



AT WORK ON THE LAWN of the Lutheran Church of the Good Shepherd is a group of young people participating in the first experimental Luther League Work camp in North Carolina. The youngsters, ages 15 to 21, who paid all their expenses in connection with project, did painting, landscaping, transplanting shrubs and flowers, and other chores. (Times Staff Photo)

Town Budget Approved

The Town Board of Aldermen has approved a record budget of \$255,045 for the fiscal year 1961-62.

Actual operating expenditures amount to \$231,595, while the breakdown for debt service is as follows: payments to principal, \$9,000; interest, \$16,210; and bank charges, \$90.

Operation expenditures for the past year total \$223,854. The new budget is based on a valuation of \$6,000,000, and the tax rate remains at the same figure, \$1.45.

The new budget was presented this week to the Aldermen by William E. Edens, Town Manager, and it now goes on public inspection for a period of 20 days before adoption.

\$10,000 is allocated in the new budget for the improvement of city streets and curbing. The town also anticipates buying a new garbage truck during the coming year.

Appropriations in the budget for the various departments are as follows:

- Mayor and board, \$17,585
 - Administration, \$38,070
 - Police department, \$41,665
 - Fire department, \$10,025
 - Streets and sanitation department, \$61,760
 - Water and sewer department, \$52,515
 - Recreation department, \$6,915
 - Contingency, \$3,000
- In other action at the meeting, the board agreed to sell the Williamson Creek property, jointly owned by the town and county, to the highest bidder over and above \$6,000.

The prospective purchaser will —Turn To Page Four

Welcome To Transylvania Extended All Campers And Summer Visitors



THREE TRANSYLVANIA WINNERS in the District elimination 4-H contest held recently at the Clyde Erwin high school near Asheville are pictured above. All three placed in the blue ribbon groups. Seated is Donny Sarrette who teamed up with Larry Merrill, standing, left, on an electric fence demonstration. At the right is Don Merrill, whose demonstration was on vegetable production. Absent when the picture was made was David Cantrell, who was in the top four in the tractor operators contest. Jane Shuford was the county winner in the dress revue, and her picture was carried in last week's Times. (Extension Staff Photo)

Capacity Groups Are Reported At 18 Fine Camps

With all the 18 organized summer camps in Transylvania reporting capacity enrollment, officials of the town and county and heads of civic organizations join hands in issuing a most cordial welcome to the campers, summer visitors and others here for a vacation this season.

It is with a glad hand of friendship that they roll out the welcoming mat to this beautiful land of lakes and waterfalls, which is also recognized as a "mecca for summer camps."

Through the columns of the Transylvania Times this week many merchants and others are welcoming the campers and other visitors to town. Editor John Anderson urges all readers to especially note the write-ups on many of the camps.

During the next few weeks, The Times will carry stories on all of the camps. Also, in this issue a series of camp pictures was started, and it will be continued throughout the summer.

BEST YEAR

From all indications, this summer will be a peak year in tourist business, and already thousands of cars are seen in the great Pisgah National Forest, as people from the lowlands come up to the mountains in an effort to escape the heat and to see this famed wonderland of nature.

Drug stores, eating establishments, hotels, motels, inns, etc., in the county, report a sharp increase in the tourist business.

Bob Boyd, chairman of the Transylvania county board of commissioners, B. W. Thomson, mayor of Brevard and "Buddy" Melton president of the chamber of commerce, join hands in welcoming all visitors, and they will be glad to give information or other assistance through the office of the commerce group, which is located in the library.

Transylvania has long been —Turn To Page Four

Olin Mathieson Picnic To Highlight Fourth Of July

Highlighting the Fourth of July observance in Transylvania will be the 20th annual picnic at beautiful Camp Harry H. Straus on Tuesday.

Each year the event is attended by more than 5,000 persons, and the largest attendance ever is expected this year.

The day in Brevard and Transylvania will be a holiday, with stores, the bank and the post office being closed.

Town and county offices will observe both Monday and Tuesday as holidays, and the Commissioners meeting which is usually held on the first Monday has been postponed until next Wednesday night at 8:00 p.m. The Town Board meeting has been changed from Monday evening to the following Monday evening.

There will be no delivery of city or rural mail on Tuesday, and the General Delivery window will be open from 11:30 to 12:00 noon, according to Vernon Fullbright, acting postmaster.

Inns, rooming houses, motels and guest homes are expecting a rushing business this weekend, thousands of persons from lower elevations come to these mountains for the Fourth of July observance and to escape the summer heat.

Transylvania's highway patrolmen, Bill Sawyer and Charlie Capell, make an urgent plea for motorists to drive with extreme caution over the Fourth of July weekend, which is one of the most dangerous periods of driving on the nation's highways.

