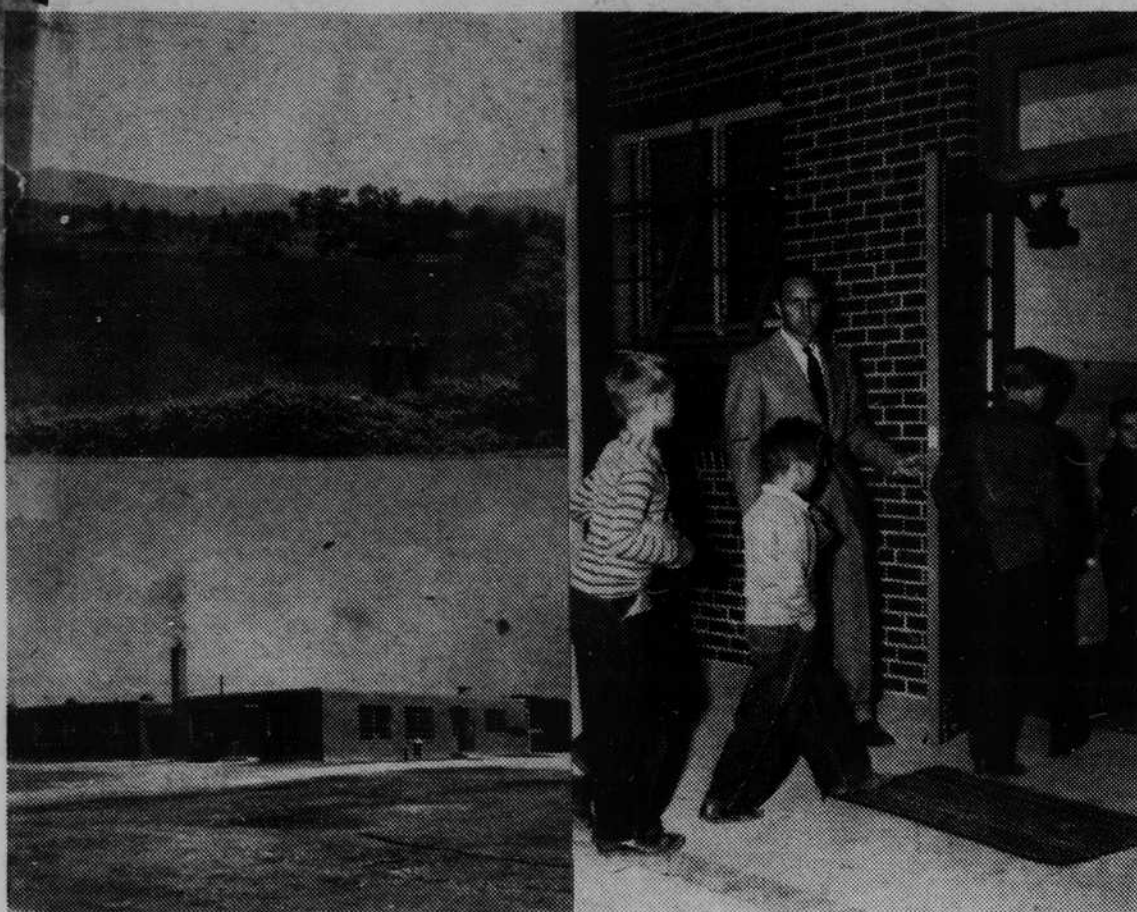


New Harry H. Straus School Answering Need In North Brevard



With an attendance of some 292 students, the new and modern elementary school in North Brevard is serving to relieve much congestion in the Transylvania school system. Boys and girls from the Cedar Mountain, Conestee, Selica and the immediate North Brevard area are enrolled as the school opened its doors for the first time last month. The top left photo was made two years ago with Harry Sellers, then chairman of the board, and Superintendent J. B. Jones inspecting the site. The modern structure, on which construction is rapidly nearing completion, is pictured below. Principal Alfred Shuford is shown at the right opening the door as students enter for morning classes. (Times Staff Photos)

Hospital Addition Gets State Approval, Total Of \$77,360 Must Be Raised Here

LITTLE THEATRE IS NOW OFFERING NEW MEMBERSHIPS

Tickets Good For Three
Plays And One 1952 Lake
Summit Production

The sale of season memberships in the Brevard Little Theatre, which admit the holder to the three productions this winter and a play at Lake Summit in the summer of 1952, got underway this week with active members making contacts.

Mrs. Ray Winchester and Mrs. Erwin Schranz, who are heading the student sales, report that all students who sell five or more tickets will receive a season membership without charge.

