

## OFFICIALS TO MAKE FOREST TOUR

### Large Number Enrolling At Brevard College

#### MORE THAN 400 REGISTERED BY LATE WEDNESDAY

Over Half Of Student Body Comprised Of New Students. Men Dorms Filled

#### BRIEF CLASSES THURS.

With registration still in progress, more than 400 students had matriculated here at Brevard college late Wednesday and a record number of 450 students is expected by Friday when late registration ends. Although the dormitory space has been filled for men, Mrs. E. J. Coltrane, acting registrar, states that there are several available spaces for young women in the dormitories.

Of the total number of students registered thus far, the veteran group is slightly smaller than last year and only about 30% of the men are estimated to be veterans, it was learned.

#### Given Physical Exams

Orientation is still in progress and a testing program will continue through Thursday for all new students. According to the registrar approximately 200 of the total enrolled are attending Brevard college for the first time. These new students will undergo a physical checkup at the new Mary Frances Stamey Memorial infirmary on Thursday.

All former students who had previously attended the college had matriculated by noon Wednesday, and brief classes for them will be held Thursday. The full hour classes will not begin until Friday morning at 8:00 a.m., it was learned.

"The entire administration and instructional staff at Brevard this year will number between 35 and 40 trained men and women," Dr. E. J. Coltrane, president, declared today. Of this number there are several additions to the faculty.

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#### TRANTHAMS PUT ANNEX ON STORE

#### Shoe Department Installed In Space Provided By Extension In Rear

An extension of 25 feet has recently been built on to the rear of Trantham's department store here, giving a total length of 105 feet.

All the space in the extension is occupied by the shoe department, and the stock has been so arranged that customers may select more easily just the footwear they want, according to Jack Trantham, co-owner.

The Tranthams have also installed a new ready-to-wear department, which has been well stocked for the fall and winter trade, he said, and other changes made throughout the store which make it more attractive and facilitate shopping.

Mr. Trantham said the Opening Sale which they started last Friday would continue through this week with price inducements being offered on many lines.

#### CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Thursday, Sept. 16 — Lions club will meet at Bryant house, 7:00. Masonic meeting in hall at 7:30.

Friday, Sept. 17 — Garden club meets with Mrs. Judson McCrary at 3:30. Kiwanis club meets at Bryant house at 7:00. American Legion square dance, 8:30.

Saturday, Sept. 18 — Last day for draft registration of youths 18-26 years of age. Opening football game, Brevard college vs. WCTC "B" on lighted high school field at 8:00.

Sunday, Sept. 19 — Attend the church of your choice. Military funerals for Bill Galloway and Jesse Wilson at 2:00 and 2:30.

Monday, Sept. 20 — American

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#### Financial Support Of Midget Football Teams Here Is Given By President Harry H. Straus

#### Body Is Returned



The body of PVT. ALFRED L. (BILL) GALLOWAY, who was killed in Southern France on December 23, 1944, was returned this week and services will be conducted by the VFW post at Pisgah Forest Baptist church Sunday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock. He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Galloway, and several brothers and sisters.

#### HOLD LAST RITES FOR TWO COUNTY VETS ON SUNDAY

#### Bodies Of Jesse Wilson And Bill Galloway Are Returned From Europe

The bodies of two Transylvania county veterans killed in World War II were returned here this week and full military funerals for both will be held Sunday afternoon, September 19th.

Services for Pvt. Jesse A. Wilson, son of Mrs. Mattie M. Wilson, of Route 1, Pisgah Forest, will be held at Dunn's Creek Baptist church Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Commander Raymond F. Bennett and Rev. W. G. McFarland and members of the Monroe Wilson post of the American Legion will conduct the service assisted by the pastor, Rev. Ernest McCall. The Ecusta quartet will sing.

Flower girls will be Mary Elizabeth McGaha, Marion Wilson, Annie Jean Wilson, Marjorie Wilson, Lula Hogsed and Betty Jean Pressley.

Pvt. Wilson was killed on March 13, 1945, in Germany, where he was serving as a tank driver. He was 21 years old and had been overseas for three months. Pvt. Wilson was inducted at Fort Jackson and received his basic training at Fort Knox.

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#### Famed Play To Be Presented Here In Legion Building On Oct. 7, 14

"Arsenic and Old Lace," famed comedy by Joseph Kesselring, is now being rehearsed here under the direction of William P. Jordan, and will be presented on the evenings of October 7th and 14th in the new American Legion building with proceeds going into the Legion building fund.

This hilarious comedy was first presented in New York in 1941 and since that time has become known as a favorite throughout the United States. The plot is centered around the Brewster family, represented primarily by two elderly sisters, who are played by Mrs. Ashe Macfie and Mrs. Jack Alexander.

#### Equipment To Arrive This Week. Bullock, Newbury And Russell To Coach

Because of his keen interest in athletics for young men, President Harry H. Straus, of the Ecusta Paper corporation, this week informed Raymond F. Bennett, member of the board of directors of the Brevard Athletic and Recreation association, that he would pay for uniforms and equipment for two midget football teams in Brevard. Mr. Straus inclosed a check in the letter to cover the costs and a total of 25 complete uniforms will arrive in the next few days.

