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Olin Mathieson Is Given State Honor

Contributions to the general cultural advancement of the community by the Film and Ecusta Paper operations have won for Olin Mathieson a Corporate Citizenship award, given by the North Carolina Literary and Historical association, Inc.

The award was announced recently at the association's annual meeting in Raleigh, by J. A. Kellenberger, of Greensboro.

Olin Mathieson was one of three corporations with business enterprises in North Carolina, which received such an award.

First prize was given to Burlington Industries, and the other corporation named along with Olin Mathieson was Hanes Hosiery company.

Since the program was established in 1957, awards have been presented to the Jefferson Standard Foundation, High Point Enterprise and R. J. Reynolds Tobacco company.

Nominations of business enterprises for these awards is made by civic organizations in various communities throughout the state, and selection of the corporations to be honored is made by a committee of five members representing national and regional business and cultural organizations.

Selection is based on activities and community services on such matters as: Attention to the attractiveness of the physical appearance of plant and grounds; architecture, arrangement and upkeep of buildings; cleanliness of the grounds; landscaping; and other similar considerations that are of benefit to the general public as well as to employees and customers.

Also taken into consideration are the company's contributions to civic and cultural activities of the community, gifts to educational and other causes, and the promotion and encouragement of various movements for community betterment and good citizenship.

Warren Foster To Speak At Football Banquet

Plans have been completed for the big banquet of the Brevard Rotary club for the championship Brevard high school football team on Monday night, January 23rd, in Gaither's Rhododendron room.

It will get underway promptly at 7:00 o'clock, and the invited guests will include the squad members, the managers, the coaches and cheerleaders and school officials.

Warren Foster, of Atlanta, Ga., one of the most sought after speakers for banquet programs, will speak at the meeting, and he will be introduced by Lloyd Biggerstaff, of Hendersonville.

Mr. Foster is connected with the public relations department of the Coca-Cola Bottling company, and the Rotarians are extremely delighted to have him to speak before their distinguished guests.

CALENDAR OF COMING EVENTS

Thursday, January 19 — Kiwanis club meets at Gaither's at 6:45 p.m. Lions club meets at Colonial Inn at 7:00 p.m. BPW club meets at Brevard Methodist church at 7:00 p.m. Masons meet at Temple at 7:30 p.m. Humane Society meets with Mrs. Ralph Palmer at 8:00 p.m.

Friday, January 20 — Ace of Clubs meets at 8:00 p.m. Sunday, January 22 — Attend the church of your choice.

Monday, January 23 — Rotary banquet honoring Brevard Football team at Gaither's at 7:00 p.m. Junior High School P-TA meets at school at 8:00 p.m. Music Lovers club meets with Mrs. Nelson Adams at 8:00 p.m.

Tuesday, January 24 — Ace of Clubs meets at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, January 25 — Jaycees annual DSA banquet at Gaither's at 7:00 p.m.

Melton To Head Commerce Body

Robert W. "Buddy" Melton, popular Brevard insurance and real estate executive, was elected president of the Brevard chamber of commerce at a special call meeting Tuesday night in the library. He succeeds Charles F. Himes.

Other officers elected at the meeting are as follows: Freeman Hayes — vice-president.

James M. Wulpi — recording secretary.

Vernon P. Fullbright — treasurer.

Mrs. John Ford — executive secretary.

President Melton is expected to have several announcements concerning committee chairmen and other plans for the new year in the immediate future.

The next meeting will be held on Tuesday night, February 14th, at the library, and Mr. Melton urges all members of the new board to make every effort to attend.

The entire membership is also invited.

Brevard GOP Elects New Officers

Brevard Republicans elected their officers at an organizational meeting recently.

They are: Lloyd Burhans, chairman; Steve Thomas, vice chairman; and Mrs. Earl B. Johnson, secretary.

