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## COUNTY TO CELEBRATE JULY 4TH

### Making Plans For Dedicating Legion Building

#### SPECIAL PROGRAM TO BE HELD NEXT SATURDAY NIGHT

State Commander And Other Celebrities To Speak To Award Car

#### WILL STAGE PARADE

Elaborate plans are being made for the formal opening and dedication of the American Legion Memorial building located here on East Jordan street next Saturday night, July 10, Commander Raymond F. Bennett, announces today.

State Commander Ray Galloway, of Wilmington has wired Mr. Bennett that he will attend the important event and will make the dedicatory address. Other special speakers on the program will include Harry H. Straus, president of Ecusta Paper corporation; J. S. Silversteen, head of the Silversteen Industries of Transylvania county; Ed M. Anderson, publisher of five leading weekly newspapers in WNC; Ralph R. Fisher, Brevard attorney; and Mayor S. E. Varner. Commander Bennett will preside over the meeting.

Prior to the dedication at the new building, a parade will be formed on the square with the Ecusta band, rifle squads of both the legion and the VFW posts in the lead. Representatives of all civic organizations in the town and county are being invited to participate in the parade and to attend the dedication as guests of honor.

Following the formal program on the stage of the new Memorial building, a square dance will be held, during which time a new Chevrolet car will be awarded. Commander Bennett announces that contributions are still coming in and he urges all persons to donate to the car fund which will be used to complete the construction.

#### ROSE TO RE-OPEN STORE SATURDAY

Entire Stock Is New; Mrs. Frances K. Millner Resumes As Manager

Rose's 5, 10 and 25c store will re-open here Saturday morning at 9 o'clock according to an announcement by the management.

Rose's stock was completely destroyed in a blaze which swept the Weilt building on Main street here last January. The origin of the fire was never definitely determined.

After salvage operations had been completed, work was started immediately by Fiske-Carter Construction company on reconstructing the building. The new store room is attractively decorated and well-lighted, creating a cheerful atmosphere. The office remains on a balcony in the rear, and the top floor is divided into stock rooms.

Mrs. Frances K. Millner has resumed the management of the store and said yesterday that

#### CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Thursday, July 1—Lions club meets at Bryant House, at 7:00.

Friday, July 2—Kiwanis club meets at Bryant house at 7:00. Commencement exercises for Bible School, First Baptist church, 7:30. Band concert at music camp at 8:00.

Saturday, July 3—Cascade Lake Inn opens.

Sunday, July 4—Attend the church of your choice. Concert by symphony orchestra at music camp at 4:00.

Monday, July 5—Celebration of July Fourth, all offices and stores.

#### Annual Picnic Of Merchants To Be Held August 19; Committees Named To Make Arrangements

#### Speaks Here Friday



JOHN PAUL LUCAS, well-known executive of Duke Power company, will be guest speaker at the Kiwanis meeting here Friday night. Mr. Lucas is in charge of public relations for his company and edits the Duke Power magazine. He has been heard in Brevard on several occasions and has always been well received.

#### CONCERT BAND TO PLAY FRIDAY AT MUSIC CAMP HERE

All Sunday Programs To Be Heard Over Radio Station At Forest City

The Transylvania Music camp concert band, directed by Julian Helms of the faculty, will be heard in the first band concert at the camp Friday night, July 2, at 8:00 o'clock. This is the second concert at the music camp, the symphony orchestra performing in the first last Sunday afternoon.

A large audience attended the first concert, and Director Pfohl urges all persons, in Brevard and the county, to take advantage of these free musical performances.

The symphony orchestra, composed of faculty members and students, and conducted by Mr. Pfohl, will again be heard Sunday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock. The program, as released by Mr. Pfohl is as follows: Overture to "Oberon"; Weber; First Symphony in C Major, Beethoven; Military March from "The Algerian," Suite-Saens; Concert Minuet from the Classic Symphony, Gershefski; Elsa's Procession to the Cathedral from

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#### Cannery Opens Here Next Thursday, Rushing Business Expected In 1948

The Transylvania county cannery, located here at the Brevard high school, will officially open next Thursday, July 8th, and a rushing business is anticipated during the 1948 season, Randal J. Lyday, general supervisor, announces today.

The cannery this year will be managed and operated by John Ruffy and will be open every Tuesday and Thursday of each week, Mr. Lyday reports. When the demand justifies, the cannery will be open additional days each week.