Mrs. Charles Glazener, who is the membership chairman, points out this week that the membership not only includes the three Brevard plays but one next summer, when a pass is sent from the Vagabond Players in recognition of support locally.

Rehearsals are now underway for the first play, a melodrama, which will be presented November 13 and 14. All season tickets should be sold before that time.

A new feature this year is the solicitation of patrons and sponsors to aid in the work of the Little Theatre. The sponsors must contribute from \$10 to \$50 and patrons are recognized if they contribute \$50 or more. Checks may be sent to Mrs. Glazener or to Howard Schmidt, treasurer.

Transylvania Is Nearing Goal In Freedom Crusade

The Crusade for Freedom drive in Transylvania county has been extended through Saturday, October 20, and Chairman John Anderson today makes a final plea for contributions.

According to treasurer, Dr. Frank McGuire, Transylvania has raised \$454.85 through Wednesday noon, and several pledges are yet to come in.

The county's pledged quota was \$500, while the actual amount raised by the state was only \$157.20. "Our people have again cooperated splendidly, and we certainly want to go over the \$500 mark," the chairman stated yesterday in thanking all who have contributed.

Miss Teague Crowned Queen In Contest



MISS JOAN TEAGUE, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Millard Teague, of Brevard, is pictured above being crowned queen in the contest sponsored by the Order of the Eastern Star. MRS. ETHEL HAWKINS, worthy matron, is doing the crowning honors, and she presented Miss Teague with a \$50 check for winning first place. MISS BETTY WHITMIRE, right, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Whitmire, was runner-up in the contest, and she received a \$25 check. (Times Staff Photo)

Miss Joan Teague Wins OES Popularity Contest, Event Ends At Minstrel Show Saturday

HEALTH OFFICER MAKES STATEMENT ON POSTURE WEEK

Tips On Daily Living Given
By Dr. Corey, Is 13th
Observance

How you habitually open a window, lift a bag of groceries, sit at work or stand in the bus can have an important affect on your health and energy as well as your looks, Dr. J. Hicks Corey, local health officer, pointed out today as he announced that Transylvania is joining with hundreds of other communities across the country in the 13th annual observance of National Posture week.

The event climaxes the year-round programs of the Samuel Higby Camp Institute for Better Posture, New York City, founded by the late S. H. Camp, philanthropist of Jackson, Michigan. Schools, colleges, Y's, health and maternity centers and other groups interested in public health education participate and reach millions of children and adults.

"Despite our astonishing array of labor saving appliances, ranging from the washing machine to the automobile, most people keep complaining about 'that tired feeling,'" Dr. Corey said. "One important

Miss Betty Whitmire Is Run- ner-up. Officials Express Appreciation

Miss Joan Teague, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Millard Teague, was crowned queen of the popularity contest Saturday night at the Brevard high school.

The contest has been held for the past three weeks in Transylvania under the sponsorship of the Order of the Eastern Star.

Miss Betty Whitmire, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Whitmire, was runner-up. Miss Teague was awarded a check for \$50 and Miss Whitmire received \$25.

There were 20 contestants in the contest and each was awarded a prize by Mrs. Ethel Hawkins, the worthy matron, and Ralph Parrish, the worthy patron.

The officials of the organization expressed sincere appreciation to the girls for participating in the contest. They also thanked the members of the minstrel show, which preceded the presentation ceremonies, and all other persons aiding in the success of the event.

Proceeds derived from the contest and the minstrel will go to equip the kitchen of the new Masonic Temple on East Main street.

Miss Bessie Ann Allison, of Furman university, of Greenville, spent the week end at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Madison Allison.

WPNF Program Highlights

Much Interest Being Shown In New Program, "So You Wanna Be A D-J"

Much interest is being shown in the new "So You Wanna Be A Disc Jockey" program, which is heard Monday through Friday from 4:00 to 4:30 over WPNF. The program features local high school and college students and other residents of Transylvania. Boys and girls wishing to participate on the program are requested to write to "So You Wanna Be A Disc Jockey," WPNF, Brevard.

On Thursday, October 18, George White, a Brevard high school student, will be heard. On Friday, October 19, Worth Wilkerson from

the college will be on. Monday, October 22, the schedule calls for Mrs. Lewis Surrette, of route 2, Brevard. On Tuesday, Lowrey "Buck" Ferguson, from the college will be heard, while Glenn Melton, of the local high school, will be heard Wednesday.

A play-by-play description of the football game between the University of North Carolina and the University of Maryland will be broadcast over WPNF Saturday afternoon beginning at 1:45 o'clock. These broadcasts originate

WILL BE CALLED HARRY H. STRAUS MEMORIAL WING

Number Of Rooms Will Be
Increased From 25 To 40.
More Private Ones

\$15,000 IN FUND

The Medical Care commission of North Carolina has tentatively approved construction of a \$200,000 addition to the Transylvania Community hospital subject to the availability of local funds and priority approval.

