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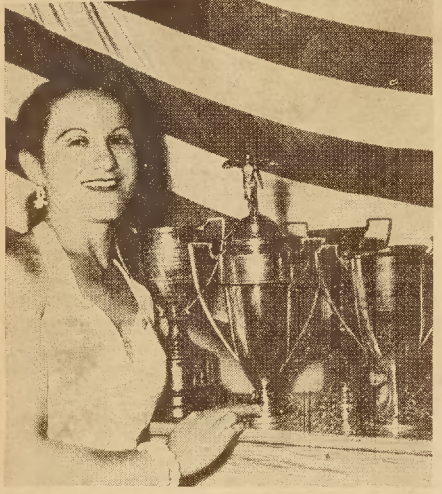
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Legion Auxiliary Official Proud Of Trophies



MRS. EDWIN LASS, the immediate past president of the auxiliary of the American Legion here, proudly displays the four trophies the local unit was awarded at the recent convention at Wilmington. The large trophy was given to Brevard for being the best all round unit in the state and the other three were for biggest increase in membership, most new members and outstanding work in Americanism. (Times Staff Photo)

FREEMAN HONORED BY OFFICERS AT DINNER MEETING

Former Sheriff Is Presented With Gift On Outstanding Record Of Service

Bert H. Freeman, former sheriff of Transylvania county who has been appointed prison supervisor of the 14th district, was honored Tuesday night at a special dinner given by the officers of the town of Brevard and Transylvania county.

Mr. Freeman served as sheriff of Transylvania for nine years prior to his new appointment on July 15 of this year, and before that time he was chief of police in the town of Brevard for 18 years.

The dinner was held in Gallo-way's cafe with the owner, Pete Bikas, as host. Mr. Bikas served ham and steak with all the trimmings.

Pfc. Jack Cabe, on behalf of the officers of the town and county and the local highway patrolmen, presented Mr. Freeman with a gold watch which had inscribed on the back: "To Sheriff Bert H. Freeman On A Job Well Done, Brevard, N. C., 1926-1953."

In acknowledging deep appreciation, Mr. Freeman said that during his entire career here he had received most wonderful co-operation.

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Superior Court Opens In Transylvania Monday, 172 Cases On Criminal Slate

METHODISTS WILL HEAR DR. DAY ON SUNDAY MORNING

Holding Conference of National Disciplined Order Of Christ At College

Dr. Albert Edward Day, chosen as one of the six leading preachers of America by the Christian Century poll, will preach at the First Methodist church here Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, Rev. J. Julian Holmes, the pastor, announces. The public is invited to attend.

Dr. Day is one of the prominent leaders here for the annual conference of the national Disciplined Order of Christ, being held on the campus of Brevard college. Some 150 ministers and lay leaders are attending this inter-racial and inter-denominational meeting which began Wednesday night and continues through next Tuesday. It has previously been held at Albion, Mich., but moved to the local campus this year.

Dr. Day, a native of Ohio, is pastor of the Mt. Vernon Place Methodist church in Baltimore, Maryland. His past pastorates include Christ Church, Pittsburgh, Penn., and First Methodist church, Pasadena, Calif.

He has received doctorate degrees from Allegheny College, Southern California, University of Cincinnati, and Ohio Wesleyan. He served as special lecturer at the University of Southern California, Southern Methodist, Andover-Newton Seminary, and served as a . . .

Coffey Will Open Buick Agency Here

It has been announced that Jay I. Coffey, formerly with the Thomas Buick Co., in Asheville, will open a Buick franchise agency here in the building on the corner of Jordan and Broad streets.

Associated with Mr. Coffey will be D. A. Riddle, of Asheville, who was also connected with the Thomas agency before coming to Brevard.

Mr. Coffey is vice president of the Asheville Society for the Preservation and Encouragement of Barber Shop Singing in America and is in charge of this year's parade of quartets. He is also a past president of the Exchange club of Asheville and a member of the Asheville country club. He and his wife are planning to move to Sapphire apartments next week. Mr. Riddle belongs to the West . . .