To be operated on the same basis this year as in the past, the community cannery will be open

#### Directors Decide To Defer Further Effort To Secure Night Depository Here

Directors of the Brevard Merchants association at their regular monthly meeting at the city hall Tuesday night decided to hold the annual picnic on Thursday, August 19. The place will be chosen by a committee consisting of C. M. Douglas, chairman, J. A. Gray, J. E. Smith and Charlie Disher. A performance was expressed at the meeting for Camp Sapphire if it could be obtained. If not, the picnic will probably take place at the Pink Beds. President Alex Patterson presided.

This group will also arrange games, amusements, contests and other diversions for the occasion. There will be no speaking.

Harry Sellers was named chairman of the committee on food and he will be assisted by Curtis Kelley, John Ford and Jimmy Gaither.

The ticket committee consists of Crawford Freeman, chairman; Jack Trantham, Jack Matthews and Ralph J. Duckworth.

It was agreed that merchants will receive \$12.00 a year would receive two free tickets and the others four. Tickets will be sold to others at \$1.00 each and a good attendance of merchants, their employees and friends is anticipated.

The secretary read a letter from Russ Poole, chairman of the "Miss Brevard Pageant" of the Jaycees, thanking Brevard Merchants for their cooperation in the project.

"It is always our desire," Mr. Poole said, "to promote Brevard to the fullest extent and through our joint efforts we feel that this goal can be achieved."

There was some discussion by the directors of an effort made

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#### Saturday Was Hot—92 Degrees Recorded

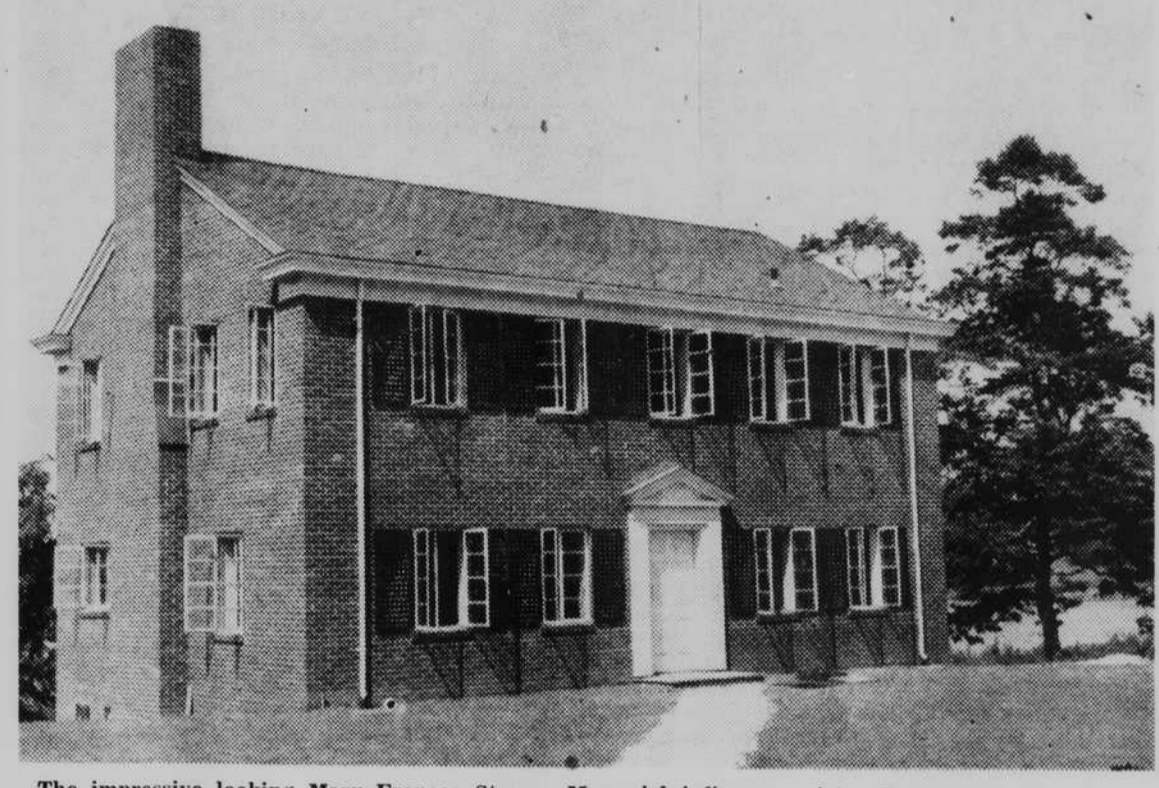
During the past week, Transylvania had its hottest day of the month of June with the mercury climbing up to 92 degrees last Saturday afternoon, T. H. Barker, city clerk and official weatherman, reports today.

