



ARABIA OR TRANSYLVANIA?
Contrary to first impressions, the handsome beast of burden is not a refugee from an Arabian desert or a zoo. The newly acquired mascot of the Transylvania Shrine Club was created by the Mez Art Studios in Griffin, Ga. The camel, which took the studio nearly three months to complete, will be used by the local club in parades, meetings and conventions all over the state. It's

mouth is wired so that the camel can appear to speak. The camel is a traditional symbol used by the Shriners, whose full name is The Ancient Arabic Order of Nobles of the Mystic Shrine. Local club members making the arrangements to purchase the camel were John Ford, Sr., Al Ream and Jud McCrary, pictured, who brought the camel from Griffin to Brevard. (Times Staff Photo)

Duke Power Company Licensed To Begin The Gigantic Keowee-Toxaway Complex

"Watch Out For Swindlers" Is Plea Of Sheriff McCall

Sheriff Carter McCall urges Transylvanians to beware of swindlers.

Thanks to the efforts of the local sheriff's department and Pickens county officers, a Rosman resident recovered \$300, an excessive amount that was charged him by a man posing as an expert on septic tanks.

He reportedly cleaned a septic tank and then charged \$300. After being arrested and returned to Transylvania, he admitted the amount was excessive and returned the \$300.

He gave his name as Tom C. Harrison, and he admitted to Sheriff McCall that he was an "Irish Traveler" from Aiken county.

The sheriff describes "Irish Travelers" as men going from one community to another posing as electricians, barn painters, septic tank experts, etc.

"Some people call them gypsies, but they are not," Sheriff McCall states.

Many incidents of swindling have been reported in South Carolina, the local sheriff says, but officers have had difficulty in arresting them since they make restitution when confronted by their false pretense.



CONGRESSMAN ROY A. TAYLOR was the principal speaker at the dedication of the new post office at Rosman last Sunday afternoon. The 350 persons attending heard Mr. Taylor say that the new post office was a mark of progress in Rosman. B. E. Keisler, president of the Rosman Chamber of Commerce who can be noted at the right, was master of ceremonies on the program. More details are carried on the event in the Rosman news on page three in the first section of this week's Times. (Times Staff Photo)

Initial Project Will Cost Some \$86.3 Million

Licensing of Duke Power company to begin construction on the Keowee-Toxaway power complex on Savannah River tributaries in North Carolina and South Carolina officially marked the end this week of a 20-year controversy over development of the river basin.

The Federal Power Commission issued a license to Duke for an \$86.3 million project to be the initial construction of a complex that will include nuclear power facilities and a total cost of about \$700 million.

The commission said it knew of no reason warranting federal development of these tributaries. They include the Keowee, Little, Whitewater, Toxaway, Thompson and Horsepasture rivers in Oconee and Pickens counties of South Carolina and in Transylvania county.

The commission said also, "There are not any significant improvements or benefits which might accrue as a result of federal development in addition of those proposed by the applicant (Duke Power Co.) or otherwise provided." —Turn to Page Eight

Give "Fair Share"

United Fund Drive Underway, Kick - Off Breakfast A Success

The 1967 United Fund campaign in Brevard and Transylvania county is now in full swing.

Don Blankenship, president, urges all citizens to give their "fair share." Frank McGibboney, campaign director, and the UF workers are busy this week, contacting as many citizens of the community as possible.

The drive opened with a "kick-off" breakfast Tuesday morning in Gaither's Rhododendron room for the directors and the campaign workers. Over 40 persons were present for the event.

A film, "The Part You Play" was shown to the workers, which served to prepare them for contacts with citizens of the county.

The United Fund office is on the second floor of the McInn building, William Overholt, executive secretary, may be seen there or contacted by telephone 883-8260.

Mr. McGibboney urged the workers to complete their calls as soon as possible and to report results promptly.

The goal for the campaign this year is \$40,196, and a "fair share" is described as being one hour's pay for each month.

