

Contract For Whitewater Falls Road To Be Let At Meeting In Asheville

Luncheon To Open College Commencement

The annual Alumni luncheon will begin the Brevard College commencement activities Saturday, May 14th, at 1:00 p.m. Speaker for the occasion will be Ernest D. Eppley, of Boone.

Mr. Eppley was coach at Brevard for the year 1952-53. Married to the former Anita Byrum, who attended Brevard that year, he is now associated with the Federal Economic Opportunity program and is in charge of W.A.Y.M. Community Action, Inc., which serves Watauga, Avery, Yancey and Mitchell counties.

Returning alumni are invited to register beginning at 10:00 a.m., in the Dunham Music Center. Tickets for the luncheon will be \$1.00.

Members of the graduating class will be guests at the luncheon and officially welcomed into the Alumni association.

Commencement activities will be held on the following day, with the sermon at 11:30 in the morning and graduation exercises set at 3:00 o'clock.

Rt. Rev. John E. Hines, D.D., 22nd Presiding Bishop of the Protestant Episcopal Church, U.S.A., and Dr. Ralph W. Decker, director of Educational Institutions, Board of Education of The Methodist church, will be the commencement speakers.

Full details are carried in a story on the second front page of this week's Times.



ACHIEVING THE RANK OF EAGLE SCOUT are the three members above of Troop 703, sponsored by the Brevard - Davidson River Presbyterian church. Awards were presented to these boys last Sunday morning during the Worship service at the church. From left to right,

they are: "Chip" Munro, Paul Blankinship and Johnny Bolt. Ken Drupiewski, district Scout executive, made the presentation. Dick Gustafson is Scoutmaster of the troop and Al Hope is the assistant.

(Times Staff Photo)

Route To Open Up Highly Scenic Section

A long-awaited project in highway construction is due to come about the first week in June, when the State Highway Commission, in session in Asheville, will let a contract for about 3.4 miles of road at Whitewater Falls. This will link with the present road at the South Carolina line.

The project is a cooperative measure between the National Forest Service and the State Highway Commission.

The new road will be right at the falls, and is expected to become one of the major scenic attractions in this area. The falls are among the highest in the East, and the terrain around them attracts thousands of visitors a year.

For many years, Transylvanians have joined with neighbors in South Carolina in an effort to get this road built. It has also been a primary goal of Congressman Roy A. Taylor.

Each year, attention has been focused on the need for such a road at the annual Whitewater picnic, sponsored by civic groups in upper Transylvania county and Salem, S. C.

The South Carolina Highway department has paved the road on that side of the falls, and local citizens are anxiously awaiting the day when the highway on the North Carolina side will be relocated and hardsurfaced.

W. Curtis Russ, of Waynesville, the highway commissioner for this area, said shortly after his appointment that he would do everything possible to get the road paved on the North Carolina side, and he will present the project to the commission for final approval at the June meeting in Asheville.

College Will Have Summer Program Again

The summer recreation program at Brevard College will begin June 13th and last through August 20th.

Under the program, all athletic facilities at the college will be available to the public, including the gymnasium, the weight room, the indoor swimming pool, and the tenflox covered tennis courts.

Swimming instructions will also be offered for all ages. Prices for the 10 weeks program are \$40.00 per family or \$25.00 per individual.

Persons interested may contact L. W. Martin or Ed Roy at the college.

Challenge Day - 21st Saturday Is Last Day To Register For The Primaries

Directors Of United Fund Meet Thursday

The United Fund Board of Directors will meet at the Community Center, Thursday, May 12th, at 8:00 p.m.

Action committee chairmen will be named at this time. Also, plans will be discussed for this year's program.

Election Board officials point out that this is not a new registration, and persons who voted in the last election are not required to register again, unless they have moved from one precinct to another.

To be able to vote in the election, a person must have lived in the state for one year, and in the precinct for 30 days.

Persons who have become 21 years of age since the last election, must register.

Registration books will be open at all 18 precincts in Transylvania this Saturday from 9:00 o'clock in the morning until sunset.

Delinquent Tax List Is Carried

Measles Clinics Slated Sunday

Reports Heard By Civic Group

Delinquent taxes are advertised this week by Transylvania's tax collector, L. R. Hipp.

The list is carried on pages 4 and 5 in the second section.

It will be run during the month of May, and tax certificates will be sold on the first Monday in June.

Mr. Hipp reports that collection of 1965 taxes is running ahead of collections at this same period last year.

He urges all persons owing delinquent taxes to come in and pay up as soon as possible.

News From

US Forest Service, "Lassie" In Pisgah

The Pisgah Ranger district will be included among the location filming sites for the popular "Lassie" TV series May 16th through 18th.

Various scenes for the program will be shot in the vicinity of Sliding Rock Falls and the Black Forest Lodge on Rockhorse Creek. Accompanying "Lassie" will be Robert Bray who stars as Corey Stuart, the District Forest Ranger in the series. A total of 50 technicians, cameramen and

directors will be on the scene.

This marks the first time that "Lassie" has gone east of the Rockies on location. Six half-hour programs will be filmed on a three-week trip which will cover five eastern states. This is the most extensive location filming ever undertaken by the 12-year old series.

The plot revolves around "Lassie", a pet fox and a young mountain girl. Most of the ac-



By Fred Reiter
Official Weatherman

Temperatures in the Brevard area were mild during the week ending Tuesday. Afternoon highs averaged 77 degrees, while morning lows averaged an even 40 degrees. The high temperature of the week came this past Monday afternoon, when the mercury climbed to 83. Saturday's rain amounted to .38 inch, during a locally severe thunderstorm.

