

**BREVARD ELKS** are joining with other lodges across the country in selecting young leaders of the times. Four Transylvania high school students were named by a group of judges, and officials of the local lodge awarded bonds totaling \$150 in value to them. In the top photo at the left is Herbert F. Finck, the exalted ruler, who made the awards, and next in line are: Charles W. Davis, second place winner with a \$25 bond; Carolyn Osborne and Johnny Huggins, first place winners with their \$50 bonds. Jack Alexander, who presided over the program in chapel at the school, is at the right. In the picture on the left, Mr. Finck awards a \$25 bond to Jerry Whitmire, junior at Rosman, who tied for second place. See story, page 4. (Times Staff Photos)

## Board Approves Bids On New Henderson School At Quebec, Seeks Final Approval

### GARMON IS NEW ASSISTANT AGENT IN TRANSYLVANIA

Is Successor To Robert L. Love, Recently Discharged From The Service

W. M. "Bill" Garmon is the new assistant county agent in Transylvania. He succeeds Robert L. Love, who has been transferred to Marion.

Mr. Garmon received his BS degree in agricultural education in 1953 at State college, Raleigh, and afterwards he entered the service for a period of two years.

A native of Cabarrus county, he was educated in the schools there and he also attended Appalachian State Teachers college for two years.

He and his wife are residing at —Turn to Page Four



W. M. "BILL" GARMON, right, is the new assistant county agent in Transylvania, and he is shown above with County Agent Julian Glazener, left, discussing the county's farm program. Mr. Glazener expressed much pleasure in securing a man with Mr. Garmon's qualifications as his assistant. The latter will work principally with the 4-H clubs of the county. (Times Staff Photo)

### OVERALL FIGURE IS \$146,037.00, MEETS ESTIMATE

Local Concerns Get Plumbing, Heating And Electrical Contracts On Job

#### JONES QUOTED

The Graham Construction company, of Hendersonville and Kannapolis, was the low bidder on the new T. C. Henderson school at Quebec.

There were five general contract bids, and the figure submitted by the Graham company was \$99,140.00.

Osborne Plumbing and Heating company, of Brevard, had the lowest bids for both the plumbing work and also the heating.

The bid of Osborne for plumbing was \$19,700.00, and the heating figure was \$18,500.00.

Bryant Electric company, of Brevard, submitted the lowest bid on the electrical work, it was \$8,697.00.

The overall bid on the new school was \$146,037.00, approximately the figure the school board had previously estimated, Supt. J. B. Jones states.

The bids were approved at a meeting of the Transylvania board of education Tuesday night in the court house.

Wednesday they were sent to Raleigh for final approval, and when it is received, construction on the new school could begin as soon as the contractor moves equipment on the property, which is adjacent to the present Quebec school.

With completion of the new Henderson school, all school children in Transylvania will be going to a school in a new one or a recently remodelled building, the superintendent states.

### PARSONS OPENING SAID SUCCESSFUL

The New Building Evidences Faith In Future Of Town. Awards Will Be Made

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Parsons expressed appreciation of the fine response to the formal opening of their new jewelry store on East Main street next to the library.

During the past few days, hundreds of persons have visited this new and modern store, which was designed by their son, Jack F. Parsons, who is an architectural student at Georgia Tech. It was built by Riley Merrill and has a frontage of 20 feet and a depth of 95 feet.

Mr. Parsons and his wife have been engaged in business here for the past 17 years and the new building is evidence of their faith in the future of Brevard.

On Friday at 3:00 p. m. the concern will award a \$100 diamond ring and a \$29.75 wrist watch for either sex. Tickets on these gifts are still available.

### Allison Wins In Oratorical Event

John H. Allison, sophomore at Brevard high school, is the Transylvania winner of the 19th annual oratorical contest of the American legion, and he will compete this week in the district event.

Young Allison was awarded a medal for winning the county contest, and the district prize is a \$50 savings bond.

According to Thomas R. Eller, the county and district chairman, the event will be staged in the American legion building here in Brevard, and the winner will go on to the finals in the state contest.

Speakers in the legion's oratorical contest talk on some phase of the constitution, and each is required to also give an extemporaneous discussion of not less than four minutes and not more than six on some related subject.

## Methodists To Begin Construction Of New Church Opposite College August 1

First Phase Of Building To Cost Approximately \$200,000, Reported Sunday

The congregation of the Brevard Methodist church has voted to begin construction of its new church on August 1st of this year.

