



PRINCIPAL FIGURES at the dedication of the beautiful new Silversteen gymnasium at Rosman last Friday night are pictured above. At the left on the front row is Supt. Wayne Bradburn presenting the plaque to be erected at the entrance of the gym to Principal E. F. Tilton. Joseph S. Silversteen, the county's pioneer industrialist, in whose honor the

gymnasium is named, is shown in the center. Others in the picture, left to right, are: J. B. Jones, former superintendent of schools; Rev. R. E. Moody; S. E. Varner, Jr., chairman of the board of education; and Mayor A. M. White, extreme right. See story on the sports page. (Times Staff Photo)

Civil Term Of Superior Court To Open Monday, Criminal Docket February 3rd

ANNUAL RED CROSS DINNER SET, 30TH

Director Of Field Service For Tennessee And WNC Will Be The Main Speaker

The annual dinner meeting of the American Red Cross will be held in Gaither's at 6:30 p. m., on January 30th, when an address will be made by Joseph W. Varner. Mr. Varner is director of field service for Tennessee and Western North Carolina in the Southeastern area of Red Cross. He will speak on "Civil Defense." Another guest will be Captain Jack Smathers, of the Civil Air Patrol, who will talk on the activities of the local unit. Mr. Varner was appointed director of the Red Cross field services in this section in October, 1957, after serving as director of disaster services in the Southeastern area since 1955. He has served in other administrative capacities with the national organization during the past 14 years. Prior to becoming disaster di-

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THE FILM DIVISION of the Olin Mathieson Chemical corporation at Pisgah Forest has introduced redesigned line of packaging for Olin cellophane. Formerly, there were 10 different size logos, as compared to 80 now. The new design is on a black ground with the bull's eye in the "O" of Olin in red and the ribbon underneath, with the word "cellophane" in red. Shown above are persons who collaborated with the designer on the new logos and packages. They are, left to right: R. F. Bennett, production manager; E. L. Lynn, asst. general manager; J. H. Truesdail, Pisgah Forest plant manager; J. S. Carpenter, purchasing agent; and, M. L. Herzog, general manager.

JUDGE PLESS TO PRESIDE FIRST, CRAVEN IS NEXT

Docket For Initial Term Carried, Ridings Will Prosecute

JURORS NOTIFIED

The civil calendar of the January-February term of Superior court in Transylvania will be heard next week, beginning Monday morning at 10:00 o'clock.

Some 11 cases and one divorce action are on the civil slate, Marvin McCall, clerk of court, reports.

Judge J. Will Pless, Jr., of Marion, will preside over the civil term, and the clerk reminds all jurors called to serve during the first week to be in the court room by 10 Monday morning.

The criminal slate will be heard the following week, beginning on Monday, Feb. 3rd.

Judge J. B. Craven, Jr., of Morganton, will preside over the criminal term.

The divorce action to be heard next week is that of Floyd W. Ledford vs. Edith Cochran Ledford.

Other motions and actions on the civil docket are as follows: Sarah G. Varner vs. W. C. Bangs. S. E. Varner, Jr., vs. W. C. Bangs. E. V. Dillingham & Citizens vs. Mrs. Walter Lee Norman. U. G. Reeves vs. N.C.S.H. & P.W. C.

Sally McCall vs. Crate McCall. Paul J. Shatley vs. John McKay. George Owen vs. Henson Owen. Marshall Gillespie, Adm. estate of Joan Gillespie vs. W. A. Morgan and Southern Railway Corp. Louisa Scruggs vs. Lillian Knofsky et al. Harriet McCall vs. Chas. D. McCall. Lee Roy Wilson vs. Wm. J. Fitzpatrick & Carolina Industrial bank.

NEW CURRICULUM COMMITTEES BUSY

Studies Are Being Made Of Both Elementary And High School Courses

Transylvania high school and elementary school curriculum committees have started the year off right by meeting and planning for '58, Jerry Rice, who is chairman of both groups, reports.

All schools were represented at the meetings.

The present course offerings in both Rosman and Brevard high school were outlined and discussed. The group voted to take into consideration the establishment of four major divisions of study, as follows: 1. College preparatory, 2. General course, 3. commercial, and 4. vocational (Voc. Agr. or Home Econ.)

If this plan is approved and instituted, each student, upon entering grade 10, would select his major which would be outlined for

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Births Outnumber Deaths, 4-1, In This County Last Year

Births in Transylvania outnumbered deaths more than four to one in 1957, a survey in the register of deeds office reveals today.

During the year, there were 360 births, while 85 deaths were recorded.

More births and deaths were recorded in '57 than there were the previous year.

During '56, deaths were 81 in number, while 334 births were recorded, Paul Whitmire, the register of deeds, reports.

However, there were more births and deaths in Transylvania in 1955 than there were in 1956 or '57. For that year there were as follows: births—365; deaths—86.