Of the \$200,000 Transylvania county would be expected to raise 36.2 per cent or \$72,400. In addition to this amount it would be necessary for the hospital trustees to provide \$4,960, as a guarantee against any possible operating deficiency incurred in the first two years of operating with additional beds. The total amount which must be guaranteed locally in order to receive the money from the Medical Care commission is \$77,360.

There is now approximately \$15,000 in a fund for this addition, which will be called the Harry H. Straus Memorial Wing. The fund was started in January, 1944, on the occasion of Mr. Straus' 60th birthday when Robert M. Hanas, Walter V. Landeck, Walter M. Schwarz and T. Nelson Word contributed \$1,500 as a unique birthday gift.

Ralph H. Ramsey, chairman of the hospital board of trustees, stated yesterday that an official campaign would be made in the immediate future to secure these necessary funds.

Chairman Ramsey pointed out that in order for Transylvania to get the appropriations from the Medical Care commission local funds must be raised before December 14, 1951. He pointed out that the new addition will increase the beds at the hospital from 25 to 40 and will give the local institution needed private rooms.

SCHEDULE IS SET FOR BOOKMOBILE

Changes Made In Stops Since
Vehicle Is Rented To
Henderson

The Transylvania county Bookmobile has had to alter its schedule of 26 stops due to the fact that it has been rented to Henderson county for the first two weeks in the month, according to Mrs. Lehmann Kapp, county librarian.

These stops made on the third and fourth Tuesdays and Thursdays have been in effect since the Bookmobile was rented to the neighboring county, but Mrs. Kapp says she fears many of the rural people are not familiar with it.

A recent article in another newspaper indicated that the Bookmobile had been purchased by Henderson county, and she hastened to explain it was rented on a trial basis, with the neighboring library having the privilege of buying an interest in it. The Bookmobile was bought by Transylvania county three years ago. It is now being

Experience Of The Transylvania Times Staff Is 167 Years

The Transylvania Times staff has a total of 167 years of experience, Publisher Ed M. Anderson reports.

At a staff meeting this week, the publisher expressed his appreciation to The Times employees for their continued good work and pointed out that the paper was again entered in the North Carolina State Press association contest.

Brevard's prize-winning newspaper has won more state awards than any other weekly in North Carolina. The Times has also been voted the second best weekly in the United States in a National Editorial association contest.

"Let's continue to give Brevard the best modern day newspaper possible," Publisher Anderson concluded.

Banquet For Firemen Arranged For Thursday

The annual banquet honoring local firemen will be held tonight (Thursday) at 7:00 o'clock at the college cafeteria.

Sponsored by Brevard Rotarians, Lions and Kiwanians, the function will be attended by some 340 persons and the principal speaker will be Charlie Burkett, chief of the Salisbury fire department.

Mr. Burkett is an accomplished speaker and is president of the North Carolina Fire Chiefs' association. Mr. Burkett addressed a similar gathering here four years ago.

The Rotarians are in charge of the banquet this year and R. O. (Pete) Doyle, president, will preside. George T. Perkins will act as master of ceremonies. A program of music is being arranged.

Rev. B. W. Thomason, chaplain, will give the invocation. After the meal has been completed, Mr. Doyle will greet the firemen. At this point, the master of ceremonies will take charge.

Jimmy Gaither is in charge of food and decorations, Mr. Doyle said.

Times Publisher, Editor, Attending NEA Convention

Publisher Ed M. Anderson and Editor John Anderson are this week end attending the annual fall meeting and advisory council session of the National Editorial Association in Chicago, Ill. They will return to Brevard on Sunday night.

Publisher Anderson, who is legislative chairman of the NEA, will speak to the convention on legislative matters on Friday afternoon. The meetings are being held at the Congress hotel, and editors and publishers from every state in the nation are expected to attend.

CALENDAR OF COMING EVENTS

Thursday, Oct. 18 — WSCS at Methodist church meets, 3:30. Joint banquet for firemen, college cafeteria, 7 p. m. Book Tea at Presbyterian church, 7:30 to 9 p. m. Music festival board meets at Mrs. Eric Rawls', 8 p. m.
Friday, Oct. 19 — Garden club meets with Mrs. L. P. Hamlin, 3:30. Brevard vs. Tryon, high school field, 7:30. Square dance at American Legion building, 9 p. m.
Sunday, Oct. 21 — Attend the church of your choice.
Monday, Oct. 22 — Selectees leave bus station at 8 a. m.
Tuesday, Oct. 23 — Jaycees meet at Coffee Shop, 7 p. m. Jaycees' card party at college cafeteria, 8 p. m. Elks meeting at lodge, 8 p. m.
Wednesday, Oct. 24 — WOW meet in hall at 8 p. m.