The new church edifice will be built on a beautiful site directly opposite entrance of Brevard college on Broad street and will cost approximately \$200,000.

Luke Harrison, chairman of the building committee, reported to the congregation Sunday morning that the total on hand at this time in the building fund is \$68,328.50.

He explained that at the present rate of collection on pledges to the building fund that it will be October before \$100,000 would be collected, and it is necessary to have this amount before construction can be started.

He further pointed out that many persons had promised to make contributions when construction was started, and that the committee and the board of stewards felt that it would be better to begin construction on August 1st in order that the church would be "under roof" by cold weather.

In the congregational meeting which followed the regular worship service, it was also revealed that the sanctuary had been increased to accommodate 600 people and that the educational department was also designed to meet the needs of the future.

Hall Smith, Jr., superintendent of the Sunday school department, and Rev. Douglas Corriher, pastor, also told of the need of a new church and the advantages of beginning construction as early as possible.

### CALENDAR OF COMING EVENTS

Thursday, Feb. 23 — Fortnightly club meets at 3:30 p. m., at the home of Mrs. J. F. Zachary. Mathatiasian club meets, 3:30, with Mrs. J. B. Jones. B & PW club meets at Colonial Inn, 7 p. m. Brevard Little Theatre try-outs, 7:30 p. m., in court house. Masonic meeting in the Temple, 8 p. m.

Friday, Feb. 24 — Garden club meets with Mrs. R. H. Stamey, 3:30 p. m. Organized Community club leaders, 7:45 p. m., Gaither's. Wrestling matches at American Legion building, 8:15 p. m.

Sunday, Feb. 26 — Attend the —Turn to Page Ten

### Political News

## Republicans Set Conventions, Lincoln Day Dinner Planned

The Republican county convention in Transylvania has been set for Saturday, March 3, in the court house here in Brevard, Lewis P. Hamlin, chairman of the executive committee, announces today.

Delegates and alternates to the state, congressional, judicial and senatorial conventions will be elected at the convention.

A Republican executive committee, one member to be chosen from each precinct, will also be named at the meeting, and election of a chairman and vice chairman will follow.

According to Mr. Hamlin, the convention will also transact any business that may properly come —Turn to Page Four

The Republicans' Lincoln Day dinner in Transylvania will be held on Wednesday night, Feb. 29th at 7:00 o'clock in Gaither's Rhododendron room.

Orville Crawford, an attorney of Sylva, will be the principal speaker on the program.

Tickets for the dinner can be purchased from precinct chairmen and officers of the Young Republican club. Persons who plan to purchase their tickets at the door are asked to make reservations with Mrs. Fred Southerland at number Turner 3-2441, not later than on Monday.

Immediately following the dinner and program, the Young Republicans hold their annual election of officers.

### RURAL LEADERS MEET ON FRIDAY

Plans For '56 Development Contest Of Community Clubs To Be Outlined

The annual county-wide planning meeting for all organized community leaders, especially all officers and committee chairmen will be held Friday evening, February 24, at 7:45 o'clock in Gaither's Rhododendron room.

Morris McGough, manager of the Asheville Agricultural Development council, will be present and will have supplies of the 1956 materials that will be of decided help in all community development work, County Agent Julian Glazener states.

He will assist in any way he can in helping plan community work —Turn to Page Five

### HART ADVISES OWNERS OF PETS

Sanitation Director Urges Persons To Have Dogs Vaccinated. Clinic Starts

Walter F. Hart, senior sanitation with the Transylvania-Henderson Health department, issues a statement this week of vital importance to pet owners.

"We are doing everything to help you save your pet," he points out, adding, "but State Law says that all dogs without rabies tags and collars must be picked up by the Transylvania county dog warden."

The law states that dogs not vaccinated —Turn to Page Four

## Officers Of Athletic Group Are Re-elected At Annual Meeting

Improvements To Franklin Park Are Discussed. To Help Pony League



RAYMOND F. BENNETT, plant manager of the film division at Ecusta, was re-elected president of the Brevard Athletic and Recreation association at the annual meeting Monday night in the Brevard high school library.

### Hartsell To Preach At Baptist Church

Rev. Paul Hartsell, pastor of the Baptist church at Travelers' Rest, S. C., and former pastor of the First Baptist church in Brevard, will preach Sunday morning and also at the Sunday evening worship service at the First church —Turn to Page Five

### WPNF Program Highlights

## Final Cage Broadcast Of The Season Set Thursday, Log Is Highlighted

The final broadcast of basketball games in the current series over WPNF is slated for Thursday night, and Bobby Hoyle, station manager, urges all sport fans to hear this big one between Clemson and Furman.

