



A FLASH FLOOD, caused by some five inches of rain in about an hour, did extensive damage in the Middle Fork section of upper Transylvania county last Wednesday afternoon. Highway crews are pictured above cleaning out debris below bridges along the highway. See story on page seven, second section, in this week's newspaper. (Times Staff Photo)

## Retail Sales In Transylvania Continue Strong, Survey Made

By STAFF WRITER

Retail business in Transylvania county continued strong in the past year, despite the slowdown in most parts of the nation.

There was little evidence in the market reports to indicate that local residents changed their normal spending pattern to any appreciable extent.

On the contrary, some retail lines were able to report solid gains for the year.

The results are contained in the annual survey made by the Standard Rate and Data Service. Its comprehensive figures, showing how people in each community spent their retail dollars, covers every section of the United States.

In Transylvania county, food was the principal item. Purchases in the local supermarkets, grocery stores, bakeries, butcher shops and the like amounted to \$2,761,000 in the year, topping the 1959 volume of \$2,629,000.

This was solely for take-home food. It did not include food that was consumed in restaurants, at lunch counters and at other eat-and-drink places.

Approximately 23 cents out of every dollar that was spent in the county's retail stores went in this direction.

The large amount that residents of Transylvania county devoted to food, in a year in which prices remained quite steady, is a sign of more luxurious living.

If the total expenditures for food were to be spread uniformly throughout the county, each

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### Civil Docket Only

## Jurors Called For August Term Of Superior Court

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

Judge H. L. Riddle, Jr., of Morganton, will preside over the court, which will be a one-week term. Civil cases only will be heard during the court.

In addition to Mr. McCall, other members of the jury commission are O. H. Orr and P. A. Rahn.

The jurors called to serve during the court which opens Monday, August 7th, are as follows:

- Earl B. Hall
- E. H. Corpening
- Fred M. McCall, Jr.
- Quentin Cantrell
- Leonard Simpson
- William G. Delk
- Lunia McCall
- Carl Chastain, Jr.
- Kenneth Landers
- C. C. Gibbs
- Mrs. Clyde Galloway
- O. H. Bryson
- Berry R. Gaither
- Fred E. Kilstrom
- Mrs. Allison Orr
- Fred M. Case, Jr.
- James L. Hunter
- Charlie Clayton, Jr.
- H. Doyle Wells
- Carl Bruce Baynard
- Mrs. Elmo McCall
- Mrs. Jack E. Trantham
- Marshall L. Loftis
- Harold Houck
- John P. Collins
- Mrs. John W. Dale
- James Wagoner
- Mrs. Emmett McLarty
- Enloe Frizzell
- Spalding McIntosh, Jr.

## Millers Buy Micy's Laundry

Miller's Laundry and Cleaners, Incorporated, of Hendersonville, has announced the purchase of Micy's Laundry, of Brevard.

The plants of both towns will be operated as the Miller's Laundry & Cleaners, Inc., of Hendersonville and Brevard.

This consolidation of interests of the two plants will not in any way change personnel or business policies in the Hendersonville plant. The Brevard plant will be under the supervision of "Ted" Miller, who becomes a new member of the corporation.

Miller's has been a familiar name in the laundry and dry cleaning business in Hendersonville for 44 years. The firm believes that with the incorporation of the interests of both plants they will be in a better position to serve the needs of both towns.

The members of the present Miller's Laundry and Cleaners are N. W. Miller, Sr.; W. D. Miller; N. W. Miller, Jr.; and H. E. Miller.

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## Masonic DDGM Visits Brevard Thursday Night

W. A. Burgess, of Columbus, district deputy grand master of the 55th Masonic district, will visit the stated communication of Dunn's Rock lodge which will be held in the temple on East Main street, Thursday, July 27th beginning at 8:00 o'clock. This announcement comes from H. C. Gardner, worshipful master.

Mr. Gardner urges all members to attend this important meeting, as the district deputy grand master will outline plans for the 55th district meeting to be held in Brevard on November 7th.

### The Weather

Heavy afternoon showers and thundershowers dumped well over three inches of rain on Brevard during the past week. Total precipitation, not counting the Tuesday evening shower which fell after 6 p.m. was 3.22 inches.

This heavy rainfall was accompanied by rather humid afternoons on which the high reading averaged 85 degrees. Early morning low temperatures averaged a fraction below 60 degrees.

Readings for the last seven days:

	High	Low	Pre.
Wednesday	85	60	0
Thursday	89	55	1.50
Friday	87	61	1.38
Saturday	85	61	.02
Sunday	81	59	.27
Monday	83	62	0
Tuesday	85	60	.05

## Historical Group Sponsors Joint Meeting Here July 28, 29

The three-year-old Transylvania Historical association will be hosts to the joint regional meeting of the North Carolina Literary and Historical association, Inc., and the Western North Carolina Historical association, on the campus of Brevard college this Friday and Saturday, July 28th and 29th.

Dr. Christopher Crittenden, of Raleigh, heads the N. C. Literary and Historical association, while Dr. Edward W. Phifer, of Morganton, is head of the latter group.

