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Coleman Galloway.

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the Brevard post office.

SECTION ONE

WILL BUILD HOUSING UNIT HERE Brevard Firm First To Ask Loan For Phones

MONEY SOUGHT BY CONCERN TO ADD 650 SUBSCRIBERS

Citizens Telephone Co. Is Planning \$250,000 Project **To Reach Into County**

USE DIAL SYSTEM

In order to give telephone service to 650 rural homes in Transylvania county, the Citizens Telephone company, of Brevard, was the first firm in America to apply for a loan under a bill recently enacted by congress.

Last Saturday afternoon it was announced through the press and over the radio that the Brevard concern had asked for \$200,000 to be used in a \$250,000 project for the extension of automatic phone facilities to 650 additional farms in its territory.

It is understood that approval of the loan will take from 45 to 60 days, and when approved, the project is expected to get underway here immediately.

In the expansion program, the manual system here is to be re placed by dial telephones, officials of the local concern state.

The application was filed through William A. Roberts of Roberts and McInnis, attorneys of Washington, and signed by Rhea Doyle, secretary of the company.

President Truman signed the bill authorizing the loan program, to expand rural telephone facilities on October 28.

The measure provided for loans on the same principle now used by the Electrification Administration, which will administer the new law. Congress has already provided \$2,500,000 to start the program

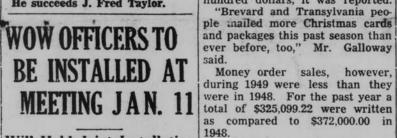
The Brevard concern is an independent company founded in 1921, and incorporated under a North Carolina tranchise in Transylva nia county.



New Commander



manager of Cash and Carry super market here, will be installed as consul commander of the Balsam Camp No. 116, Woodmen of the World, at the next regular meeting on January 11. He succeeds J. Fred Taylor.



Will Hold Joint Installation **Ceremony With Circle** In Hall

BEGINS HERE NEXT WED. AT ABATTOIR

MEAT INSPECTION

Animals Butchered Locally Can Be Sold In Town Of **Brevard** Now

Arrangements have been com-

pleted for the inspection of slaughtered animals here four days each The year 1949, and especially month, beginning Wednesday, Janthe past Christmas holidays, were uary 11th, at Tinsley's abattoir, busy times at the Brevard post of- according to Walter F. Hart, disfice, according to Postmaster T. trict health sanitarian.

An ordinance was recently pass-Total receipts during 1949 ed by the board of aldermen which amounted to \$35,002.17, which was provides for the inspection of a gain of \$1,815.66 over 1948 when meat by Dr. Verne C. Hill, veteri-\$33,186.51 was taken in here at narian.

Mr. Hart points out that no "Unquestionably, we had the meat can be sold in the town of biggest Christmas business in the Brevard that does not bear the history of the local post office," stamp of inspection and the approval of the veterinarian. And figures released by the as-

"Many people have recently sistant postmaster, Vernon Full-bright, bears out Mr. Galloway's asked why this meat ordinance is necessary," the sanitarian said yesterday. He explained that it is Stamp sales during the Decem to protect the people, in order that ber quarter in '49 totalled \$10,- they may be assured of clean, 205.88, which was an increase over healthy meat. The ordinance was the same period of last year by passed at the request of the health department and is based On December 19, 1949, the Bre- on the existing state ordinance.

vard office had the largest day's Mr. Hart asks that all persons business in its history when a total planning to butcher cattle, sheep of \$707.50 was taken in. This was the best day by more than two have them at Tinsley's abattoir or hogs make arrangements to hundred dollars, it was reported. before 10 o'clock on the Wednesday they are to be inspected. ple inailed more Christmas cards A fee of \$1.00 is charged for and packages this past season than

beef that is inspected, and 50 cents for each sheep or hog.

