

Little Theatre Presents "Watch On The Rhine"

All is in readiness for the Brevard Little Theatre production of "Watch on the Rhine", which will be presented Friday and Saturday at 8:00 p.m. in the Brevard College auditorium, according to Robroy Farquhar, director.

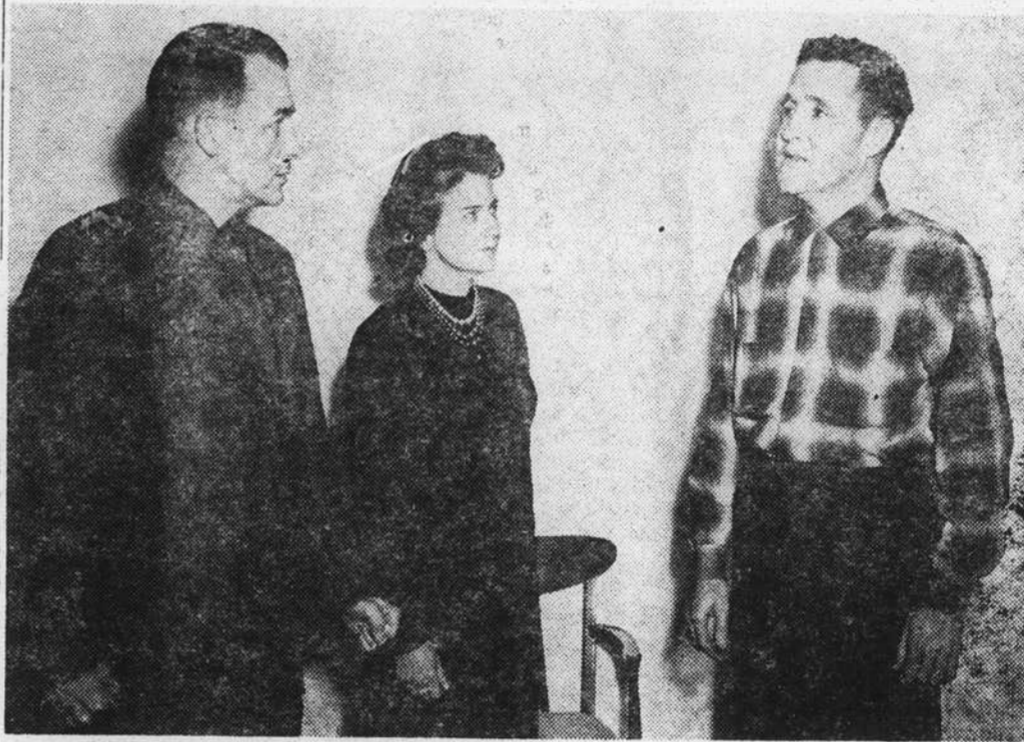
A special matinee performance for the public school and college students also will be given on Saturday afternoon at 2:30 p.m.

The suspense-packed drama that unfolds within the Farrelly home just outside Washington, D. C., in the spring of 1941 is one that the entire family will enjoy. The complacency and nostalgia of the past are forever cast aside as the Farrelly family takes its stand against "man's inhumanity to man", amidst the impending Nazi war cloud that threatens to engulf the entire free world.

"Brevard can be proud of its dramatic talent," Mr. Farquhar stated, "for each of the actors in 'Watch on the Rhine' has captured the essence of the role he is portraying."

The adept and experienced cast includes Ernest Gilstrap, Mrs. Dottie Randall, Mrs. Maggie Masters, Harold Myers, Mrs. Carolyn Winchester, Don Stoneback, Mrs. Loyce Dysart, Oscar Smith, Ralph McIntosh, Nancy McCall
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Important Matters Discussed By Aldermen During Lengthy Session



"WATCH ON THE RHINE", a suspense-packed drama of Nazi intrigue, will be presented by the Brevard Little Theatre Friday and Saturday nights at 8:00 o'clock in the Brevard College auditorium. A special student matinee is set for 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon. One of the intense

scenes from the play is shown above and the three cast members left to right are: Don Stoneback, as David Farrelly; Mrs. Carolyn Winchester, as Marte de Brancovis; and Harold Myers, as Teek de Brancovis.
(Official Little Theatre photo)

Public Housing Aired, Visitors Give Opinions

In a lengthy session at the Town Hall Monday night the Board of Aldermen considered:

- (1) various aspects of public housing;
- (2) A petition for annexation of a new subdivision;
- (3) a petition for a new taxicab service;
- (4) endorsed flood control proposals for the upper French Broad; and
- (5) urged the state highway commission to improve US 276 between Brevard and Cedar Mountains.