Mr. Straus said that he was much impressed with the record of the association and the work that it is doing in the promotion of athletics and recreation here.

"I am especially interested in athletics for young men. I feel they not only develop the boys physically, but also teaches them competition in sports," President Straus commented. "Under proper guidance, I feel they should learn how to accept victory with modesty, and defeat with a smile on their face."

It was also reported that several Leutenants have volunteered their services in organizing a midget team in Brevard and practice is expected to get underway within the next few days. Among the coaches who have agreed to help at the present time are R. C. "Slim" Bullock, former Brevard high school coach, "Hank" Newbury, who has done much to encourage a midget team here, Charlie Russell, former football player at Wake Forest, and others.

According to Mr. Bennett, games with teams from neighboring towns will be played and a schedule for

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#### MUSIC IS THEME OF JAYCEE MEET

#### "Doc" Casterton Makes Talk. Praises Greatest Of Folk Songs

H. T. "Doc" Casterton, of the Recreation department of Ecusta Paper corporation, spoke to the Brevard Jaycees Tuesday night on "Listening to Music." Mr. Casterton was introduced by Charlie Russell, program chairman.

The guest speaker traced the history of music and commented on the various types—symphonic, folk and popular music. He pointed out that here in the mountains we have some of the greatest music in the world in our own folk songs. Mr. Casterton stressed the importance of giving a child musical education even if he did not intend to make music his career.

Prior to the program a business session was presided over by Presi-

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#### Officials Of Bus Companies Attend Opening Of Station Here



Pictured above are officials of Smoky Mountain stages, Queen City Bus lines, Greyhound and passenger agents from neighboring towns who attended the formal opening of Brevard's new bus station last Thursday afternoon. The entire group expressed high praise for the new structure and the more efficient service that it would render to the people of Brevard and Transylvania county. Members in the group shown above are as follows: Joel Wright, president of Smoky Mountain Trailways; Charles Morgan, of Asheville, and the Smoky Mountain company; Henry Morris, of the state utilities commission; Fred Lowery, of Queen City Trailways; J. M. Shotwell, Asheville passenger agent; Wayne Wright, general manager of Smoky Mountain Trailways; E. H. Johnson, Asheville agent; Ashe Macfie, co-lessee of the new station; Sam Baker, Greyhound auditor of Charlotte; Odum Morris, agent of Hendersonville; and Dan Gibson, of Asheville.

(Staff Photo)

#### MORROW IS NAMED VICE COMMANDER OF 33RD. DISTRICT

#### Several Local Legionnaires Attend State Convention In Asheville

Eb Morrow, popular Brevard man and an employee of the Ecusta Paper corporation, was elected vice commander of the 33rd district of the American legion Monday as the annual state convention drew to a close in Asheville.

Commander Raymond F. Bennett, past commander, Ralph Fisher and several other prominent legionnaires of Brevard and Transylvania attended the convention last week end and Monday.

Mr. Morrow, who has held various positions in the Monroe Wilson post here, has taken an extremely active part in veterans work in the town and county and was deserving of the election as vice commander of this district, Mr. Fisher commented.

During World War II, Mr. Morrow served for over three years with the Seabees in both the European theatre of operations and in the South Pacific. He was in the Normandy invasion and others in Europe and in several invasions in the Pacific.

Highlighting the state convention in Asheville was the election of Joe Grier, of Charlotte, as state commander, and an address by Major General Bryant E. Moore, director of the army's public information division.

#### People Invited To Visit Freedom Train

Mayor Clarence E. Morgan, of Asheville, has extended through Mayor S. E. Varner a cordial invitation to the people of Brevard and Transylvania county to visit the Freedom Train in Asheville on Tuesday, October 5. The Asheville mayor explained that the visit of the train to Asheville was for the benefit of all the people of western North Carolina.

The Freedom Train is sponsored by the American Heritage foundation and is a citizens' movement. The whole movement, the Asheville mayor explained, is intended to help raise the level of active citizenship in the country.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Carr, Sr., returned last Thursday after a trip to Virginia Beach, Richmond, Williamsburg, and other historic points in Virginia.

#### To Begin Cottage Prayer Meets Here Next Monday Night, Annual Revival Opens Sunday, Sept. 26

#### BONNELL MAKES TALK AT RECENT ROTARY MEETING

#### Classification Chairman Urges Rotarians To Be Of Service To Community

L. W. Bonnell, owner of the Home Interior shop here, was the principal speaker at the last regular meeting of the Brevard Rotary club in Gaither's cafeteria and told the Rotarians how the international organization is based on classification.

"Ours is the only club in the world whose membership is made up from the various classifications of businesses and professions," he stated.

He explained how the membership was selected and outlined the method by which the local club should grow. Mr. Bonnell is chairman of classification in the Brevard organization and stressed the point that local members should live daily by the Rotary motto: "Service above self; He profits most who serves best."

The speaker was introduced by Gordon Spratt, program chairman. President Ralph Duckworth presided.

