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New Brick Dormitory For Women Occupied At College



The new dormitory for women constructed by the J. A. Jones company on the campus at Brevard college will be on display at open house Sunday afternoon, 4 to 6 o'clock. The modern brick residence is shown above. It consists of the West wing at the left and the main section and lobby at the right. In the future another wing corresponding to this one will be added. The new dormitory and furnishings cost some \$125,000, although the value is exceedingly higher due to many contributions from friends. The structure is modern in every respect and furnishes every convenience to 120 girls, and faculty counselors. (Times Staff Photo)

Chamber Of Commerce Office To Open Friday, Good Season Is Expected Here

The Brevard chamber of commerce office on the court house lawn officially opens for continuous service on Friday morning of this week, it was announced at the director's meeting here Tuesday night. Mrs. John Ford, the executive secretary, will be in charge of the office.

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First work of the information bureau will be the mailing of over
2,000 folders to selected inquiry
lasts provided by the WNC Highlanders, along with copy of the
new Transylvania county accommodations list which has been worked
up by the severtary and the tourist
committee of the chamber.

Membership requests are also be-

which included Buncombe and the tourist somer for the old 10th district, Membership requests are also being mailed to a list that has been prepared by special committee of directors, and President S. E. Varner, Jr., suggested at the meeting that any and all persons interested in the growth of the section would be welcomed as official members of the organization.

The directors adopted the budget for the year '53, which authorizes the expenditure of \$3,800.00. The directors adopted the drive for membership is underway and he urges prompt payment of dues. He pointed out that much work is being done continually by the —Turn to Fage Five

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Taylor And Batson Lease Esso Station

R. G. Taylor and Carroll Batson have leased the Esso station on East Main street and are now op-erating the business. They an-nounce that they will carry a com-plete stock of Esso products and render prompt car maintenance service.

CALENDAR OF

Much Publicity Material Being Sent Out. Budget Of \$3,800 Is Adopted District, Buchanan Commissioner

Many Write-In Ballots Are Cast. Candidates On Ballot Chosen

Action was lively Tuesday at Rosman in the general election, which was slated to be a matter of formality.

The primary election was held last week, and high men were listed on the ballot this week. However, several candidates who were not listed on the ballot received write-in votes.

Harlow Mason, who won out in the primary over R. K. Pewell, was elected on Tuesday, with former mayor, A. M. White receiving 61 write-in votes. The new mayor polled 126 ballots, while his opponent in the primary was given seven in the primary was given seven

Harry E. Buchanan, of Hendersonville, has been named commissioner of the newly-formed 14th highway division, which comprises the counties of Cherokee, Clay, Graham, Haywood, Henderson, Jackson, Macon, Polk, Swain and Transylvania.

His appointment was revealed this week, when plans were disclosed by Governor Unstead for redistricting the state into 14 parts. None of the old commissioners was reappointed. L. Dale Thrash, of Asheville, is the retiring commissioner for the old 10th district, which included Buncombe and the counties west of Asheville.

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The Transylvania district of

The Transylvania district of Boy Scouts of America is holding "Bob Loftis" day on Thursday. A former outstanding student at Brevard high school and a high ranking Boy Scout, Young Lottis is being honored by fellow scout leaders, members of the various troops, scouts and hundreds of other friends on Thursday.

All Scouts and Cubs in the county will wear their uniforms

Many Activities Will Highlight

Bob Loftis Day This Thursday

To Hold Open House At New Dormitory For Women On Brevard College Campus

Girls Relax In New Dormitory

Relaxation amid the pleasant surroundings of the rooms in the new dormitory for women at Brevard college seems to be very enjoy-able judging from the expression on the faces of the three co-eds above. Shown in one of the rooms are NANCY SETZER, Newton, on the bed; JUNE CRAFT, Winston-Salem, center; and ELLEN TOR-

Presbyterian Men And Women

Stage First Annual Minstrel

COSTS ARE SAID OVER \$125,000. **TOUR REPORTED**

Equipment Is Also Most Mod-ern On Market Today. Many Unique Features

Want to live among the most beautiful surroundings in Brevard? Then enroll as a co-ed at the local college.