These with five permanent committee chairmen comprise the steering committee which are as follows: Ed Morley, membership and finance; Bruce Brown, education and training; Gus Tucker, registration and voting; Mrs. John Truesdall, publicity and promotion; and James Wulpi, liaison and legislation.

Mr. Burhans states that the purpose of this new organization is to

Three From County At Inauguration

Brevard will be represented at the inauguration by at least three persons this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennett Jones left Wednesday night for the nation's capitol, and Alvin J. Patterson went up earlier this week, combining a business and pleasure trip.

Mr. Jones served for two terms as chairman of the YDC here, and also as chairman of the 12th Congressional YDC for one term. He was on the board of elections for two terms.

Mr. Patterson has also been active in the affairs of the Democratic party in Transylvania, and he is owner and manager of Pat's Outlet.

Jaycees To Hold DSA Banquet January 25th, Brady To Speak

Final plans for the Brevard Jaycees' annual DSA banquet are announced by banquet chairman, Bill Norris, today.

The banquet, which is the highlight of the Jaycee year, will be held on Wednesday evening, January 25th, in Gaither's Rhododendron room at 7:00 p.m.

This year's affair will be open to the public by reservation. Plates will be \$2.00 each, and all reservations should be made to chairman Norris no later than noon Tuesday, January 24th.

The main address of the evening will be made by J. P. Brady, of Franklin. Mr. Brady, editor of the Franklin Press and a speaker of note throughout western North Carolina, has long



A SECTION of 48-inch corrugated metal pipe is placed in its concrete cradle as construction advances on a dam for new Lake Toxaway in our North Carolina Blue Ridge Mountains. This pipe

beneath the dam's 350-foot-thick base may be used to lower the lake's level for maintenance or in emergency. Normally the waters of the Toxaway River will flow over a 60-foot spillway.

Giant Machinery Is Busy, Bed Half Clear

To Make Canvass In Behalf Of Pioneer Fund

House-to-house solicitation to raise the balance of the Pioneer Fund for the Transylvania centennial will be carried out in the county by teams of volunteer workers under the chairmanship of Ray M. Winchester, it was announced by Mrs. Mary Jane McCrary, the chairman of the Historical Commission.

Mr. Winchester is dividing the territory into several districts and will have a captain and assistants in each district.

The workers will meet Thursday evening, January 26th, Mr. Winchester said.

"The time has come to take a vigorous action in this fund program," Mr. Winchester said, "and it cannot be postponed further. The volunteers will make calls on a house to house basis in the county and it is hoped that every one will co-operate and that we will have generous support and contributions from the Centennial when the people are called upon by the team members."

Membership in the Pioneers is \$5 for adults and \$1 for students.

Membership entitles the holder to a general admission to one of the performances of the pageant and a series of other special events that are scheduled during the Centennial celebration, Mr. Winchester explained.

Lake Toxaway, millionaires' vacation mecca in the Blue Ridge Mountains before it vanished nearly a half-century ago, will reappear within 60 days, its owners have announced.

Construction is moving rapidly on a new dam being built with modern engineering techniques for Lake Toxaway Estates, Inc. It will replace the original dam whose break in 1916 erased the resort from vacation maps.

A half-million dollars worth of heavy equipment of A.P. White and Associates, Charlotte is slicing off the top of a mountain and moving specially-selected clay material to form the dam's base 350 feet thick. Giant drag pans loaded with tons of earth rumble down the mountainside to spread their loads, then roar again to the top while crawler tractors with sheepsfoot rollers pack the clay solid.

Old residents of the area who remember the mule-pan method of moving dirt and rubble to the original dam find the contrast striking.

The new dam will rise 60 feet above the bed of the Toxaway River, impounding waters 50 feet deep at the dam. When the lake is filled to its 14-mile shoreline, water will flow over a solid granite spillway 60 feet wide. In addition, a 48-inch "drawdown" pipe will run beneath the base of the dam, a feature lacking in the original. The pipe can be used to lower the lake's level for maintenance purposes, or in case of emergency.

