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In Pisgah National Forest

Arthur Loeb Memorial Trail To Be Dedicated On Sunday

The man who blazed a trail, both literally and figuratively, will be honored on Sunday, November 9th, at 3:00 p.m. at which time some 40 miles of hiking trail, extending from Pisgah Forest to Cold Mountain, will be dedicated as the Arthur J. Loeb Memorial Trail.

opened a complete trail which provided beautiful scenery and excellent hiking to complement the thousands of miles of trails in Western North Carolina which they loved to travel. However, over the years the trail to be dedicated became their favorite.

appropriate name, Peter J. Hanlon, Supervisor of National Forest in North Carolina, suggested that it be named in honor of Mr. Loeb due to his intense interest in conservation, industry and hiking. Mr. Hanlon presented his idea to members of the Carolina Mountain Club, many of whom live in this area.

Ceremonies will be held at the entrance to the trail approximately 200 yards north of U.S. highway 64 on the Brevard side of the Davidson River bridge. U. S. Forest Service personnel will be stationed near the site to give direction and to assist with parking.

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Portions of this trail were known in the past as the Neill Gap section, Cedar Rock trail, Silver Mine, Shuck Ridge and Farlow Gap, among others. It remained in scattered sections until about 15 years ago when Mr. Loeb and Keith Argow of the Forest Service

Cecil Williams, Chairman of the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States, Brevard Chapter, has announced the annual Buddy Poppy sale will take place Nov. 7 and 8 this year.

Saturday in conjunction with national observance of Veterans' Day, November 11.

Serves Five Counties

State Highway Commissioner Leads Varied, Active Life

By Staff Writer

E. J. Whitmire, State Highway commissioner for five counties including Transylvania, is a man of varied experiences and talents.

A native of Transylvania county, he lives in Franklin and is in the road and stone construction business. He is also a farmer and a livestock breeder.

He has been in highway construction for 20 years, and has an excellent background to serve as a Highway Commissioner.

A master teacher of North Carolina, Mr. Whitmire taught the cost is contributed to the

Veterans Of Foreign Wars To Hold Buddy Poppy Sale

The Veterans of Foreign Wars Buddy Poppy sale has been conducted nationwide since 1922. The proceeds are used exclusively for the aid, relief and comfort of disabled and needy veterans and the widows and orphans of deceased veterans.

Nearly 100,000 men, women and children donate a day of their time and effort each year to conducting the VFW Buddy Poppy sale.

The VFW Buddy Poppy is assembled by disabled and needy veterans in hospitals throughout the United States.

Assistance in establishing disability claims or gaining other veterans benefits is available without charge to any veteran through a nationwide system of veterans service offices maintained by the VFW. A portion of the cost is contributed to the

Weather
By FRED REITER

Temperatures through Saturday will average below normal. Highs will average mostly in the mid 50s, while the lows will average from 28 to 33. Cool each day with little day-to-day change. Rain should total a quarter inch or perhaps less occurring as possible light showers toward the weekend.

Rainfall for the month of October totalled 4.09 inches at Brevard, with more than half the month's total falling on the 2nd of the month.

Temperatures the past week averaged 59 and 38, with the week's high 71 on Sunday and the low of 23 on Thursday. Rainfall totalled over four inches during the past week.

Weather data for the week was as follows:

	High	Low	Prec.
Wednesday	55	25	0.00
Thursday	60	23	0.00
Friday	54	42	0.02
Saturday	57	51	3.30
Sunday	71	55	0.47
Monday	64	48	0.00
Tuesday	55	25	0.00

Demo Chairman Has Statement

Theodore E. Reid, Chairman of the Transylvania County Democratic party, issues the following statement:

"As Chairman of the Transylvania Democratic Party, I feel that the people of Transylvania county are entitled to an explanation relating to certain unfounded accusations at me and indirectly at the Executive committee of the party.

"These accusations were made by those who would disrupt our party and were malicious and completely unfounded.

"After inquiry, the State Democratic party has directed an apology to me. I have accepted this apology."

Signed: Theodore E. Reid.

"Penny For Progress" Vote Is Defeated In Transylvania

Town Precincts Give Favorable Vote On Tuesday

A one cent sales tax, entitled "Penny For Progress", for the benefit of town and county governments was defeated by Transylvania county voters in Tuesday's statewide election.

This county was one of 75 defeating the measure in the state, and it was passed in only seven Western North Carolina counties.

The unofficial vote here in Transylvania was as follows:

For—1,438
Against—1,925.

The four Brevard precincts passed the "Penny For Progress" vote, but it was defeated in the county boxes.

It did pass, however, in two outside boxes, Balsam Grove 28-22, and East Fork 18-15.

The vote will be canvassed on Thursday by the Board of Elections and declared official at that time.

The vote in the Brevard precincts was as follows:

Brevard No. 1
For 322
Against 296

Brevard No. 2
For 141
Against 129

Brevard No. 3
For 190
Against 140

Brevard No. 4
For 250
Against 112

The vote in all precincts is carried in a table elsewhere in this issue of The Times.

Only 3,363 voters in Transylvania county participated in the election. Registered voters here total 8,895.



