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Mecca for Summer Camps,
Entrance to Pisgah National
Forest and Home of
Brevard Music Festival.

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Brevard Community 8,500
Brevard proper 4,857.

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MEMBERS OF THE newly formed Transylvania Council of Garden clubs are pictured above at their first meeting last Friday at the home of Mrs. O. H. Orr. The purpose of the council, which is composed of members of the various garden clubs in the county, is to improve relations of the clubs, carry out more civic projects, and to cooperate with the N. C. Garden council. Seated, left to right, are

Mrs. L. P. Hamlin, Mrs. James Charlton, Mrs. Orr, and Mrs. Robert Williams. Standing, left to right, are Mrs. J. A. Macfie, Mrs. Bernie Maguire, Mrs. C. A. Richardson, Mrs. Leslie Grogan, Mrs. Roger Davis, Mrs. C. W. Bradburn, Mrs. L. J. David, and Mrs. William Boggs. A story concerning the council is carried on the society page. (Times Staff Photo)

WNC Firemen Will Hold Training Session Here, Opens On Monday

17 Cows Killed By Lightning

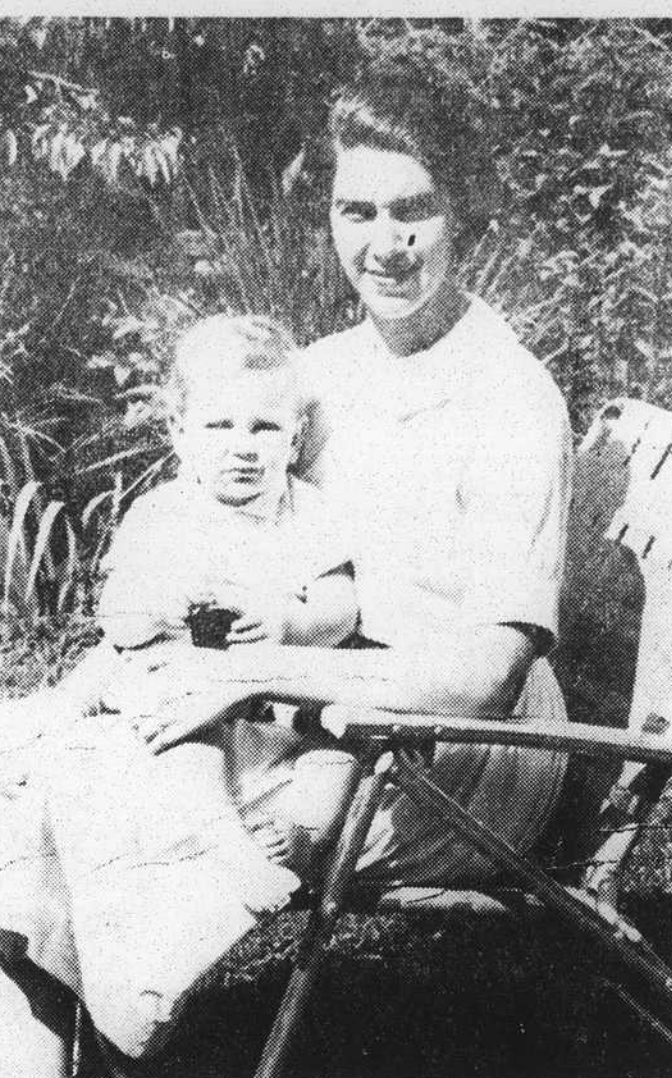
A total of 17 fine cows was killed by a severe bolt of lightning Tuesday afternoon on the farm C. Lewis Osborne between Brevard and Pisgah Forest.

Five other cows were injured by the lightning, but they appeared to be recuperating Wednesday morning.

Mr. Osborne estimates that damages will exceed \$8,000.00.

The cows that were killed, 15 Holsteins and two Guernseys, were some of his best milkers, giving six and eight gallons a day.

In all, there were 54 head of cattle in the field where the lightning struck.