HOLD HOMECOMING HERE AT COLLEGE

Annual Event Is Planned For
October 27. Invitations
In Mail

Invitations to attend the annual homecoming observance on October 27 at Brevard college have been sent out to all alumni of Rutherford, Weaver and Brevard, which compose the Greater Brevard College Alumni association.

The alumni bulletin sent out by Lois Frazier, secretary-treasurer of the association, indicates that a full program has been planned for the entire day and evening. Registration from 10 a. m. until noon will be followed by informal gatherings and a buffet luncheon in the cafeteria from 12:30 until 1:30.

The annual business meeting when officers of the association will be named will take place at 2 o'clock in the redecorated auditorium of Dunham Hall. This will be followed by open house in all of the classrooms of the administration building, recently refurbished after fires last year.

Athletic exhibits are slated during the afternoon on the field and in the gymnasium. This will replace the annual football classic, since Brevard has suspended intercollegiate competition this year.

The college glee club will entertain at a concert in the auditorium from 4:45 until 5:30 o'clock. This will be followed by informal dinners and a dance in the James Addison Jones library from 8 until 11 p. m.

In urging all of the alumni to be present on this occasion the secretary, in her invitation, states: "Note that our homecoming announcement this year addresses the association unofficially as the

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NEW BUILDING HOUSES PUPILS AT N. BREVARD

Delays Caused By Priorities
And Scarcity Of Materials
Overcome

By FRANCES WALKER

Students at the Harry H. Straus school in North Brevard, totaling 292 boys and girls and increasing every day, are happily housed at last in their new building after a series of set-backs caused by priorities and scarcity of materials expected during these uncertain times.

Albert Shuford, genial principal, explained to The Times reporter that radiators for heating and the water lines were only completed last Thursday, several weeks after the students were moved in. It was feared up until the last minute that radiators would be delayed. The school water supply before lines were completed came from a large tank which had to be filled each evening and operated during the day with a compressor pump.

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Santa Is Coming

Merchants Select Pontiac As Grand Prize In Holiday Trading Festival

Final plans for the big Holiday Trade festival, to begin here on November 1, are being made, and local business men chose a Pontiac eight on Monday night by a secret vote as the grand prize of the event. Ending date is set for Saturday, December 22.

Dr. E. O. Roland, president of the chamber of commerce, presided over the meeting Monday night, and different phases of the trade festival were discussed.

Stores in Brevard, Rosman and Pisgah Forest, are cooperating in the festival, which is being held in order that outstanding values might be offered by the merchants.

Carl Bryson, chairman of the prizes committee, submitted a list

of tentative prizes to be awarded to shoppers each week during the festival.

Crawford Freeman, general chairman of the festival, reported that local firms which were eligible are willingly joining in the festival, the primary object of which is to encourage trading in Brevard and to stimulate Christmas business.

Any firm which has not been contacted and wishing to join in the event is asked to contact Ernest Kelley at Brevard Jewelers.

Local Legionnaires Attend Convention

Three members of the Monroe Wilson post, No. 88, of the American Legion here, are this week attending the national convention of the legion in Miami Beach, Fla.

Representing the Brevard post are Ralph R. Fisher, past commander of division five; Weldon Misenheimer, first vice commander of the Monroe Wilson post; and Bill Baughn, adjutant.

The group left on Saturday and will return to Brevard this coming Saturday.

General Douglas MacArthur was the principal speaker at the legion yesterday, and some 300,000 persons jammed the sidewalks to see the gigantic parade. Earle Cocke, Jr., the national commander, is presiding over the convention, said to be the largest ever held by the national organization.

Formal Organizational Ceremonies Of Lutheran Church Slated On Sunday

Ceremonies for the formal organization of the Lutheran Church of the Good Shepherd in Brevard as a congregation of the United Evangelical Lutheran synod of North Carolina of the United Lutheran church in America, will take place on this Sunday, October 21st, at the 11 o'clock service, it is announced by the pastor, Rev. David F. Cooper.

Dr. F. L. Conrad, president of the North Carolina Lutheran synod, will preach the sermon and officiate in the organization ceremony.

The program for the day will begin at 10 o'clock with the adult Sunday school lesson being taught by Harold Krauss, president of the North Carolina Lutheran Men's Brotherhood, of Winston-Salem.

At an impressive service at the 11 o'clock hour more than 50 adults will be received as charter members of the new congregation by adult baptism, letter of transfer, profession of faith, and confirmation, the pastor states. Around 18 children will be received into baptized membership of the con-

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