Money order sales, however, during 1949 were less than they BOARD APPROVES SEVERAL ROADS

In addition to Postmaster Gal-loway and Assistant 'Postmaster Commissioners Extend For Fullbright, other members of the 2 Years Present Tax Col-



ANGUS WARD, shown at the left above, U. S. Consul General in Mukden, arrived in San Francisco Tuesday, three weeks and one day after he was released from Red custody. Ten members of Ward's staff and his wife accompanied him. In the photo above, Ward is being greeted by William J. Sebald, a member of General MacArthur's staff, on his arrival at Yokohama en route to the United States. (International Radiophoto.)

In Town Of Brevard, Survey Is

Completed, Valuation Increased plexes and other buildings will comprise four and five units. The Convention Speaker Value Of 211/2 Lots Set At \$18,997.70; Total Figure Is \$3,976,924.00

discovered in the town of Bre- here vard and added to the tax books. T. H. Barker, clerk, announces to ness man in Waynesville and is reday.

the city limits commented. Included in the 601/2 acres were 211/2 lots and the valuation of the discovered property is \$18,997.70. According to the clerk, total valuation of the town of Brevard, including the newly discovered property, is now \$3,976,924.00.

WILL BEGIN WORK ON NEW SAPPHIRE MANOR IN JAN.

Waynesville Man Proposes. To Invest Some Half **Million In Project**

PLANS APPROVED

Plans have been made by Harry L. Liner, of Waynesville, to construct 50 units of housing on a tract located at the southeast intersection of Highway No. 276 and Elm Bend road in the outskirts of Brevard. The outlay is estimated at a half million dollars.

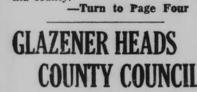
The project will be known as "Sapphire Manor."

The board of aldermen at a meeting held on December 31 received a report from the town planning board that the project met all of the requirements of the zoning ordinance and the planning ordinance of the town. The town fathers, therefore, unanimously passed the plans submitted by Mr. Total Of 60.5 Acres Discovered Liner to the planning board.

Plans for the housing were executed by William G. Liles and Bissett, Carlisle and Wolff, architects, of Columbia, S. C. All of the 16 buildings will be of one-story construction. There will be some dupremises will be attractively landscaped.

The project, it is reported, has already been approved by the FHA and work is expected to begin this month. It is hoped to have some of the buildings ready for occu-A total of 601/2 acres have been pancy by May, according to reports

Mr. Liner is a prominent busiported to be highly optimistic The recent survey was made by over the outlook for the growth of T. E. Loftis, the clerk says. "Mr. Brevard At this time he is en-Loftis made discoveries after a gaged in extensive building operations in Waynesville. Mayor S. E. by T. D. Grimshawe," Mr. Barker Varner, Sr., yesterday expressed -Turn to Page Five



USDA Group Elects Offi-cers; Miss Tinsley Is Vice Chairman

A meeting of the Transylvania Lyday, was named secretary.

The regular meeting of the counmonth in the county farm agent's and C. H. Trowbridge, J. I. Ayers Disher, the adjuant. office at 3:45 o'clock.

The council is composed of ap mitteemen and Rural Electrification association.

The council strives to co-ordin ate the activities of these agencies, and the aim is to give more advice Kiwanis Club To Direct March Of and aid to rural people.



Thursday, Jan. 5 - Lions club ty which will be officially launchmeeting at the Bryant house, 7 ed January 16th, under the chairo'clock. Cotton Bowl game over manship of J. O. Wells. The Kitelevision, Legion clubroom, 8:15. wanis club is sponsoring the polio is being held early in order to get

Friday, Jan. 6 - Rosman-Bre- campaign locally. vard doubleheader basketball, Brevard high school, 1:30 p. m. that the exact amount of this coun-Kiwanis club meets at Bryant ty's goal has not yet been set by House, 7 o'clock. Square dance the National Foun-in Legion building, 8:30. dation. "However."

Saturday, Jan. 7—Music club to he states, "we have meet with Mrs. Eric Neumann, 3 been assured that it o'clock.

