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Brevard Community 8,500
Brevard proper 4,857.

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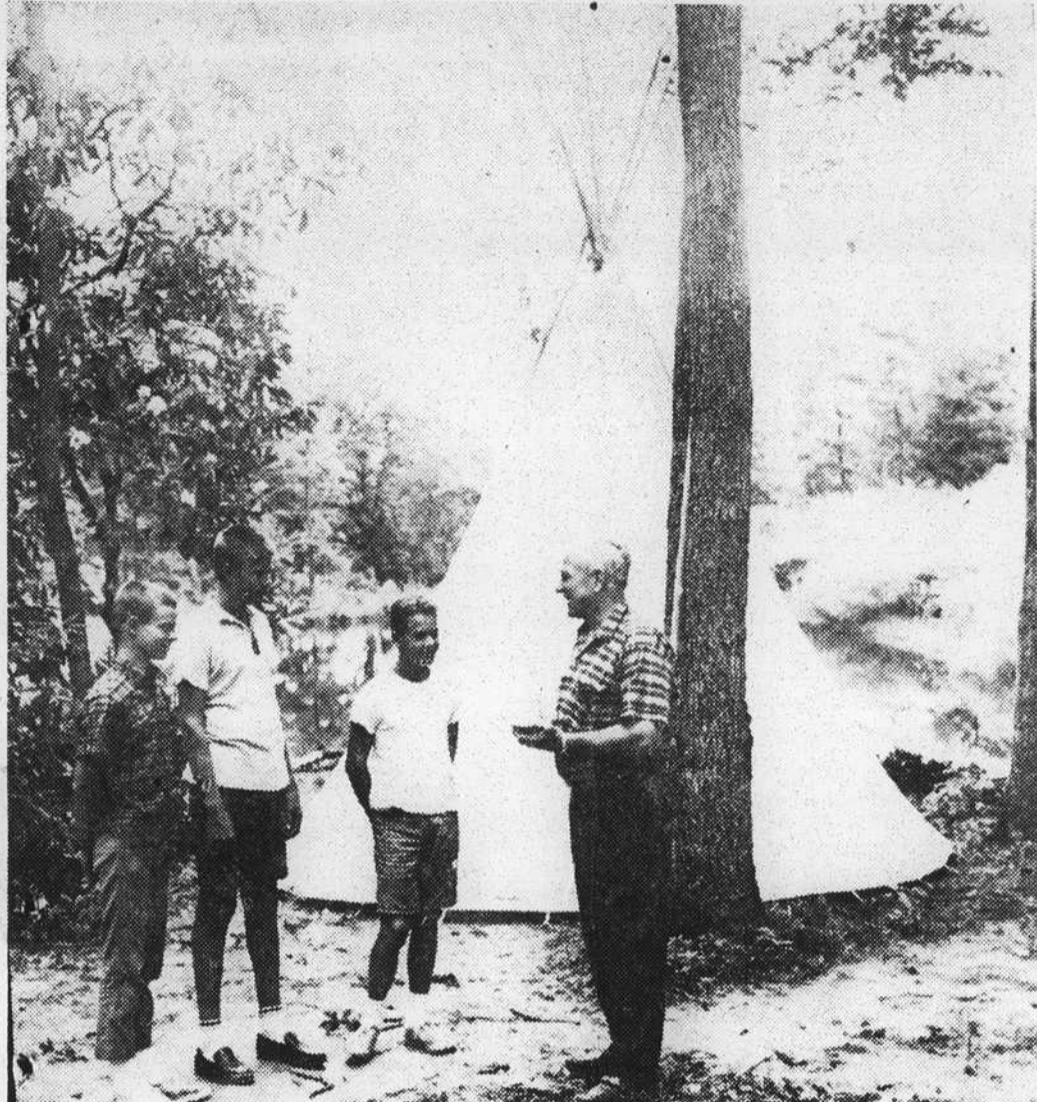
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THREE EAGLE'S NEST CAMPERS are shown above discussing with Dr. Alex. Waite, camp director, plans for an Indian campfire. The campers are divided into four Indian tribes, and one of their teepees can be seen in the photo above. The campers are, left to right, Dale Fisher, of Miami, Florida; Pete Mallison and Mike Ezell, both of Fort Lauderdale, Florida; and Dr. Waite. (Times Staff Photo)

Eagle's Nest Camp Is Having Excellent Season, Review Made

By STAFF WRITER

Eagle's Nest Camp for boys and girls, located in the scenic Little River valley on Hart Road near Cascade Lake, is reaching the mid-point of its 1961 season with facilities filled to capacity with campers mostly from Florida but with representatives from many other states as well. The camp operates under the direction of Dr. and Mrs. Alex. Waite.