The lake bed, thickly grown up during the last half-century, is now more than half cleared again of pulpwood and saw timber. A local fire warden is supervising the burning.

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1960 Fire Losses Were \$41,010 In Town, Emergencies Answered

The Brevard Volunteer Fire department answered a total of 39 alarms during the year 1960, according to a report today by Chief Dan Merrill.

Of this number, 14 were inside the city limits, 22 were outside the city limits, and three were false alarms.

On the 14 calls made within the city, the estimated loss on buildings was \$16,965, and on contents was \$24,045.00. The estimated value of these buildings was \$75,700.00, and of their contents, \$46,450.00.

The main loss was the A & P Store fire where the combined loss was \$40,000.00. Loss on the other 13 fires totaled \$1,010.00, which is just over one per cent of property involved.

Only one call was answered by the department during the months of August, September and October, and that one was

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Order Issued

Boards And Health Group Seeking Garbage Dump Site

Public officials here are busy investigating the possibility of having a new garbage dump for the town of Brevard and citizens of Transylvania county.

The board of aldermen and county commissioners have met with the members of the Transylvania Board of Health and have discussed the matter at length.

A number of sites are being investigated by the investigating committee, consisting of Tom Henry, Mark Osborne, Dr. James Sanders and Walter Hart, the senior sanitarian of the health department.

At a recent emergency meet-

ing of the board of health, a resolution was presented and unanimously adopted, condemning the present dump off the Rosman road in the Rocky Hill section of the county.

Evidence presented brought out the facts, that the dump is a nuisance and a health hazard to the many people living in that area.

It was also stated that within a short while the dump will be filled to capacity.

The resolution adopted condemns the dump and orders it discontinued on or before March 28, 1961.

Bob Boyd, the new chairman of the Transylvania Board of County Commissioners, was elected chairman of the Board of Health at the meeting. He succeeds Freeman Hayes.

Gene Morris, whose term on the board was expiring, was re-elected.

Other members of the board, in addition to Mr. Boyd, Dr. Sanders and Mr. Morris, are: B. H. Freeman, Dr. Walter Clayton, Mickler Lusk, Wayne Bradburn, and Dr. John Folger, public health officer, is the secretary.

Costa Ricans To Visit In Brevard

Two coaches and teachers from Costa Rica will visit in the Asheville district of the Methodist church for a week later this month to study the coaching and physical education program in this area.

According to Rev. Courtney Ross, pastor of the Brevard Methodist church, they will be in Brevard on Thursday and Friday, January 26th and 27th.

On the first day, they will visit Brevard College and Coach "Chick" Martin will explain to them the set-up at the local institution.

On the following day they will visit the Brevard Senior High school, accompanied by Supt. Wayne Bradburn. They will study the facilities, equipment, and all phases of the athletic program.

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Bennett Again Chairman Of The Hospital Board

Raymond F. Bennett, production manager of the film di-



vision of the Olin Mathieson Chemical corporation, was re-elected chairman of the Board of Trustees of the Transylvania Community hospital at the annual meeting Tuesday night.

Other officers who were re-elected are as follows: A. J. Loeb, vice chairman; Ralph H. Ramsey, Jr., secretary; and W. W. Brittain, treasurer.

During the business session, the medical staff was reappointed as follows:

Dr. E. Gaine Cannon, Dr. George B. Dysart, Dr. John R. Folger, Dr. Mac Roy Gasque, Dr. Charles L. Newland, Dr. Joe E. Osborne, Dr. Carl Plumb, Dr. Julius Sader, Dr. James Sanders, Dr. Robert L. Stricker, and Dr. Marius H. Wells.

Serving on the dental staff are Dr. Carol Grahl and Dr. Walter Clayton.

Chairman Bennett reported at a recent meeting of the Cham-

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Brookshires Say Thanks To All!