The nights remained cool throughout the month with an average in the 50's, and on June 2nd, and 10th, the temperature dropped to 44, he states.

With a number of recent thundershowers during the day and night, rainfall in the county amounted to three and one-half inches in June. Lightning has caused some damage in the town and county, hitting a few dwellings and outhouses, two stoplights, the chimney of the county jail, but no casualties have been reported.

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#### Modern Infirmary Being Completed At Brevard College



The impressive looking Mary Frances Stamey Memorial infirmary, pictured above, is nearing completion on the campus of Brevard college. Dedication of the new building, modern in every design, will be held next Saturday, July 10, at 11:00 o'clock. Costing more than \$30,000, the infirmary is being erected in honor of Miss Mary Frances Stamey, former student at the college here who died in 1946 after service in the air corps.

#### TRANSYLVANIA COUNTY (Official Returns)

PRECINCTS	For Governor	
	Johnson	Scott
Boyd	47	35
Brevard No. 1	162	138
Brevard No. 2	133	84
Brevard No. 3	279	70
Brevard No. 4	116	104
Cathey's Creek	121	88
Cedar Mountain	5	0
Dunn's Rock	47	56
East Fork	28	23
Eaststoe	125	21
Gloucester No. 1	1	10
Gloucester No. 2	20	5
Hogback No. 1	42	32
Hogback No. 2	17	25
Hogback No. 3	5	18
Little River	6	19
Old Toxaway	14	4
Pisgah Forest	113	31
Rosman	91	43
Totals	1372	806

#### 1,100 Members Of Savings And Loan To Receive \$17,000

A semi-annual dividend of over \$17,000 will be paid July 1 to the 1,100 members of the Brevard Federal Savings and Loan association, Jerry Jerome announced today.

Resources of the association now exceed a million dollars and it continues to grow by leaps and bounds. The association pays an annual dividend of 2 1/2 per cent.

#### Cascade Lake Inn Re-Opens For Season

Cascade Lake Inn, popular resort before the war, will reopen for the 1948 season under the management of Mrs. Mary Wooten, of Greensboro, on Saturday, July 3rd.

Completely redecorated, the Inn faces the lake front and room and board may be had by the day or week at very reasonable rates. Mrs. Wooten declares. Visitors at the Inn are permitted to swim, boat and fish and use the other recreational facilities of the lake and grounds.

#### ENTER MILITARY SERVICE

Bryan Pettit, Hilton Reid, Paul Lance and Roy Compton, all of Brevard, and members of the Blue Devil football team at Brevard high school last fall, were inducted into the army air corps last week end and left Monday for San Antonio, Texas, where they will take basic training.

#### Nearing Completion Of New Infirmary At College Here, Dedication Set For July 10

#### SCOTT WINS OVER JOHNSON IN RACE FOR N. C. GOVERNOR

#### Transylvania Democratic Voters Pick Johnson by 1,372 To 806 Vote

While W. Kerr Scott, former commissioner of agriculture, won the Democratic nomination for governor of North Carolina in the run-off primary last Saturday by a majority of more than 30,000 votes, Transylvania and most of the mountain counties gave Charles M. Johnson, state treasurer, a sizeable majority.

The total vote in Transylvania was 2,178 of which Johnson received 1,372, and Mr. Scott 806.

Immediately following his nomination, Mr. Scott and his wife left for an undisclosed destination in Western North Carolina. His recent opponent is also vacationing in the mountains and will speak at the Ecusta Paper corporation picnic at Camp Sapphire next Monday afternoon.

Before nine o'clock last Saturday night, Mr. Johnson conceded his defeat to Mr. Scott and pledged his support of the nominee in the November election. Scott's Republican opponent in the general election will be the 62-year old George M. Pritchard.

#### Building Is Modern Throughout. Is Memorial To Former Student

Construction workers are putting final touches on the new Mary Frances Stamey Memorial infirmary at Brevard college prior to the dedication which is slated for Saturday, July 10th., at 11:00 o'clock. Invitations to the important event were mailed this week to all friends and alumni of the college.

The infirmary, which is situated directly behind West Hall, is a modern brick-fireproof building and has been under construction for several months.

The main address of the dedicatory exercises will be made by Joseph C. Whisnant, of Shelby, prominent attorney and outstanding lay leader of the Methodist church. He is also of law partner of Senator Clyde R. Hoey. Mr. Whisnant will be introduced by Dr. E. J. Coltrane, president of Brevard college.