Dr. Waite who has written books on child guidance, devotes full time during the summer months to the important program of the camp. His wife is the executive director, and his daughter, Dr. Mariella Waite, is head counselor.

Dr. Waite is professor of psychology at Rollins College, Winter Park, Florida.

A large counselling staff (ratio 4:1 campers to staff) comprised of parents, teachers and students, all well educated in child development, cares for the welfare and provides instruction and guidance for boys and girls from 6 to 18.

Four outstanding additions have been made to the staff this year, Philip Slaton, Dr. John Kelson, Warner Mallison and Frank Meyer.

Mr. Slaton, who was formerly with Howey-in-the-Hills Academy in Florida, is the new Assistant to the Director working year round for the Camp.

Dr. Kelson, a professor of psychology at Davidson College in North Carolina, directs the —Turn to Page Five

CALENDAR OF COMING EVENTS

Thursday, July 20 — Kiwanis club meets at Gaither's at 6:45 p.m. Lions club meets at Colonial Inn at 7:00 p.m.

Friday, July 21 — Ace of Clubs meets at 8:00 p.m. Historical meeting at Junior High school at 8:00 p.m. Music Camp concert at 8:15 p.m.

Saturday, July 22 — Story Time at library, 9:30 a.m. Music Camp concert at 8:15 p.m.

Sunday, July 23 — Attend the church of your choice. Music Camp concert at 4:00 p.m.

Monday, July 24 — Red Cross home service training class at Gaither's, 10:00 a.m. Rotary meets at Gaither's at 7:00 p.m. Music Camp concert at 8:15 p.m.

Tuesday, July 25 — Ace of Clubs meets at 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday, July 26 — Jaycees meet at Gaither's at 6:30 p.m. Music Camp concert at 8:15 p.m.

Big Doings

11th Annual Whitewater Falls Picnic Slated 26th

By WALLACE BREWER

WHITWATER — The 11th annual Whitewater Falls picnic will be held at the North-South Carolina State line within the famous scenic national park on Wednesday, July 26th, at the noon hour. A most cordial invitation has been extended to the general public to attend the annual event, which is a promotional activity to promote the completion of the Whitewater Falls pavement to US 64. The public basket picnic is sponsored by the Brevard Chamber of Commerce and the Sapphire-Whitewater community and civic organization of North Carolina, and the Salem - Whitewater area of Oconee, South Carolina. In case of rain, a tent will be spread for the convenience of the public.

With the Whitewater Falls the highest cascades of Eastern

The Weather

Summertime weather continued during the past week in Transylvania. Maximum daily temperature averaged 81 degrees, with the average minimum at 58 degrees. Participation totaled just over two and one-third inches. Official readings for the past seven days:

	High	Low	Prec.
Wednesday	75	55	.98
Thursday	80	57	.40
Friday	85	55	.03
Saturday	83	59	.30
Sunday	84	58	.54
Monday	84	58	0
Tuesday	79	62	.10

To Make Plans For Centennial At Meeting This Friday Evening

A most important meeting of all persons interested in participating in the gigantic Transylvania county centennial celebration will be held Friday evening at 8:00 o'clock in the auditorium of the Brevard junior high school.

Edward Norris, of the Rogers Production Company, of Fostoria, Ohio, is coming to Brevard two weeks earlier than originally scheduled in order to help

America, national attention has been focused upon the 811 foot cascades which is "at the crossroads of US 276 and 64, and NC 280, equidistant between Miami and Chicago, New York and New Orleans," from reports of the Brevard Chamber of Commerce.

To reach the national park, turn left 21 miles west of Brevard from US 64 or turn right 21 miles east of Highlands at the Oakland community. The distance from US 64 to the new paved Whitewater Falls road within our sister state of South Carolina is only one and one-half miles.

Don Byslma, recreational assistant, of the U. S. National Forests, of Asheville, has estimated that at least 500,000 scenic —Turn to Page Four

New Town Manager Reports On Progress Made In Two Months

Plans for future growth and development of the town of Brevard were discussed by Bill Edens, the new town manager, at the July meeting of the board of aldermen.