The week's temperatures and precipitation follows:

	High	Low	Prec.
Wednesday	75	38	0.00
Thursday	76	35	0.00
Friday	80	33	0.00
Saturday	80	48	0.38
Sunday	80	45	0.05
Monday	83	49	0.00
Tuesday	63	34	0.00

Program Highlights

Radio Station WPNF Has A Tremendous Library Of Music

Transylvania county radio listeners can be assured of hearing the newest and best music available when they listen to the local station, WPNF.

The station receives weekly shipments of the latest popular tunes, as well as complete album services from RCA Victor, and Capitol records. Much of this music is used each day in planning and presentation of programs.

During a typical weekday, WPNF uses about 300 pieces of music, and it would be possible

to operate for a long time without repeating any one selection. Such is not the case however, due to the many requests for tunes to be played on the air, particularly on "Record Party", heard from 8:05 until 10:00 p.m. Monday through Friday nights.

Listeners are encouraged to write in their requests for music to be played on the local station at any time.

Other Programs
The schedule for The Farm — Turn to Page Three



PLANS FOR THE LOCAL observance of National hospital week are being discussed by John W. Bailey, the administrator of the Transylvania Community hospital, and Mrs. Hilda G. Cleveland, director of nurses, in

the photograph above. The highlight of the event will be the annual Silver Tea and tour of the local institution this Friday afternoon. The public is cordially invited to attend. (Times Staff Photo)

Several Stories, Pictures

Silver Tea Friday Highlights '66 Hospital Week Observance

The annual Silver Tea sponsored by the Hospital Auxiliary will be held Friday, May 13th, from 2:00 to 4:00 o'clock in the Nurses' Dining room at the Transylvania Community Hospital.

This event is held each year during National Hospital Week. Tours of the hospital will be conducted by members of the hospital staff.

Proceeds from the silver offering will be used for the purchase of equipment for the hospital.

Hospital Week

Since this is National Hospital week, The Times has a number of stories and pictures throughout the issue concerning the observance.

Subscribers are urged to read them with interest.

Reports Heard By Civic Group

Committee reports were heard and discussed at the regular monthly meeting of the directors of the Brevard Chamber of Commerce Tuesday night in the library.

Ben Patterson, reporting for the merchants division, stated that the merchants had decided to try to hold a Christmas parade again this year, in spite of much sentiment in favor of dropping it. He stated that the parade would be held if floats, bands and other units would be available on the Saturday before Thanksgiving. Otherwise, the committee will be forced to drop plans for a parade and seek some other method of ushering in the Christmas shopping season into Brevard, as many other towns in surrounding areas have done.

Bill Keith reported that the new golf course at Glen Cannon country club will be ready for — Turn to Page Three

Lively Session

Democrats To Hold County Convention This Saturday

Transylvania Democrats will hold a county convention Saturday afternoon in the court house here in Brevard.

The convention will open at 2:00 o'clock.

According to John Smart, chairman of the Democratic executive committee, the newly constituted county com-

mittee will meet at 1:30 o'clock for the purpose of electing new officers.

They will serve for a two-year term.

Precinct officials were elected last Saturday in each of the 18 precincts.

In each precinct, at least two men and two women were elected to the precinct committee.

Each precinct is composed of a chairman, vice chairman, (one man and one woman) and a secretary-treasurer.

At the 2:00 o'clock county convention, delegates to the state convention will be elected.

It will be held on May 17th in Raleigh.

Little Theatre Presents 50th Production

The final production of the Brevard Little Theatre for the current season will be presented Friday and Saturday evenings, May 13th and 14th, in the Brevard senior high school auditorium.

Curtain time is 8:15 p.m.

Admission is by season memberships or by single admission which may be purchased at the door.

The play "The Late Christopher Bean" is an anniversary production—the 50th production of the Brevard Little Theatre and will also be the occasion to honor the memory of Miss Beulah Zachary and her contribution to little theatre work in Brevard.

Included in the cast for "The Late Christopher Bean" are the following: Erwin Schranz, Rhemma Carter, Emmalou Truesdail, Kim Storrs, Leonard Poteet, John Nes, Ernest Gilstrap, Becky Macfie and Mel Evering.

Bill Keith reported that the new golf course at Glen Cannon country club will be ready for — Turn to Page Three

Rev. G. Daniel McCall Named To Head Ministerial Association



REV. DANIEL McCALL

The May meeting of the Transylvania Ministerial association was held at the Sacred Heart Roman Catholic church on Monday, May 9th. The Rev. H. C. Mulholland, pastor, welcomed the members at a breakfast in the parish rectory.

The Rev. G. Daniel McCall, pastor of the Brevard-Davidson River Presbyterian church, was elected president of the association for the year 1966-67.

Serving with Rev. Mr. McCall will be Rev. Dale R. Martin, vice president; Rev. Nolan W. Ford, radio chairman; and Rev. Joe Reeves, secretary-treasurer.

New members welcomed into the association were the Rev. Ernest W. Barnes, retired minister of the United Church of — Turn to Page Seven

This Health program is a joint project of the Brevard Junior Chamber of Commerce and the Transylvania County Medical Society. Approximately 1,000 immunization doses are available and will be given on a first come basis from 2:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m., at the two schools.

Volunteer community nurses and physicians will supervise the program.

"Measles can be a serious disease. Encephalitis (inflammation of the brain) occurs in one out of every two or three thousand cases; ear infections and pneumonia complicate measles. Immunizing your child will provide lasting protection against measles," Jaycee officials and members of the medical society declare.