Mayor B. W. Thomsen presided. Aldermen present were Robert W. Mellon, Mark Osborne, Leslie Grogan, and Anthony Trantham. John Truesdell is out of town.

The meeting opened soon after 7:30 and continued, with a recess for relaxing, until nearly 11:30. The board also acted on several recommendations made by City Manager Bill Eden, and heard two requests presented in person by property owners. Cecil J. Hill, city attorney, made a report on his conferences in Raleigh last week with the attorney general of the state, concerning the status of three suits in which the City of Brevard is a party.

Some 35 citizens, an unusual attendance, were at the meeting.

On Public Housing
Public housing, it became plain at the meeting, has stirred considerable interest in Brevard in the last two months.

In the meeting procedural questions developed some lively discussion, with flashes of heat from the audience.

Mr. Mellon's motion commits the board to defer action on public housing until a recommendation is made by the local planning board or the state department of Conservation and Development. The motion was adopted without dissent.

Members of the Brevard Planning Board, attending the meeting, approved this action. They favored waiting at least a month longer for completion of the comprehensive survey.
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Hall Smith, III, Will Go To Washington, D.C.

Hall Smith, III, former Brevard resident, has been appointed to the staff of the Senate Subcommittee on Constitutional Rights as Public Relations director, effective March 1st.

In announcing the appointment, William Creech, chief counsel, stated that Mr. Smith will also serve as public relations advisor to North Carolina Senator Sam Ervin, chairman of the subcommittee.

A former staff member of WPNF, Mr. Smith is a producer-director in a Durham television station.

He is a former state vice president of the Junior Chamber of Commerce, and is a member of the American Legion and the N. C. Aero club. He is an Explorer.
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GOP Convention Set Saturday

Transylvania Republicans are reminded today of the Republican convention to be held on Saturday, February 17th, at 2:00 p. m., in the court house here in Brevard, by Ralph L. Waldrop, chairman of the Republican executive committee.

Mr. Waldrop stated that now is the time to build a strong two-party political system in Transylvania county and all Republicans are urged to attend the convention. A cordial invitation is extended to all who are interested in good government to be present.
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THE FIRST CALL over the new switchboard of the Citizens Telephone company following the cut-over last Saturday night was made by the group above to North Carolina's Governor, Terry Sanford. Thomas R. Eller, former Brevard attorney and now a member of the State Utilities commission, is telling

the Governor that the new and modern equipment is working beautifully, which naturally pleases Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Pickelsimer, at the right. Complete details on the cut-over ceremony are carried in a story on page eight, first section.
(Times Staff Photo)

Five Men Now In Race For Local Sheriff

Two more men announce for sheriff, subject to the Democratic primary in Transylvania county.

The latest persons to enter the race are Earl Lee, a member of the Brevard police force, and Ed Singletary, former deputy sheriff and jailer in Transylvania county.

A native Transylvanian, Officer Lee has had 13 years experience in law enforcement work, two years as a deputy sheriff, six years as a North Carolina Prison guard and five years as traffic officer in Brevard.

In a statement to the press, he states: "If nominated and elected, I promise to serve all papers and
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Lions To Hear Talk On Army Reserve Corps

Lt. Col. Edgar A. Noel, Maj. Charles E. Jett and Sergeant First Class Kenneth F. Gray, of the U. S. Army, will present the program at the meeting of the Brevard Lions club on Thursday, February 15th.

The meeting is scheduled for 7:00 o'clock at Colonial Inn.

The men will speak on the Army Reserves and will show a film entitled "One If By Land." A question and answer period will follow.

All Lions are urged to be present.

