

# HAPPY NEW YEAR 1951

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# QUIET NEW YEAR PLANNED HERE

## Tax Listing Will Begin In County On Tuesday

### BOOKS TO REMAIN WITH THE LISTERS UNTIL JAN. 13TH

All Property In County Must Be Listed Next Month; Law Is Cited

#### PENALTY FOR NEGLECT

Tax listing will begin in Transylvania county on Tuesday, January 2, in the eight townships and the books will remain there until January 13, according to George Justus, tax supervisor.

After the 13th, the books will be in the courthouse here, where property may be listed during the rest of January.

The eight townships and their listers, as released by Mr. Justus yesterday are:

Brevard, Mrs. Gill Thomas and Miss Avarae Glazener; Boyd, L. F. Lyday; Cathey's Creek, Leander Gillespie; Dunn's Rock, G. W. Maxwell; Eastatoe, Mrs. Beulah Hanson; Gloucester, Allen McCall; Hogback, Cecil Fisher; Little River, Mrs. Celia S. Boyd.

The law requires all property, real and personal, shall be listed in accordance with ownership and value. Business and industries are required to file copies of their inventories. Any business concern that wishes an extension, Mr. Justus said, would have to apply in writing and obtain consent from the board of commissioners before he could grant it. He pointed out that inventories must conform to state returns.

Mr. Justus called attention to the

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### TIMES CARRIES BABSON OUTLOOK

Publisher Urges All Readers To Carefully Examine Feature Article

The Transylvania Times is this week publishing Roger W. Babson's "Business and Financial Outlook for 1951," which can be found on the front page of the second section.

"At this particular time we feel that Mr. Babson's predictions will be of utmost interest to all our readers," Publisher Ed M. Anderson said yesterday.

Over the years, the famed economist has had a remarkable record.

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Mr. Babson

### Marines In Korea Are Remembered



CHRISTMAS PACKAGES FROM HOME are handed to the Seventh Marines, whose drawn faces show the strain of fighting to escape a Red Chinese trap in northeast Korea. Best present for the tired Leathernecks was their safe arrival at Hungnam's evacuation beaches. (International)

### WILL PAY \$20,000 TO STOCKHOLDERS OF SAVINGS, LOAN

Resources Of Association Now At More Than One Three-Quarter Million

Semi-annual dividend checks totalling approximately \$20,000 will be mailed the first of next week to the stockholders of the Brevard Federal Savings and Loan association, it was learned today from Jerry Jerome, the secretary and treasurer.

This brings the association's total dividend payments for the year 1950 to \$39,000, Mr. Jerome states. Interest is figured at the rate of two and one-half per cent annually.

Resources of the company are over a million and three-quarter dollars, according to Mr. Jerome.

He announces that the annual meeting of the stockholders will be held on Wednesday, January 17th.

Mr. Jerome announced that all accounts in the association are now insured up to \$10,000, this being double the protection previously provided.

In addition to Mr. Jerome, the

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### LOCAL CONCERN TO SHOW MOVIE

"Waves Of Green" Tells Story Of Century Of Progress In Farming

"Waves of Green," a great technical motion picture that vividly tells the story of how 100 years of teamwork with science and education have brought American agriculture to its place in the sun, will be shown on January 9 at 7:30 p. m. in the Brevard high school auditorium.

The picture was produced by Dearborn Motors and was brought to Brevard by Brittain Tractor company, local agents. Admission will be free and a capacity audience is expected to attend.

Willis Brittain said yesterday that every person actively engaged in agriculture should see this film. Among other things it shows how a rust-resistant strain of wheat was developed, how long-range planning conserved Missouri soil, how the soybean was brought to this country from China and developed into the country's fifth largest money crop.

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### Final Plea Made In TB Seal Drive, Goal Is \$150 Short

A final plea is made today for all persons who have not sent in their contributions for Christmas TB seals to do so immediately.

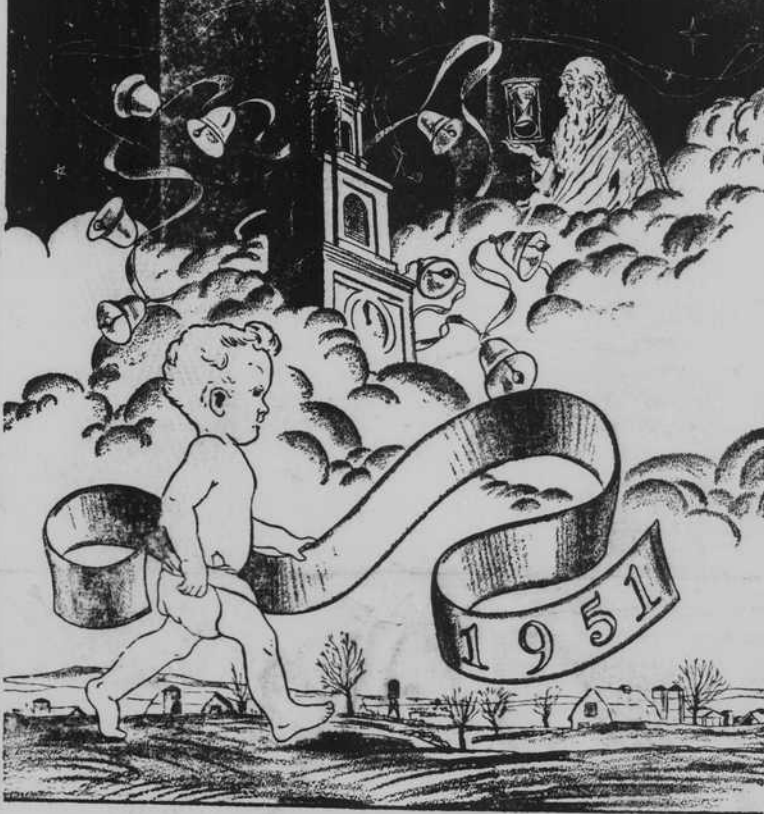
According to Dorothy Johnson, secretary of the local TB association, only about one-third of the letters that were mailed out have been heard from.

