

Do Your Christmas Shopping Early, Santa Arrived In Brevard Wednesday

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REAL FORTUNE — That's Big Jim Fortune, Brevard's outstanding fullback, as he is pictured above being tackled by Jack Underwood after a long gain. Fortune scored all three of the Blue Devils touchdowns last Friday night to give Brevard a 19-13

victory over Bessemer at Greensboro and the North Carolina Western AAA championship. More pictures and stories about the game are carried on the sport pages of this week's Times. (Engraving courtesy of The Greensboro Daily News)

Winners In General Election To Take Office Next Monday

Transylvania's newly elected public officials will be sworn in to office next Monday morning by Judge Robert T. Gash during the session of the Transylvania General County court.

The court will open at 9:30 o'clock, and the ceremonies are expected to be the first order of business.

According to Solicitor J. Bruce Morton, the court will be a one-day criminal term.

All criminal cases on the docket, except those previously slated for jury trial, will be called.

Among those being sworn in next Monday are the following: F. M. McCall, (D), Clerk of Superior Court

Ed Matheson, (D), and Gene Morris, (D), Board of Education Donald Lee Moore, (D), Coroner

Carter McCall, (R), Sheriff. Verdicts handed down in the General County Court on Monday were as follows: Denny Eugene Middleton, —Turn to Page Eight

CALENDAR OF COMING EVENTS

Thursday, November 29 — BPW club meets at Berry's at 7:00 p.m.

Friday, November 30 — Wildlife Film-Lecture at Brevard college at 8:15 p.m.

Saturday, December 1 — Indian Benefit dinner at Methodist church at 7:00 p.m.

Sunday, December 2 — Attend the church of your choice. Elks Memorial service at Lodge at 2:00 p.m.

Monday, December 3 — Rotary meets at Gathers' at 7:00 p.m. General meeting of Citizens Committee for Better Schools in Brevard college auditorium at 7:30 p.m. Baptist Associational Mobilization meeting at First Baptist church at 7:30 p.m.

Tuesday, December 4 — Eastern Star meets at Temple at 8:00 p.m.

Wednesday, December 5 — Toastmasters meet at Gathers' at 6:30 p.m. WOW meets at Woodman Hall at 8:00 p.m.

Hardister Is New Biologist For This Area

John Hardister has been named State Wildlife Biologist for Western North Carolina.

He succeeds Rex Bird, of Hendersonville.

Mr. Hardister will serve 12 counties from his headquarters at Lake Junaluska.

A native of Kannapolis, he is a 1960 graduate of N. C. State college and is now working toward his master's degree.

His work includes the promotion of a program to benefit wildlife and to allow sportsmen to take their fair share of the game.

Mr. Hardister is available for assistance in planning wildlife food and cover plantings, and materials in this connection are available at no charge.

Mr. Hardister may be contacted through the local county agricultural agent, soil conservationist, or at P. O. Box 411, Lake Junaluska.

Decorate This Christmas Is Club's Plea

Brevard citizens are urged to decorate their homes for Christmas.

The request comes from the Brevard Garden club, which will offer awards for the best decorations.

No cash prizes, however, will be awarded. Awards will be made in the following categories:

- (1) Doorway (2) Outside tree (3) Inside tree, as seen from outside (or window) (4) General outside appearance of home.

Judging will be done on December 23rd, from 6:30 until 9:30 p.m., and will include a two mile radius from the center of town.

There are no restrictions.

"Beautiful decorations add to the spirit of Christmas," officials of the club say in urging everybody to decorate.

Complete details will be announced by the club in the immediate future.

Construction Of New St. Timothy Methodist Church Now Underway

The first of three units of St. Timothy Methodist church is now under construction and will be ready for occupancy during the spring, 1963.

The church is being constructed on a three and one-half acre lot on the Asheville Hwy. across from Camp Straus and will be the new home of Oak Grove Methodist church.

The unit, an educational wing, will include classrooms, church office, fellowship hall which will serve as the sanctuary, kitchen, boiler room, rest rooms and storage rooms.

The construction is of brick and steel, and the first unit will cost approximately \$40,000.00.

David Norton is chairman of the building committee, and Frank Osborne is the construction superintendent. The church is its own contractor.

The total building program, which will cover an eight to —Turn to Page Six

Thousands See Big Yule Parade, Business Tempo Said Picking Up



4-H KEY AWARDS in Transylvania are being presented to the above 4-H members by Miss Jean Childers, Home Economics Extension agent. The 4-H Key award is a new awards program for North Carolina 4-H club members who have provided leadership in their clubs and counties. The award is sponsored by Cit-

ies Service Oil company. Each winner is presented a "Certificate of Honor" and a gold key. Receiving the awards are Donny Surrette, of the Pisgah Forest community, and Sue Ellen Hunter, from the Busy Bee community 4-H club. (Extension Staff Photo)

Multi-colored Lights Are On, "Trade At Home"

An estimated crowd of 8,000 persons attended the gigantic parade in Brevard Wednesday, and it was said to have been one of Brevard's finest parades, although the weatherman did not cooperate.

The size of the crowd was much smaller than expected, since the skies were cloudy all day and there were intermittent showers.

The event signalled the opening of the 1962 Christmas shopping season in Brevard, and climaxing the parade was Ole Santa himself, riding high atop a beautiful float.

The parade featured the bands of Brevard and Hendersonville, 12 profession floats, more than a dozen other entries and beauty queens.