"Dick" Day Is New Field Project Manager, Du Pont



DICK DAY

Anon Dixon Day, who has been with the Du Pont company's engineering department since 1939, will be the field project manager in charge of the remodeling and expansion program at the Brevard plant, according to L. S. Grogan, plant manager.

Mr. Day will supervise all remodeling and new construction associated with the facilities required for manufacturing and finishing photographic materials which was announced last month.

"Dick" Day comes to the Brevard plant construction job from Florence, S. C., where for the past three years he has been in charge of the construction of a 20 million dollar Du Pont plant for the manufacture of "Mylar" polyester film.

His first job with Du Pont was as a chairman and layout helper in the construction of a tetraethyl lead plant at Baton Rouge. Ever since he has been rising in the ranks of Du Pont's engineering department, having been assigned to construction jobs at Morgantown, W. Va., St. Paul, Minn., at the AEC's atomic energy plant at Hanover, Wash., at Waynesboro, Va., and Orange and Victoria, Texas.

When Du Pont undertook the building of the vast Savannah River project, costing over a billion dollars and employing, at peak, over 47,000 people, Mr. Day was brought to that location in 1951 and served as field project manager from 1955 until April of 1959 when he transferred to the Florence construction job.

Born in Port Gibson, Mississippi, Mr. Day graduated from the University of Louisiana with a B. S. degree in architectural engineering. While in high school and college, he excelled in football and track. In addition to his wife, Marjorie, the Day family comprises two sons and one daughter. His oldest son, Dickie, is 19 and is now a sophomore at Wofford college. David is 13
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County Court Busy

The Transylvania General County court held a busy session on Monday, and court will convene again next Monday.

This week's docket was as follows:
Three persons were charged with reckless driving. Jimmy Thomas Galloway had to pay \$25.00 and costs. Larry Eugene Murphy and Conrad Baynard had to pay costs.

Grover C. Wiley, Jr., and Ben Vallandigham, Jr. each had to pay \$25.00 and costs on a charge of no operator's license.

Briscoe Reynolds on a non-support charge was ordered to make weekly payments.

Lewis Bolt McConnell was fined \$25.00 and costs for allowing unlicensed person to operate vehicle.
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Sale Of License Tags Is Lagging Behind, Deadline Is Thursday, 15th

The sale of automobile license tags is far behind the number of sales this time last year, Mrs. Rosa Norwood, of the local AAA office, announces today.

To date this year, a total of 3,504 tags has been sold, as compared with 4,186 last year.

Mrs. Norwood reminds drivers that Thursday, February 15th, is the deadline for purchasing new tags, and states that buyers must have their renewal cards and must have signed the declaration of insurance.

She also states that her office hours are 9:00 a. m. to 4:00 p. m., Monday through Friday, and 9:00 a. m. to 12:00 noon on Saturday.

Brotherhood Of Baptists Will Meet

An associational-wide meeting of the Baptist brotherhood will be held on Monday, February 19, at 7:30 o'clock, at the Temple Baptist church.

The program theme will be "Telling the Story."

Jesse Gillespie, the associational brotherhood leader urges all members to attend.

The Weather

Following several days when the morning temperature dipped into the teens, this past Monday afternoon the mercury reached a spring-like 71 degrees.

Precipitation totaled only a third of an inch and occurred in a two day period of last week.

Official readings for the week include:

	Hi	Low	Pre.
Wednesday	42	13	0
Thursday	43	26	.03
Friday	61	33	.30
Saturday	54	34	0
Sunday	43	15	0
Monday	71	28	0
Tuesday	63	28	0

Brown Takes Over Western Auto Store

Don W. Brown, who has been associated with Western Auto Associate Stores for the past 20 years, has purchased the Brevard Western Auto Associate store from Crawford W. Freeman.

Mr. Freeman, who has been in ill health for some time, has been advised by his doctors to give up the busy schedule that he has maintained for so many years as owner-manager of the local store.

He wishes to thank his many friends and customers for the years of loyal support and confidence that they have given him while he has been associated with Western Auto.

Mr. Brown, who has been a company representative for Western Auto, comes to Brevard from Wytheville, Va. He and his wife, Katherine, moved into their new residence on South Caldwell street this week.

