

TRANSYLVANIA—
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Mecca for Summer Camps,
Entrance to Pisgah Na-
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Brevard Music Festival.

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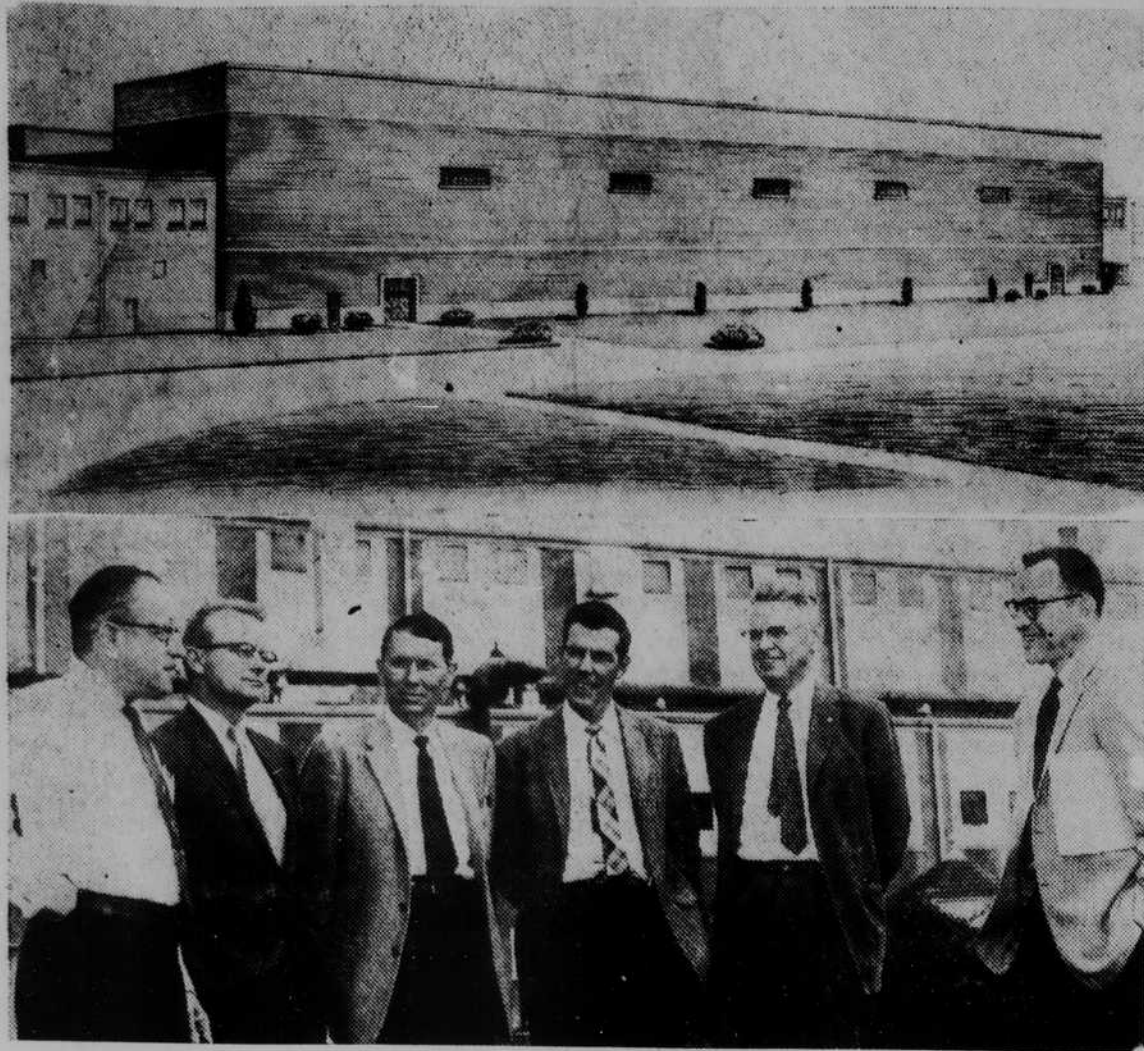
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AN ARCHITECT'S CONCEPTION of the new addition at the Olin Mathieson Chemical corporation at Pisgah Forest to house the No. 10 paper machine of the Ecusta Paper division is shown in the top photo. Construction on this new and modern building will begin in the next day or two. Discussing this gigantic project in the lower photo, left to right, are: Lee M. Bauer, production manager of

the paper division; W. A. McKinley, resident engineer of the Daniel Construction company; C. C. Calmes, project manager of the Daniel company; Leo Golden, construction supervisor for the Charles T. Main company; G. C. Englund, Daniel company's vice president; and A. J. Loeb, assistant general manager of the paper division.