The program at the Olin Mathieson picnic at Camp Straus —Turn To Page Five

Many Artists

Full Weekend Of Concerts Scheduled At Music Camp

Full weekend concerts get underway June 30-July 2nd at Brevard Music Center and will feature both classical and contemporary favorites.

Opening the series will be the Brevard Music Center Symphony orchestra, directed by James Christian Pfohl, with violinist Emil Raab and cellist Margaret Christy as featured soloists. Mr. Raab and Miss Christy are both members of the Transylvania Music Camp faculty as well as the Alabama String Quartet.

Mr. Raab, dean of faculty, holds the Bachelor of Music and Master of Music degrees from the University of Michigan and has studied at Juilliard and Eastman Schools of Music. He has had extensive experience in symphony orchestras throughout the country both as a performer and a conductor.

Miss Christy, one of the original members of the Alabama String Quartet, has coached privately with the members of the Budapest Quartet and studied

Crews Will Pick Up Brush, Trash Thursday, Friday

The free trash and brush pick up for Brevard citizens will be conducted again this weekend.

Trash and brush must be placed on the side of the street on Thursday and Friday, so that the clean-up can be completed by Saturday noon.

Town Manager William E. "Bill" Edens reminds citizens that there will be no garbage collection next Tuesday because of the Fourth of July observance. Collections will be made the following day.

Jurors Called For July Term Of Superior Court, Opens 17th

Jurors for the July term of Superior court in Transylvania have been drawn and are announced today by Marvin McCall, clerk of Superior court.

The criminal term will be held during the first week, beginning on Monday, July 17th. The civil docket will be heard the following week.

Judge Hugh D. Campbell, of Charlotte, will preside over the court, and Leonard Lowe, of Forest City, will prosecute for the state.

Called to serve during the first week are the following:
J. F. Aycock
James Paul Bowen
H. N. Burns

for one summer with Pablo Casals in Prades, France.

Saturday's concert will feature guest conductor Richard Bales of the National Gallery orchestra.

Mr. Bales will direct the newly-formed Brevard Music Center Sinfonietta and the Transylvania Choral Ensemble in his two cantatas, "The Union" and "The Confederacy," based on music of the North and the South during the years of 1861-65. Both works feature baritone and soprano solos and a speaker. This work is being performed as a part of the Civil War Centennial and Fourth of July celebration. He has made a number of recordings and transcriptions, and has 27 major compositions to his credit.

On Sunday, Meredith Zara, the first of three Brevard Music Center Young Artist Award winners, will appear in solo with the Transylvania Symphony with Dr. Pfohl conducting.

Miss Zara, who is a graduate of Indiana University, is considered one of the promising young sopranos today. She has appeared extensively as a soloist in Atlanta and in Philadelphia. This spring she won the Georgia State Metropolitan Opera Auditions.

Concerts on next Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday evening —Turn To Page Five

Ground Breaking Exercises For New Church At Little River Set

Groundbreaking exercises will be held at the Little River Baptist church on Sunday, July 1st, at the 11:00 o'clock worship service.

Construction on a new church auditorium and educational building valued at \$85,000 will then begin, according

Many Attending Summer School

An extremely busy summer session is currently in progress at the Brevard junior high school, according to Principal Joseph W. McGuire, Jr.

Approximately 110 students are enrolled for the session, which is being conducted from June 12th through July 21st. These students come not only from Brevard high school, but also from Brevard junior high, Rosman high school, East Henderson high school and Christ School as well.

Seven teachers are instructing the students, who are studying English one, two, three and four, typing, history, civics, geography, French, Spanish, biology, general science, algebra and geometry. In addition, all eighth grade subjects are being taught, as well as a special course in reading improvement.

Several classroom teachers are enrolled in typing and Spanish classes to improve their knowledge of these subjects.

Mr. McGuire pointed out that —Turn To Page Four

The Weather

Higher temperatures came in to Transylvania with the official arrival of summer last week. Along with those higher temperatures, came showers which thoroughly soaked the ground and everything thereon. A pleasant weekend with plenty of sunshine and a few fleecy clouds of white was followed by a blue Monday during which precipitation seldom ceased. Official readings for the past week:

	High	Low	Pre.
Wednesday	74	57	2.55
Thursday	79	58	.06
Friday	80	53	.02
Saturday	78	52	0
Sunday	82	53	0
Monday	75	57	.61
Tuesday	75	56	.50

to Rev. Jarvis Brock, pastor of the church.
Henry C. McDonald is architect for the building, and C. E. Cochran is the builder.
They will participate on Sunday's program, along with Newton Pickelsimer, building —Turn To Page Three

A New Sylvan Valley Folk Festival Opens Monday Night

Folk music, square dancing and beautiful girls will be very much in evidence in Brevard next week as the new Sylvan Valley Folk Festival gets under way.

