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GOVERNOR BOB SCOTT, left, welcomed Brevard's Jack Bryant, right, as a member of the North Carolina Conservation and Development Board last Thursday in Raleigh following the swearing in ceremonies. Among those persons from Brevard attending the auspicious occasion were Mr. Bryant's daughters, Debbie and Carol, who are pictured in the center. (Times Staff Photo)

Plans Being Made For Opening Of Schools Thursday, August 21

Enrollment Is Expected To Be About 4,350

Final preparations are being made for the opening of schools in Brevard and Transylvania county on Thursday, August 21st, Harry C. Corbin, Superintendent, announces today.

Enrollment is expected to be around 4,350, about the same that it was last year.

On August 21st, the students will go a half a day, and Friday, the 22nd, will be the first full day of school.

Buses will run at the regular time on the 21st, and they will leave Brevard and Rosman high schools at 11:30 that morning to return students to their homes.

Orientation of teachers is set for August 19th, and the pre-opening conferences for teachers is slated the following day, August 20th.

Teachers and staff members are announced this week by Mr. Corbin, and they are carried elsewhere in this issue of The Times.

Charging of fees in the schools has almost been eliminated, Supt. Corbin points out.

Insurance is optional and —Turn To Page Three



BREVARD KIWANIANS recently made a fine contribution of \$600 to the "Fund For Your Life" Transylvania Community Hospital campaign, joining other local civic and fraternal organizations who have responded so generously to help make Transylvania's new hospital a reality. To date, \$991,668 has been pledged, practically assuring construction of the two-stage, 104-bed medical facility for Transylvania county. Only \$8,332 more is now needed to push the campaign over the \$1,000,000 mark. Pictured above making the Brevard Kiwanis Club's contribution, left to right, are: Jack McGinnis, Kiwanis treasurer, Don Blankinship, chairman of solicitations of clubs and organizations for "Fund For Your Life", and Don Irwin, president of the Brevard Kiwanis club. (Times Staff Photo)

Best Year Yet

Music Center Ends Season With Three Fine Programs

The Brevard Music Center's highly successful 1969 season will receive a rousing sendoff on Sunday, August 17th, when the Center's orchestral-choral resources join forces in a gala presentation of Carl Orff's masterpiece, Carmina Burana.

Sunday's performance at 3:30 p. m. will feature the 99-member Brevard Music Center Orchestra, the 105-voice Transylvania Chorus and selected vocal soloists drawn from the talented student and faculty ranks of the Center. Maestro Henry Janiec will conduct the orchestra, while the multi-voiced chorus will be led by the BMC Choral Director, Dr. Ward Woodbury.

Also featured this final weekend are performances by the Transylvania Symphony, Emil Rauh conductor, on Friday evening and The Mikado, Gilbert and Sullivan's beloved operetta, on Saturday, August 16th.

John Richards McCrae will direct The Mikado, with leading roles taken by members of the BMC Resident Opera Company. By popular demand, Mr. McCrae himself will sing the title role. A popular baritone with 30 year's experience on the concert and operatic stage, his rare singing appearance Saturday night at Brevard sparks welcome news to his many fans throughout the South and the nation.

Joining McCrae will be a cast of Brevard favorites, including Linda Gravis as Yum, Yum, Donald Wiggins as Nanki-Poo, Barrie Smith as Piti-Sing and comic delight Ross Magoulias as KoKo, the Lord High Executioner.

Gilbert and Sullivan's melodic fable of old Japan delights audiences of all ages. For this —Turn To Page Six

For Better Service

Employment Security Commission Setting Up Office In Brevard

Looking for a job? Looking for someone to fill a job?

The North Carolina Security Commission is setting up a temporary office here in the court house to assist Transylvania employers and employees.

The office will help persons find jobs, and they will also help businesses and industries to find new employees.

The office is located in the Grand Jury room here in the court house.

The office will be open from Monday through Friday during the hours of 9:00 to 12:00 o'clock.

During the afternoons, the

office personnel will be contacting employers who need persons to fill various positions.

Lonnie J. Toney is manager of the office, and the telephone number is 883-2225.

Persons looking for jobs should contact the office on Monday and Tuesday mornings and make application.

New claims for unemployment insurance should be made on Wednesday mornings, and continued claims are accepted on Thursday mornings.

Friday mornings employment services will be continued.

This new service should be of much benefit to Transylvania employers and employees, Mr. Toney declares.

Next Monday Night

College Preparatory Seminar Set For High School Seniors

A college preparatory seminar will be offered to the 1969 graduates of Brevard and Rosman high schools on Monday, August 18th, at 7:00 p. m. in the Fellowship Hall of the Brevard-Davidson River Presbyterian church.

The purpose will be to better prepare potential college freshmen for the jump from high school to college.

Speakers will include local students who have already had some college experience, representatives from Brevard College, who will give ideas on what the college expects from

the student and a review of the decisions which face college students.

There will be a question-answer period when the audience can ask about college life.

All local students who are planning to attend college are urged to take advantage of this program.

Survey Reveals

Rising Business Tempo In Transylvania

Transylvania County's economy continued moving forward during the past year, according to a report on the nation's markets, just released.

Significant gains were chalked up in the local trading area as consumers, with more money at their command, indulged in large-scale spending.

The amount that they spent in the area, and what it meant for local retail merchants, are brought out in Sales Management's new "Survey of Buying Power."

