

Brevard Fire Department Now Equipped With New Modern Tanker-Truck

The Brevard fire department, which is recognized as one of the finest volunteer departments in the state, now has a new 2,000 gallon tanker-truck ready for use.

While this truck is ideal for fighting rural fires, it is also adapted for urban use as water is available immediately upon the truck's arrival at a blaze.

In the meantime, lines can be laid from the other trucks.

The new and modern tanker-truck can pump more than 200 gallons of water per minute from ponds or streams.

It is also equipped with a canvas reservoir which can store some 1,800 gallons of water.

The new Engine No. 4 was purchased with donations from hundreds of citizens in Brevard and Transylvania county.

F. L. "Buck" McCall is chairman of the finance committee, and he expresses sincere ap-

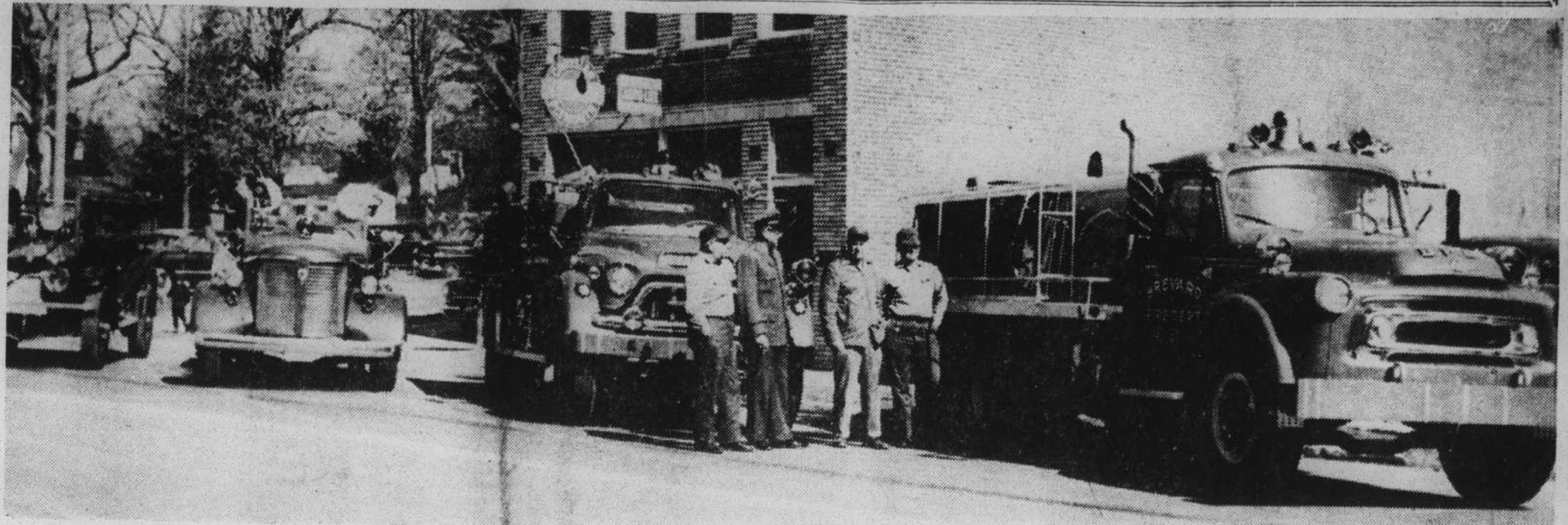
preciation to all persons, clubs, industries and others who have given to the campaign.

Many summer residents were contributors, he states.

Actually, a total of \$7,892.60 has been paid on the truck, leaving a balance due of some \$400.00.

Members of the local fire department have given more than 600 man-hours in assembling the tanker on the bed, painting the truck, etc.

The six-months' drive for the truck began last October, and Mr. McCall feels that the work has been done in record time. Simultaneously, the department has continued its weekly training sessions, and schools for firemen from throughout Western North Carolina have been held here at the fire training center (Cape Canaveral) on the Camp Illahee road.



OFFICIALS of the Brevard volunteer fire department are shown inspecting Engine No. 4, the latest addition to facilities of the department. It is

a tanker-truck which has a capacity of more than 2,000 gallons of water. From left to right are: Bob Kilpatrick, who is in charge of all drivers;

F. L. "Buck" McCall, who heads the finance committee of the department; "Cap" D. R. Boyd, fire chief; and Donald Kilpatrick, driver. (Staff Photo)