In announcing the change of ownership, Mr. Brown stated that there would be no change in policy at the local store and that credit procedures and their easy pay plan would continue as in the past. The same efficient
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Commerce Body Adopts Budget Of \$6,000, Reports Are Heard

Directors of the Brevard Chamber of Commerce adopted a budget of \$6,000, the largest in the history of the organization, at their regular monthly meeting Tuesday night in the library.

Finance chairman Bill Keith presented the budget, which compares with a 1961 budget of \$5,580.00.

Town manager Bill Edens reported to the directors on the important meeting of the town board of aldermen held on Monday night.

The matter of making Chamber of Commerce dues uniform for all members was discussed and a motion was passed that will make this mandatory next year.

A resolution, encouraging the highway commission to improve U. S. highway 276 from Brevard to the South Carolina line as soon as possible, was adopted by the directors.

It was pointed out that the board of aldermen had also passed a similar resolution at their meeting this week.

It was also reported by industrialists.
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Seeks Another Term

Marvin McCall To Run Again, Clerk Of Court

F. Marvin McCall, clerk of Superior Court in Transylvania county, announces that he will seek re-election in the Democratic primary this May.

Mr. McCall is seeking re-election "on his record of service."

Mr. McCall was appointed to this office in October, 1949, by the resident district judge, J. Will Pless.

In announcing for re-election today, he states:

"Since I took office, I think my record speaks for itself."

He said further: "In offering myself as a candidate for the clerk of superior court of our fine county and state, I feel that

I am amply qualified and have so proven."

Mr. McCall was born in Transylvania county, the son of T. C. McCall of the Quebec section. He was the seventh son of a family of nine, eight boys and one girl, five of whom are now living in the county.

He attended Rosman high school and graduated from Western Carolina Teachers college in 1919. He was a teacher in the county for three years and was employed by the Ecusta Paper corporation for 11 years.

Mr. McCall is a member of the First Baptist church, a member of the Salvation Army Executive committee, is active in Boy Scouts and other youth work.

Hat In Ring

Potts Seeking Re-Election In May Democratic Primary

Jack H. Potts, who served in the House of Representatives from Transylvania during the 1961 session, announces today that he will be a candidate for primary in May.

In the last legislature, he served on the following committees: Revenue, Judicial (2), Health, Election and Election Laws and High Education.

During the session, he was one of those persons instrumental in forming the Highway Group from 17 western counties and has been active in this body since that time.

In the recent hearing before the North Carolina Highway commission at Asheville, Mr. Potts was one of the four spokesmen for the group.

"Our actions are bringing about better roads in Western North Carolina," he declared.

Mr. Potts is a past president of the Transylvania Bar association, and last year he served as president of the district bar group.
A native of Highlands, Mr.
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JACK H. POTTS

Potts received his law degree at the University of North Carolina.

During World War II, he served in the coastal artillery and held the rank of captain when
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CALENDAR OF COMING EVENTS

Thursday, February 15 — Kiwanis club meets at Gaither's at 6:45 p.m. Lions club meets at Colonial Inn at 7:00 p.m.

Friday, February 16 — Ace of Clubs meets at 8:00 p.m. Little Theatre production of "Watch on the Rhine" in college auditorium at 8:00 p.m.

Saturday, February 17 — GOP Convention at 2:00 p.m. in court house. Little Theatre production of "Watch on the Rhine" in college auditorium at 2:30 and 8:00 p.m. Elks Sweetheart dance at 8:00 p.m.

Sunday, February 18 — Attend the church of your choice.

Monday, February 19 — Rotary club meets at Gaither's at 7:00 p.m. Transylvania Humane Society meets with Mrs. Don Hill at 8:00 p.m.

Tuesday, February 20 — ASC burley tobacco election. Ace of Clubs meets at 7:30 p.m. Straus P.T.A. meets at 7:30 p.m. Eastern Star meets at Temple at 8:00 p.m.

Wednesday, February 21 — Toastmasters meet at Gaither's at 6:30 p.m. WOW meets in Woodman Hall at 8:00 p.m.