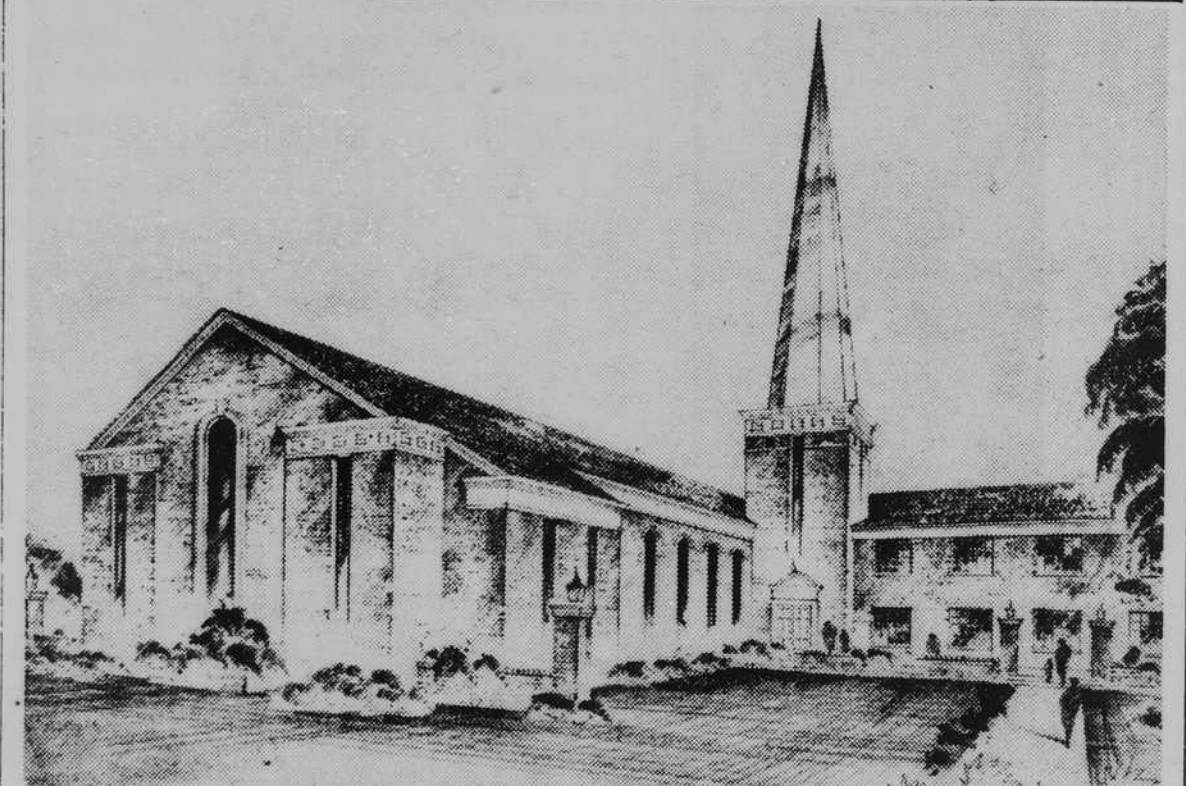
"The play-by-play broadcasts this winter of the college cage games have been highly successful, and we're looking forward to resuming them again next year," Mr. Hoyle stated.

He particularly thanked the merchants who made the broadcasts possible, and he expressed appreciation to the many people who commented that they had enjoyed listening to them.

OTHER PROGRAMS

The schedule for the Civic hour for the coming week is as follows: Friday, Rosman chamber of commerce; Monday, American Legion auxiliary; Wednesday, Mathatiasian club.

On the Farm and Home hour the following will be heard: Thursday, Carolina farm features; Friday, A. S. C. office, Marvin Whitmire; Monday, county agent's office; Tuesday, —Turn to Page Ten



AN ARCHITECT'S DRAWING of the new Methodist church, to be erected on a beautiful site opposite Brevard College, is pictured above. The congregation of the church voted Sunday morning to begin construction on the new

church edifice on August 1st. The sanctuary, which will accommodate 600 persons, the spire and a portion of the educational department can be noted in the drawing above. McDonald and Daniels are the architects.