#### Important Meetings Will Be Held In Various Homes Throughout Community

Preparatory to the revival which begins Sunday, September 26, cottage prayer meetings among the church membership will begin Monday night, September 20, and will continue through Friday night of that week, it was announced today by Rev. B. W. Thomason, pastor of the First Baptist church.

The Wednesday night prayer service will be held at the church with meetings being held in the homes the other four nights during the week. W. P. Tindall is chairman of the committee in charge of the services, receiving assistance from the following in their respective sections of town: Miss Mary Price, Mrs. Elizabeth Lothery, Julian A. Glazener, Mrs. Karl Bosse, Mrs. N. A. Miller, Mrs. Bert Neal, Mrs. Guy Dean, Melvin Gillespie, Randall Lyday, Marse Grant, and Roy McCall.

On Monday night, meetings will be held in the following homes: Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Crisp, with Carl Allison, leader; Mr. and Mrs. Harlive Runion, Rev. W. A. Price, leader; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Jones, Lewis Hamlin, leader; Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Miller, Mrs. Bart Charles, leader; Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Martin, Mrs. Lamar Sweat, leader; Mr.

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#### WNC Firemen's Association Formed At Brevard Meeting Monday Night

Plans for an association of Western North Carolina firemen materialized here Monday night as representatives of 29 fire departments of towns and industries west of Black Mountain and Tryon met in the Brevard fire department.

The group will be recognized at the next state convention of North Carolina Firemen's association, it was stated.

Officers elected here Monday night were as follows: Chief William B. Cope, of Sylva, president; Chief Dan Merrill, Brevard, vice president; Chief E. M. Salley of Enka, secretary, and Edwin Smath-

ers of Canton, treasurer. The officers will collect data for a constitution and by-laws.

Ralph Ramsey, town and county attorney, gave the address of welcome and Mayor S. E. Varner spoke briefly. Rev. B. W. Thomason, local fire department chaplain, opened the meeting with the invocation. During intermission, the members of the Brevard department served refreshments of sandwiches and soft drinks.

A movie made here in connection with Fire Prevention week, Oct. 3-9, was shown.

The group voted to hold its next meeting in Tryon Oct. 12.

#### LOCAL CHAMBER ASKS MORE FUNDS FOR RECREATION

Effort Being Made To Obtain Parcel Post Delivery In Brevard

#### FOLDER TO BE PRINTED

Congressman Monroe Redden, of the 12th North Carolina district, Congressman Joe Bryson, of Greenville, S. C., forestry officials from Atlanta area office and Washington are expected to go on a tour of Pisgah and Nantahala National forests on September 29-30, it was announced at the meeting of the Chamber of Commerce here Tuesday night.

Inspection of recreation areas, timber culture and other features of the forests will be studied by the group on the two-day tour, and local people are invited to make the trip with the officials and congressmen.

Tentative plans as announced following a meeting of Western North Carolina Associated Communities officers and members of the North Carolina Park commission on Tuesday include staying on Wednesday, Sept. 29 at the Bent Creek entrance to the Pisgah area on the West Asheville road; visit to Bent Creek, North Mills River recreation area, the Pink Beds, where a box luncheon will be served the congressmen and forestry officials by the local chamber of commerce; fish hatchery, Owens Gap-Cathey's Creek areas, and stopover for the night in the Franklin area.

#### To Tour Nantahala

Tour of the Nantahala area will be made on Thursday, Sept. 30th. Local chamber officials are interested in promoting the recreation areas in Pisgah Forest, and have been working for several months in effort to secure an increased appropriation for recreation purposes here.

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#### HAMILTON YOUTH DIED ON MONDAY

#### Funeral Services Held Tuesday At Home Of Mrs. Marshall Kilpatrick

Funeral services for Ira Franklin Hamilton, 21, were held at the home of his grandmother, Mrs. Marshall Kilpatrick, in Brevard, Tuesday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock. Rev. W. G. McFarland conducted and Rev. W. S. Price assisted.

Young Hamilton died Monday morning at the home of his grandmother with whom he had always lived.

He is survived by his grandmother, his father, Ira Hamilton, of Forest City; a brother Charles Hamilton, Brevard; and three half-sisters, Iris, Jerry and Jean, all of Forest City.

Burial followed in Oak Grove cemetery. Pallbearers were Ralph Morris, Homer Morris, Edward Kilpatrick, Robert Kilpatrick, Marshall Loftis and Jim Davis.

Moore funeral home was in charge of burial arrangements.

#### Questionnaires To Be Mailed Out Next Week, Harlee Says

Mrs. Allie B. Harlee, clerk of the Transylvania county draft board, announced today that she would begin mailing questionnaires next week to youths between the ages of 19 and 26. This group, she disclosed, will include only single men who are non-veterans.

Mrs. Harlee further pointed out that although young men who are 18 years old were registered, they will not receive questionnaires until after reaching their 19th birthday. The order of mailing questionnaires will include 25 year olds first, she said.

Registration for young men will end here at 5:00 p. m. Saturday

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