Construction For 10th Paper Machine At Olin Mathieson To Begin April 5th

Daniel Company Has Sub-structure Contract. Officials Now On Project

Initial construction for Ecusta Paper division of Olin Mathieson Chemical corporation's tenth paper machine will begin on April 5, or shortly thereafter, it was announced by A. J. Loeb, assistant general manager of the division.

Daniel Construction company, Inc., of Greenville, S. C., has been awarded a contract for the sub-structure portion of the work, which will include the installation of piles. The substructure phase should be completed during June of this year and will be followed immediately thereafter by construction of the building and the installation of the paper machine and related equipment. Bids for these latter phases have not as yet been solicited.

The new machine is being constructed by Rice Barton corporation, of Worcester, Massachusetts. Most of the stock preparation equipment will be furnished by E. D. Jones & Sons company, of Pittsfield, Massachusetts.

Chas. T. Main, Inc., of Boston.
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CALENDAR OF COMING EVENTS

- Thursday, Apr. 4 — Methodist and Presbyterian women's circles meet. Big NEA parade in town, 2 p. m. NEA banquet at Olin Mathieson cafeteria, 7 p. m. Lions club meets at Gaither's, 7 p. m.
- Friday, Apr. 5 — Kiwanis club meets in Gaither's, 7 p. m.
- Saturday, Apr. 6 — Trout fishing season opens. P-TA Art and Hobby show, Masonic temple.
- Sunday, Apr. 7 — Attend the church of your choice. Art Show continues.
- Monday, Apr. 8 — Civil court convenes at 9:30 a. m. Methodist Laboratory training school in the Presbyterian church begins. Art show continues with P-TA to meet in Masonic temple at 8 p. m.
- Tuesday, Apr. 9 — Brevard Little Theatre play at 8 p. m., American Legion building. Fidelis class of First Baptist church meets.
- Wednesday, Apr. 10 — Brevard Little Theatre play, American Legion building, 8 p. m. Call meeting of county board of education, court house, 8 p. m.

Clarkson Presiding

Many Submissions Recorded In April Term Of Superior Court

The criminal slate of the April term of Superior court in Transylvania is expected to be adjourned by Thursday by Judge Francis O. Clarkson, of Charlotte, who is presiding.

Many persons submitted to various charges during the first three days of this week, and only one jury trial was heard up until noon Wednesday.

In this case, Roger Owens was charged with assaulting James Hendricks with a deadly weapon with intent to kill.

The jury was still out at noon Wednesday.

Action on the civil docket will be started at 9:30 o'clock next Monday morning. All jurors called the second week are reminded to be in court at that time.

Judge Clarkson, making his first visit in Transylvania, said he was much impressed with the progress being made here.

"I have found sentimental attachment here. Tuesday I was shown

Clarkson hill in lower Transylvania, which was purchased by my grandfather in 1860," the judge declared.

As The Times went to press, there were several verdicts Judge Clarkson had to pass down on persons who had pled guilty. These
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Little Theatre Will Give Play Twice Next Week

The Brevard Little Theatre presents the third and final production of this season, "Here We Come Gathering" on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, April 9 and 10, in the American Legion building.

Curtain time both evenings is 8 p. m.

"Here We Come Gathering" is a

MUCH PROGRESS NOTED HERE IN SCHOOL SYSTEM

Modern Buildings Replacing Old Structures. Survey Is Made

BUDGET OUTLINED

As educational progress during the past 100 years is being saluted across the nation, a survey of the school system in Transylvania shows that much progress has been made in this county.

All indications point to the brightest future of the school system since the county was formed in 1861.

Beginning next fall all smaller schools can be eliminated and there will remain no schools of less than six teachers. All pupils will be housed in buildings with masonry walls, central heating and other modern conveniences.

As soon as the bond market improves and the architect has completed the plans and specifications, the contract will be let on the million dollar high school.

A very optimistic part of the out-
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TOWN BOARD SETS ELECTION MAY 7TH, FILE BY APRIL 20

Term Of Aldermen And Mayor Extended To Four Years By Legislature

A general election for the purpose of naming a board of aldermen and a mayor will be held here in Brevard on Tuesday, May 7th, the city fathers decided at the regular monthly meeting Monday night in the city hall.

