



A RAVENOUS FIRE of undetermined origin completely destroyed the home and possessions of Bud Wiley on Probart street early Monday morning. Mrs. Wiley had taken the children to school shortly before the fire started, and no one was in the dwelling at the time. A pet chihuahua dog, however, was not so lucky, and perished in the fire. The blaze apparently started in the kitchen,

but it had such a head start before the Brevard fire department was notified that this could not be verified for certain. The local firemen could save nothing from the flames even though they battled valiantly to bring the fire under control. Two different views of the destructive blaze are pictured here. Above left, firemen gamely,

but hopelessly turn a hose on the back of the house where flames had already completely destroyed that part of the structure. Above right, the flames are shown getting closer to the side of the dwelling that was the last to go. Shortly after the pictures were made, nothing was left standing but the concrete foundation.

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WINNERS in the 1965 Transylvania Rural Development contests judging are shown with Donald Lee Moore, chairman of the Board of Commissioners, and Morris McGough, executive secretary of the Asheville Agricultural council. From left to right are: Mr. Moore; Erik Hansen, president of

Sapphire - Whitewater Community Development club, winner in the non-farm division; Channing Hubbard, president of the Little River club, first in the farm division; Norris Powell, chairman of the youth program in Eastatoe, winner of the youth program; and Mr. McGough.

Transylvanians To Vote In Special Election Next Tuesday, Two Issues

Much Repaving Being Done In Brevard

Repaving of portions of 10 streets in Brevard is being completed.

It is the most extensive repaving project that has been undertaken by the Town of Brevard in many years.

Park avenue was resurfaced this week, as was the east end of Main street.

Last week Franklin and —Turn to Page Four

Brevard Merchants Hold October Opportunity Days

Brevard merchants are bringing many bargains to their customers through their big town-wide promotion, "October Opportunity Days", this Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Ed Rice, chairman of the Merchants Division of the Brevard chamber of commerce, states that the participating merchants are going all out to bring many outstanding values to Brevard shoppers during the big three day event.

"We hope that everyone will shop all Brevard stores during this event," Mr. Rice stated, "And we extend a cordial invitation to all who will to take advantage of the many bargains being offered here," he concluded.

Polls Open From 6:30 Until 6:30, Voting Is Urged

Transylvania citizens, now extremely tired of "horse and buggy" routes in many sections of the county, are expected to turn out in large numbers next Tuesday and vote for better roads.

While there are two issues on the ballot, the \$300 million dollar road bond issue of Governor Dan K. Moore and the Appeals court, the former will receive the greatest vote since it has had the most publicity.

Polls will open at 6:30 a.m., and close at 6:30 p.m.

Registration during the past three Saturdays has been light, and according to J. O. Wells, chairman of the Board of Elections, this coming Saturday will be Challenge Day.

Transylvanians are expected to cast a heavy vote "for" better roads.

The issue, as well as the Court of Appeals Amendment, has been approved by the Board of County Commissioners and others groups in Brevard and Rosman.

Spearheading the favorable vote are Representative B. W. Thomason; John Smart, chairman of the Democratic executive committee; Ralph Waldrop, chairman of the Transylvania Republican executive committee; John I. Anderson, editor of The Transylvania —Turn to Page Four

Calendar of Events

In Rural Contest

Little River And Sapphire-Whitewater Communities Win

Thursday, Oct. 28—BPW club meets. Rosman vs. Marshall at stadium at 7:30 p.m. Masons meet at 8:00 p.m.

Friday, Oct. 29—Ace of clubs meets at 8:00 p.m.

Saturday, Oct. 30 — Brevard elementary Halloween supper and carnival.

Sunday, Oct. 31 — Attend the church of your choice.

Monday, Nov. 1 — Rotary meets at Gaither's at 7:00. Toastmasters also meet.

Tuesday, Nov. 2 — Eastern Star at temple at 8:00 p.m. WOW at Woodmen hall at 8:00 p.m.

Wednesday, Nov. 3 — Jaycees meet at Berry's at 7:00 p.m.

The Transylvania Annual Community Development Awards program was held last Thursday night in the Ecusta Cafeteria at Olin Mathieson.

Top awards were presented to the following communities:

In the Farm division, 1st place winner of \$150 was Little River Community, Channing Hubbard, president; and

2nd place winner of \$75 was the Silverstein Community, L. C. McCall, president.