SAVINGS WILL GO INTO BANK NOW—Mr. and Mrs. George Hendrix of the Lake Toxaway area, left, are shown receiving a check for \$1700 from Mrs. Marian McMahon, Clerk of Superior Court, Transylvania County. The money, saved over many years by the elderly couple, was stolen from where it had been kept hidden under their mat-

ress. It was returned by B. C. Stansell on the order of Superior Court Judge, P. C. Froneberger of Gastonia. With the money back in hand, the Hendrixes say this time it's going into the Brevard Federal Savings and Loan Association rather than back under the mattress. (Times Staff Photo)

Verdicts Handed Down

Superior Court Ends, Couple Recovers \$1,700, Stolen Money

\$40,839 Received

United Fund Reaches 82.5% Of Goal, Urgent Plea Made

According to Campaign Director Mike Kirby, the Transylvania County United Fund has now reached \$40,839.20 or 82.5% of its \$49,554.26 goal for 1970. These were the latest results at the close of Tuesday's report meeting.

particularly true for our citizens who have not yet pledged, and for those who may not have been contacted by a United Fund Representative. Gifts may be mailed to the Transylvania County United Fund, P. O. Box 53, Brevard."

Mr. Kirby indicated that the present total represents a substantial number of the largest gifts that were anticipated during the current drive.

Dr. Milton Massey, County United Fund President, also issued a plea for the personal involvement of all Transylvanians.

"Therefore," he added, "it now becomes the challenge of each Transylvania County resident to respond on an individual basis in as generous a manner as possible to meet our community needs. This is

"Everyone in this county has a current or potential need for one or more United Fund Agencies and when you give, you are really making a contribution to yourself," Dr. Massey concluded.

The October Term of Superior Court in Transylvania county continued active last week.

Presiding Judge P. C. Froneberger of Gastonia, handed down several decisions and remanded several cases to the District Court for compliance with earlier sentences.

Money Returned

In perhaps the most newsworthy case, the sum of \$1700, stolen earlier, was returned by court order to Mr. and Mrs. George Hendrix of the Lake Toxaway area.

The happy elderly couple, who had saved the \$1700 from their Social Security and egg sales over a period of many years, are shown receiving a check for their returned money in a photograph accompanying this article.

Found guilty of aiding and abetting larceny and breaking and entering in the case, was B. —Turn to Page Eight

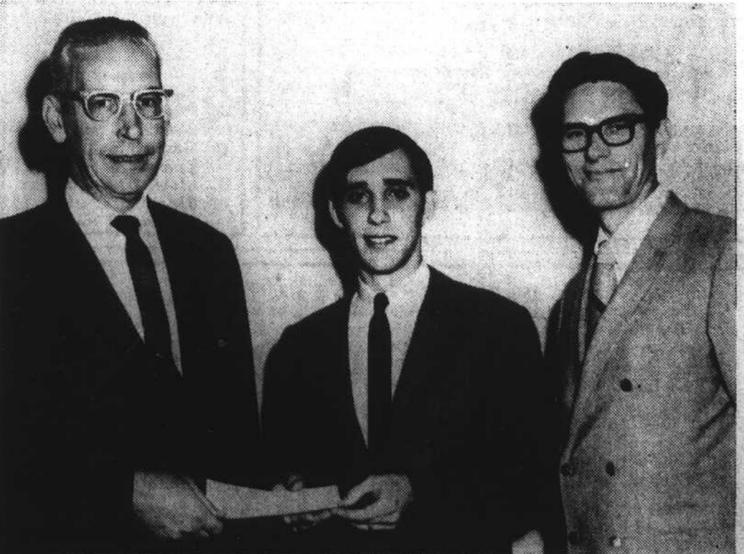
Masons Hold A Fish Fry This Friday

Everything is in readiness for the big fish supper, with all the trimmings, which is being sponsored by members of Dunn's Rock lodge. It will be held in the Masonic Temple on East Main street on Friday of this week from 5:00 to 8:00 o'clock.

According to Charles B. Peevy, the worshipful master, the fish supper will be open to the friends of Masons, and the officers and members are now selling tickets. They may be purchased at Hart - Smith barber shop and tickets will also be sold at the door.

The price is \$1.50 per plate for adults, and children under the age of 12 can eat for 75 cents.

Take-out boxes can be secured —Turn to Page Four



BREVARD JAYCEES contributed generously to the Transylvania Community Hospital "Fund For Your Life" campaign, and officials of the local young men's civic organization are pictured above presenting their donation to "Fund For Your Life" chairman Jack C. Dense. Mr. Dense, left, is shown accepting the \$500 check from Jaycee Don Brown,

center, who was chairman of the Jaycee committee that raised funds for the local hospital drive, while Jaycee President James Felty looks on. The Jaycees thank everyone who participates in their many civic improvement projects that help make such contributions as this possible. (Times Staff Photo)

Unofficial Returns in Transylvania's "Penny For Progress" Election

PRECINCTS	Balsam Grove	Boyd	Brevard No. 1	Brevard No. 2	Brevard No. 3	Brevard No. 4	Cathey's Creek	Cedar Mountain	Dunn's Rock	Eastatoo	East Fork	Gloucester	Lake Toxaway	Little River	Pisgah Forest	Quebec	Rosman	Sapphire-Whitewater	TOTALS
FOR "Penny For Progress"	28	71	322	141	190	250	115	27	89	12	18	7	16	50	48	3	41	10	1438
AGAINST "Penny For Progress"	82	185	206	129	140	112	247	46	113	138	15	53	75	108	180	73	62	21	1925