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**"VOICE OF DEMOCRACY"** contest winners at WPNF last Thursday afternoon are pictured above. The contest, held in Brevard and Rosman high schools, was highly successful, and prizes, totaling \$175, were awarded the 10 winners. On the front row, left to right, are: Johnny Allison, first place winner with his prize and certificate; Patsy Rogers, second; Floyd McCall, third, Lynne Smathers, fourth; and, Malinda Bangs,

fifth. Second row, left to right, are: Bobby Hoyle, WPNF station manager; Wanda Greene, sixth; Joretta Lyday, seventh; Betty Lou Brown, eighth; Frances McBride, ninth; and, Bill Griffin, chairman of the VOD contest for the Jaycees. The 10th place winner, Elizabeth Fowler, was absent, due to illness. See story, page three, second section.

(Times Staff Photo)

## Arrival Of Santa To Open Christmas Shopping Season In Brevard Friday

### DEER, BEAR HUNTS END ON SATURDAY, KILL SAID "GOOD"

Half-Day "Doe" Hunt Is Slated Next Monday Afternoon. Results Posted

With three days of the '57 hunting season remaining, hunters in the Pisgah National forest are having "good luck", Ranger Ted Seely reports.

Officially, Saturday is the last day to hunt, however, a special "antlerless" deer hunt is scheduled next Monday afternoon.

The kill, as reported on Wednesday morning by forestry officials here in the Pisgah, was: 287 bucks; and, 11 bears.

This is considerably more than it was last year at this time of the hunt.

Kills on the various areas through Tuesday were:

Area	Deer	Bear
Davidson River	102	4
North Mills River	110	4
Pisgah Ledge	7	1
Big East Fork	12	0
Sunburst	31	0

The kills through last Saturday —Turn to Page Four



**OLE SANTA CLAUS** will come to Brevard Friday afternoon riding atop the fire truck behind the Brevard high school band. He will have candy for all his little friends, and he cordially invites them to come to Brevard to see him. The event, which is sponsored by the merchants division of the chamber of commerce, officially marks the opening of the '57 Christmas shopping season, and the multi-colored lights in the business section will be turned on at that time.

### BREVARD BAND LEADS PARADE TO SQUARE, 4:30

Multi-Colored Lights To Be Turned On. Free Candy For The Kids

#### CHRISTMAS ISSUE

The arrival of Santa Claus at 4:30 o'clock Friday afternoon in Brevard officially marks the opening of the 1957 Christmas shopping season here.

Hundreds and hundreds of his little friends are expected to be on hand when Santa comes to town riding high atop the big, new fire truck.

The Brevard high school band, under the direction of John D. Eversman, will lead the parade, which will form at 4:15 o'clock in front of the Presbyterian church on East Main street.

The Homecoming queen of Brevard college, the Huddle queen and the Popularity queen at Brevard high school will be riding in the parade.

As the parade comes up Main street to the square, the multi-colored Christmas lights will be turned on in the business section of Brevard.

Due to the Friday afternoon congested traffic, the parade will stop in front of the court house, where the band will play special Christmas music and Santa will give out candy to all of his little friends.

A program will also be presented by officials of the merchants division. —Turn to Page Four

## Thanksgiving To Be Quietly Observed In County, Churches Set Union Service

Thursday Will Be A Holiday. Many Hunters Expected On The Preserves

Transylvanians will observe the 1957 Thanksgiving in the traditional manner on Thursday.

There will be large family gatherings, church services and the day throughout the town and county will be a holiday.

All stores, town and county offices, the bank and the post office will be closed.

There will be no rural or city delivery of mail, and according to acting postmaster, Vernon Fullbright, the general delivery will be open from 11:30 until 12 noon.

All town and county schools will have a holiday on Thursday and Friday, and Homecoming will be celebrated at Brevard college on Thanksgiving Day.

Hundreds of hunters from all parts of Eastern America are here for the annual deer and bear hunts, and there will be a number of private hunts on the various preserves of the county.

