

SEWER IMPROVEMENTS ORDERED

Corn Club's First Annual Banquet Attracts 200

LOCAL BANKER AWARDS TROPHY TO F. NICHOLSON

Club Average Yield For 4 Years Is 109 Bushels; Cost 18.5 Cents

COLLINS SPEAKS

Permanent possession of the county corn trophy was awarded to Freeman Nicholson at the first annual banquet of the 100-Bushel Corn club, which was held in the lunchroom at the Brevard graded school on Tuesday evening.

Mr. Glazener presided at the function, which was attended by about 200 people from all sections of the county. Included among the guests were officers and directors of the Brevard Merchants association, who each year since the club was organized has entertained the whole membership or a delegation at their annual banquets.

After the invocation had been pronounced by Rev. C. B. Rogers, pastor of the Pisgah Forest Baptist church, Mr. Glazener presented Dr. E. R. Collins, in charge of agronomy extension at State college, who made the principal address.

500 Acres Withdrawn

Dr. Collins said the main objective in boosting corn yields by the

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ETCHING COURSE IS SLATED HERE

Outstanding Instructor Will Be In Charge; Set For February 27, 28

A two-day course in aluminum etching will be given at the Hobby and Sport shop in Brevard on February 27th and 28th from 9:30 a. m. until noon, with Mrs. Edith Barker, of Louisville, Ky., instructing the class in this work.

For persons unable to attend the morning classes, another class will be held on Monday night at 7:30 o'clock.

The course is open to anyone desiring to learn metal work, and a fee of \$2.85 will be charged to cover the cost of materials used.

Arrangements for this course have been worked out with Mrs. Barker by the management of the Hobby and Sport shop, Miss Anne Benson Priest, home demonstration agent, and Mrs. Ashe Macfie. Anyone desiring additional information concerning the course may contact one of these people.

Mrs. Barker, it is pointed out, —Turn to Page Four

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

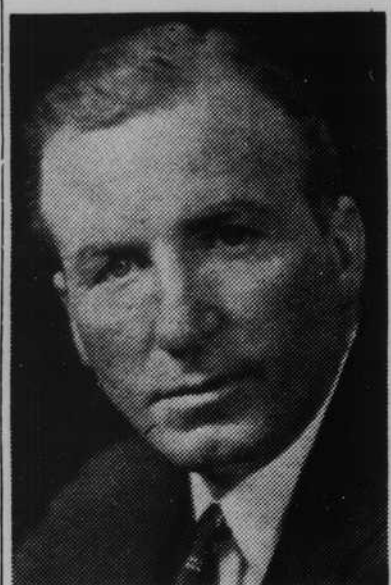
Thursday, Feb. 16—Bloodmobile returns to Legion building, 12:30 to 4:30 p. m. Lions club meets at Bryant house at 6:45. Masonic building committee meets at Masonic hall, 8 o'clock.

Friday, Feb. 17—Garden club meets with Mrs. Samuel Bullock, 3:30 o'clock. Kiwanis meeting at Bryant house, 7 o'clock. Community council meeting at courthouse at 7:30. Square dance in American Legion building, 8:30.

Saturday, Feb. 18—Legion so —Turn to Page Four

Chamber Sets Banquet Next Month To Discuss And Ready Plans For Development Here

Named Vice President



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Ecusta Director Has Had Distinguished Business Career; Native Of N. C.

John Wesley Hanes, former under secretary of the treasury and widely known New York finance executive, has been elected a vice president and director of Olin Industries, Inc., and appointed to the executive committee of that corporation, it was announced yesterday by John M. Olin, president of Olin Industries, at East Alton, Ill.

Among other positions of financial responsibility, Mr. Hanes is a director of Ecusta Paper corporation of Pisgah Forest, where a new plant will soon be constructed for the manufacture of cellophane under license from E. I. du Pont de Nemours and company.

It was announced recently that the entrance of Olin Industries into the cellophane industry will be expedited by the use of Ecusta's plant site and surplus facilities for water treating, steam and power, as well as the highly intelligent personnel with experience necessary for the intricate processes in the manufacture of cellophane.

In addition to his responsibilities as director of Ecusta Paper corporation, Mr. Hanes has been director and chairman of the executive and finance committee of —Turn to Page Four

Directors Feel Current Year Crucial One Requesting United Action

Realizing the importance of a unified effort for the progressive development of the community by all business men, industrialists and leaders of Brevard and Transylvania county, the directors of the Brevard chamber of commerce are planning a banquet around the first of March to which all interested persons will be invited.

In order to keep pace with the industrial expansion in the county, the directors of the chamber of commerce feel that a number of worthwhile projects need to be launched immediately. This banquet will be for that purpose, and the needs for a growing community will be fully explained and discussed.

In order to carry out their important projects during the ensuing year, which promises to be a crucial one in the development of the community, the board of directors is said to feel that energetic action and cooperation and support of all citizens will be required.