The Brevard Jaycees and Jayettes have made elaborate plans to stage the festival, which will be the first big event helping to celebrate the centennial of Transylvania county.

Entertainers and square dance teams from all over Western North Carolina have been invited to participate in the festival, which will be held next Monday and Tuesday night, July 3rd, and 4th, on the lighted Junior high school athletic field.

Square dance teams participating include two teams from Champion Y in Canton, the Brevard Western style team, the Ruby Ramblers from Franklin and the Candler smooth square dancers.

String bands performing will be the Pigeon Valley Ramblers, the Carolina Mountain Boys, the Cumberland Mountain boys and —Turn To Page Five

Progress Noted

Savings And Loan Will Pay \$125,000 In Dividends



JACK BRYANT, prominent electrical contractor and former member of the town board of aldermen, was installed as the new president of the Brevard Rotary club at a ladies' night banquet Monday evening at Camp Deerwoode. He succeeds Jim Davis.

Semi-Annual dividends, totaling over \$125,000, will be paid this week by the Brevard Federal Savings and Loan association for the period ending June 30, 1961, Jerry Jerome, the president, announces today.

Last year the association paid \$236,000.00, and resources today are over seven million dollars.

The interest rate being paid is four per cent per annum, and all accounts are insured up to \$10,000.

Mr. Jerome urges persons who do not have a savings account at the Brevard Federal Savings and Loan association to open one and to share in the December dividend.

Officers and Directors
Officers of the association, in addition to President Jerome, are A. F. Mitchell, vice president and attorney; Jerry Hart Jerome, executive vice president and treasurer; J. I. Ayers, assistant treasurer and secretary; J. H. Tinsley, assistant secretary.

The directors are: Jerry Jerome, A. F. Mitchell, Jerry Hart Jerome, J. H. Tinsley, J. I. Ayers, H. B. Shiflet, W. L. Mull, and Edwin Morgan.

Advice Is Given On Polio Shots For Pre-Schoolers

According to Dr. John E. Folger, Jr., Transylvania health officer, the North Carolina State Board of Health has passed on the recent recommendations of the American Academy of Pediatrics concerning polio immunizations.

Infants who begin their series at less than six months are to receive monthly injections for three months. While those over six months receive only two injections a month apart, initially, thereafter, an injection is given seven months later, a booster a year later, then additional boosters every two years.

The local health department has been authorized to provide at no cost polio shots for those of pre-school age. Those of school age or over who receive polio are charged one dollar per injection.

Program Highlights

Many Entries Are Received In WPNF's Summerama Show

WPNF's station manager, Al Martin, has announced the first weekly winner in the "Summerama" Money-gram contest which began on Monday, June 19th. The winner was David Phillips, who correctly identified the first week's slogan as "Listen to us all summer."

Others who correctly identified the slogan were: Mrs. C. L. Clark, Mike Galloway, Mrs. Walter K. Hoyle, Mrs. Martin Turbyfill, Ed Garrett, Mrs. Jane Evett,

Tommy Kearns, Mrs. Richard Rice, Anna Gay Anderson, Georgia C. Holden, Mrs. Alfred Galloway, Mrs. Jerry Mann, Mrs. Donald N. Tinsley, L. R. Hipp and Mabel Shelton.

All these persons, including the weekly winner, will be eligible for the giant jackpot drawing in September. All entrants for each weekly contest who correctly identify the slogan before it is announced on the air will also —Turn To Page Four

First Sunday Sing Slated

The First Sunday Singing Convention will be held Sunday afternoon, July 2nd, in the court house here in Brevard, beginning at 2:30 o'clock.

According to Chief "Burr" Thurston, the singing will last until around 4:30, and he cordially invites the public to attend. "This is your singing convention, and we want you to feel free to come as a singer or as a listener," he declares.

The singing conventions will continue each first Sunday afternoon.

Shriners Continue Auction

Transylvania Shriners will continue their absolute auction on Friday night, June 30th, beginning at 7:30 o'clock, in the Masonic temple on East Main street.

Hundreds of items were sold at the auction last weekend, and there are still several items on hand to be disposed of at the Friday night sale.

In order to give more persons a chance to bid on them, the Shriners decided to continue the auction this Friday evening. John A. Ford and other members of the Shriners club are serving as auctioneers, and the public is cordially invited to attend the sale every Friday evening.