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A tour of the new dormitory at Drevard college reveals that little has been spared to make the residence for girls one of the most beautiful and modern to be found anywhere.

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Constructed by the J. A. Jones company at a cost of some \$125,000, the new dormitory is valued at a great deal more because of the donations of the Jones family and other friends. The structure, which is composed of the main section and West wing, will now house 120 girls. Approaching the modern brick dormitory, one notes the beautiful glass front of the lobby, with the wing coming into it at an angle. This is a "looking ahead" feature, and when enrollment at the college warrants it, an East wing identical to the new one will be constructed. Room

Overlooking the formal gardens on one side, the mountains and the college farm on the other, the lobby —Turn To Page Four

TEACHERS WILL RECEIVE BONUS

General Assembly Authoriz ed 10% Increase Retroac-tive To Last July

Transylvania school personnel will receive a total of \$34,044 in bonuses, Supt. J. B. Jones announces today.

These bonuses will be paid to the 119 teachers, and employees, 25 bus drivers and 15 janitors.

The 1953 General Assembly authorized a 10 per cent pay increase, retroactive to July, 1952, for all school teachers and state employees.

employees.

It is also announced that the board of education will meet on Friday night, May 15, at 8:00 o'clock for the purpose of election of a county superintendent.

NOW WORKING ON FOLK FESTIVAL

Jaycees Would Like For Proceeds To Go For Soft-ball Diamond

Brevard Jaycees are busy with plans for the 1953 Sylvan Valley Folk Festival, Dr. Frank McGuire, the newly elected president, an-

Event Slated Saturday Night At School. Jack Richards Is Directing

The first annual minstrel in black

The first annual minstrel in black and white being staged by the men and women of the Brevard-David-son River Presbyterian church so River Presbyterian church so River Presbyterian church so River Presbyterian church on Saturday night. The show will be held in the Brevard high school auditorium, beginnig at 8.15 o'clock. Proceeds will be used for youth activities, and admission will be 75 cents for adults and 35 cents for children. Reserved seats are on sale at Jones news stand at \$1.00.

the newly elected president, an nounces At a recent board of directors meeting it was decided that proceeds from the festival this year would be used to benefit the largest number of people. The result of much discussion was the decision to at least initiate a move to create on the Brevard high school athletic field a first class softball diamond. In addition to the playing field, the Jaycees would like to see appropriate stands to accommodate a large number of people crected. By the summer of '54, it is hoped that a workable plan can be devised to give Brevard some outstanding softball games both day and night. Plans of the Jaycees also call for making the setting attractive enough to get one or more south eastern softball tournaments. "This would add much to the summer entertainment program here as well as giving Brevard on more outlet for publicity," Jaycees well as giving Brevard on more outlet for publicity," Jaycees "Firek" In Country Club Is Will Make Visit. May 22. Here All Day May 27. The American Red Cross Blood mobile will be in Transylvania on the cocasions this month. According to Transylvania on the coreasion of the lading roles in the Cleveland chairm of the blood program, the Cross Blood mobile will be in Transylvania on the cocasions this month. According to Transylvania on the core should read mother transplant of the proposition of the summer of the stone of the summer of the summer of the stone of the summer of t

Now Underway, Improvements Made

An intensive drive to sell stock in the newly organized Brevard Country Club, Inc., has been launched, and according to Jack Alexander, the chairman, early response is good.

Four captains to head the four districts, which are divided off by Main and Broad streets, have been named, the chairman states, and they are as follows:

District tone, with the court house shome base, Bob Arnold.
District two, down Main abroad streets from the Waltermire hotel, L. C. Poor.
District three, the section west of Broad and southwest of East Main, Ned Medford.