The deadline for filing was set for 12 noon on April 20th, and registration of new voters will begin at 9:00 o'clock on that same day. The books will be kept open for seven days, excluding Sunday, and Mrs. Margaret Bridges was named as registrar.

Judges in the election will be Bennet Jones and L. P. Hamlin. Saturday, April 27th, will be
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Dean Berry Is Elected To Head New Organization, "Friends Of Library"

In order that the citizens of Transylvania county may have greater opportunity to avail themselves of the facilities and services of the fine, new modern library, a group of interested laymen have recently formed an organization known as "Friends of the Library."

This is an auxiliary organization, the main purposes of which are to distribute information as to the resources of the library, to spread knowledge of the opportunities it presents, to enlarge its place in the civic and cultural life of the community and to promote it as an active, dynamic educational force.

Officers elected at the organizational meeting were: Dean Iona Berry, president; Mrs. G. W. Galloway, vice president; Mrs. Jack Trantham, secretary; Ligon B.
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Melton Re-Elected To Head VFW Post

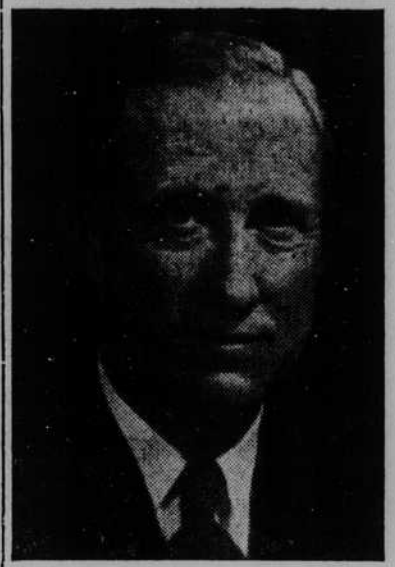
Claude E. Melton has been re-elected commander of the Lewis Earl Jackson post of Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Commander Melton will be installed with the other officers at the annual installation meeting on Monday night, April 22nd.

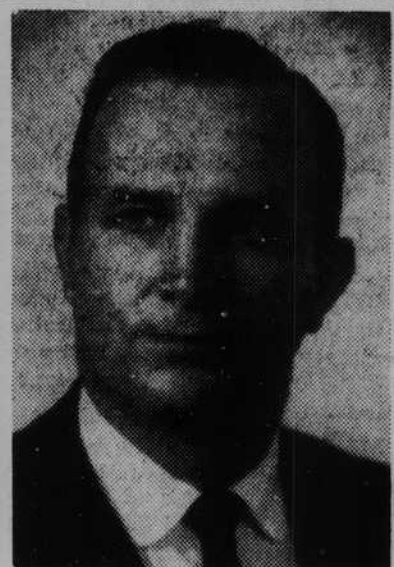
Vella A. Parker is the senior vice commander, and the junior vice commander for the term, 1957-'58, is Columbus R. Reynolds.

C. L. Corn is quartermaster. Gene Ramsey is post advocate, and Rev. Keith Beam will again serve as chaplain.

Dr. Carol Grahl is post surgeon elect, and B. F. Hayes was named as a three-year trustee.



DR. PHIL L. ELLIOTT, left, outstanding president of Gardner-Webb college, will be the principal speaker at the banquet honoring principals and teachers of Transylvania county Thursday night in the cafeteria of the Olin Mathieson Chemical corporation. Wayne Bradburn, right, chairman of the local centennial celebration of education in America, will preside over the banquet meeting. On Monday night of this week, Mr. Bradburn was elected superintendent of schools in Transylvania, succeeding J. B. Jones, who retires this summer.



Thursdays will be a great day for the school personnel in Transylvania, as educational forces here join with others across the nation in the centennial celebration of education in America.

Principals and teachers will be honored with a gigantic parade, beginning at 2:00, followed by a banquet that evening at 7:00 o'clock in the cafeteria of the Olin Mathieson Chemical corporation.

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Schools will close at noon for the big parade, which will form at 1:30 o'clock on Caldwell street, from Oakdale to the Rosman highway. In case of rain, the parade will be postponed until Friday afternoon.

Teachers and principals will ride in cars furnished by the various clubs and organizations in the county, and there will be a number of floats depicting progress in education.

Leading the parade will be the colors of the American legion and the VFW, followed by the Brevard high school band, directed by John D. Eversman.