The registrar also reports that 55 marriages were recorded here in '57, while in 1956 there were 61.

To Let Contract For 10 Mile Stretch Of Parkway From Beech Gap This Spring

Announcement Made On Monday, Other Action On Road Work Delayed

Ten miles of the Blue Ridge Parkway, starting at Beech Gap, is planned for letting to contract this spring, according to report made by Supt. Sam P. Weems at the quarterly meeting of the N. C. Park Commission held in Waynesville on Tuesday.

Mr. Weems said that original plans called for the entire 20 miles between Beech Gap (or Tennessee Bald above Balsam Grove) to be let in 1958, but that cut in the construction budget for this year would preclude letting the entire stretch from Transylvania county line to Balsam Gap on U. S. 23 between Waynesville and Sylva.

During the day, the commission reaffirmed its stand on the matter of signs along the Blue Ridge Parkway, as set out in the report of July 16. Under the proposed recommendations which have been accepted by the national park service, uniform signs will be erected at all road intersections with the scenic route. The signs will show routing, distance, population and elevation of the adjacent communities.

Film Company Now Visiting In County

Executives of the Trans Film corporation, of New York City, are in Brevard and the county making plans for filming a part of a color motion picture to be released in the spring.

If plans materialize, a crew of technicians and actors will be in the county during the week end to make the "shots".

CALENDAR OF COMING EVENTS

Thursday, Jan. 23 — Transylvania HD club council meets at Gaither's, 11 a. m. Fortnightly club meets at 3:30 with Mrs. Evan Bacon. Masons to meet in Masonic temple at 8 p. m.

Friday, Jan. 24 — New students arrive at Brevard college. Student recital at the college auditorium, 8:15 p. m.

Sunday, Jan. 26 — Attend the church of your choice. District meet of AA's in Gaither's, 3 p. m.

Monday, Jan. 27 — Civil term of Superior Court opens in court house, 10 a. m. Rotary club meets at Gaither's, 7 p. m. Music Lovers club meets at 8 p. m., with Mrs. G. T. Spicer.

Tuesday, Jan. 28 — Spring semester begins at Brevard college. Gold Star Mothers chapter meets with Mrs. Ila Rhodes, 2 p. m. Ace of clubs meets in clubhouse, 7:30 p. m.

Wednesday, Jan. 29 — Joint contractors meeting in city hall, 7:30 p. m.

New Courses Offered

College Students Taking Exams, Spring Term Begins On Tuesday

Brevard College students are this week taking final examinations for the fall semester. Registration for the spring term will be held on Monday, January 27th, in the college auditorium, and new classes will begin on Tuesday.

New students for the spring semester will arrive on Friday, January 24th, for a period of orientation. Some 20 new full-time students are expected for the spring semester, according to Dr. John B. Bennett, dean of the college.

Evening classes will be offered at Brevard College during the spring semester, beginning on Monday, February 3rd. Courses that will be offered are inorganic chemistry, intermediate algebra, salesmanship, reading improvement, and engineering drawing.

Dr. Bennett explains that these courses are a part of the regular teaching load of the faculty members involved and not merely transitory extension work.

Little Theatre Is Now Rehearsing For Mystery, Feb. 21-22

Rehearsals are now underway for "The Mousetrap", the Agatha Christie mystery play the Brevard Little Theatre will present here on February 21 and 22.

Rehearsals are being held in the Ace of Clubs building under the supervision of Robroy Farquhar, the

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Townpeople are invited to register for the courses either for college credit or merely for the practical value to be received with no concern for formal credit.

Faculty members teaching the courses will be: Chemistry—Miss Bobbie J. Nicholson; algebra—Col. Rupert D. Graves; salesmanship—Malcolm Henderson; reading improvement—J. J. Stevenson, Jr.; and, engineering drawing—Henry C. McDonald.

Registration for the courses will take place on Monday evening, January 27th, at 7:00 p. m., in the auditorium of the campus center building. Eligibility must be graduation from an accredited high school or the equivalent.

Dedicate Church Windows Memory Mrs. Silversteen

Three beautiful windows over the altar at the St. Philip's Episcopal church were dedicated in memory of the late Mrs. Joseph S. Silversteen last Sunday morning by the rector, Rev. Frank McKenzie.

In his dedicatory remarks, Mr. McKenzie said:

"These windows are dedicated to the glory of God and in loving memory of Elizabeth M. Silversteen, a very faithful communicant of the St. Philip's church".

MRS. HARLEE TO BE BURIED TODAY

See-Off Resident Died In Florence, Served Draft Board Many Years

Funeral services for Mrs. Allie Blackmer Harlee, 76, will be conducted at 11 a. m. Thursday in the chapel of Moore-Kilpatrick Funeral home here. Rev. B. W. Thomson will officiate.

Burial will be in the Dunn's Creek Baptist church cemetery on See-Off.

Another funeral service was conducted at 10:30 a. m. Wednesday at St. John's Episcopal church in Florence, S. C.