Coach and Mrs. Cliff Brookshire would like to express their deep gratitude to the citizens of Brevard and Transylvania for the beautiful station wagon that was presented to them on behalf of the community.

"It was the most wonderful Christmas present that we have ever received, and we will treasure it always."

They were also most appreciative of the furniture, which was presented to them by the furniture stores of Brevard.

"Since we have been in Brevard, everybody has been so very kind to us," the Brookshires commented.

They said that they'd like to thank each person personally who had a part in the gifts, but since there were so many in all parts of the town and county that it would be impossible to do so.

"But we do want you to know that we thank you from the bottom of our hearts," Coach and Mrs. Brookshire declared.

The Times is happy to run this sincere note of appreciation from these two fine persons.

Local Musicians To Play In "All-State" Band

The annual Western District High School Band clinic scheduled for Friday and Saturday at Western Carolina college at Cullowhee will include 14 members from the outstanding Brevard High School band.

Seven of the 14 Brevard musicians will play first chair in this "all-state" band. They are:

Lib Holder, bass clarinet; Frances Bryant, tympani; J. E. Anderson, first bass horn; Karen Galloway, first tenor saxophone; Susan Farley, first clarinet; Gail Baker, flute; and Tommy English, French horn.

Other Brevard players who will play are Gayle Lance, second clarinet; Lynne Stricker, clarinet; Janie Watson, clarinet;

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Brevard Banking Group Re-Elected By Stockholders

Stockholders of the First Union National Bank met in Charlotte on Tuesday and the local directors were re-elected as follows:

W. M. Melton, chairman
R. F. Bennett
Ralph J. Duckworth
Lestie S. Grogan
Ceil J. Hill

A meeting of the directors followed the stockholders meeting, and it was continued until Wednesday.

Local officers who are expected to be re-elected by the directors are as follows:

Ralph J. Duckworth, vice-president
Melvin Gillespie, cashier
Rowell D. Bosse, assistant cashier
Mrs. Catherine M. Henderson, assistant cashier.

James C. Hicklin, assistant cashier and manager of loan department.

Log Reviewed

Many Religious Programs Are Being Heard Daily Over WPNF

A large portion of WPNF's public service broadcast time is devoted to religious programming, Bobby Hoyle, station manager announces.

The Sunday morning church services of many of Brevard's churches, are broadcast regularly for the benefit of the people who cannot attend. During January, these broadcasts are being originated from the Wesleyan Methodist Church.

The station manager also urges the listening audience to hear

Morning Devotions, conducted daily at 9:00 o'clock a.m., by ministers from throughout the county.

Mr. Hoyle also announces that the Sunday evening services of the Brevard Faith Assembly are now heard weekly under the direction of the Rev. Rudolph Nichols. Broadcast time is 8:30 o'clock.

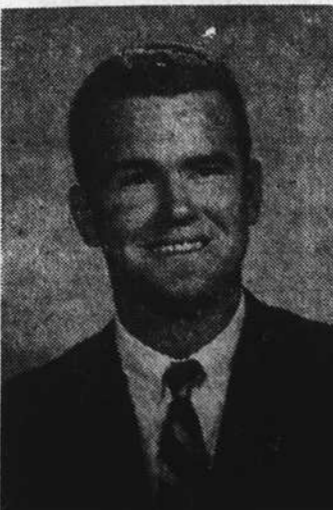
Other Programs
The schedule for the Fern and Home Hour for the com-

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The Weather

Threats of snow gave way to rain clouds during the week end, as 1.74 inches of precipitation soaked Brevard. This was the first sizable amount of precipitation here since the first of the year. Temperatures continued to vary, from a low of 15 degrees to a high of 65. Daily readings are as follow:

	High	Low	Pre.
Wednesday	60	15	0
Thursday	65	16	0
Friday	55	17	0
Saturday	48	37	1.54
Sunday	51	42	.20
Monday	46	36	0
Tuesday	55	22	0



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