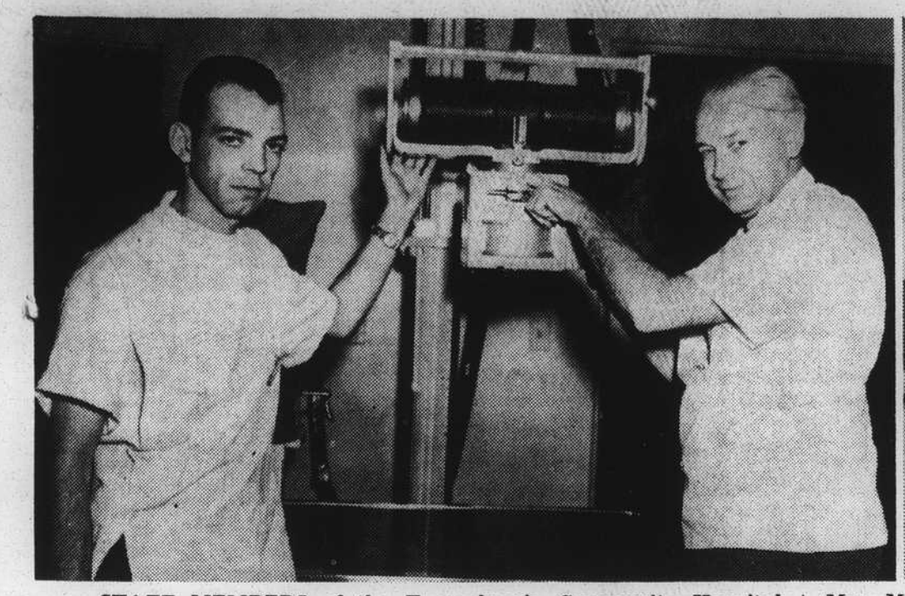
"Open House" Friday To Highlight Local Observance Of National Hospital Week



STAFF MEMBERS of the Transylvania Community Hospital are shown in the above photos with some of its new equipment. A new collinator and light beam cone for the x-ray machine is being demonstrated in the photo at the left by David Varner and A. E. Norville, laboratory and x-ray technicians. In the center picture, Mrs. Mary Mease, LPN, and Mrs. Jimmie Loftis, RN, director of nurses, are shown with the Portolift. This machine is used to lift patients from bed to stretcher, x-ray, operating, or in any instance to facilitate the moving of the patient. Mrs. Inez Grooms, RN, operating room supervisor, is shown in the right photo with a Bennett rebreathing unit. This unit is used to breathe for the patient after an anesthetic or in other conditions when the patient experiences difficulty in breathing. (Times Staff Photos)

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OFFICIALS OF THE Transylvania Community Hospital are shown above examining part of the new surgical instruments purchased during the past year. The surgical work table, which holds the instruments, is also new. Arthur Loeb, left, chairman of the board of trustees, and Leslie S. Grogan, right, vice chairman of the board of trustees, are discussing the equipment with John W. Bailey, hospital administrator. (Times Staff Photo)

Natural Gas For Brevard?

Natural gas for industrial and residential consumers in Brevard is now in prospect.

By action of the Board of Aldermen at its meeting Monday night, city manager Bill Edens and city attorney Cecil J. Hill were authorized to begin negotiation with the Public Service Company of North Carolina for a franchise to permit that company to establish its service in Brevard. The company is located in Gastonia.

B. E. Zeigler, president of the company, appeared at the meeting and informed the Board that a petition for the franchise will shortly be presented here.

Mr. Zeigler said his company has completed arrangements for supplying gas to the DuPont plant in Buck Forest.

The company supplies gas for heating and cooking. It serves Asheville, Rutherfordton, and other towns in western North Carolina. Its nearest pipe line is in Fletcher. To serve Brevard and DuPont the line would be extended from Fletcher, by way of Penrose. Estimated cost of the installation of the pipe lines is one million dollars. The company would have an office here and there would be employment for several persons.

