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Christmas Was Quiet And Cold, Round-Up Made

Christmas 1966 in Brevard established no records weather-wise or otherwise.

The weather was much in the news across the nation during the holidays, but only a trace of snow fell in Brevard on Christmas Eve.

Christmas Day, like Christmas Eve, was cold throughout the daylight hours, however past Christmases have been much colder.

There were many accidents in the state and nation over the long weekend, however the weather kept the fatality toll down.

In Brevard several minor accidents were reported, however none was serious.

The Brevard volunteer fire department answered several alarms, but there were no major damages.



Temperatures were quite seasonal during the past week in Brevard.

The mercury fell to a reading of only nine degrees Sunday morning, and this reading helped to lower the week's average daily low temperature to 21 degrees. The daily high was a mild 48 degrees.

Saturday night's light snowfall amounted to about one-half inch at Brevard.

The weather bureau's extended forecast: temperatures will average eight or more degrees below normal for the next few days. Normal high and low is 47 and 27. Precipitation will total one-half to three-quarters of an inch.

The week's high and low temperatures and precipitation follows:

	High	Low	Prec.
Wednesday	60	22	0.00
Thursday	61	27	0.10
Friday	39	36	0.50
Saturday	39	20	0.00
Sunday	38	9	0.00
Monday	47	16	0.00
Tuesday	53	16	0.00

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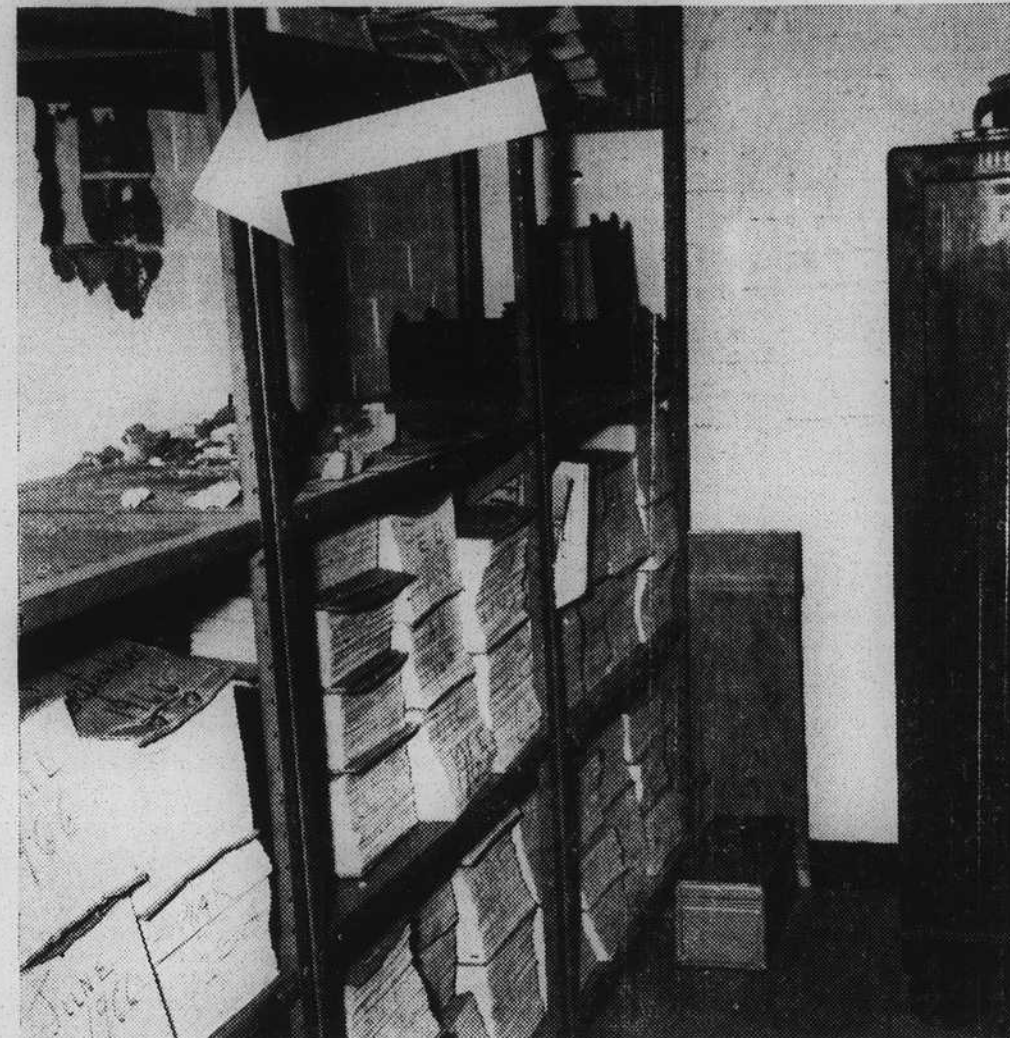
Program Highlights

"Music From Brevard" Series Begins On Sunday Over WPNF

WPNF will begin broadcasting a new musical series during the coming weekend.

"Music From Brevard" will be heard each Sunday afternoon at 3:05 p.m.

The broadcast will present outstanding orchestras and musical groups from the Brevard Music Center, recorded this past summer.