The copyrighted report presents data on income and spending for every section of the country.

It shows that Transylvania County residents had net spendable earnings in the year, after payment of their personal income taxes, of \$45,579,000, as compared with

the previous year's \$38,600,00.

Just how much this represented, on a pre-family basis, was determined by dividing the total income by the number of local households. It amounted, on average, to \$8,548, an increase over the prior year's \$7,878.

The rise, 8.5 percent, was greater than elsewhere in the United States, 6.4 percent and the State of North Carolina's 6.3 percent.

What did local residents do with their bigger incomes? The figures show that they spent more for furniture, bought more air conditioners, refrigerators and washing machines, purchased fancier foods and, in general, treated themselves more luxuriously.

Neither the surtax nor the higher cost of goods and services deterred them to a noticeable degree.



During the period through Saturday, temperatures will average below normal, according to the Weather Bureau's five-day forecast for WNC. Daytime highs are expected to average in the lower 80s in the mountains.

Lows at night will average in the upper 50s. Precipitation will total a quarter of an inch or less, occurring as scattered showers or thundershowers.

Temperatures the last week averaged 84 and 58 at Brevard.

Following are temperatures and precipitation for the week:

	High	Low	Prec.
Wednesday	83	55	0.00
Thursday	85	54	0.00
Friday	86	57	0.00
Saturday	87	59	0.00
Sunday	86	69	0.11
Monday	82	56	0.00
Tuesday	78	55	0.00

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SC Man Suffers Heart Attack, Has Accident

A Columbia, S. C., man, who apparently suffered a heart attack while driving his new truck near Pisgah Forest early Wednesday afternoon, ran off the highway on the opposite side of the road and down an embankment.

The accident happened just beyond the Forest Gate Motel on the Hendersonville highway.

The man was W. W. Yarborough and he was pronounced dead on arrival at the Transylvania Community hospital.

He had just purchased the new truck from McCrary Chevrolet - Olds here in Brevard. It was not damaged in the accident.

Patrolman Ken Sitton of Hendersonville investigated.

On Six Weeks Tour

French Students Of Brevard Have Great Time In Europe

Nine Brevard French students and their advisor have returned from six weeks of study and travel in Europe.

Denny Bolt, Nancy Combs, Martha Misenheimer, Lynn Mitchell, Joe Patton, Debby Sentelle, Ed Sutton, Cherry Warren and Lou Whicker flew from Atlanta airport with their French teacher, Mrs. Kay Setzer, directly to Rome, Italy, on June 23rd.

The friendly people, warm climate and many sightseeing interests made Rome one of the group's favorite cities.

With almost a full week in Rome, the students visited the Colosseum, the Roman Forum, St. Peter's Cathedral (where they saw the Pope), and the catacombs where Christians lived and worshipped in the first century after Christ.

They delighted in the Italian

food, although many Cokes were substituted for the expensive wine the Italians drink with every meal.

According to Nancy and Martha, "One way to recognize America students is by all the Coke bottles."

150 in Group

The Brevard group traveled with approximately 150 other French students and teachers from all over the United States, and four buses provided transportation throughout Europe.

After Rome, the group enjoyed three days' rest in Alassio, a beautiful resort town on the Italian Riviera.

The trip from Alassio to Montpellier, France, included a brief stop in Marseille, France, just as the group had previously stopped in Pisa, Italy, to see the famous Leaning Tower.

In Montpellier, in the south of France not far from the Mediterranean Sea, classes at all levels of French were

held four hours each morning. The afternoons were usually free for shopping, sightseeing, swimming and getting better acquainted with the University of Montpellier and the French monitors, students assigned to aid the Americans in speaking French.

While in Montpellier, excursions were taken to Nimes (site of Roman ruins), La Grotte des Demoiselles (a cave with beautiful stalagmite and stalactite formations), Aigues Mortes (the walled city from which Louis IX began one of his Crusades), and Barcelona, Spain.

Make Purchases

In Spain, Lou, Cherry, Debby and Lynn bought Spanish guitars and lutes, and Denny is very proud of his Spanish purchase of an electric bass guitar exactly like one owned by John Lennon of the Beatles.

With almost two and a half weeks in Montpellier, the stud- —Turn to Page Six

She's Gene Banks

Olin Employee Is A Recording Artist, New Record On Market

(From Olin News)

Olin employees down thru the years have busied themselves in a variety of activities during off-duty hours. Every so often, an employee decides to carry his avocation or hobby just a little further and capitalizes on his talents. The most recent example of this is seen with Gene Banks, an operator in Olin's Paper Division Finishing Department.

Gene is a very fine vocalist who has recently made her first musical recording. The record, "Misty" on one side and "You Made Me Love You" on the —Turn To Page Three

In Bowling Tourney

Lyndon Ashworth Is Winner Of \$1,000 College Scholarship

Brevard's Lyndon Ashworth competed in the ninth annual All-America Youth Bowling Championships in Washington, D. C. last week, and won a \$1,000 college scholarship for his fine efforts in the big tourney.

One of 111 young bowlers representing 37 states who were in competition for the scholarships, Lyndon combined great bowling and a fine scholastic mark on the college entrance type exam that he had to take as part of the competition to earn his scholarship.

Actually, the scholastic part of the competition counted 70% in the final scoring, while the bowling ability ac- —Turn to Page Six