Sunday, Jan. 8-Attend church it was in 1949. The of your choice. Episcopal congre- reason for this is gation has annual meeting after the large number church

Monday, Jan. 9-DAR meeting from the 1948 epi-

Newly elected officers of the follows: Jason Huggins and Ger-Woodmen of the World, Balsam ald Sitton, finance section; Lucian Camp No. 116, and also officers of Deavor, Hugh Hollifield and Tom 11, at 8 o'clock in the Woodmen ball over Gaither's Grill. -Turn to Page Five

The outgoing consul commander, J. Fred Taylor, will be in charge of the installation ceremony, and all members are urged to be present.

J. H. "Mutt" Cox succeeds Mr county USDA council was held in Taylor as head of the local WOW the county PMA office this week for 1950, and other officers inand J. A. Glazener was named as clude: C. L. Clark, advisor lieuten- bands are invited to see the New chairman. Miss Lucy Tinsley was ant; Loy Hensley, banker; Melvin elected vice chairman and Randal Gillespie, alternate banker; George tween Rice and Carolina on tele-Newman, escort; Dr. Wilson Lyday, physician; Harold Cox, watchcil is the first Wednesday of each man; John-Pickelsimer, sentry;

and J. A. Burke, auditors. Miss Pearl McCall is the newly

pointed representatives from the elected president of the Woodmen installed. "The game is being tele-State College Extension service, circle, and she succeeds Mrs. Edna the Farmers Home administration, McCrary. Other officials are: vocational and home economics Miss Marjorie Garren, first vice teachers in the county, PMA com- president; Mrs. Alta Williams, sec- Disher says. ond vice president; Mrs. Bessie

Brevard post office staff are as

Cotton Bowl Game On Television at Legion Building

All legionnaires and their wives auxiliary members and their hus-Year's day Cotton Bowl game bevision at the club room of the American Legion building Thursday night, according to Charles

The new TV set of the legion post has now arrived and has been cast over WBTV and we will be able to pick it up nicely here in Brevard on Thursday night," Mr.

Country club Saturday evening,

January 21st. The Brevard Jay-

cees are sponsoring the dance. It

Carol Henry and his Buccaneers to

As has been the practice in pre-vious years, folders with spaces

for 20 dimes will be mailed to per-

sons in the town and county. The

chairman asks full co-operation in

The game will be put on the -Turn to Page Four | eir at 8:15 o'clock, it is reported.

Dimes Drive Here, Opens Jan. 16th

Plans are nearing completion | drive is the annual President's

for the 12th annual March of ball, to be held at the Brevard

lecting Arrangement

Members of the county board of commissioners at a regular meetthe Woodmen circle will be in- Galloway, general delivery and ing held Tuesday approved a numstalled at the next regular meet- stamp window; Clarence Bowen, ber of roads for incorporation into ing on Wednesday night, January outgoing mail section; Max Ash- the state highway system. These roads are:

From Country Club road at C. W. Ramey's house to the residence of Lynch Moore, approximately 300 feet in Brevard township.

First road to right of Israel's store branching from the Pickens highway, leading past homes of

Victor Sigmon, Mrs. Orpha Moore, Dan Snipes, Monroe Halloway, Jim Summey and others, located in Eastatoe township.

Road from Highway 64 in southdirection near Walter erly Blythe's leading to home of Frank Broom, 2200 feet known as the Ebb Barton road, in Cathey's Creek township.

Road from residence of Tom Osteen on the Tinsley road to top of hill at Preacher Elliott's residence, 600 feet in Brevard township, known as the Farmer's Hill road

Road from Silversteen road af W. B. Kilpatrick's residence to the residence of W. L. Jones, about .7 mile in Gloucester township. Road leading from H. G. Rogers place on Breedlove road to residence of Jess Breedlove, about one mile in Hogback township.

Frank King, tax collector, re ported to the board that he had -Turn to Page Five

Larry Allen Miller Is First Baby Born In County In 1950

Larry Allen Miller, an eight pound, two ounce son born to Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hayes Miller, of Lake Toxaway, was the first baby born in Transylvania coun-ty in 1950 and thus is the winner of The Times' Baby Derby. "Mr. 1950" was born at the Lyday clinic on Caldwell street at 11:02 a. m. Sunday morning, January 1. The attending phy-sician was Dr. C. L. Newland, since Dr. Lyday was out of town Sunday.