**Sponsoring Service**  
A Thanksgiving Union Service will be held Thanksgiving morning at 10:30 a. m. in the Brevard - Davidson River Presbyterian church.

All the churches of Brevard are cooperating in this service and their congregations are invited.

Rev. W. A. Kerr, pastor of the Brevard circuit of Methodist churches will deliver the sermon.

There will be special Thanksgiving music by the Brevard Civic —Turn to Page Five

### Bids Are Opened

## Bagwell Will Build New Health Center For County Next To WPNF

L. E. Bagwell, Brevard contractor, was the low bidder for the general contract of the new health center for Transylvania.

Mr. Bagwell's bid was \$17,857.50. Martin and Jones, of Brevard, was awarded the heating contract on a bid of \$2,394.39.

The plumbing contract went to the Brevard Plumbing company, and United Lighting company of Asheville, had the lowest bid on

### To Pay Out \$20,000 In Christmas Club

Members of the Christmas Savings club of the Brevard Federal Savings and Loan association here will receive more than \$20,000 this week, Jerry Jerome, the executive vice president, announces. There are some 300 members of the '57 club.

Checks will be mailed out this week to all members, and the 1958 club will be started Friday, Mr. Jerome states.

Last year approximately \$20,000 was paid out to members of the Christmas Savings club here.

Mr. Jerome says: "Be sure to get on our membership list when it opens this week and be assured of a merrier Christmas next year."

lighting. The bid for plumbing was \$2,480.55, while the low bid on the lighting contract was \$2,335.00.

The bids were opened last Thursday in the court house by the county commissioners. The new health center will be built adjacent to Radio Station WPNF, and construction is expected to get underway in about three or four weeks after approval of the bids at Raleigh and in Washington.

The money for the project has already been appropriated by the county, state and the federal government.

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### POISONING OF DOGS REPORTED

Humane Society Seeking Information On Incidences. Reward Is Offered

Reports of several dog poisonings in the county have been recently received by the Transylvania Humane society. Dog owners are warned to keep their pets under surveillance as much as possible. The latest poisoning occurred in the Dunn's Rock area along the Greenville highway.

Officials of the Humane society wish to remind Transylvanians that there is a standing reward. —Turn to Page Eight

## United Fund Reaching 95% Of Goal, \$26,500 For 1958

Transylvania's United Appeal fund has reached 95 per cent of its goal of \$26,500 for 1958, and a final "push" is being made to raise the remaining \$1,500 to meet the budget for the 17 participating agencies.

The office on Broad street has been closed, but contributions can be made to the treasurer,

Melvin Gillespie, at the First National bank.

Director James Wulpi stresses the fact that the great majority of the budget of \$26,500 remains in Transylvania county for the various charities.

The director points out that many outside concerns which do business in Transylvania have contributed to the local fund. Among them are: Blue Ridge Trucking company, Coca-Cola Bottling company, Baxter and McConnell, Blue Ridge Oil company, Red Diamond Oil company, Youngblood Trucking company and Grapette Bottling company.

Firms joining the Transylvania honor roll recently include: Farmers Federation, Belk's, Biltmore Dairy and Crest store.

### Asheville Youth Is The Winner Of WNC VOD Contest

District judging in the Voice of Democracy contest in Western North Carolina was held here Tuesday afternoon and evening, with Bobby Hoyle, president of the Brevard Jaycees, presiding.

The winner, Don Printz, of Asheville, will represent this area in the state finals in Forest City on Dec. 7th. The announcement of the WNC winner and the details on the state finals were made by Lee Kanipe, North Carolina Chairman of the Voice of Democracy, of Forest City.

Stover Dunagan, of Rutherford. —Turn to Page Four

## Many Activities To Highlight Homecoming Thursday At College



**MIDN. 1-C WALTER H. CANTRELL**, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter L. Cantrell, of Route 1, Brevard, has been selected as a speaker for this year's "Operation Information", a program initiated two years ago at the Naval Academy, Annapolis, Md. The program was established to maintain a high level of interest in the Naval Academy, as well as the Navy. While on his Christmas leave, he will show the film "The Annapolis Story" and distribute pamphlets, while visiting various schools, civic organizations and clubs in this area.