Housing and Zoning

The Board acted on proposals concerning housing, zoning, and city planning.

A change in the zoning ordinance was presented by Bill Leonard, chairman of the Planning board. The change would prohibit more than one house on a single lot, and would require that every house erected in the

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Dedication To Highlight Armed Forces Day Here This Saturday

MILLER MEMORIAL ARMORY, above, will be the scene of Armed Forces Day ceremonies on Saturday afternoon, honoring two Brevard men who served in the nation's defense establishment. In the upper right corner is Maj. Gen. Ethan Allen Chapman, commanding general of the XII Army Corps, whose headquarters are in Atlanta, Georgia. He will be the chief speaker at the exercises.

High Army Brass On Program, Exhibits Planned

Armed Forces Day will be observed in Brevard Saturday by a ceremony in Miler Memorial Armory, in which the patriotic services of Joseph Alfred Miller, Jr., and his brother, John Duckett Miller, will be commemorated.

Both men were killed in action in world war II, and the armory was named in their memory.

In the program Saturday a painting of each man will be unveiled and a bronze plaque will be placed at the entrance to the building.

The paintings were done by Mrs. Eva Burgin of Brevard.

Major. Gen. Ethan A. Chapman, of Atlanta, commander of the XII United States Army Corps, will fly to Brevard in his army helicopter, to take part in the program. He will formally accept the paintings of the Miller brothers, which will be presented by John I. Anderson, editor of The Times.

The program will commence at 1:15 p. m., with a prayer by Dr. Emmett K. McLarty, Jr., president of Brevard College.

Guests Expected

The distinguished visitors and guests will be introduced by Lt. Col. Randal J. Lyday, followed by an address of welcome by Mayor B. W. Thomason. Lt. Col. Lyday will make a brief talk explaining the significance of the occasion, and a tribute will be paid to the Miller brothers by Mrs. Mary Jane

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Silver Tea Set Friday

The annual Silver Tea sponsored by the Hospital Auxiliary will be held on Friday, May 11th, from 2:00 to 4:00 o'clock in the Nurse's Dining room at the Transylvania Community Hospital.

This event is held each year during National Hospital week, and proceeds will be used for the purchase of urgently needed equipment.

Tours of the hospital will be given by members of the hospital staff.

Mrs. John H. Truesdail, president of the auxiliary, invites the public to attend the tea and to tour the hospital to see the latest equipment and to become familiar with the operation of the local institution.

Rules Cited

Saturday Is Last Day To Register For Primary

Saturday, May 12th, is the last day to register for the Primary election on May 26th, according to Ralph W. Lyday, chairman of the Board of Elections.

Saturday, May 19th, will be challenge day.

Mr. Lyday states that this is not a new registration, and persons who should register include the following:

(1) Voters becoming 21 years of age since the last election

(2) Persons who have moved into the county since the last election

(3) Persons who have moved from one precinct to another.

To be eligible to register, a person must have resided in the state for one year and in the precinct for 30 days, Mr. Lyday states.

The books will be open for registration at 9:00 o'clock at the voting places on Saturday, and they will remain open until sunset.

The precinct officials for Transylvania are also announced today by Mr. Lyday.

The first named is the registrar, the second is the Democratic judge, and the third is the Republican judge.

Boyd — Mrs. Virginia Pitillo, Elmer McLean, Mrs. Wae Mann.

Brevard No. One — Mrs. Annie M. Douglas, Wilson Gregory, Gerald Owen.

Brevard No. Two — Noah C. Miller, Mrs. G. T. Walker, George

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The Weather

By - Al Martin
Brevard's
Official Weatherman

Lack of precipitation continued to spell fire danger in Transylvania during the past week although some few scattered showers served to settle the dust in some areas.

However, total rainfall at the weather station adjacent to the WPNF studios amounted to just over one-eighth of an inch for the week.

Temperatures for the week hit an average high of 80 and an average low of 42 degrees with extremes of 87 and 37 degrees.

