Winchester, Baxter Mustic and Printing com-

Special groups including quar- of Dalton, Ga., who represents

vice president of the association. pany, of Dallas, Texas.

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Places Where Insects Breed To Be Sprayed With Deadly Mixture By Expert

state and county boards of health, the town of Brevard is inaugurating a campaign next Tuesday to exterminate flies in Brevard, Mayor S. E. Varner announced vesterday.

The fly eradication campaign has been highly successful in The interior of Transylvania other towns and counties, the Trust company building here is mayor said, adding that Brevard being completely remodelled and is the first town in Western North new and modern fixtures are being Carolina outside of Buncombe to

In preparation for this camdent, is expected to be completed paign, all citizens are urged by the mayor to clean up their prem-Replacing the five cage type win- ises thoroughly. The town has dows, will be seven low, full-view obtained 100 gallons of DDT conteller booths so a large number centrate which will be mixed with of persons may be served at the xyzlene. An expert from the ma- Union Service To larial control division of the state board working with Walter F. doubled and new decorations, Hart, county sanitarian, will spray modern in every design, are be- all breeding places of flies in both Work is now being completed tions of town. A house-to-house union service of welcome will be all that section west of Broad -Turn To Page Four

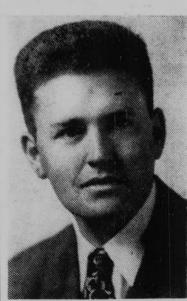
Local Officers Nab **Escaped Convict In**

Leon Mason, escaped convict from the Cherokee state prison Appear On Convention Program Sun. from the Cherokee state prison camp, was captured Monday night here in the Gloucester section by Sheriff Bert Freeman, Patrolman H. M. Morrow and Deputy Bill Baivention will be held here in the pel quartets, which is heard over ley.

Mason, who was sent up from Transylvania in 1944 for stealing an automobile, escaped last July in Cherokee county. Immediately ing. Because of the large crowd members of this trio are all blind section and caused some disturbto nab him at that time. Last come at Methodist church, 8:00. tets, trios, directors and soloists Stamps-Baxter Music school. Mr. a gun on several persons.

After dark Monday the three Tuesday, July 1—Doubleheader expected to attend. Among this tend the singing convention and Gloucester residence without any state college, who is majoring in forest this season, Ranger Huber -Turn To Page Four difficulty, the sheriff reported.

Recently Installed



REV. WALTER P. BALDWIN. JR., above, was recently installed as pastor of the Brevard-Davidson River Presbyterian church here. The Rev. Baldwin is a native of Clinton, S. C., and served as a chaplain during World War II in the South Pacific area.

Be Held Sunday

Under the auspices of the Min--Turn To Page Four

To Be Started In Near Future

MERCHANTS WILL HAVE PICNIC AT PINK BEDS AUG. 14

Directors Decide For Stores To Remain Open Next Thursday Afternoon

August 14 was fixed as the date of the annual picnic of the Brevard Merchants association by the directors at a regular meeting held in the city hall Tuesday evening. The affair will be held at the Pink

Curtis Kelley was named chairman of the committee on food. Harry Sellers and John Ford were appointed to serve with him.

The committee on arrangements consists of C. M. Douglas, Ed Mc-Mahan and J. E. Smith. This group will make arrangements for music and handle the sale of tickets. Charlie Disher was selected to prepare the entertainment. It was decided to dispense with a speak-

The price of tickets was set at to members on the basis of their membership payments and any number may be purchased for December. guests by members.

In view of the fact that the 4th of July comes on Friday this year,

GOOD RESPONSE TO CLEAN-UP DRIVE, **ENDS SATURDAY FISHER ELECTED**

Mayor Urges Co-operation Of All. B & PW Club Sponsoring Campaign

Brevard's clean-up, paint-up can paign is being conducted here this week with good response on the part of businessmen, housewives and property owners, Mayor S. E. Varner states today, and the drive, which is aimed at making the town more attractive to visitors and more healthful for permanent residents will officially end on Saturday.