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PRESIDENT PROUD OF BUILDING, IS 1ST UCA PROJECT

Public Is Invited To Inspect Structure From 4-6 Sun-day Afternoon

KICK-OFF CEREMONY

Construction on the beautiful new dormitory for women at Brevard college has been completed and the girls have moved into the building, President Robert H. Stamey announces.

The modern structure will observe open house on Sunday afternoon from 4:00 to 6:00 o'clock, and all friends of the institution are invited to inspect the new dorm. This is the first building project of the United College Appeal program, which has as its goal the raising of two and one-half million dollars for construction of new buildings on four college campuses in North Carolina.

In addition to Brevard, these Methodist institutions are High Point, Greensboro and Louisburg. President Stamey said yesterday that he is extremely proud of the new building here, and he cordially invites the public to open house on Sunday.

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Simultaneously with the event will be an art exhibit in the James Addison Jones library by the Brevard art club, and another by the art students of the college in the stude in Dunham hall.

Holding of the open house on Sunday will be the curtain raiser for the 1953 commencement at Brevard college, which will include in the three-day program the regular graduation exercises, the inauguration of the new president and the centennial celebration of the instinance of the instinance of the contennial celebration of the instinance of the collebration of the collebration of the instinance of the

BLOODMOBILE WILL RETURN TO COUNTY

Winners Announced In Poppy Contest

Winners in the poppy poster
contest, sponsored in the local
schools by the American Legion
auxiliary of the Monroe Wilson
post, No. 88, are announced today by Mrs. Roy Head, the poppy chairman.
Glenn Peevy, fourth grade student, was the winner in group
one, which consisted of students
in the 4th, 5th and 6th grades.
It honerable mention went to Carol
Dianne Head.
Lyndon Baker won out in
group two, made up of 7th, 8th
and Stradeded went to
the two winners, and the prize—Turn to Page Four

WPNF Program Highlights **COMING EVENTS**

Thursday, May 14 — Shrine club meets at Masonic temple, 6 p. m. Kids square dance, NYA hut, 7:30 p. m. Wildlife club meets over city hall at 7:30 Masons meeting in the Masonic temple, 8 p. m. Woodmen circle in WOW hall at 8 p. m. "The Curious Savage" at Brevard college, 3 p. m.

Defense Secretary To Be Heard On Friday Night, Log Is Highlighted

p. m. Wildlife club moets over city hall at 7:20 Masons meeting in the Masonic temple, 8 p. m. Woodmen circle in WoW hall at 8 p. m. "The Curious Savage" at Brevard college, 8 p. m. Friday, May 15 — Chamber of Mrs. Arthur McCrary, 33 p. m. Mr. Wilson's broadcast will origing a miner to be held in the Mrs. Arthur McCrary, 33 p. m. Mrs. Wilson's broadcast will origing a miner to be held in the Stater Hotel, Washington, D. C. again at college, 8 p. m. Attend the Surface Monday, May 18 — Rotary club—Monday, May 18 — Rotary club—Monday,

on Thursday, and a special chapel program at 1:30 at Brevard high school will begin the activities of the day. Harry Sellers, Jr., will be in charge.

Then at 7:00 o'clock that evening the Bob Loftis parade forms at the high school and then proceeds to the First Methodist church for the special court of honor exercises. The court is being held in honor of Young Loftis and the boys are advancing in his honor, Charles Dunlop, district chairman, announces.

Leading the parade will be the Brevard high school band, under the direction of John Eversman.

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Additional Rabies Clinics Scheduled

According to Clyde Hubbard, dog warden in Transylvania, three additional rabies clinics have been scheduled on request. The warden explains that if 10 or more people will request a rabies clinic to be held at a certain area in the county, a clinic will be scheduled.

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The additional clinics set-up at the present time are:
May 15 — Glady Creek church, Pisgah Forest, 5:90 to 7:90 in the evening.

May 18 — Lanning's store,
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