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Presbytery at historic New Hope church near Chapel Hill.

The break came after an all-day wrangle over the procedure to be used in giving Mr. Jones a trial.

In a letter to the Presbytery he asked that charges be brought against him in a trial before the North Carolina Synod, "or what I call a change of venue."

The Presbytery disagreed, voting that the ousted Chapel Hill pastor must first stand trial before the Presbytery, the body with original jurisdiction.

Mr. Jones refused this procedure, declaring: "A full and fair trial in this case is impossible."

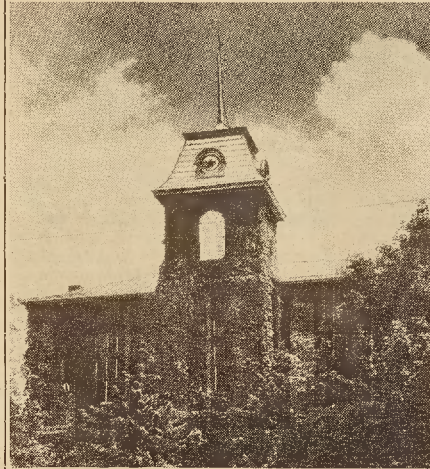
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Being Readied For Summer Court Term



With its steeple glittering after a new coat of silver paint, the court house here is being readied for the July-August term of Superior court, which opens on Monday morning. There are 172 cases on the criminal docket, the largest number in the history of Transylvania county. (Times Staff Photo)

CIVIL CALENDAR IS ALSO HEAVY, DOCKETS GIVEN

Judge Clement Will Preside, Ridings Will Prosecute For State

MANY DRUNK DRIVERS

The July-August term of Superior court in Transylvania county opens on Monday, July 27th.

According to Marvin McCall, there are 172 cases on the criminal slate, the largest docket in the history of Transylvania county.

Judge J. H. Clement, of Winston-Salem, will preside over the two-weeks' term, and Clarence O. Ridings will prosecute for the state. The cases to be tried are mostly of a minor nature and some 47 persons are charged with drunk driving, the clerk reports.

The civil calendar, which is also quite lengthy, will be heard during the second week of the summer term of court. The docket is carried on pages in this week's issue of the Times.

Mr. McCall reminds all persons who were called to serve on the jury during the first week to report at the court house promptly at 9:30 o'clock on Monday morning. Cases Are Listed

The complete criminal slate is as follows:

Driving after license revoked—Marvin E. Palmer, Hall James Hensley, Roy Reese

Drunk driving—Hall James Hensley, Edwin Corsey Owen, Bill Albert Clayton, Harry C. Moffitt, Newell Talley, John E. Fisher, Gaston E. Morgan, A. P. Boggs, Jas. B. Collins, Ray Waldrop (2 cases), Cecil Hensley, Louie Walker Jones, Otis G. Shelton, George V. McCall, . . .

MORE TEACHERS ADDED TO LIST

Several vacancies in school system are being filled, Jones States

Since publication of the first list of teachers for the 1953-54 term in the Transylvania school system, several more have been added, Supert, J. B. Jones announced.

They are as follows: Brevard high school—Miss Annie Bailey, of Franklin, business education; Miss Madge L. Hall, of Springle, Art, now attending the University of North Carolina; librarian; and Miss Martha Boswell, Brevard, Latin.

Brevard Elementary—Mrs. John Dellinger.

Rosman—Mrs. Doris T. Warren, Brevard, eighth grade; Alonzo Warren, Brevard, business education.

Balsam Grove—Mrs. Opal McCall Chastain.

Quebec—Mrs. Alcovia O. McColl, principal; and Mrs. Rosa Callahan.

Silversteen—R. E. Moody.

