



A RIBBON CUTTING by Mayor John Ford, center, formally opened the newly remodeled Brevard Farmers Federation store on East Main street. Holding the ribbon are James McClure Clarke, left, the newly elected president of the WNC Federation cooperative, and Guy M. Sales, Federation general manager, right. The remodeling included the expansion of many departments and the addition of many new ones. Also featured in the new store will be self service. (Times Staff Photo)

Will Hold School Bond Election On December 8, Amount Set At \$647,000

JUDGES NAMED FOR '56 COUNTY RURAL CONTEST

Parade And Awards Day Set November 3rd. Dinner On October 9th

Judges for the Transylvania Rural Development contest are announced today by James Davis, county agent.

They are St. Clair Knight, agricultural engineer with Duke Power company, of Spartanburg; Mrs. Florence Sherrill, home agent from Macon county; and Ted Hyman, radio and television specialist with State college.

Judging will take place on October 23rd and 24th and the schedule will be announced by Mr. Davis.

A number of other events have been scheduled in connection with the rural development program in Transylvania. A dinner for all sponsors will be held at the Ecusta Paper corporation cafeteria next Tuesday night, October 9th, at 7 p. m.

The quartet has been set for Saturday night, October 27th, at a place to be announced.

Climaxing the 1956 rural development contests will be the annual parade and Awards Day on Saturday, November 3rd. Winners will be announced and the prizes will be awarded in the third annual event.

Previous winners have been Little River, first, and last year Dunn's Rock.

*** National *** NEWSPAPER WEEK



National Newspaper Week Is Being Observed, Contest To Be Conducted in High Schools

HEADQUARTERS OF DEMOS WILL OPEN

Office Will Be Located Adjacent to Austin's Studio On East Main

The Transylvania County Democratic Campaign Headquarters, located on East Main street across from the court house, will open on Saturday, October 6th, according to Thomas R. Eller, county chairman.

The headquarters will be open until the November election with Mrs. Ashe Macfie in charge. Members of the Democratic Women's club will staff the headquarters and it will remain open on week ends and part of the time during the week.

Mr. Eller invites all of the county Democrats to stop in at the headquarters.

He is leaving Friday to attend the state convention of Young Democrats in Winston-Salem.

Draft Board Is Looking For The Addresses Of Men

The local Draft Board No. 89, with offices in the post office building in Brevard, is looking for a number of registrants, which have not been located.

Mrs. Tom Galloway, the board clerk, announces them as follows: Billy Carmen Orr, Frank Wyatt, Jr., James Conrad Woodard, Volney Andrew Lusk, Earl Owen, Ralph Johnny Campfield, Oliver Monroe Cantrell, William Edgar Griffin, William Dee Golden, Charles Edward Johnson, John Shelton Simms, Jr., Joyce Earl Bowen, William Floyd Hoxit and Otis Charles Baynard.

The clerk asks that anyone who knows the correct address of any of these men should contact the office as soon as possible.

"SALUTE TO IKE" BANQUET SLATED

Republicans To Stage \$5.00 Per Plate Funds Raising Dinner October 9th

Heralded as a "salute to Ike" banquet, a special funds-raising, \$5.00 per plate dinner is being planned by Transylvania Republicans for Tuesday night, October 9th, at the Brevard Country club, beginning at 7:00 o'clock.

According to Eugene King, chairman of the executive committee, tickets to the big banquet are now on sale at the Republican headquarters.

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Du Pont Records Deeds To Buck Forest Property

Two deeds, signifying the transfer of the Buck Forest property to the E. I. duPont de Nemours and Company, have been filed with the register of deeds office of Transylvania county.

Paul M. Whitmire, registrar, said that the amount of money involved in this huge transaction was \$100,000. The deeds were handled by the law firm of Adams and Adams, of Asheville.

Involved in this real estate transaction were properties belonging to Frank Coxe and wife, of Asheville, and others, more commonly known as Buck Forest.

This property, plus around 5,000 acres lying in Henderson county and belonging to A. H. Guion and Donald Rhoads, was bought in July by the DuPont company as the possible site for a silicon plant.

Lee's Rides Here Another Week, All Shriners Will Meet

Lee's Riding devices will be here in Brevard for the remainder of this week, according to Vernon Fricks, president of the Transylvania Shrine club, which is sponsoring them.

Because of the bad weather last week, the rides were held over for another week.