Readings for the week include:

	High	Low	Prec.
Wednesday	81	53	0
Thursday	75	37	0
Friday	77	39	.08
Saturday	77	41	0
Sunday	83	37	0
Monday	82	44	0
Tuesday	87	46	.05

Seeking To Improve Highway 276

An all out effort to secure improvement of U. S. Highway 276 from Brevard to Cedar Mountain was advocated by the directors of the Brevard Chamber of Commerce at their regular monthly meeting Tuesday night.

The directors went on record as urging everyone to actively support the project that would see improvements made on 276. This would make the road to the Brevard DuPont plant much safer to travel than the one than now exists.

The directors invite everyone to join them in writing to the State Highway Commission about the need for this improvement.

A report from the area development committee was heard, and a motion passed that will allow repairs to be made on certain signs in the vicinity of the entrance to Pis-

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Plans Being Made For Folk Festival, Pageant

The Sylvan Valley Folk Festival and the Miss Brevard pageant will be held on July 3rd and 4th on the Junior High school athletic field, sponsored jointly by the Brevard Jaycees and Jaycettes.

Plans for the event are announced by festival chairmen Mel Everingham and Marty Osborne and pageant chairman, Mrs. John Smart.

The festival will feature local and Western North Carolina area talent and will include smooth and clog square dance teams, string bands, and folk singing.

Bobby Hoyle, former manager of WPNF, who is now connected with WSPA radio and television in Spartanburg, S. C., has been invited to be the master of cere-

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County Court Holds Busy Term Monday

Transylvania's General County Court held a busy session on Monday.

According to Marvin McCall, clerk, it was a lucrative term for the county.

In addition to the large number of cases that were disposed of, several were continued until the next term of Superior court on June 4th, and others were called and failed.

Divorces were granted in the following cases:

Bessie Wood Smith Vs. Judson Smith.

Jess Chapman Vs. Marjorie Chapman.

Elizabeth Love Kilpatrick Vs. Robert E. Kilpatrick.

Loren J. Kitchen Vs. Christine

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CALENDAR OF COMING EVENTS

Thursday, May 10 — Southern Memorial Day. Bank and county offices closed. Jaycettes meet at Colonial Inn at 7:00 p.m. Boy Scout Roundtable at Presbyterian church at 7:30 p.m. Masons meet at Temple at 8:00 p.m.

Friday, May 11 — Hospital Auxiliary Silver Tea, 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. Brevard Civic Chorus presents "Pinafore" in college auditorium at 8:00 p.m.

Saturday, May 12 — Last day

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Democrats Will Hold County Convention Saturday, 2:00 p.m.

The bi-annual Democratic County Convention will be held on Saturday, May 12th, at 2:00 o'clock at the court house in Brevard, according to Charles L. Russell, county chairman.

At this meeting, new officers will be named for a two-year term.

Meetings were held in the 18 precincts last Saturday when executive committees were elected and delegates were named to Saturday's meeting.

The Democratic State convention will convene in Raleigh on Thursday, May 17th, when several thousand delegates are expected in the Memorial auditorium.

Congressman Harold D. Cooley, representative of the fourth district since 1934 and Dean of the North Carolina Congressional Delegation will deliver the keynote address, it was announced from State Democratic Headquarters in Raleigh on Monday by state chairman Bert Bennett.

Bennett stated that the all important state executive committee, congressional, judicial, solicitorial and senatorial committees will be selected by the delegates from the various counties

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WPNF Broadcasting Special Public Service Programs

Station manager Al Martin announces that the local station will record Armed Forces Day ceremonies at the local reserve center on French Broad Street on Saturday and rebroadcast them later in the day.

The program is slated to take place beginning at 1:15 p.m. and the broadcast will be heard following the state news at 5 p.m. on Saturday.

Program director Bill Hancock will be in charge of the special events broadcast presented as a public service by WPNF radio news.

Other Programs

The schedule for the Farm and Home hour for the coming week is as follows: Thursday, Brevard Home-ec dept., Mrs. Glenn Burrell; Friday, Carolina

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