After being here two months, Mr. Edens said he was well pleased with the progress that is being made, and he outlined his ideas concerning the operations of the various departments.

He recommended that a planning board be set up, and that a committee from the city fathers be named to investigate and to study this possibility.

Transylvania county stage the most lavish spectacle of its history. He will be in attendance at the meeting.

All persons, particularly those from the outlying areas of the county, are urged to make a special effort to attend this meeting. An invitation is also extended to those persons who have been wondering what is going to happen and when it is going to take place, as far as the centennial celebration is concerned.

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Schools Open Aug. 28

Transylvania county schools will open for the 1961-62 term on August 28th, Supt. Wayne Bradburn announces today.

Monday, the 28th, will be devoted primarily to registration, and the first full-day of classroom work is scheduled for the following day, Tuesday, August 29th.

Supt. Bradburn also announced today that Transylvania will receive six additional teachers for the new term because of the increased allocation in Raleigh for education. This will give the county a total of 139 teachers.

Teachers are expected to receive their bonus checks at the end of August, and the amount is expected to be about the same as last year's.

Bob Baker Is Being Transferred

Robert O. Baker, who was the first member of the plant management of the Du Pont silicon plant to come to Brevard, is being transferred to the Newport plant of the Pigments department in Wilmington, Delaware, effective August 14th.

Mr. Baker will continue to be in the employer relations field of work.

Since coming here in April, 1957, Mr. Baker has been extremely active in civic and church affairs in addition to his duties at the Du Pont plant.

He says that it is with much regret that he and his family leave Brevard.

Mrs. Baker has also had a prominent role in social, civic and church work in the community.

An active Rotarian, Mr. Baker has served as vice president, secretary and a director.

He is a past member of the official board of the Brevard Methodist church and was chairman of the commission on education.

Currently, he is serving as a director and treasurer of the Transylvania Youth association, as well as secretary of the newly organized Transylvania Citizens Committee for Better Schools.

Other posts that he has held include the following: director of the Brevard Chamber of Commerce; director of the Transylvania United Fund; vice president of the Brevard junior high school P.T.A.; past chairman of the Transylvania County March of Dimes; and member of the WNC Society for the Advance —Turn to Page Ten

Large Number Of Criminal Cases Being Heard In Superior Court



ALL SMILES over the excellent crop of glads at Thomas Farms in lower Transylvania are Alexander P. Thomas, right, the owner, and his son, Mike, at the left. Currently, the Thomases are shipping more than 6,000 dozen glads each day to all

parts of the country. They expect to ship even more during the coming weeks. This is the largest gladioli farm in Western North Carolina, and the Thomases also operate others in Florida. (Times Staff Photo)

Civil Docket Postponed, To Be Tried Aug. 7

Many cases are being disposed of in the criminal term of Superior court, which is now in session here in the court house.

During the first two days of this week, the court's time was taken up largely with submissions. Most of the cases involved traffic violations, whiskey possession, etc.

Marvin McCall, clerk of Superior court in Transylvania, announces today that the civil slate, which was scheduled to be heard next week, has been recessed until August 7th.

Jurors, who were called to serve next week, have been excused.

Judge Hugh Campbell, of Charlotte, is presiding over the court, and Solicitor Leonard Lowe, of Forest City, is prosecuting for the state.

When the Times went to press at noon Wednesday, a jury was hearing the case of James Gillespie, who is charged with driving under the influence.

The following persons pled guilty to speeding and had to pay costs:

John Henry Gravely, Mrs. Lucille Misenheimer, Charles Scruggs, Larry Dean Madden, Joel Clarence Latham, Franklin Eugene Tinsley, Ivan Victor Galloway, Jr., Wayne Allison Reece, Jimmy Franklin Owen, Willis Owen Edney, Jimmy Franklin Crane, Melvin Eugene Cison, Moses Wynn Norman, Johnny S. Powell, and Melvin A. Edwards.

On a similar charge, Melvin Elijah Mooney had to pay \$25.00 and costs. Hardy Allison, charged with driving under the influence, had to pay \$150.00 fine and costs.

On similar charges, the following —Turn to Page Four

In Fourth Week

Young Award Winners To Be Featured, Music Center

Four Programs Of Music Set By Cherryfield

As Brevard Music Center's "Summer Festival of Music" moves into its fourth weekend of concerts, two outstanding young award winners will be featured soloists with the Brevard Music Center Orchestra and the Transylvania Symphony Orchestra, conducted by James Christian Pfohl.