MRS. JOHN MANN, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Brittain, of Maple street, Brevard, and her son, John Thomas, age 16 months, flew back to Belfast, the capital of Northern Ireland, Tuesday night after a visit here. Her husband, Rev. John Mann, has four churches in the Irish Republic (Erie). The couple met while studying at Edinburgh, the capital city of Scotland, and were married in 1958. They returned to the states and Mr. Mann studied at Union Theological seminary, Richmond, Virginia, before returning to Belfast, where he was an assistant minister for two years. (Times Staff Photo)

48 Departments Expected, 13 Various Classes

The third annual Western North Carolina Firemen's association Fire Training school will be held here in Brevard during the week of September 11th through September 15th.

Sherman Pickard, director of training, Insurance Commissioner's office in Raleigh, will direct the school. Elwood Enscoe and David Lee, trainers of the Insurance Commissioner's office, will assist in the directing of the school.

Many well-known, qualified firemen of Western North Carolina will assist as instructors in the school.

Approximately 48 fire departments throughout Western North Carolina will participate.

Thirteen classes will be held each night during the week. Ten classes will be on a rotating basis with the classes changing each night; however, three classes will be permanent with those participating staying in these classes the entire week.

The three permanent classes will be as follows:

Officer training will be under the direction of Sherman Pickard at the Brevard high school.

Inflammable liquids will be under the direction of Elwood Enscoe at the Brevard training center.

Pump operations, under the direction of David Lee, will be held at the Brevard fire station.

The other 10 classes with the instructors and location will be as follows:

1. George House, of the Asheville fire department, Ladders, at the Brevard training center.
2. B. E. Haynes, of the Woodfin Fire department, Protective Clothing, at the Brevard high school.
3. A representative of the Factory Mutual Insurance company (to be named) will instruct on Fire department use of Sprinklers at the Brevard high school.
4. Jim Bailey of American la France company, Fire Ground Tactics, at the Brevard training center.
5. Mark Jones and Bob Cole, Enka, and Calvin McCrary, of Brevard, Smoke House, at Brevard training center.
6. Bart Cope, Sylva, John Bishop, Skyland, and Allison Orr of Brevard, Hose Practice, at the Brevard training center.
7. E. M. "Mac" Salley, Woodfin Fire department, Fog Methods and Control, at the Brevard high school.
8. John Owens, Enka, Fire Extinguishers, at the Brevard

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Freshmen Arrive Sunday

Brevard college began the new school year with a faculty-student conference on Wednesday.

The principal speaker was Dr. John W. Johannaber, dean of Farritt college, Nashville, Tennessee, with President Emmett K. McLarty presiding over the sessions.

Brevard college is expecting a capacity enrollment of over 1,000, and incoming freshmen will begin a three-day program of orientation on Sunday.

This will include testing to evaluate academic potentialities, professional inclinations and aptitudes and individual needs of the students.

Sophomores will arrive next Wednesday, and classes begin the following day.

Thirteen states and five foreign countries will be represented in the 1961-62 student body of Brevard college.

"We believe," said Admissions Director Glenn Hardesty, "that the cosmopolitan make-up of enrollment is an important advantage to all students."

According to Mr. Hardesty, transcripts of the incoming students indicate that the class as a whole will bring the best high school scholastic record in the history of the college.

College To Build A \$400,000 Physical Education Building

Construction will begin this fall on the Physical Education building, second of the seven new buildings in the Brevard College expansion program.

President Emmett K. McLarty, Jr., announces that the building contract for the \$400,000 structure has been awarded to the L. B. Gallimore Construction company, of Greensboro.

Henry McDonald, architect for the college, said that the contemporary features in the design of the new Physical Education building would harmonize with the modified Colonial style that has been adopted for the buildings in the expansion program.

Designed to provide facilities for all indoor sports, the building will house a regulation swimming pool, basketball court, class rooms and offices. The latest equipment for therapeutic, including a whirl pool tank will be installed.

When the building is completed next August, Brevard College will have one of the best physical education plants in the southeast, according to President McLarty. The new tennis courts, baseball diamond and track which were constructed this summer are ready for use this semester.

Sunday Event Oak Grove Church Will Observe 114th Anniversary

The 114th anniversary of Oak Grove Methodist church will be observed on Sunday, Sept. 10th.