### ATTENDS MEETING

Miss Jeanette Austin, vice-president of the W. N. C. TB Association, assisted with "open House" at the headquarters in Black Mountain last Tuesday afternoon. She also attended the annual picnic and meeting which was held at the W. N. C. Sanatorium that evening. Board members of the newly formed association were guests of the Buncombe county TB association.

## CALENDAR OF COMING EVENTS

- Thursday, July 27 — BPW club meets at Camp Straus at 7:00 p.m. Masons meet in Temple at 8:00 p.m.
- Friday, July 28 — Registration for joint meeting N. C. Literary and Historical association and WNC Historical association at Brevard college. Ace of Clubs meets at 8:00 p.m. Concert at Music Center at 8:15 p.m.
- Saturday, July 29 — Story Time at Library at 9:30 a.m. Joint meeting of Historical groups continues at Brevard college. Concert at Music Center at 8:15 p.m.
- Sunday, July 30 — Attend the church of your choice. Concert at Music Center at 4:00 p.m.
- Monday, July 31 — Brownie Day camp begins. Rotary club meets at Gaither's at 7:00 p.m. Concert at Music Center at 8:15 p.m.
- Tuesday, August 1 — Ace of Clubs meets at 7:30 p.m.
- Wednesday, August 2 — Toastmaster club meets at Gaither's at 6:30 p.m. WOW meets in Woodman Hall at 8:00 p.m. Concert at Music Center at 8:15 p.m.

## Many Verdicts Handed Down From The Criminal Docket

Prior to the adjournment of Superior court here last week-end, many cases were disposed of and several were continued until the next term of court.

The court was confined to a one-week's criminal term, with a civil session being slated for next month.

Since The Times went to press last Wednesday at noon, the verdicts handed down by Judge Hugh Campbell, of Charlotte, were as follows:

James Gillespie was found guilty by a jury of drunk driving and had to pay \$100 and costs.

Gary Brewer pled guilty to breaking and entering and had to pay \$100 and costs.

On a worthless check charge, Robert McCall was found guilty

by a jury and had to pay \$200 fine and court costs.

Grady Pope pled nolo contendere to a charge of public drunkenness, and was given a suspended sentence of payment of costs.

Clifton Whitmire pled guilty to a possession charge and had to pay costs.

Lloyd Melton was found guilty by a jury on a non-support charge. He was ordered to make weekly payments to the court.

On a charge of improper license plates, he had to pay court costs.

Kenneth Van Buren Fowler pled guilty to a charge of drunk driving and had to pay \$100 and court costs up to \$50.00.

James Robinson was given a 14 months sentence in the state prison on a charge of drunk and dis-

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# "In The Shadow Of Mt. Pisgah" To Highlight Centennial Celebration

## Five Productions Planned, First One August 28th

"In The Shadow of Mt. Pisgah," a dramatic presentation of the story of Transylvania county's growth and progress during the last century, will be presented for five performances beginning on Monday, August 28th.

This entertaining and educational spectacle will be played against a backdrop of 250 feet of scenery, lighted by more than 25,000 watts of professional lighting, and will have a cast of more than 200 local people.

David Norris, business manager of the John B. Rogers Producing company, of Fostoria, Ohio, will direct the pageant and other activities during the week.

These will include motor caravan trips to surrounding communities by members of the chapters of the Brothers of the Brush and the Centennial Belles.

"These folks are the core of any celebration and when they become interested in the celebration, their enthusiasm is such that anyone who does not join in feels like he doesn't really live in the county!" Mr. Norris said.

An organizational meeting for men will be held on Tuesday, August 1st, at 7:30 o'clock, in the Brevard Junior High school auditorium. A detailed program will be presented at that time concerning the caravans, promenades, beard growing contests, and Kangaroo Court sessions.

Plans for the centennial week were revealed at a meeting last Friday evening in the Brevard Junior High school, presided over by Cecil Hill, a director of the Historical commission. W. M. Melton and Jack Hudson, co-chairmen of the event, were also present.

The week of August 28th will be the climax of the extended centennial year program and it will be filled with activities for all classes of people, including Governor's Day, Pioneer and Homecoming Day, Young America or Youth Day, Ladies Day, and Farmers Day.

"The program as outlined will be a big job, but it will be a celebration of which everyone will be proud," said Mr. Melton. "I feel confident that we can count on the people of Transylvania county."