Returns to date total \$550, some \$150 short of the goal of \$700.

"We would greatly appreciate any and all contributions, and we want to assure everybody that their money will be well spent, and most of it will be expended right here at home in the treatment and in the prevention of tuberculosis," Miss Johnson declared.

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### RING IN THE NEW!



Happy New Year To All Our Readers!

### Christmas Quietly Observed In Transylvania, Only One Accident Reported, Three Fires

### BOARD RECEIVES SCHOOL BIDS ON FRIDAY MORNING

The county board of education has given notice that it will receive sealed bids for the construction of new school buildings at North Brevard and Lake Toxaway.

Plans for the buildings were drawn by Six Associates, Inc., architects and engineers of Asheville, Supt. J. B. Jones reports.

Bids may be submitted on either or both buildings and separate bids must be submitted as follows: general contract, plumbing, heating and electric wiring.

The bids will be opened at 10

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### WPNF Program Highlights Prizes Offered Over WPNF To First '51 Baby, Broadcast Singing Convention

WPNF is conducting its first Baby Derby this week, and with the cooperation of 10 local merchants, the first born, boy or girl, in Transylvania county in 1951 will receive attractive and valuable prizes.

Several announcements are being made daily concerning this important event, and a special program is scheduled for Monday afternoon, January 1, 1951, at 4:45 o'clock, providing the lucky baby

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### STORES WILL BE CLOSED MONDAY, ALSO BANK, P. O.

Churches Scheduling Special Services; Much Interest In "Bowl" Games

#### ACTIVITIES AT CLUB

Following an extremely quiet Christmas, Transylvanians are looking forward to and planning for a similar observance as the old year goes out Sunday night and the New Year comes in on Monday.

The stores in Brevard will be closed on Monday, along with the town and county offices, the bank and post office. Many persons are planning to attend special church services, and much interest is being expressed in the "bowl" games on the radio on Monday.

A dinner with appropriate music will be featured at the Brevard Country club on Sunday evening and dancing will begin at midnight. Scores of smaller parties are also being planned in the community by individuals and groups.

There will be no rural or city delivery on Monday and windows at the local post office will observe the holiday schedule and will be open from 10:30 until 11 o'clock.

Many Brevard merchants are this week running New Year greetings in The Times, and Published Ed M. Anderson urges all readers to read them with interest.

Several Brevard churches, as well as those out in the county,

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### COUNTY SCHOOLS OPEN WEDNESDAY

College To Resume Classes On Friday After Observing Holidays

All Transylvania schools will reopen following the Christmas holidays on Wednesday, January 3, Supt. J. B. Jones said yesterday.

Brevard college students will return from their homes on Thursday and classes will resume the following morning.

The public school vacation began December 20, and college students left for the Christmas holidays on December 14.

Repair work has been carried on in the schools during the holidays and remodeling of Dunham Hall is expected to begin in the near future.

President George B. Ehlhardt is spending the Christmas holidays with his people in St. Louis, Mo.,

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### Singing Convention To Elect Officers Sunday Afternoon

Election of officers will be held Sunday afternoon when the fifth Sunday singing convention convenes in the courthouse here in Brevard, Gertha Shipman, the president, announces.

The singing will get underway at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon and a large number of outstanding singers and quartets from this and adjoining areas are expected to participate in the convention.

Part of the program will be broadcast over WPNF beginning at 4 o'clock, the president states.

### CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Thursday, Dec. 28—Rotary club meets at Coffee shop at 7 o'clock. Masons will install new officers at Masonic hall at 8 p. m. Business women's circle meets tonight at 8 o'clock.

Friday, Dec. 29—Bids on new schools to be opened by board of education at 10 o'clock.

Sunday, Dec. 31—Attend church of your choice. Several special church services planned in evening and for midnight. Fifth Sunday

### Construction Of Cellophane Plant Is Top Story Of 1950 In Transylvania

The announcement from the Ecusta Paper corporation early in 1950 that DuPont would erect the \$20,000,000 cellophane plant at Pisgah Forest is considered by The Times staff as the most important story of the year.

Construction on this gigantic project is well underway at this time and the plant is expected to be in operation some time in 1951.

In addition to picking the 10 top stories in Transylvania during the past year, the most significant news, as summarized in headlines,

### FIRST BABY BORN IN COUNTY TO GET VALUABLE GIFTS

Local Merchants Offering Awards In Baby Derby To Parents And Infant

A number of valuable gifts are awaiting the first white baby born in Transylvania county in 1951 and reported to The Times by midnight of January 2nd.

These gifts are being offered by a number of Brevard merchants who are participating in an annual baby derby. All prizes must be called for within 30 days after

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### Yule Business Hits Peak In Brevard, Survey Shows Some Stores Have 30 Percent Gain

Better Spirit Of "Trade At Home" Reported; Prices Headed Upward

A survey conducted by The Times revealed that Christmas business here this year was the best ever experienced. This was attributed by several merchants, in part, to the fact that shopping began earlier.

The manager of one large food store here said his business would run a third ahead of last year. The manager of a department store reported a gain of around 30 per cent for the season and other merchants who gave no figures said that their gain was considerable.

One store owner said he would like to be quoted as saying that there was a better spirit of "trade

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