### Class Reunions Are Set. Cage Game In Afternoon And Dance That Evening

Brevard College students, faculty and alumni will hold a big Homecoming celebration on Thursday, which is Thanksgiving.

Entertainment and special activities including six class reunions have been planned for the returning alumni and friends of the college.

A coffee hour will be held from 10:00 to 11:00 a. m. in the Faculty Lounge of the Campus Center Building.

The Thanksgiving Service of Worship for the college community, alumni, parents, and other guests will be held at 11:00 in the auditorium. Class reunions for the classes of '37, '41, '45, '49, '53, and '57 will meet from 12:00 to 1:00.

Annabel Jones Hall, Green Hall and Taylor Hall will observe open house from 2:00 to 4:00. At 4:00, a basketball game will be played in the gym. During the Half-time activities, the Homecoming Queen will be crowned.

The annual Homecoming Dance will be held beginning at 8:30 in the college auditorium, under the sponsorship of the Euterpean and clubs in this area. —Turn to Page Five

## SALE OF SEALS IS NOW AT \$503

Chairman Hopes Enough Funds Will Be Raised To Pay Half Of X-Ray

The Christmas Seal sale of the Transylvania county tuberculosis committee, which began here on November 15th, has grossed \$503.50 through November 22nd, Miss Marie J. Strasser, treasurer of the committee, announced today.

Miss Jeanette Austin, Christmas Seal sale chairman, expressed confidence that the amount necessary to provide one half the cost of an X-ray machine for the new Health center would be raised. She urged everybody to answer their Christmas Seal letter as soon as possible in order that more definite plans. —Turn to Page Four

## Times Giving Free Tickets To Theatre, Read Ads Carefully

Maybe you are the lucky winner of a free ticket to the movies. In all of the Christmas advertisements in this issue are the names that have been chosen from the Times mailing list in impartial numerical manner.

Read these ads carefully and if you find your name, bring a copy of the advertisement to The Times office and you will receive a free ticket to the local theatre.

All tickets must be called for by December 7th and they must be used before Christmas.

You are also urged to take advantage of the many gift values advertised in this issue.

### Help Fight TB



Buy Christmas Seals MORE SHOPPING DAYS 'TIL CHRISTMAS 22

### CALENDAR OF COMING EVENTS

Thursday, Nov. 28 — Thanksgiving Day. Union service at Brevard-Davidson River Presbyterian church, 10:30 a. m. Homecoming at Brevard college. Masonic meeting in temple at 8 p. m.

Friday, Nov. 29 — Christmas parade at 4:30 p. m. Scout committee meets at Duke Power company, 7:30 p. m.

Saturday, Nov. 30 — Brevard college vs. Asheville - Biltmore, college gym, 8 p. m.

Sunday, Dec. 1 — Attend the church of your choice.

Monday, Dec. 2 — County commissioners meet at 10 a. m. Rotary club meets in Gaither's, 7 p. m. Board of aldermen meet at city hall, 7:30 p. m. United Fund directors meet at 7:30 p. m., in Gaither's.

Tuesday, Dec. 3 — Special meeting for women on "Christmas Decorations," 2 p. m., Gaither's. Book and Plate club meets at 8 p. m., with Mrs. Charles Russell. Lutheran women meet with Mrs. Leroy Mills, 8 p. m. Pisgah chapter No. 198. Order of the Eastern Star meets, 8 p. m., in Masonic temple.



**BUD MCKINNEY**, left, of Lake Toxaway, was one of the first hunters to get a deer in the Pisgah National forest on the opening day of the '57 organized deer and bear hunts. He was hunting with Jimmy Alderman, right, of Brevard. (Times Staff Photo)