President Fricks reminds all Shriners of the important meeting next Monday night at Gaither's, when plans will be made for the annual parade and ceremony in Asheville on Oct. 20th.

Special Singing Sunday Afternoon

The National Clouds of Joy singers and the Bethel "A" choir will be featured on a singing program Sunday afternoon, and all proceeds will go into the fund to buy a rural fire truck.

Admission will be adults 50 cents, students, 25c and children 15c, to the sing at the court house.

A special section will be reserved for white persons.

The '56 Theme Is "Your Newspaper—Freedom's Key To Better Living"

All this week The Transylvania Times joins with the press of the nation in the observance of National Newspaper week.

This is a time for readers of newspapers, and more particularly those who do not read newspapers, to consider the theme "Your Newspaper—Freedom's Key to Better Living."

And again this year the newspapers are stressing the fact that the press fights for "your right to know."

These words emphasize the role of the newspapers play as bearers of ideas and communicators of information in today's complex society.

Highlighting the local observance of National Newspaper week, the Transylvania Times is conducting an essay contest in Brevard and Rosman high schools.

The theme of the contest will be the same as that of the observance, "Your Newspaper—Freedom's Key to Better Living" and Publisher Ed M. Anderson urges all interested students to submit an essay of not more than 500 words to their English teachers on or before Friday, October 12th.

First prize in the contest will be \$15.00, second, \$10.00, and third, \$5.00.

Publisher Anderson also invites readers of The Times to peruse with interest the articles and editorials in The Times this week and next on "National Newspaper week."

Richards Named To District Post

Jack Richards, coach at Rosman high school was elected vice president of the social studies group at the district meeting of the NCEA in Asheville.

He is also president of the Transylvania county unit of the Classroom Teachers Association.

VOTE POSTPONED FROM SEPTEMBER DUE TO CONFLICT

With Passage Of Measure, Modern Building Program Will Go Forward

BOOKS TO OPEN

The Transylvania board of county commissioners is calling a special school bond election in the amount of \$647,000 on Saturday, December 8th.

The election had been previously called for September 8th, but was postponed because of the state-wide election on that date on the North Carolina constitutional amendments.

After the date had been set for the local election, the General Assembly ruled that no election could conflict with the state-wide amendment vote.

If the school bond election is approved by Transylvania voters, the \$647,000, with other funds which the board of education might have on hand, will be used to erect a new and modern high school here and also to carry forward a complete school building program throughout Transylvania.

At this time construction is progressing on a new school building at Quebec and a new gymnasium at Rosman.

The same books that are used in the general election will be used for the school bond vote, and registration will open on Saturday, November 10th, for the school bond election.

George Shuford, chairman of the board of elections, states today that registration for the General election on November 6th will begin on October 13th. It will continue on the two following Saturdays, and November 3rd will be challenge day.

BOARD APPROVES RURAL PROJECT

Technicalities To House, Maintain New Fire Truck To Be Worked Out

The town board of aldermen gave approval to the movement to purchase a fire truck, one that is especially designed to fight blazes in rural areas, at the regular October meeting Monday night at the city hall.

Fire Chief Dan Merrill and "Buck" McCall, who is heading the committee raising the funds for the truck, appeared before aldermen and said there is good response to the drive. Technicalities involved in housing and maintaining the truck in the local department are to be worked out by the fire chief and the town attorney.

A petition from Brevard college requesting the board to change the area opposite the college and bordered by Broad, French Broad and Caldwell streets from residential to business area was referred to the zoning board.

Praelo Bryson was given permission to operate a taxi concern in Brevard, and the aldermen again awarded the insurance contract of the town to Brevard Insurance agency.

Tax Collections Reach 94.5% Mark

Tax Collections for 1955 for Transylvania county reached the 94.5 percent mark during the year, according to official report which was presented to the county commissioners on Monday by C. M. Douglas, tax collector.

The mark was slightly higher than collections for the previous year, percentage-wise, and several thousand dollars over in actual cash.

Tax statements were mailed Monday from the office, and one-half of one percent discount will be allowed for payment during October.

\$25,000 Budget Adopted For United Fund Drive, Will Open On October 15

17 Allocations Made On Fair-Share Basis To Welfare, Health, Social Ag.

The second annual United Appeal fund campaign in Transylvania county will begin on October 15th, and the directors of the organization adopted a budget of \$25,000 at a special meeting Tuesday night in Gaither's Dogwood room.