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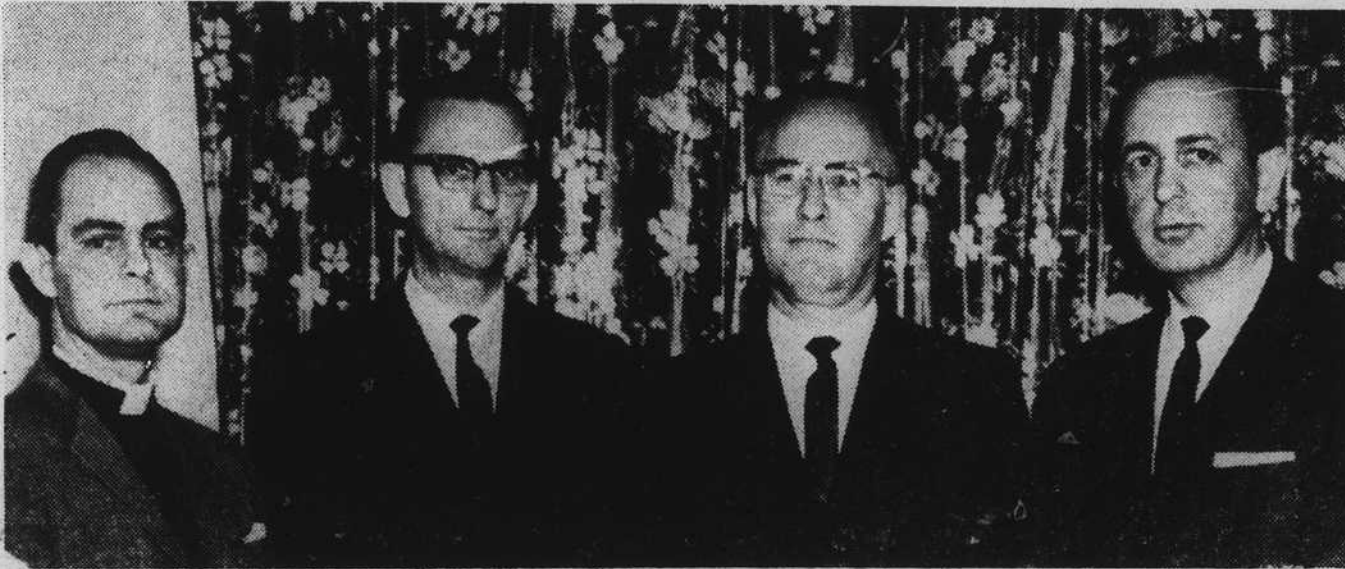
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THE PLANNING COMMITTEE for the Community Good Friday services here on March 27th is pictured above. Services will be held in 20-minute intervals from 12:00 noon until 3:00 o'clock at the Wesleyan Methodist church on Whitmire street. They are sponsored by the Transylvania Ministerial association, of which Rev. W. Harold Killian is the

president. From left to right are: Rev. Alfred D. Rhyne, pastor of the Lutheran Church of the Good Shepherd; Rev. John W. Moretz, pastor of the Wesleyan Methodist church; Rev. Ben Ormand, pastor of the Brevard - Davidson River Presbyterian church; and Mr. Killian, pastor of the First Baptist church. (Times Staff Photo)

Many Services To Highlight The Easter Observance In Transylvania

Public Invited To Good Friday Event, 12 To 3

The annual Community Good Friday service sponsored by the Transylvania County Ministerial Association, will be held from 12:00 noon until 3:00 o'clock Friday at the Brevard Wesleyan Methodist church.

The service is divided into 20-minute segments, with eight ministers participating. Special music will be presented by the churches represented.

Organists for the service will be Ray E. Childers and Charles Jolliff.

The Rev. John W. Moretz, pastor of the Wesleyan Methodist church, will begin the service at 12:00 noon with a meditation. Other ministers, who will speak on one of the seven last words, will be heard at the following times:

The Rev. Samuel A. Raper, Bethel A Baptist church, 12:20-12:40; the Rev. Alfred D. Rhyne, Lutheran Church of the Good Shepherd, 12:40-1:05; the Rev. W. Harold Killian, First Baptist church, 1:05-1:25 p.m.; the Rev. Ben F. Ormand, Brevard-Davidson River Presbyterian church, 1:35-1:50 p.m.; the Rev. Paul Mims, Temple Baptist church, 1:50-2:10 p.m.; the Rev. Frederick F. Valentine, Jr., St. Philip's Episcopal church, 2:10-2:35 p.m.; the Rev. Charles Reichard, Brevard Methodist church, 2:35-3:00 p.m.

The Weather

Temperatures ranged from a low of 21 degrees last Thursday morning to a high of 61 degrees on both Monday and Tuesday afternoons of the past week.

Daily highs averaged out at 56 degrees with the arrival of spring, and early morning lows tipped the thermometer at an average of 31 degrees during the week.

Precipitation for the period ending at 6:00 p.m. Tuesday of this week was nine-tenths of one inch.

Individual daily readings were as follows:

	High	Low	Prec.
Wednesday	60	37	Trace
Thursday	58	21	.00
Friday	43	36	.64
Saturday	49	35	.26
Sunday	59	31	.00
Monday	61	25	.00
Tuesday	61	30	.00

On Campaign Trail

Clifton Blue Addresses Breakfast Meeting Here

H. Clifton Blue, speaker of the 1963 House of Representatives and now a candidate for the Democratic nomination for lieutenant governor, brought his campaign to Brevard Wednesday morning.

He spoke at a breakfast meeting in Gaither's Rhododendron room. Some 40 persons attended.