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Bradburn Is Elected To Succeed Jones As School Superintendent, Board To Decide On School Site

Will Meet Next Wednesday. Appraisal Committee Appointed By Board

The Transylvania board of education plans to meet next Wednesday night and to decide on a site for the proposed new million dollar Brevard high school building.

At their meeting Monday night of this week, members of the board unanimously agreed that the Tinsley site, located on the Country Club road, is the best one they have found to date. However, they contended that the price is too high and appointed an appraisal committee consisting of O. H. Orr, D. H. Winchester, E. W. Medford, Jerry Jerome, J. I. Ayers and W. M. Melton.

On March 12, the board took a 30-day option on the property consisting of at least 30 acres. The option price was \$2,000.00.

Two other locations are being considered and they are known as the Fisher site near North Brevard and the Lewis site, on Maple street extension.

A traffic report from O. M. Alexander, of the state highway patrol, shows that the Tinsley site is much better from a safety traffic outlook than either of the others.

The state highway department report also favors the Tinsley site and soil tests show that the Tinsley site is favorable.

SPRING HOLIDAYS
Spring has arrived. All the signs are here. But the happiest of persons are those who do not have to engage in anything but enjoying spring fever. This week the Brevard college students are in that category. They are enjoying spring vacation all this week.

Program Highlights

Dr. Elliott's Address To Be Heard Friday At 4:00 p. m. Over WPNF

The principal address of Dr. Phil L. Elliott, president of Gardner-Webb college, will be recorded Thursday night at the Olin Mathieson Chemical corporation and will be heard at 4:00 Friday afternoon over WPNF. Bobby Hoyle, station manager, announces.

The meeting, which climaxes the local observance of 100 years of the teaching profession in America, is of interest to many persons, and Mr. Hoyle says the station is indeed happy to broadcast the program at a more convenient time on Friday afternoon.

Outstanding Record Said Determining Factor. Background Is Given

C. Wayne Bradburn was elected superintendent of Transylvania county public schools by the board of education Monday night and effective July 1 he will succeed J. B. Jones who has resigned after serving as superintendent for the past 24 years.

There were three applicants for the position and the final race narrowed down between Bradburn and Carroll R. Merrill, who was formerly principal of the Penrose elementary school in Transylvania for five years.

The vote was three to two in favor of Bradburn, with Board Chairman Eddie Varner casting the deciding ballot. After the election, however, those who favored Merrill pledged to support and to cooperate with the new superintendent. F. S. Best, Ed Matheson and Eddie Varner voted for Bradburn, while Harry Morgan and Homer McCall voted for Merrill.

All board members agreed that both applicants were well qualified for the position and the majority group said they favored Bradburn because of the outstanding record he has made in the local public school system. Merrill, they said, left the county last fall and is principal of a school in Mecklenburg county this year. Neither one is a native of this county.

Supt. Bradburn came to Transylvania in the fall of 1955 as head football coach and teacher at Brevard high school. From last fall until January 1 he served as acting principal of Brevard high school.
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Members of the two school district committeemen in Transylvania county were elected for another two-year term at a meeting of the board of education Monday night.

Members of the Brevard district number one are George Shuford, Jack Trantham and W. Pat Allison, while the members of the Rosman district number two are Mickler Lusk, Lawrence Whitmire and Hosea Lee.

In response to a petition signed by 55 people, the board members unanimously voted to designate the Old Quebec school as a community center building. A portion of the building, however, will be reserved for a caretaker to reside in.

The board awarded the Bridges Coal and Oil company a contract to haul coal to the school bins in the county next year at a price of \$1.70 per ton.

ALL PRINCIPALS AND TEACHERS TO BE HONORED HERE

Will Ride In Cars Furnished By Clubs. Brevard Band Will Lead

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ANOTHER FIRE BELIEVED SET

Officers, State And Federal Bureau Of Investigation Seek Alleged Arsonists

The Brevard fire department was called out about 5:30 o'clock Monday morning to quell a blaze, which Fire Chief Dan Merrill describes as being another "set fire" in Transylvania county.

The vacant house is located near Wilson's bridge on the Greenville highway, and the firemen were able to put out the blaze before much damage was done.

Chief Merrill and Sheriff "Scott" Dillingham say they have evidence which tends to indicate that the fire was "set", and investigations are being continued by county officers and the State Bureau of Investigation.

The house belongs to James Allison, who lives in Ohio. Recently, two houses were "set afire" above Rosman, Sheriff Dillingham reports, and investigations
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District School Officials Elected

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