It was announced at the breakfast that First Union Na—Turn to Page Four

Statistics Reveal

More Golden Weddings Are Foreseen In Transylvania

By - Staff Writer

Of the 3,810 or so married couples in Transylvania county, how many of them are likely to be together to celebrate their golden wedding anniversaries?

What are their chances of marking their silver anniversaries?

Interest in these matrimonial milestones has been aroused at this time because of the fact that one of America's most famous couples, Dwight and Mamie Eisenhower, have just celebrated their 50th year of married life.

That marital landmark will also be reached this year by no less than 160,000 couples throughout the United States.

According to figures worked up by insurance company statisticians here, based upon data taken from their own records and from government sources, the chances are now 1 in 3 that a young Transylvania county couple, just married, will be able to reach the 50-year mark.

That is the expectation, un-

less divorce or annulment intervene. In that event, all bets are off.

Locally, there is less likelihood of such split-ups than in many communities. People in the area tend to get married young and to remain married for a longer time than is the case generally.

The latest government findings show that some 67.7 percent of the local population over age 14 are now married. This includes 68.3 percent of the men and 67.0 percent of the women in that age bracket.

It compares with an average of 67.5 percent in the rest of the United States and 67.1 percent in the State of North Carolina.

In 1916, when the Eisenhowers were married, the chances were only 1 in 6 that they would live out their 50 years together. Since then, with the great medical advances of the last half century, the odds have been brought down to 1 in 3.

That is what Pat and Luci Beam Administration building.

Busy Times

College Opening With Record Enrollment

The fall opening of Brevard College got underway Wednesday with the registration of more than 600 students, in preparation for the beginning of classes today.

Brevard College's opening will be officially marked this evening with the annual Fall Convocation welcoming new and old students to the institution.

The faculty procession in full academic robes will begin the convocation at 7:30 p. m., in the Dunham Music Auditorium. Larry Whatley will play the trumpet solo in processional, "Trumpet Voluntary."

Chaplain C. Edward Roy will preside, and the invocation will be given by Rev. Louis Miles. Soprano Marian Whatley is the soloist for the convocation.

Following introductions by Dean J. Braxton Harris, Rev. Mr. Miles will present the speaker, President Emmett K. McLarty, Jr.

In his address entitled "Cause and Effect," President McLarty has chosen the analogy of the "law of the harvest" to inspire the students. In the effort to cultivate the mind, one reaps only what one puts into it.

On Friday night at 8:00 p. m., new students will have the opportunity to meet the president and his wife at the annual President's Reception, held in the faculty lounge of the



By - Fred Reiter

The past week's temperatures in the Brevard area reflected the arrival of the fall season, as cooler readings were noted. Rainfall amounted to only 43-inch for the entire seven-day period.

The week's high was Sunday afternoon's pleasant 80-degree reading, while the low was a 42 on Saturday morning.

The weather bureau's five-day forecast for the area calls for temperatures to average a few degrees below normal, which is about 74 and 50 for the area. Precipitation is expected to be light throughout the period.

The week's temperatures and precipitation follows:

	High	Low	Prec.
Wednesday	72	57	0.41
Thursday	76	51	0.00
Friday	77	45	0.00
Saturday	77	42	0.00
Sunday	80	44	0.00
Monday	73	48	0.02
Tuesday	79	58	0.00

Program Highlights

Radio WPNF To Broadcast Rosman Dedication Talks

Camporee Set This Weekend

The Transylvania District of the Daniel Boone Council, Boy Scouts of America, will have a Camporee this weekend, September 30th, October 1st and 2nd, at Cove's Creek in Pisgah Forest.

A Camporee stresses camping ability skills and campcraft contest by all Scouts and Scouters in the Transylvania District. . . Through backpacking into a wilderness area and sharing in the Boy Scout method of Camping - Games - Demonstrations - Campfires - Patrol contests and fellowship in the

WPNF will broadcast the recent dedication ceremonies at the Rosman post office.

The new office was dedicated Sunday, September 25th, with local officials taking part in the ceremonies.

Congressman Roy A. Taylor made the principal address at the dedication, and his remarks will be broadcast over WPNF on Thursday afternoon, September 19th, at 4:30 p. m.