To make arrangements for this banquet, a committee on arrangements was appointed by President John Anderson and consists of: Jerry Jerome, chairman; Curtis Kelley, J. M. Gaines and Don Jenkins. The ticket committee, in addition to the president, will consist of Lloyd Burhans, Charlie Russell and Frank G. Carr.

The president stated at the meeting that the commerce directors had been busy during the past week discussing plans for flood control with TVA officials. Lewis Hamlin, the county chairman, said that the mass meeting at the courthouse recently was a success and that disapproval of the present TVA plans was vehemently expressed. —Turn to Page Five

INTEREST NOTED IN DEMO CONTESTS

Party To Make Nominations In May To Fill Five Vacancies

With the Democratic primary of May 27 just a little more than three months away, interest in local county contests is beginning to develop.

Offices to be filled in the county this year are representative, clerk of court, sheriff, coroner and two senators, who will be chosen from other counties than Transylvania.

So far, there is only one avowed candidate, Eck L. Sims, who is offering for sheriff to succeed Bert Freeman. The latter said yesterday that he did not care to reveal his intentions at this time. —Turn to Page Five

Mathatiasian Club Sponsoring Music Contest For Brevard School Students

All Brevard children of school age are eligible to enter a music contest that is being sponsored here the latter part of April by the Mathatiasian club. The exact dates for the piano contest will be announced later.

The requirements for the entrants are that they perform their selections entirely from memory, and that music of their selections be furnished the judges.

Mrs. E. B. Matheson, who is the contest chairman, states that impartial judges will be selected and they will be instructed to make their choice on interpretation, technique and poise.

Students participating in the contest will be required to play two numbers, and the one specified by the committee is "Gavotte in G Major" from the Fifth French Suite by Bach. The other selection may be chosen by the entrant and the only qualification is that it be written by an American composer.

Two tickets to the Brevard Music festival will be awarded as prizes to young musicians of superior rating.

All young people desiring to enter the contest should notify the chairman by April 1.

Many Transylvania Boy Scouts Advance At Court Of Honor



Pictured above is the large group of Transylvania Boy Scouts who were advanced and received merit badges at the court of honor at the First Baptist church last Friday night. This event highlighted the successful observance of Boy Scout week in the town and county. Reading from left to right, front row, the boys are: Glenn Melton, John Edward Cox, Arthur Lindley, Bill Tinsley, Jim Kinzey, Jimmy Gaither, Bobby Lee Cox; second row: Morris Morrow, Ed Garrett, Gene Tinsley, Tommy Cabe, Mose Macfie, Gayle Ramsey; third row: Bob Pruitt, Earl Arnette, Buddy Rhodes, Larry Turner, Beryl Cline, William Sitton, Strather Tinsley and Richard Fuller. See story on front page, second section. (Times Staff Photo.)

THREE NAMES ARE RECOMMENDED TO ELECTION BOARD

Two Democrats To Be Chosen From Group; Wilson Makes Statement

The executive committee of the Democratic party in Transylvania unanimously endorsed the names of three persons for appointment to the county election board. From the recommendation of the local committee, the state board of elections will name two after Mar. 2 to serve with the Republican member on the Transylvania county board.

The three Democrats recommended were: M. W. Galloway, Fred Johnson and Mrs. Joe Osborne, of Rosman. Ulysses Reeves is the incumbent Republican member on the board.

Chairman W. A. Wilson presided at the meeting and good attendance of the 19 precinct chairmen of the county was reported.

Mr. Wilson this week calls attention to the fact that the Democratic primary is set for May 27.

"As party chairman I will not take any active part for or against any one candidate in the primary, and I'm sure a number of good men will offer to fill the various vacancies," he said.

Urge Filing Of State Income Tax Returns For 1949

Single persons receiving income in excess of \$1,000 and a married man whose income was \$2,000 or more, will be required to file a state income tax return for 1949, and Transylvanians can get assistance in reporting at the branch office in Asheville.

On Friday, February 24, representatives of the state revenue department will be at the Brevard courthouse for the purpose of assisting persons in preparing their returns for the past year. There is, of course, no charge for this service.

Every employer who paid a single person or married woman \$1,000 or more during 1949, or a married man living with his wife on December 31, 1949, \$2,000 or more, is required to report to the state revenue department the amount paid to each employee, giving the name and address of the employee.

Failure to file income tax re —Turn to Page Four

Boy Scout Week Successfully Observed Here, Annual Adult Membership Drive Underway

BLOODMOBILE OF RED CROSS WILL RETURN THURS.

Unit Will Be At Legion Building During Afternoon Hours

A final call is made today for donors of blood to the American Red Cross Bloodmobile which returns to Brevard Thursday afternoon between the hours of 12:30 and 4:30 o'clock.

The unit will be at the American Legion building and Charlie F. Himes, chairman of donor recruitment, urges all persons who possibly can to come and give a pint of needed blood.