After his visit here, he swung west to visit Swain and surrounding counties and then to Cherokee.

The 53-year-old resident of Aberdeen made a plea for more participation in government.

"Today more than ever before every man, woman and

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CLIFTON BLUE

Schools Close All Next Week, Offices Monday

Churches throughout Brevard and Transylvania county are planning special Easter services on Sunday, and several Sunrise services are slated.

The Jaycees will again sponsor the Community-wide Sunrise service on the campus of Brevard College. It will begin at 6:00 o'clock.

Public schools in Transylvania will have spring holidays all next week. Classes will be recessed at 3:00 o'clock Friday afternoon, Supt. Wayne Bradburn states.

Brevard College began holidays at noon on Wednesday, and classes will be resumed on Thursday, April 2nd.

Town and county offices will be closed on Monday for the Easter observance. However, the clerk of court's office will be open, since the civil calendar of the March-April term of Superior court will be heard on that day.

The First Union National bank and Brevard Federal Savings and Loan association will close Monday. Pisgah Industrial Loans will remain open.

Parcel Post Rate Boost Set April 1

April 1 has been set as the effective date for the new Parcel Post rate increase.

The Parcel Post increase, approved recently by the Interstate Commerce Commission and averaging about 13.1 per cent, is expected to yield about \$75.4 million annually.

Catalog rates will be increased approximately 13 per cent and will produce added revenue of about \$2.4 million if 1963 volume is maintained.

The higher rates do not affect parcel post or international parcel post.

Postmaster Charlie Y. Patton, Jr., said he has been advised by Postmaster General —Turn to Page Eight

Many Baptist Churches To Hold Revivals

Many Baptist churches in the Transylvania Association will take a leading role in the nation-wide Baptist Jubilee Revival campaign that starts Sunday, March 29th and continues through Sunday, April 12th, according to an announcement by the Rev. G. H. Dellinger.

Baptist churches from the Transylvania Association participating in the revival include the following: King street, Boyleson, Enon, Little River, Breard First, Calvary, Grace, Dunn's Rock, Lake Toxaway, Temple, Mt. Moriah Cherryfield, Carr's Hill and Turkey Creek.

The theme for the evangelistic crusade is "Spiritual Con-

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Meeting Is Held

TVA Now Making Preliminary Field Studies, French Broad

Three survey parties from the Tennessee Valley Authority are engaged in three preliminary field studies of the French Broad river, the terrain, stream flow, etc.

Similar surveys will be made in Henderson, Buncombe, Haywood and Madison counties.

The teams are expected to complete their surveys in Transylvania in about two weeks.

According to Paul Morris, chief of the Maps and Survey branch of TVA, the teams are collecting basic information on

the possibility of small detention dams for flood control.

"However, this does not mean that we have plans for building these dams," Mr. Morris told The Times Wednesday morning.

The steering committee of the Western North Carolina Planning commission met with officials of TVA last Friday in Asheville and heard reports on the study and on the overall survey that is now underway.

The commission will continue to study the reports from the

five-county area. Actually, the reports will be included in a study to be presented jointly next month by the TVA and State College, Raleigh.

The group last Friday was told that the reports themselves are not a plan or program, but include data in depth on the area's human resources, agriculture, industry, water and timber.

Donald E. Mattern, chief of

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GOP Convention Will Continue This Saturday

The Transylvania County Republican convention will be reconvened on Saturday, March 28th, in the courthouse in Brevard at 2:00 p.m., according to an announcement made today by Ralph L. Waldrop, chairman of the Republican executive committee.

The Republicans at their bi-annual convention held on February 8th, voted to recess and reconvene on March 28th, for the purpose of nominating candidates for the Board of County Commissioners and the Board of Education for the November 3rd, 1964, General Election, Mr. Waldrop stated.

Mr. Waldrop reminds all Republicans and all Republican precinct delegates to the county convention to be present on Sat-

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Hat In Ring

Siniard Enters The Race For County Commissioner

Hale "Guis" Siniard, Jr. today announces his candidacy for the office of county commissioner of Transylvania county subject to the will of the voters in the May 30th Democratic primary.

A native of Transylvania, Mr. Siniard has for 17 years been a partner with his brother, W. O. "Bud" Siniard, in Siniard Brothers Grading and Paving Company of Brevard.

He is a graduate of Brevard high school and served during World War II in the United States Navy. He is a member of St. Timothy Methodist church, the Transylvania County Board of Public Welfare and the District I School Committee.

Mr. Siniard is married to the

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HALE SINIARD, JR.

CALENDAR OF COMING EVENTS

Thursday, March 26 — BPW club meets at Berry's at 7:00 p.m. Republican Women meet at Gaither's at 7:00 p.m. Masons meet at Temple at 8:00 p.m.

Friday, March 27 — Good Friday services at Wesleyan Methodist church 12:00 noon to 3:00 p.m. Ace of Clubs meets at 8:00 p.m.

Saturday, March 28 — GOP convention at court house at 2:00 p.m.

Sunday, March 29 — Easter Sunday. Community Sunrise service on college campus at 6:00 —Turn to Page Four