A total of 17 allocations to support welfare, health and social agencies in this area is included in the budget.

Don Jenkins, co-chairman of the admissions and budget committee, presided over the meeting, and said that his group had screened all the applications very carefully, and that recommendations were made on a fair-share basis after much study and investigation.

Gordon Sprott will be the campaign director, and he reported Tuesday night that workers are being named in all communities. Gil Coan will serve as industrial chairman; Charles L. Russell at Ecusta; Charles Himes, business solicitation; Mrs. Henry Carrier, advanced gifts; Mrs. Ralph H. Ramsey, women's solicitation; and James Davis, clubs. Others will be appointed later.

The budget for 1957 is as follows:

Agencies	Amount
Boy Scouts	\$ 2,800.00
Teen Age Center	5,000.00
Transylvania hospital	1,000.00
Colored Community centers (Brevard and Glade Creek)	1,245.27
Blind Fund	440.00
Red Cross	5,000.00
Carolinas United	1,334.35
(Included — USO—434.70; Children's Home Soc.—434.70; FL Crittenton Home — \$150.96; National Travelers Aid — \$8.61; National Social Welfare — \$7.55; and, Carolinas United—\$248.58.	
Heart Fund	500.00
Cancer Fund	900.00
Girl Scouts	1,893.34
Crippled Children	500.00
Salvation army	1,700.00
Operating and Reserve	2,687.04

\$25,000.00
The directors approved the organization of Associated Charities —Turn to Page Six

CALENDAR OF COMING EVENTS

Thursday, Oct. 4 — Methodist and Presbyterian women's circles meet. Lions club meets in Gaither's, 7 p. m. Masons meet in the temple, 7:30 p. m. Young Democrats meet at the court house, 7:45 p. m. Woodmen meet in WOW hall, 8 p. m.

Friday, Oct. 5 — Kiwanis club meets in Gaither's, 7 p. m. Brevard vs. Christ School, 7:30 p. m., on high school field.

Saturday, Oct. 6 — Transylvania Democratic headquarters open. —Turn to Page Six

At Asheville Meet Brevard College Campaign To Raise \$500,000 Is Launched

The campaign to raise \$500,000 to erect two new buildings at Brevard college was formally launched at an enthusiastic luncheon meeting of district chairmen, co-chairmen and associate chairmen held at the Battery Park hotel in Asheville last Friday.

Jonathan Woody, of Waynesville, general chairman of the Brevard College Development fund, presided and announced that 28 of the 45 members of the college board of trustees had already pledged to give over \$100,000.00 to the drive to be paid in over a period of thirty-six months.

Chairman and associate chairmen for each one of the 11 districts in the Western North Carolina Methodist conference were appointed recently by Mr. Woody and a number of them discussed plans for conducting the drive in their districts.

Quotas are being assigned to each district and the campaign will get underway at once and end December 31.

An intensive drive for Brevard and Transylvania county is planned for the month of December. Attending the luncheon meeting from Brevard were Ralph Ramsey, Jimmie Gaither, Bryan Shiflet and Ed M. Anderson.

Clarence E. Morgan, of Asheville, is chairman of the Asheville district and Rev. Philip Shore, of Hendersonville, is associate chairman.

Each district chairman will appoint a co-chairman for each county or portion of a county within his district.

Franklin Brown is chairman of the Charlotte district; Allen Sims, —Turn to Page Twelve

Young Democrats Meet Tonight To Name New Officers

The Young Democrats of Transylvania county will meet Thursday night, October 4th, in the courthouse at 7:45 o'clock for the purpose of electing officers and transacting other important business.

Robert T. Gash is the president of the Young Democrats and other officers are Eddie Varner and Mrs. Inez Whitmire, vice presidents; William Lyday, treasurer; and Mrs. Nell Green, secretary.

All Young Democrats and their friends have an invitation to attend this important meeting.



A SAFETY CONTEST at the film division of Ecusta Paper corporation has just ended with the result being four employees getting expense paid trips to the National Safety Congress in Chicago. The winners along with their bosses are shown above left to right as follows: Production Manager R. F. Bennett; Herbert F. Finck; R. J. Ricker, a winner; H. W. Hall, S. A. Kent, J. E. Allison, W. M. Roberts, a winner; and Plant Manager J. H. Trueadall. (See Story on Page Seven).