In the Non-Farm division, Sapphire - Whitewater was 1st

place winner of \$150, Erik Hansen, president; and

2nd place winner in the Non-Farm Division of \$75 was Eastatoe Community, Elmo Crowe, president.

Eastatoe was county winner in the Youth contest, Norris Powell, Jr., president. The award was \$30.

Little River, Sapphire - Whitewater and Eastatoe will represent

the county in the District contest. Little River will receive a consolation prize of \$25 for their entry in the District Roadside Beautification contest.

Awards were presented by Donald Lee Moore, chairman of County Commissioners; and Morris McGough, executive vice-president, Asheville Agricultural Development council.

The main address was given —Turn to Page Seven

High temperature for the week came on Tuesday afternoon when a balmy 72 degrees was recorded.

Daily highs and lows were 63 and 39 degrees during the past seven day period.

	High	Low	Prec.
Wednesday	62	56	.35
Thursday	60	55	.36
Friday	68	54	.08
Saturday	66	32	Trace
Sunday	53	38	.00
Monday	59	20	.00
Tuesday	72	21	.00

Weather

The season's first frost was recorded on Monday morning of this week at the lowest reading thus far this season dropped the mercury column to the 20 degree mark.

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United Fund Rolling

The United Fund drive in Brevard and Transylvania is moving along at a rapid pace, and Dr. Wilburn Davis, the chairman, hopes it can be completed immediately.

Announcement is made today of 100 per cent participation of firms and organizations during the past week. They are:

- Radio Station WPNF
- Pisgah Industrial Loans

- Town Hall
- First Citizens bank.
- Other large contributions have come in from the following:
- Blue Ridge Trucking
- Francis & Wright
- Sears, and
- Smile Oil company.

A long list of other contributors is carried on the front page of the third section in this week's Times.

Verdicts Handed Down

October Term Of Superior Court Is A Busy Session

Several jury trials are being heard this week in the October term of Superior court in Transylvania county.

As The Times went to press Wednesday, the light criminal docket was being completed.

Judge Hugh R. Campbell, of Charlotte, is expected to hand down several verdicts later in the day.

Trial of the heavy civil docket will be continued for the rest of this week and next, Marvin McCall, clerk of the Superior court, states.

Steve Logan Lance, who was found guilty by the jury of hit and run, was given from two to three years in prison by Judge Campbell Wednesday morning.

Other verdicts were as follows:

James Y. Davis, charged with breaking and entering, was given a suspended sentence.

Robert Gray, on a similar charge, was given a suspended sentence.

William Blackmore was found guilty by jury of larceny of property and was sentenced to not less than five and not more than seven years in prison.

Lawrence Pressley was found guilty by jury of breaking and entering and was sentenced to three to five years in the state prison.

Ellis Revis plead guilty to fail- —Turn to Page Four



LOCAL CIVIC CLUBS honored members of the Brevard Volunteer Fire department at their annual banquet at the Masonic Temple here last Thursday night. Principal figures at the event are pictured above. From left to right, they are: Kiwanian Tom Mitchell, who introduced the speaker; Rev. Harold Killian, vice president of the Brevard Lions club;

D. R. Boyd, chief of the Brevard Fire department; Rev. Dan McCall, pastor of Brevard-Davidson River Presbyterian church, who delivered the main address; John K. Smart, president of the Brevard Rotary club; and Don Blankinship, president of the host Brevard Kiwanis club, who presided. (Times Staff Photo)

Program Highlights

WPNF Will Broadcast Direct Returns Next Tuesday Evening

Results from next Tuesday's referendum on Governor Moore's proposed \$300-million road bond issue and the constitutional amendment to create appellate courts in North Carolina will be broadcast beginning at 7:00 p.m. on WPNF.

With local returns direct from the Transylvania court house and statewide returns reported by the Associated Press from the WJNF newsroom, the complete story on this important ballot will be broadcast live as it unfolds.

The broadcast will be sponsored by several local business firms in the public interest.

Other Programs

The schedule for the Farm

and Home hour is as follows: Thursday, Farm - Home administration; Friday, U. S. Forest service; Monday, county extension chairman; and Wednesday, home agent.

Appearing on the Civic Hour are the following: Friday, Elks club; Monday, DAR; Wednesday, club.

Speaking this week on Morning Devotions is Rev. G. H. Dellinger, pastor of the Turkey Creek Baptist church.

The Sunday morning church service is being broadcast through the remote facilities of WPNF from the First Baptist church. Rev. Harold Killian is pastor.