The devotional will be given by Rev. Robert H. Stamey, pastor of Commonwealth Methodist church of Charlotte, and selected music will be given by Miss Frances Cornwall, accompanied by Miss Mary Ann Stamey.

The ritual of dedication will be performed by Dr. W. A. Stamey, district superintendent of the Gastonia district of the WNC conference of the Methodist church.

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#### Superior Court Jurors Are Named, First Week Of Term Opens July 12

Jurors for the July term of Superior court in Transylvania county are announced this week by N. A. Miller, clerk of court.

The term will open Monday, July 12th, and will last two weeks. Judge George D. Patton, of Macon county, will preside and Clarence O. Ridings, of Forest City, will represent the state.

Called to serve on the first week's jury are the following: James Hawkins, A. L. Potat, Mrs. Joe Poole, Clifford Gillespie, Alfred L. Skinner, Otis Merrill, John D. York, R. K. Fulton, Tom Hargis, Louis M. Meece, Harold Whitmire, Frank McCall, Jr., Boyd B. Meixell, Carl R. Baynard, Reuenna Beddingfield Reid, Lambert Baker,

Vaughn Fisher, V. H. Fricks, Charles Pickelsimer, Jr., Mrs. Nell Wilson, P. C. Debrabant, Van Waldroup, Mrs. Hattie Kitchen, J. C. Barton, Leroy Davis, Lamar Hamilton, Mrs. Jordan Whitmire, Mrs. Ollie E. Capps, Mrs. Dewey Burton, T. B. Lane, Simeon McCall and Calvin Smith.

Jurors chosen for the second week are W. L. Mull, Jerry Jerome, Porter Tinsley, Mrs. J. H. Wolfe, D. McCall, Frank Shuford, Emmett Brown, Tom Whitmire, Julius Owen, Ralph Monaghan, C. A. Tinsley, Lawrence Whitmire, E. H. Carland, Warren Alexander, Ronald Irene Orr, Mrs. Walter P. Fisher, Thomas Ramsey and Charles V. Orr.

#### MANY ACTIVITIES ARE PLANNED FOR MONDAY, JULY 5

Thousands To Attend Ecusta Picnic At Camp Sapphire. Johnson To Speak

#### STORES TO CLOSE

Highlighted by the Ecusta Paper corporation picnic at Camp Sapphire which will be attended by several thousand people, Monday, the Fifth of July, will be celebrated in Transylvania county due to the fact that the Fourth falls on Sunday. Many special athletic attractions have been planned in and around Brevard and the day will be climaxed by a big street dance that night in front of the Brevard high school.

An address by President Harry H. Straus will be featured at the Ecusta picnic at 2:00 o'clock, to be followed by a talk by State Treasurer Charles M. Johnson.

All stores, industries, the band and various town and county offices will be closed on Monday as will the post office. Window service will be offered from 8:30 a. m. until 9:00 a. m. and from 11:00 to 11:30 a. m. There will be no city or rural delivery on July 5th.

With the opening of the summer tourist season, already a large number of visitors from all parts of the nation are filling the inns, hotels, cabins and extra rooms in the town and county, and special activities are being prepared to entertain the tourists as well as the home folks.

According to Ranger W. W. Huber, already throngs of summer visitors are flocking to the Pisgah National Forest, and a record number of sightseers, picknickers, swimmers and fishermen are anticipated in the forest over the week end of the Fourth of July.

The town board of aldermen, which is slated to meet on the first

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#### OVERSEAS AID DRIVE CONTINUED

Federated Women's Clubs Here Making Appeal For Donations

The American Overseas Aid-United Nations Appeal for Children, which is sponsored here by the four Federated Women's clubs, will continue for another week, according to the co-chairmen, and all individuals and business houses who have not been solicited for contributions are urged to do so within the next few days. Transylvania's quota is \$1,556.

This "Crusade for Children" is aimed at stopping starvation and improving living conditions in the war-ravaged countries of Europe, and is a nation-wide drive. Throughout this state members of the State Federation of Women's clubs are handling solicitations. Mrs. Fred Holt, president of the Mathasian club, and Mrs. Lehmann Kapp, president of the Wednesday club, are co-chairmen of the drive. Serving

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#### Bible School At Baptist Church To End Friday Night

The annual Daily Vacation Bible School at the First Baptist church will be brought to a close Friday evening with the commencement exercises at the church. The program will begin at 7:30 o'clock.

The service was originally announced for Sunday night, but since many parents and children are expected to be out of town because of the Fourth of July holiday, the program was moved up to Friday night.

This year's school has been one of the best-attended ever held at the local church. Enrollment has

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