Hospital authorities here point out the extreme need of blood from the Red Cross center in Asheville and state that the drain on the present supply has been exceptionally great during the past few weeks.

"Due to the time limit, we will not send out appointment cards, so come any time you like," Mr. Himes declares.

Local doctors will be in attendance at the Bloodmobile, and are —Turn to Page Five

Quota Is Set At \$1,750; Chairman Asks For Big Enrollment

The successful observance of Boy Scout week in Brevard and Transylvania county was climaxed with a large number of Scouts from various troops operating the municipal affairs and with one of the best courts of honor at the Baptist church. A special church service at St. Philip's church was also a highlight feature of the week.

The adult membership drive is the district finance chairman, renew underway, and Curtis Kelley, reports that a number of the Scout leaders are this week canvassing the town and county.

"It's hard to predict the success of the campaign, but we feel that the quota of \$1,750 will be reached," Mr. Kelley said yesterday. Individuals who are missed by the canvassers are urged to mail their membership to the finance chairman.

Only one drive is made each year by the Scout council for adult members, and the money raised at this time finances the Scouting activities during the entire year.

"We are looking forward to the most important year's work in the history of Scouting in Transylvania county," E. B. Garrett, the dis —Turn to Page Five

Shiflet Named To Head Red Cross Here In 1950, Other Officers Are Chosen

H. Bryan Shiflet was elected chairman of the Transylvania chapter of the American Red Cross at the annual meeting held over the city hall here last week. He succeeds Lewis Hamlin, who presided at the meeting and praised the work of the various committee chairmen.

Mr. Shiflet is an active civic leader of the community, and is a partner in the Clemson and Co-Ed theatres here. He is also a director of the Brevard chamber of commerce, and of the Brevard Kiwanis club, serving that organization as chairman of boys and girls work.

Verne P. Clement, former mayor and state senator was named vice president, and Mrs. O. H. Orr, who has been active in Red Cross work and women's activities here, was re-elected second vice president. Alex H. Kizer was re-elected treasurer, and C. M. Douglas was re-elected home service secretary.

Jerry Jerome was named finance chairman, and Charlie Himes was selected to continue as procurement chairman for the blood bank program. Mrs. Orr will again head the veterans' hospital committee; Mrs. Mary Jane McCrary —Turn to Page Five

STATE BOARD OF HEALTH DIRECTS PROMPT ACTION

Ordinances Being Prepared Calling For Sewerage, Water Bond Election

REVENUES INCREASE

The state board of health has ordered the town of Brevard to proceed forthwith "to construct and put into operation an adequate system of sanitary sewerage and the necessary sewerage treatment plants." This action followed the recommendations of J. C. McKimmon, state health department engineer, who made an investigation here several weeks ago.

Following this order from the state board of health, the town attorney and bond attorneys, Mitchell and Pershing, of New York, are drafting ordinances to submit to the board of aldermen calling for a bond election of approximately one-half million dollars for improvement and expansion in the sewerage systems here.

The statutes had already authorized the issuance of bonds for the improvement of the water system, but an order from the state board of health was necessary before a sewerage improvement issue could be submitted.

With the population of Brevard rapidly increasing and industry and business expanding, the aldermen point out that the bond issue for the improvement of the water and sewerage systems is a must and that it can be financed without increasing the tax rate.

It is explained that on the first of this year the outstanding indebtedness of the town was \$288,000, a decrease since May 18, 1933, of \$501,255. Valuation for the year 1936-'36 was \$1,055,524, as compared with a valuation of \$4,000,000 at the present time. Water revenues have increased from \$14,213.42 in 1940 to \$32,007.64 last —Turn to Page Four

DROWNING OCCURS AT LAKE CASCADE

Body Of Dwight Talley Is Recovered After Search Monday Night

The body of Dwight Talley, 28, who was drowned in Cascade lake late Monday afternoon, was taken to Waihalla, S. C., Wednesday for final rites and burial will be in the Boone Creek cemetery near Salem, S. C. Rev. Earl Hamilton will officiate and he will be assisted by Rev. George Halcombe.

A Transylvania farmer, young Talley was fishing from a small boat with Leland Thomas and Dwight Moffitt when the boat was reported to have capsized some 20 to 30 feet from a pier. Thomas and Moffitt managed to reach the shore safely.

The mishap occurred shortly before dark Monday afternoon and Sheriff Bert Freeman, who with Patrolman H. M. Morrow, was the first to reach the scene. A search for the body started around 7:30 o'clock. The lake is closed at this season of the year and —Turn to Page Five

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Local Post Office, Bank To Close On Wed'day, Feb. 22

The Brevard post office, Transylvania Trust company, and all town and county offices will be closed next Wednesday, February 22nd, in observance of Washington's birthday, which is a national holiday.

The windows at the post office will be open only from 8 to 8:30 a. m. and from 11 to 11:30 a. m., and there will be no rural or city delivery on this day.

The city hall will be closed, as well as all county offices in the courthouse. The AAA office will also be closed.