Rev. Wade R. Bustle, former pastor, will be the guest speaker at the 11:00 o'clock service, and all members and other friends of the church are invited to attend.

Rev. Mr. Bustle served Oak Grove and English Chapel in 1943-45, and at the present time he is pastor of the Pisgah Methodist church, Lincolnton.

Immediately following the service, picnic lunch will be served on the grounds. During the afternoon, there will be a program of fellowship and singing.

Rev. Royce E. Smith is the pastor at Oak Grove, the oldest Methodist church in Transylvania county.

Labor Day Quiet Here

The Labor Day weekend in Brevard and Transylvania county was quietly observed, with most stores being closed, as well as town and county offices and schools.

Two accidents were reported in the county over the weekend, but there were no serious injuries.

A truck, driven by Carroll Metcalf, ran off the road into an embankment on US Highway 276, north, last Friday afternoon, but the driver was uninjured.

According to Patrolman Bill Sawyer, the other accident occurred on the old Turnpike road above Rosman last Saturday night.

A truck, owned and operated by James Ray Franks, of Six Mile, S. C., collided with a car that was driven by Ray Jones, of Rosman. The latter suffered a broken arm and was admitted to the local hospital.

Traffic over the weekend was particularly heavy in the Pisgah National forest.

In fact, Ranger Ted Seely reports that the recreational areas in the forest were filled to overflowing.

Many Transylvanians attended the Apple Festival parade in Hendersonville, and the fine Brevard high school band, dressed in Bermuda shorts, made a big hit with the crowd.

Homecoming Planned At East Fork

The annual homecoming at the East Fork Baptist church will be held on Sunday, September 10th, beginning at 10:30 o'clock, when preaching and special singing will be held.

A picnic lunch will be spread at 12:30, and the afternoon singing will begin at 1:45 o'clock, under the direction of Rev. Billy H. Landreth.

The pastor, Rev. J. W. Jackson, issues a cordial invitation to the public to attend.

Budget Of \$28,500 Adopted By Transylvania United Fund

A budget of \$28,500 was approved by the board of directors of the Transylvania County United Fund, Inc., at a meeting Tuesday evening.

John Bailey, general campaign chairman, reported on plans for the October campaign.

Two new members, Neville S. Fuleihan and Paul Owenby, were elected to the board.

The following agencies will receive funds on a quarterly basis beginning January: Associated Charities (heart, cancer and crippled children), Lions club Blind Fund, Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, Humane Society, Mary C. Jenkins Community Center Kindergarten department, Red Cross, Salvation Army, Transylvania Hospital, and the Youth Association.

Through Carolinas United, the following state and national agencies are served: USO, Florence Crittenton Home, Children's Home Society, WAIF (adoption), United Medical Research Foundation of N. C., N. C. Association for Mental Health, American Social Health Association, American Hearing Society, National Council on Crime and Delinquency, National Recreation Association, National Travelers Aid Association, and National Social Welfare Assembly.

The Weather

The Brevard weather observer was singing the latest verse to the old, old song again this past week, "Stormy Weather."

A total of over four and one-half inches of precipitation fell at the observation station during the past seven day period, with three and seven-tenths inches falling from 6:00 p.m., Tuesday to 6:00 p.m., Wednesday of last week. "At the present rate we appear on our way to some sort of record for rainfall during the summer months," Al Martin, official weatherman, reports.

Temperatures for the first few days of September have ranged somewhat higher than the average for the month of August this year. Official readings for the past week are:

	High	Low	Pre.
Wednesday	85	64	3.70
Thursday	84	63	.10
Friday	80	65	.55
Saturday	85	64	.03
Sunday	88	61	0
Monday	87	61	0
Tuesday	85	63	.21

Wilson Reunion Sun.

All the relatives of the late Dillie Wilson, Sr., are invited to a Wilson reunion at Coy F. Holden's home on Elm Bend road this coming Sunday, Sept. 10th.

Persons attending are asked to bring picnic baskets, and lunch will be served at the noon hour.