Practically every civic organization in Brevard is assisting in the campaign with the members of the Business and Professional Women's club taking the lead. House to house, store to store solicitation is being made and all citizens are urged to gather trash, 20, and Henderson and Polk counrefuse and unsightly matter about their residences, business places Transylvania. or vacant property and put it in such places that will be accessible to the town truck to haul away.

The schedule for the town truck the business and residential sec- isterial Association of Brevard, a is as follows: Thursday-Zone 3-Sunday night at 8:00 o'clock, hon- Zone 4-all that section east of oring the Rev. W. P. Baldwin, re- Broad street and north of Main -Turn To Page Five

is vice-commander and Mr. Fisher is the national delegate. The an--Turn To Page Five Jaycees To Crown

"Miss Brevard" In

Beauty Contest Here

A beauty contest to name "Miss Brevard" is being started here by the Brevard Jaycees and the lucky girl will be sent, expenses paid, to the "Miss North Carolina" contest to be held at Wrightsville Beach on August 16, officials of

the organization report today. "Miss Brevard" will be crowned exhibitions of the contestants at the square dances and at the swimming pool are planned for next

To be eligible to compete for the "Miss Brevard" crown, girls must never have been married, must not be less than 18 nor more than 28 years of age, must be white, in good health and of good character and must be a resident of Transylvania county, though

Business firms of the town are -Turn To Page Four

Gloucester Section Stream Survey Being Made In Pisgah, Record Number Of Fishermen In '47

A stream survey, aimed at de- | Dr. Bailey's crew is staying in Ranger W. W. Huber announces.

a major in wildlife management; hatcheries, it is stated. wildlife management.

veloping ways and means to im- the forest and the survey is exprove sport fishing in the Pisgah pected to take several weeks. The National forest, is being made on plan calls for a survey of the Davidson river and other streams, French Broad river watershed club during late July and several first, and of streams to the west The survey crew is headed by later. The same type of data is after his break he is reported to Dr. Joseph Bailey, of Duke uni- being obtained as was gathered in have returned to the Gloucester verity department of zoology, and the surveys of 1941 and 1942. This other members are: Frederick D. will be knowledge of the existing expected, a public address system and have been singing together for ance and local officers were unable Morrison, who recently received biological and physical conditions his master of science degree in which will be the basis for sound Monday he returned again to the wildlife management from State management practices, the ranger upper part of the county; had a college; Frank B. Cross, of Still. reports. Earlier work proved exfight, shot at another man and drew water, Okla., who graduated from tremely valuable in planning dis-Oklahoma A. & M. this year with tribution of fish from the state's

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Building Will Be Similar To One At Pisgah Forest.

PROGRAM LAUNCHED

Outside Of Stone

Contract for the erection of the Rosenwald school was let Thursday night to R. K. Stewart and Son, of High Point, the lower of two bidders, at a joint meeting of the board of commissioners and the county board of education. The High Point firm's bid was \$137,-000, according to Supt. J. B. Jones.

Work on the building is expected to begin within 20 days and the contractors expect to complete it by the first of February. It will be located on the lot adjoining the present property, which will be used as a play ground. Most of the real estate and the stone for the outside have been secured and the building, when completed, will be similar to the white school at Pisgah Forest.

The colored people here have been without a school building since theirs was destroyed by fire 5 years ago. Classes have been conducted in a church.

It was the consensus of officials that this building was the most \$1.00. Free tickets will be issued stringently needed, hence it was placed first on the expansion program approved by the voters last

> The school board announced some weeks ago that, once the program was launched, there would -Turn To Page Four be no let-up in construction until it was completed. The high cost of materials and labor has given officials considerable concern, but after weighing all the factors they decided to undertake the program.

> > **NAT'L DIRECTOR**

Makes Report On State Convention At Carolina Beach. Auxiliary Represented

Ralph R. Fisher, well-known Brevard lawyer, was elected as a national delegate from this district of the American Legion at the state convention held at Carolina Beach last week. Mr. Fisher, the outgoing com-

mander of the Monroe Wilson post of the Legion here, was the official representative at the state meeting from Transylvania and reports that the county is now a member of the 33rd district instead of the 19th as in the past. At the convention the state was divided into 35 districts instead of ties belong in the same group as

Nathan Patla, of Hendersonville, is commander of this district; Isham Henderson, of Tryon,