BURGLARS STRUCK AGAIN at Brevard Lumber company for the second time in a year when they (or he) broke into and burglarized the local business establishment on King street here last Thursday night. The Times carried an almost identical picture to the one shown here almost exactly a year ago. A different means of gaining entry into the building was used this time, but the method used to break into the safe

room, indicated by the arrow, was almost identical to the one used previously. Brevard Police Chief J. C. Rowe indicated that a rash of break-ins involving lumber companies and fuel oil companies had been taking place throughout this section of the Carolinas, and that everything possible is being done to apprehend the culprits. The investigation into the robbery is continuing, Chief Rowe stated. (Times Staff Photo)

Elaborate Plans

Du Pont Will Encourage "A Safety Attitude" During '67

Du Pont's Photo Product plant at Brevard will highlight Safety "Attitude" on and off the job as their 1967 theme.

In their continuing efforts to emphasize employee safety, Du Pont will stress the importance of a positive attitude toward safety on the job as well as at home on the highway.

Elaborate plans are being made to introduce the "Attitude" safety theme with a final goal of helping each employee avoid hazardous situations that might result in injury to himself or others.

Statistics compiled by the National Safety Council on industrial injuries show a Du Pont employee is 10 to 20 times safer on his job than the average worker in all other industries. To help bring this about, Du Pont Company's

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Annual Event

First Baby In '67 To Receive Many Fine Prizes In Contest

The first baby born in Transylvania county in 1967 will receive many fine prizes with the compliments of several Brevard merchants.

The contest is conducted annually by The Transylvania Times and Radio Station WPNF in cooperation with several local firms.

The rules of the contest this year are carried in a page message in the third section on page eight.

There will be a special program on WPNF on January 2nd when it is hoped the announcement of the first baby can be made.

Prizes offered and their donors are:

- \$5.00 in dry cleaning - Cardinal Cleaners
- Portrait of the baby at 6 months - Austin's Studio
- Quart of milk for two weeks - Sealtest Dairy products
- "Step Master" baby shoes -

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Survey Reveals

Food Costs Up \$84 Per Family In County

By Staff Writer
How much is spent in Transylvania county per month for food? For the average local family, to what extent have food bills gone up in the last two years?

Rising food prices, locally and in other part of the country, have captured the headlines. They have led to consumer revolts and, in many areas, to boycotts.

New Year's Will Be Two-Day Holiday For Transylvanians

Stores, Offices Close Monday, Schools Reopen

Many Transylvanians will have another "long weekend" vacation in observance of New Year's.

Since the day fall on Sunday, the following day will be also observed as a holiday in Brevard and Transylvania county.

Most of the stores in Brevard will be closed on Monday as will Town hall and the offices in the court house.

The banks and the post office will also have a holiday on Monday.

Schools, however, will reopen on Monday, and students at Brevard College will begin classes on Tuesday.

According to Postmaster C. Y. Patton, Jr., there will be no window serve at the post office on Monday.

The delivery of rural and city mail will also be suspended for the day, however special delivery of letters and packages will be made.

There are many New Year's greetings throughout the paper which will be of interest to readers.

While The Times office will be closed on Monday, the staff will cover regular news —Turn to Page Six

Have Leaves For Pickup? Just Call Town Hall

If any resident of Brevard desires that Town personnel pickup leaves at their residence, they are requested to call Town Hall as soon as possible.

Town officials report that the fall leaf pickup program will be terminated on December 31st.

The cost of this program and the associated tie-up of equipment makes it impractical to continue beyond this date.

Town officials are anxious to complete this service for all residents and urge their full cooperation so that pickup of leaves may be completed by December 31st.



THE NEW SAPPHIRE VALLEY SKI LODGE opened last weekend, and several skiers were on hand to try out the ski run that was in excellent condition with man-made snow. Gene Howerdd, Jr., the operator of this newest ski resort in the south, says he is looking forward to a good season. The ski club is operated in conjunction with Sapphire Valley Inn and beautiful Sapphire Valley Golf course. Next week The Times will carry more pictures of the ski run and the skiers. (Times Staff Photo)

Officers Named

Masons To Observe 100th Anniversary Next Year

The Dunn's Rock Masonic lodge of Brevard will observe its Centennial during 1967.

Many outstanding events are being planned by local Masons during the observance. The date of the charter of the lodge is December 4th, 1967.

Centennial officers, who were elected recently, will be installed at an Emergent Communication on Thursday evening of this week.

The installation meeting will be held at the Masonic temple on East Main street, beginning promptly at 8:00 o'clock. This announcement comes from the outgoing Worshipful Master, Fred M. McCall, Jr.

The new officers are as follows:

Thomas Earl Payne, Jr.,



Worshipful Master

W. Holland Corn, senior warden

Charles B. Peevy, junior

warden

W. Ansel Hart, Treasurer

Henry R. Henderson, secretary

The following officers were appointed by the incoming master and will also be installed:

Earl G. Norton, senior deacon

Clifford W. Frady, junior deacon

Jack M. Frady, senior steward

Edward A. Nicholson, junior steward

Marshal M. Feaster, Jr., chaplain and

Jerry Hart Jerome, tyler

W. A. Hart, past master, will be the installing officer, and he will be assisted by C. Allison Orr, past master.

Mr. Payne, the new master —Turn to Page Four

Tabulation On 10th

Ballots For Directors Of Commerce Body In Mail

Ballots for electing a Board of Directors for the Brevard Chamber of Commerce to serve during 1967 are now in the mails.

The 40 persons receiving the highest number of votes will serve, and officers will be chosen from this group.

Ballots must be returned by

Tuesday, January 10th, when they will be tabulated.

According to Stan Mearns, the president, only names of paid up members are included on the ballot.

Persons voting are asked to return their ballots in an envelope marked "ballot".