Saturday evening's concert, will feature William Henderson, pianist. Mr. Henderson is the second Brevard Music Center Young Artist Award Winner to appear this season.

A native of Selma, Alabama, Mr. Henderson is a graduate student in piano at the University of Alabama and is studying under J. Roy McAllister. He has had numerous public appearances and performed with the Transylvania Symphony in the summer of 1958 when he played the MacDowell "Piano Concerto in A Minor."

Joseph Plon, also a pianist and the second Marvin McDonald Award winner to appear at the Music Center this summer, will be guest soloist on Sunday.

Mr. Plon, 26-year-old Philadelphia, began his piano studies at the age of five. He received his Bachelor of Arts degree from Columbia University in 1956 and has studied at the Philadelphia Musical Academy, the Mannes College of Music, and Fontainebleau Fine Arts and Music School.

Mr. Plon has appeared extensively in recital and with orchestra and has been accorded numerous awards including the Prix d'Excellence at the Fontainebleau Fine Arts and Music School, the National Arts Club Music Fellowship Award, the —Turn to Page Four



DR. I. G. GREER

Greer To Speak At Centennial Sunday Service

Dr. I. G. Greer, of Chapel Hill, well-known Baptist minister, will be the speaker for the Centennial Sunday services on August 13th.

The celebration will begin with a family picnic at Camp Straus, beginning at 1:00 o'clock, followed by an address by Dr. Greer. The meeting will be patterned along the lines of the old camp meetings which were held in Transylvania in the late 1700's and early 1800's.

Dr. Greer has done outstanding work in social service and child welfare. He is currently president of the Board of Trustees of the Baptist Orphanage, president of the Good Health Association of North Carolina, and president of the Southern Appalachian Historical association.

The Sunday services are being planned by the Transylvania County Ministerial association, and the committees are as follows: —Turn to Page Five

Annual GOP Dinner Meet Set July 28

The Brevard Republicans are holding their annual installation dinner meeting on Friday, July 28, at 7:00 p.m. at Gaither's Rhododendron room.

The program will include an out of town guest speaker. Dancing will follow the dinner meeting.

All members and interested persons are cordially invited to attend. For reservations contact Mrs. Earl B. Johnson, TU 2-4693. —Turn to Page Four

Program Highlights

Jackpot Growing In WPNF's Unique "Summerama" Contest

Al Martin, WPNF manager, announced again this week that no winner had been declared in the "Money - Gram" contest on the "Summerama" program, heard each afternoon, Monday through Friday, at 2:00 p. m.

The largest number of entries yet was received this past week, but no one correctly identified the mystery phrase. "Several entries missed only one word, but the correct answer has eluded our listeners," he stated.

As a result, the "Money-Gram" weekly jackpot has been increased to \$45.00. In addition to be

ing eligible for that amount, anyone correctly identifying the phrase prior to announcement on the air of the winner, will be eligible for the special drawing in September when a giant jackpot will be given away.

A complete list of all those who have become eligible for the September drawing will be carried in next week's edition of the Transylvania Times.

Other Programs
The schedule for the Farm and Home hour is as follows: Thursday, Carolina news; Friday, sta —Turn to Page Ten

Response Good In Drive For Funds For Battleship

Walter Cantrell, chairman of Transylvania's fund raising drive to bring the battleship U.S.S. North Carolina to Wilmington as a memorial to Tar Heel service men and women killed in World War II, said yesterday that he was well pleased with the way the campaign is coming along in this county.

"Our goal," the chairman stated, "is to be placed on the honor roll. To do this, we must receive at least 10c from every school child in the county. We hope to get the necessary amount to cover this very shortly, but we must have a little more than we now have."

All persons interested in contributing to this worthy cause are urged to contact Mr. Cantrell at the earliest possible time.

Times To Have New Subscription Rates August 1st

Because of large increases in postal rates and the recent three per cent sales tax on newspapers, The Transylvania Times is raising subscription rates.

The increase will become effective August 1, 1961. Mail subscriptions will go up 50 cents per year, while the cost of a single issue will be 10 cents.

After the first of August, a subscription within the county will be \$3.50, while the cost of mailing it outside of Transylvania will be \$4.00.

Subscribers are urged to renew their subscriptions at the old rates up to two years in advance between now and August 1st.