The color guards of the Monroe Wilson post of the American legion led the parade up Main street, down Caldwell, back to Broad and then to the college.

A survey in Brevard reveals that the tempo of shopping has noticeably stepped up, and the stores are well-stocked with Christmas merchandise.

The multi-colored lights, more extensive than ever before, were turned on during the parade, and parents are particularly urged to bring the children to town during the evening hours to see the beautiful lights.

Once again the officials of the merchants committee emphasize that it is good business to "shop at home" this Christmas.

Public Invited To Attend School Meeting

Conrad Hooper, assistant superintendent of the Raleigh schools, will be the principal speaker at a general meeting of the Transylvania County Citizens Committee for Better Schools on Monday night, December 3rd, in the Brevard College Campus center building.

The public is cordially invited to attend, and the meeting will begin promptly at 7:30 o'clock. The meeting is sponsored jointly by the school committee and the Transylvania County Board of Education.

Various committees of the school group have made studies of the school program in Transylvania, and officials of the group feel that Monday night's meeting will be an important one.

The December meeting of the Board of Education will be held in conjunction with this general meeting Monday night at the college. — Turn to Page Eight

Du Pont Plant Converts To Photo Products After 1962

The Du Pont company will withdraw from the silicon business next March, A. B. Morrison, manager of the company's Brevard plant announces today.

Mr. Morrison said silicon operations will be discontinued at the end of December and employees will be trained for positions in the Photographic Products plant now under construction.

Du Pont has produced silicon for the electronics industry at the Brevard plant since 1958. In announcing plans for bringing Photographic Products to Brevard last January, the company said:

"The plant has felt the effects of conditions in the silicon business which is depressed as a result of overcapacity and technical changes in the electronics industry."

Responsibility for management of the plant was assumed by the company's Photo Products Department last August.

In a letter to silicon customers today, Robert H. Pohl, director of sales for the company's Pigments Department, declared:

"The capacity for producing semi-conductor grade silicon in the United States is considerably in excess of the demand, both —Turn to Page Six

League Takes Action

Another Request Made For New Registration In County

Jaycees Pushing Scholarship Campaign Here

Brevard Jaycees are still accepting donations to their college scholarship fund. The ultimate plan of the local organization is to raise money sufficient to establish a college scholarship for some worthy Transylvania county boy or girl who might not otherwise be able to attend college.

In connection with the fund-raising drive, the Jaycees are awarding a brand new 1963 Chevrolet pick-up truck to some donor. The award will be made on Christmas eve at 5:00 p.m. in front of the county court house.

Donations are being accepted by all Jaycees, and they urge everyone who has not done so to contribute to this worthy cause. — Turn to Page Eight

The Weather

Almost an inch of rainfall was recorded at the local weather observation station during the past week, while temperatures remained on the nippy side.

Low reading for the week came on Friday morning when the mercury dipped to 18 degrees, but as has been the procedure thus far this fall, the high reading also came on the same day when the mercury climbed to 66 degrees.

Average minimum for the week was 28 degrees with the maximum averaging 57 degrees.

Readings for the week are as follows:

Table with columns: High Low Prec. Wednesday 54 44 .77 Thursday 55 41 .11 Friday 66 18 0 Saturday 65 26 0 Sunday 52 26 0 Monday 50 21 0 Tuesday 57 22 0

Group Organizing

Old Methodist Church A Community Center? Maybe

Plans are being formulated to secure the former Methodist church building on North Gaston street for a Brevard Community center.

During recent weeks, many groups, clubs and individuals have been contacted, and Lloyd Burhans has been named chairman of the committee of citizens who are interested in the community center.

Organizations expressing interest in using the center are the Youth association, the Brevard Little theatre and other civic groups.

This building will serve as a focal point for civic activities, aimed directly at benefiting the townspeople of Brevard.

A Board of Trustees is being formed to secure the property and to serve as an administrative body. This board will be composed of leaders representing a broad scope of community

interests.

A funds-raising campaign to help bear initial cost of obtaining the building and modifying certain parts of the structure to adapt it for use as a community center will be held.

The immediate need to accomplish —Turn to Page Six

Action Supported

Brevard Elks Hear From The President, Service Slated

Brevard Elks received greetings from John F. Kennedy, president of the United States this week.

During the Cuban crisis, the local lodge sent a telegram to the president, expressing wholehearted support of the strong stand that he took.

The telegram read: "In keeping with the patriotic character of our order, we wish to pledge our earnest and wholehearted support to your recent decisive action toward the preservation and defense of the security of our hemisphere. Stand firm."

The president replied: "I am most grateful for your expression of support and con-

A Memorial Service for departed Elks will be held at the Brevard Elks' lodge hall Sunday, December 2nd at 2:00 p.m.

All lodge members and their wives as well as the public are invited to attend.

The Rev. Ben F. Ormand, D. D., will deliver the oration. A brief social with light refreshments will be held following the service.

fdience. Your message gives heartening evidence of our national unity and strength of purpose during the current international crisis. "With all best wishes. John F. Kennedy"

Mallonee To Visit Here Next Tuesday

Tom L. Mallonee, 12th Congressional district secretary to Congressman Roy A. Taylor, will visit in Transylvania next Tuesday, Dec. 4th.

He will be at the court house here in Brevard from 3:00 to 4:00 p.m.

Any person who has plans or official business pertaining to congressional matters that he wishes to discuss is invited to meet Mr. Mallonee at the court house at that time.