Other Programs

The schedule for the Farm and Home hour is as follows: Thursday, U. S. forest service, Jim Wells; Friday, ASC office, Glenn Whitmore; Monday, county extension chairman, Jim Davis; Tuesday, station program; Wednesday, home agent, Jean —Turn to Page Eight

Burning Permits Required After First Of Month

Burning permits will be required for all outside burning, beginning October 1st Clark Grissom, county forest ranger for the state of North Carolina, announces today.

The permits will be required through June 2nd, 1967.

They may be secured in Transylvania county at the following places.

- Sheriff's office, Brevard
- Tax collector's office, Brevard
- Hi Bunyan's grocery, Cedar Mountain
- Merrill's grocery, Little River
- Penrose grocery, Penrose
- Hall's Esso service, Pisgah Forest
- Dwight Moffitt's grocery, Brevard
- Mill Hill grocery, Dunn's Rock
- Midway grocery, Cathey's —Turn to Page Eight

Olin Mathieson Officers And Directors Meeting Here For The First Time



GORDON GRAND
President

Directors and officers of Olin Mathieson Chemical corporation will arrive at the Asheville Airport at noon Wednesday for a series of meetings and a tour of Olin's facilities at Pisgah Forest.

Among the persons arriving were: John M. Olin, honorary chairman of the Board of Directors; N. Harvey Collisson, board chairman; Gordon Grand, Jr., president and chief executive officer; and Directors Richard M. Furland, Benjamin H. Griswold, III, John W. Hanes, John W. Hanes, Jr., William W. Higgins, John O. Logan, Thomas S. Nichols, Walter F. O'Connell, Spencer T. Olin and Eugene F. Williams, Jr.

Other officials attending the

meeting are: J. G. Alexander, Secretary; C. V. Mayne, Comptroller; C. W. Smith, Executive Vice President of the Chemicals Group; H. J. Reed, Executive Vice President of the Metals Group; W. Frazier Scott, General Counsel; and Phillip C. Brownwell, Executive Vice President of the Packaging Group.

This is the first visit to Western North Carolina for most of the directors and officers, and it will be the first meeting of the Olin Board ever held in the State.

Main items on the agenda, other than business meetings, are tours of the Ecusta Paper Division and Film Division plants and visits to scenic at-

tractions in the area.

In addition to the manufacture of lightweight paper products and cellophane at Pisgah Forest, Olin produces such items as Winchester-Western sporting arms and ammunition, Squibb pharmaceuticals and medicals, aluminum and brass, plant foods and pesticides, and a variety of other products.

Seven operating divisions form the backbone of Olin. These divisions are:

CHEMICALS—industrial and specialty chemicals, swim products.

ALUMINUM—ingots, sheets, tubes, rods, bars, wires.

BRASS—copper and copper

alloy sheets and strips.

WINCHESTER-WESTERN — sporting arms and ammunition, Ramset powder - actuated tools and fasteners, solid propellants, jet aircraft starter cartridges, gas generators, safety flares.

FOREST PRODUCTS — Kraft paper and paperboard, specialty coated paper products, corrugated containers, paper bags, cartons, lumber, plywood.

FILM — cellophane and certain specialty packaging films; ECUSTA PAPER — fine paper products and specialty items for the tobacco industry.

AGRICULTURAL — plant foods and pesticides.

E. R. SQUIBB & SONS, INC.,

makers of pharmaceuticals, medicals, and household products, is a wholly owned subsidiary of Olin. In addition there are jointly owned companies such as Ormet corporation — producer of primary metal — which is operated by Olin and Revere Copper and Brass, Incorporated.

The most familiar brand names include: Olin cellophane; Ecusta Tobacco Industry products; Waylite Printing papers; Squibb pharmaceuticals and medicals; Ormet aluminum; Olin Metals; Frost Kraft Packaging products; Winchester-Western Sporting arms and ammunition; Ramset fasteners, and Mathieson fertilizers.



N. HARVEY COLLISON
Board Chairman