Among the prizes which will -Turn to Page Four

Patrolmen Complete Checking Stocks Of Gasoline At Stations

Patrolmen H. M. Morrow and Earl Hatcher have completed the arduous job of checking the gasoline stocks of every service station in Transylvania county.

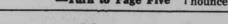
LOCAL DELEGATION The work was necessary to give **TO ATTEND ANNUAL** basis for helping to compute the receipts the county will give on the new one cent tax on gasoline, SCOUT CONVENTION

it is reported. The one-cent-per-gallon tax is Daniel Boone Council Will being levied to help pay for the state's \$200,000,000 rural road building program.

STOCKHOLDERS TO MEET The annual meeting of the

stockholders of the Brevard feders from the Transylvania district eral Savings and Loan association

ers convention, to be held at the 18, at 2 o'clock, Jerry Jerome, the Central Methodist church in Ashe- secretary and treasurer, an--Turn to Page Five nounces today.



DR. STANLEY A. HARRIS,

former national officer of Boy

Scouts of America, will be the

principal speaker at the twenty-

ninth annual Scouters conven-

tion at the Central Methodist

church in Asheville next Mon-

Meet On Monday After-

noon And Evening

A large number of adult lead-

day.



will attend the 29th annual Scout- will be held Wednesday, January

By STAFF WRITER

the presentation here in English January 14th, at the Brevard high school auditorium.

Robert C. Bird, director, when sung in English to be understood Taylor is familiar to North Caro- various buildings of the com tuming and lighting.

In order that local people will According to advance sale of know something about the seven tickets to the comic opera, "School persons who comprise the cast of For Lovers," local people are the opera, a short biographical showing a great deal of interest in sketch of each is supplied. Heads Voice Dept.

Peggy Taylor, who plays Leo-nora, a lady of Naples, is head of this high record of attendance,"

the voice department at Peace col- the chief said. informed of the interest, said he lege, Raleigh. She is a graduate There are 21 firemen in the was not at all surprised. "Why of Guilford college and of the Cin-Brevard department, and the anyone who enjoys hillbilly music cinnati Conservatory, where she will feel equally at home during also acquired her master's degree only designed to acquaint the our show." He explained that by as a pupil of Bianca Saroya, wellthe catchy rhythm of the arias, known singer and teacher. Miss equipment, but also to study the



Only Four Arrests Made. No Serious Accidents Reported Here

The New Year's week end in Brevard and Transylvania county was quietly observed and no serlous accidents were reported.

Brevard officers state that only four persons were arrested over the holiday, and the sheriff says that things were equally as quiet. out in the county.

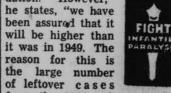
Highlighting the observance. was the dance at the country club Saturday night which was attended by more than 200 people. A large number of Elks and their wives attended the buffet supper at the lodge on East Main street that night. There were also several private parties and celebrations.

New Year's day, though a holiday in most towns and cities in North Carolina, was a working day for Brevard business houses, with many of the store owners and personnel taking annual inventory. The town and county offices, however, were closed Monday.

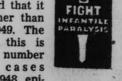
Brevard Firemen Have Attendance Record Of 97.75%

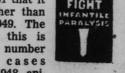
Attendance of the Brevard volunteer firemen at the regular weekly training session each Monday night during 1949 was 97.75 per cent, according to Chief Dan Merrill.

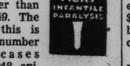
weekly training sessions are' not members with latest fire-fighting by all, plus the beauty of the cos-tuming and lighting. Ina audiences through many ra-tuming and lighting.



Dimes drive in Transylvania coun-







Mr. Wells points out this week play for the affair.

placed in all business establishat home of Mrs. Howard Schmidt, demic plus the new ones in 1949." ments in the county -Turn to Page Five One the highlights of the polio venience of patrons. ments in the county for the con-

the hasty return of the coin fold-"If everybody sends us the ers. \$2.00 in dimes, our amount will boosted considerably," the chairman said. Coin collectors will also be