NOW THE TABLES ARE TURNED! James Alspaugh, left, of Chattanooga Medicine company, found this out yesterday as he was the first happy (?) purchaser of an Official Peddler's Permit that is being issued in connection with the county centennial. The purchase was made from Paul Owenby at Varner's who is chairman of the merchants committee of the centennial. The permit became necessary due to the large number of unauthorized salesmen who have been roaming the streets with shaven faces and their hands extended to receive payment. For the first time in history, the merchants now turn things around and collect \$1.00 from each visiting salesman. Mr. Al-

spaugh has the privilege to buy, sell, trade tell stories and/or lies in any office or store in Transylvania County. This permit does not permit him to cheat, steal, deface property, harm small animals, or "pinch any of our beautiful women. Anyone who observes a "Peddler" doing any of these unauthorized acts is requested to contact the centennial headquarters at 19 West Main street immediately. "The offender will then become liable for prosecution by the Infallible Magistrate of the Official Kangaroo Court, and woe be to anyone who has to go through the punishments of this wild group," said Bill Keith, revenue division chairman of the centennial. (Times Staff Photo)

## Fund Raising Campaign Is Launched

Plans for the raising of the necessary operating capital for the Transylvania County Centennial celebration are released by N. A. Miller, Jr., who is chairman of this phase of the centennial effort.

"We have a large budget to make in order to put our centennial across, and since we are operating on a true business basis, we need capital to help buy necessary items for the office," Mr. Miller declared.

Headquarters for the centennial have set up at 19 West Main street.

Mr. Miller explains that the Transylvania Historical commission has obtained the services of the John B. Rogers company, of Fostoria, Ohio, which operates on a flat fee basis. Should any profits be made by the budget committee, they will be used to benefit Transylvania county, Mr. Miller says.

The campaign will be conducted through the sale of Souvenir Membership Certificates. These Certificates are in the form of a stock certificate which will sell for the low price of \$1.00, and they will be a very valuable souvenir in the time to come. It is felt that everyone will want at least one of the souvenirs and as the name implies the money will be returned on a pro-rated basis from the funds available after the celebration is over.

Mr. Miller re-emphasized the point that it is a loan to get the

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## Challenge Grant Made By Mrs. Rockefeller To Music Center

Dr. James Christian Pfohl, founder and director of the Brevard Music center and Transylvania Music camp has just disclosed a "challenge grant" from Mrs. John D. Rockefeller, Jr. The Center has matched these funds from other sources, thus enabling the Advanced Division of Brevard Music Center to become a reality for the 1962 season.

Mrs. Rockefeller presented the funds to the Music Center because of her keen interest in furthering the music education of young people. The grant will be used solely for the musical aspect of the proposed project, Dr. Pfohl states.

The Advanced Division will be a graduate type of school for 60 young students beyond regular camp age of 18. The program will be planned for students interested in a professional career in music.

Students will be selected on a strict basis of their instrumental performance and with view toward their potential as leaders in the music profession.

The students will be brought to the Music Center on scholarship.

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### Varied Programs

## Weekend Concerts Will Feature Rosand, Flissler

## Music Camp Now Offering Free Bus Service

For the convenience of concert-goers, Brevard Music Center is offering free bus service from Brevard each Sunday afternoon.

The bus will depart from the Presbyterian church at 3:10 and at 3:40. It will also stop at the Winn-Dixie store enroute to the Music Camp.

The return trip will be made immediately following the concert.

The Music Center is offering this service to facilitate parking for concertgoers, especially in inclement weather.

Aaron Rosand, brilliant young violinist, and his lovely wife Eileen Flissler, an equally famous young pianist, will be soloists at the Brevard Music Center this weekend. Mr. Rosand and Miss Flissler, favorite guest artists with the concert-goers in this area, will both perform on Friday evening, with Mr. Rosand making a second appearance on Sunday afternoon. Mr. Rosand will also conduct a master's class in violin during the week.

Ruth Anne Rich, of Macon, Georgia, the third Young Artist Award Winner, will be soloist with the Brevard Music Center Sinfonietta Saturday evening. Faculty soloist will be Stephen Freeman, clarinetist with the Baltimore Symphony and a private teacher.

Miss Flissler will perform Tchaikovsky's "Piano Concerto No. 1 in B-Flat Minor" Friday evening at 8:15 p.m. with the

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### Program Highlights

## Carl Holden Is A Winner In WPNF's Jackpot Show

Officials of WPNF announce that Carl Holden, Jr., of Box 295, Pisgah Forest, has been named weekly winner in the "Money-Gram" contest on "Summerama."

Mr. Holden was awarded \$45,000, the total in the weekly jackpot at the time he correctly identified the mystery phrase as, "Smokey went dancing thru Dixie."

In making this announcement, Station Manager Al Martin announced that a three-way tie was broken by a drawing in accord with contest rules. The other entries bearing the same postmark as that of Mr. Holden's

entry were mailed by Gordon Byrd and Georgia Holden.

In addition to these three who correctly identified the phrase, correct answers with later postmarks were submitted by Elizabeth Fowler, Leona Owen, Mrs. Robert Camp and Mrs. Jerry Mann.

A new contest began this past Monday and listeners are urged to enter by obtaining their free entry blanks from any of the "Summerama" sponsors. The new jackpot began at \$25,000. Along with those seven persons who correctly answered the

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## Many Expected To Attend GOP Annual Banquet

A large crowd is expected to attend the annual installation dinner of Brevard Republicans this Friday night in Gaither's Rhododendron room.

The event will begin promptly at 7:00 o'clock.

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.