Mrs. Harlee died in Florence on Monday while visiting a daughter there. She had been hospitalized for only two days, though she had been in declining health for several years.

She had served on the draft board during both World Wars and during World War II was secretary of the Transylvania Selective service.

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Cecil Hill Named President Of Brevard Chamber Of Commerce



CECIL J. HILL

Committee Is Named To Work Up Area Folder On "Sapphire Country"

Cecil J. Hill, Brevard attorney and retiring vice president, was elected president of the Brevard Chamber of Commerce at the annual meeting held here Tuesday night by the newly elected board of directors.

Mr. Hill has been on the board for several years, and for the past year, served as vice president under Frank Bridges.

Gil Coan was elected vice president; C. M. Douglas—recording secretary, Harry Sellers—treasurer; Alex Kizer—auditor; and Mrs. John A. Ford re-elected as executive secretary.

Raymond F. Bennett was re-named as a member of the Transylvania Community hospital board of trustees, which place he has held for several years.

The new president urged that special work be done toward securing small industrial plants for this county during 1958, and a concerted move to persuade people to "live at home and trade at home."

A vote of thanks was given the retiring officers for work done during the year when the membership was reported as a new all-time high of 201. A recorded vote of thanks was also made for the work Curtis

L. Kelly has done in the chamber of commerce during the many years he served on the board of directors and did other community work.

A committee of Gil Coan, John

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The Weather

Monday night brought the first sizeable amount of rainfall for the week. Generally, the week showed only cold, clear weather. The lowest temperature for the past seven days was recorded Saturday night, when the mercury reached 13.

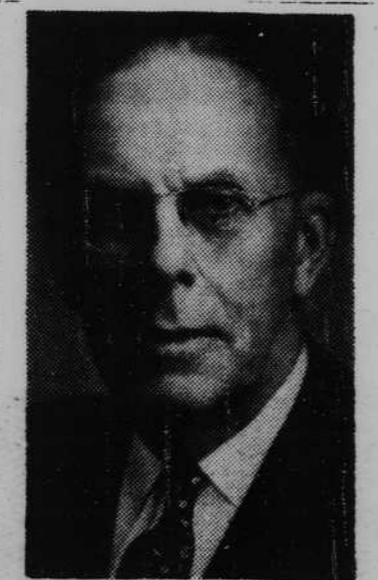
	High	Low	Pre.
Wednesday	45	28	.02
Thursday	45	29	0
Friday	38	26	0
Saturday	39	16	0
Sunday	48	13	0
Monday	47	27	0
Tuesday	52	32	1.46

Representative George A. Shuford Announces Candidacy For Re-election

Rep. George A. Shuford announced his candidacy for re-election to the national House of Representatives on Tuesday.

Rep. Shuford, a native of Asheville, an attorney and one-time superior court judge and also a combat veteran of World War I, is now serving his third term in Congress. During this period, he has concentrated on legislation affecting veterans, improved facilities for disabled veterans, the Great Smoky Mountains National Park, Blue Ridge Parkway and Cherokee Indians. He is a member of committees handling these subjects.

Rep. Shuford, during his distinguished public career, has served as a member of the General Assembly, superior court judge and chairman of the Buncombe county board of elections.



REPRESENTATIVE SHUFORD

P-TA Makes Appeal For Warm Clothing For School Pupils

An appeal for clothing for boys and girls of school age is made today by the Brevard elementary P-TA.

Mrs. J. E. Smith, chairman of the project, says that there is a dire need for warm clothing, especially for boys and girls of elementary school age.

She suggests that parents having clothing which they wish to contribute to send them to the schools by their children, or Mrs. Smith can be reached by telephoning 3-2451.

TAX LISTING CONTINUES

Tax listing continues in the court house, and Lewis Osborne, the tax supervisor, reminds all citizens to list during January.

WPNF Program Highlights

Awards Program Of Jaycees To Be Heard On Air Thursday Afternoon

The Jaycee program, on which Transylvania's outstanding "young man of the year" and the young farmer will be made will be heard over WPNF on Thursday afternoon at 5:00 o'clock.

These awards are made annually by the Jaycees to those young men of achievement who are between the ages of 21 and 35. Key awards will also be made to outstanding members of the Brevard Jaycee club, President Bobby Hoyle reports.

Cecil J. Hill, Brevard attorney, and the first recipient of the DSA here, will be the principal speaker

on the program. Other DSA winners will be recognized.

Other Programs

The schedule for the Farm and Home hour for the coming week is as follows: Thursday, Extension forestry, Fred E. Whitfield; Friday, ASC office, Marvin Whitmire; Monday, county agent's office; Tuesday, Soil conservation service, Harry E. Newland; Wednesday, home agent's office.

On the Civic hour the following will be heard: Friday, Brevard Garden club; Monday, Book and Plate club; Wednesday, American leg-

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