From Quebec to Toxaway Improvement Survey Is Being Made On Highway 64

A Highway department ground survey team has begun gathering notes for the proposed improvement of US 64 from Quebec to Toxaway.

Highway officials said the work was assigned to Locating Engineer Roy F. Welch, who will be assisted by seven engineers and engineering aides.

Highway Department officials emphasize that all property owners will be notified of the survey work before the team enters their property.

Presence of highway stakes in a particular area does not necessarily mean that the improvement would be located in that exact spot. The survey is merely a means of gathering statistical information to determine whether the location is feasible.

Following the initial phase of the survey, crews from the locating, geological, photogrammetric, bridge, right of way, construction and other sections of the Highway department will be in the area from time to time.

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Attention boys and girls who are going off to school and college — and their parents, too. Let The Transylvania Times go with you. Enjoy reading your home town paper which is, as you know, chock full of information and news about all the doings in the Brevard area.

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Coaches To Talk At Lions Meet

Football coaches at Brevard high school will discuss the prospects for the 1961 season at the regular meeting of the Brevard Lions club Thursday night at the Colonial Inn.

Meeting time is 7:00 o'clock, and President George Spicer urges all Lions to attend.

Participating on the program will be Head Coach Cliff Brookshire and assistants, Paul Maulsby and Landon Deal.

Booster Club Meets Thurs.

There will be an important meeting of the Brevard Blue Devil Booster club on Thursday evening of this week, President David Sams announces.

The meeting will be held in Gaither's Rhododendron room, beginning promptly at 7:30 o'clock.

All Booster club members and others interested in the sports program in Brevard are urged by Mr. Sams to attend.

CALENDAR OF COMING EVENTS

- Thursday, September 7 — Kiwanis club meets at Gaither's at 7:45 p. m. Lions club meets at Colonial Inn at 7:00 p. m. Rosman Vs. West Henderson at 7:30 p. m.
- Friday, September 8 — Brevard Vs. Waynesville at 8:00 p. m. Ace of Clubs meets at 8:00 p. m.
- Saturday, September 9 — Brevard Elks dinner dance.
- Sunday, September 10 — Attend the church of your choice. Brevard College freshmen arrive. Little Theatre annual picnic at Camp Straus at 6:30 p. m.
- Monday, September 11 — VFW supper meeting at 6:30 p. m. Rotary club meets at Gaither's at 7:00 p. m. Fire training school opens at Brevard Center at 7:00 p. m. Transylvania Shrine club meets at Berry's at 7:00 p. m.
- Tuesday, September 12 — Ace of Clubs meets at 7:30 p. m. Chamber of Commerce directors meet at Library at 7:30 p. m. Elks meet at 8:00 p. m.
- Wednesday, September 13 — Jaycees meet at Gaither's at 6:30 p. m. Registration at Brevard College for new term.

Elks Planning Dinner-Dance

Brevard Elks are planning a dinner-dance on Saturday evening, Sept. 9th.

Turkey, with all the trimmings, will be served, and Gene Morris, the exalted ruler, urges all members to bring their wives and out-of-town guests.

Admission is \$1.25 per person.

'51 BHS Graduating Class Has Reunion, 41 Present

The 1951 graduating class of the Brevard High school celebrated its 10-year reunion last weekend.

Activities began with a banquet and dance held on Saturday, September 2nd, in Gaither's Rhododendron room.

Miss Mary Ellen Short, of Cocoa, Florida, class president, opened with program with remarks. Individual introductions were made by class members of their husbands and wives.

Mrs. Margaret Benson Garren read a memorial to Hamlin Williams, deceased classmate.

Remarks were also made by Bobby Joe Nicholson, vice president; Mrs. Judith Mann Nicholson, treasurer; and Mrs. Billie Hart Payne, reunion chairman.

Mrs. Martha Jaye Neely Johnson was elected chairman for the 15-year reunion.

A total of 41 persons attended. Sunday activities included church attendance at the First Baptist church in a group, and a picnic at Camp Straus where the children were included.

All class members were contacted with the exception of Beatrix Deutsch and Joyce Steakley. Mrs. Earl Johnson, Montview circle, Brevard, would appreciate any information concerning them.