Smith, Crackerjacks Return To Brevard On September 26th

By popular demand Arthur Smith and his Cracker-Jacks will return to Brevard for another TV "Talent Hunt" performance at the Brevard high school auditorium on September 26th, it was announced today by Vernon P. Fullbright, president of the Transylvania Shrine club. The proceeds will go into the Dunn's Rock Masonic lodge temple building fund.

Mr. Fullbright states that all committees will be appointed at the next Shrine club meeting, which will be held in the Rhododendron room at Gaither's on August 10th.

The winner on the TV talent hunt will be given an opportunity to appear on WBTV on Charlotte on the following Tuesday. Arthur Smith and the Cracker-Jacks are well known in this area and widely respected for their clean, entertaining stage shows. Mr. Fullbright says.

Representatives From Many States At Meeting Of Federated Music Clubs

SWIMMING POOL TO REMAIN OPEN

Town To Continue Operations Until The Middle Of Next Month

The town board of aldermen decided Wednesday morning to keep the municipal swimming pool in Franklin park open through August 15th.

Last year and up until the present time the pool has been operated under the auspices of the American Legion, but all funds for this project were exhausted this week.

In a special session on Wednesday, the aldermen decided to continue operation of the pool until the middle of August, Mayor John Ford announces.

Two lifeguards are on duty at all times the pool is open, and the water is chemically pure.

Presbyterian Men Will Hold Ladies' Night August 3rd

Ladies' night will be observed at the next regular meeting of the Presbyterian Men's club on August 3rd.

Rev. John D. Smith will be chairman of the program for this meeting, and the meal arrangements will be made by Circle No. 5, Mrs. Forrest B. Cudd, chairman.

CALENDAR OF COMING EVENTS

Thursday, Blind hogsy at Country club, continues through week end. Masonic meeting in temple at 8 o'clock.

Friday, July 24 -- District Scout committee meets, Duke Power company office, 7:30 o'clock. Concert at Transylvania Music camp, 8:15 p. m. Square dance in the American Legion Memorial building, 8:30 p. m.

Saturday, July 25 -- Euclasta meets Enka in double header, Camp Straus, 2 p. m.

Sunday, July 26 -- Attend the church of your choice. Concert at music camp, 4 p. m.

Monday, July 27 -- Rotary club meets at Gaither's Rhododendron room, 7 p. m. Street dance in front of court house, 7:30 p. m.

Tuesday, July 28 -- Gold Star Mothers chapter meets at 7:30 with Mrs. Blanche Sims.

Wednesday, July 29 -- WOW meet in the hall at 8 o'clock.

Several Celebrities Here For Annual Event, Composer Is Honored

Officials and members of the Federation of Music Clubs from many states assembled at the Rhododendron room of Gaither's restaurant afternoon to register for Federation Mid-Week at Transylvania Music camp.

The sessions Tuesday and Wednesday included tours of the camp at its daily activities, dedication of the Crosby Adams and Pearle Lary Lawson practice cabins, and a luncheon conference Wednesday. Special concerts were given Tuesday and Wednesday evenings.

Guests of honor at Mid-Week were Dr. Merle Montgomery, of New York, national chairman of music camps, and Mary Howe, eminent composer of Washington, D. C.

Wednesday was designated American Music Day at Transylvania, and the world premiere of Mary Howe's "Potomac Suite" was scheduled for Wednesday evening's concert by the Transylvania Symphony orchestra, James Christian Pfohl conducting.

The Brevard Music Lovers' club held a reception at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Verne Hill following Tuesday's concert, honoring Mary Howe.

Headed at Wednesday's luncheon conference was Richard Waller, winner of the Hinde Honigman scholarship to Transylvania Music camp.

Chairman of Federation Mid-Week was Mrs. A. J. Fletcher, of Raleigh. Brevard chairman was Mrs. Walter Straus, assisted by Mrs. Julius Sader and Mrs. Verne Hill.

In charge of decorations were Mrs. H. Paul Yelverton, of Raleigh; Mrs. Frank Carr, and Mrs. L. G. Sumner, of Brevard.

The transportation committee, . . .

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