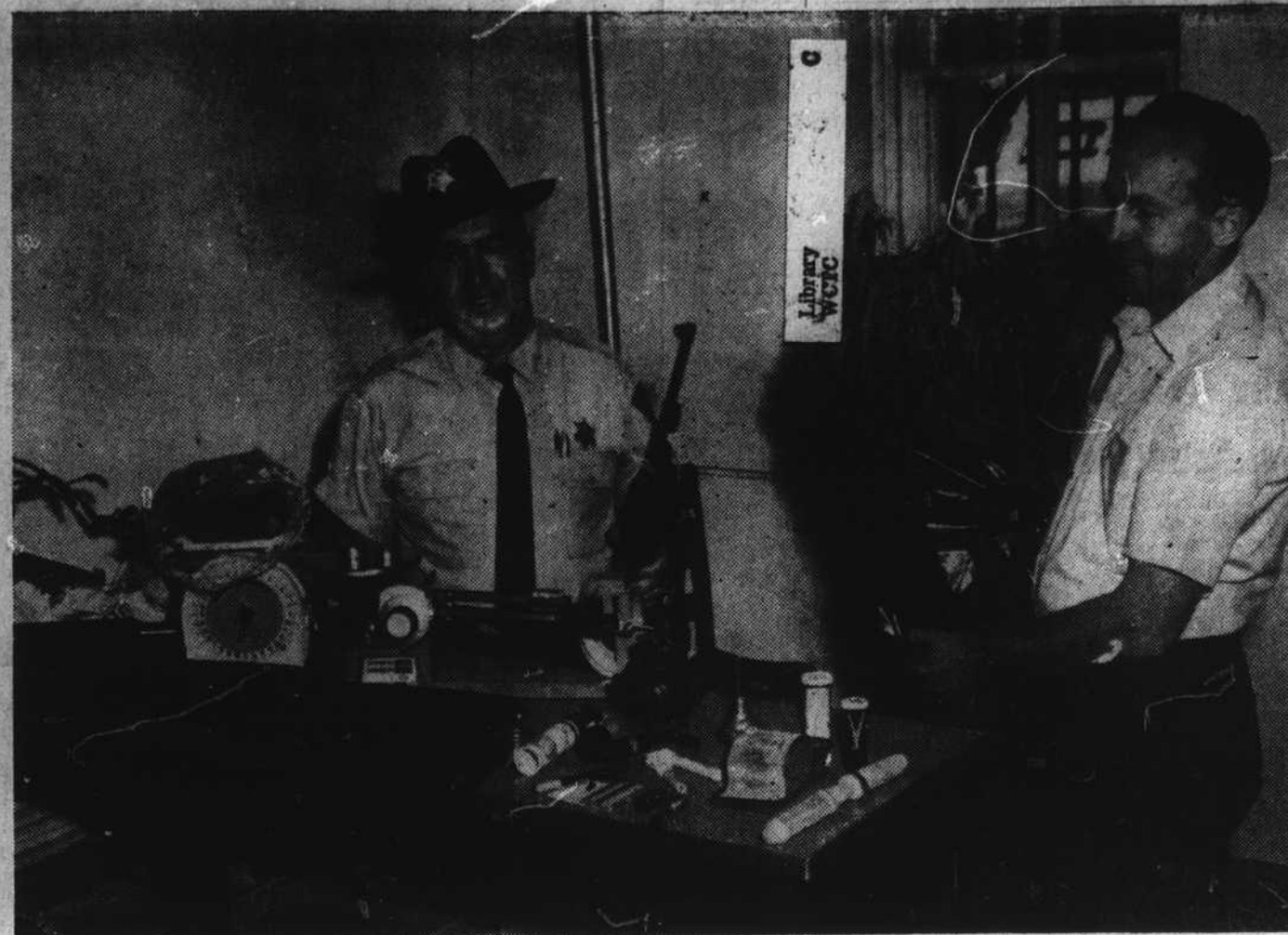




**MARIJUANA GROWING IN TRANSYLVANIA** was discovered recently by Sheriff Carter McCall, at the left above, and a raid on the site atop Jeter Mountain in the lower section of the county was made last Friday morning. Sue and Stewart Fahraney were arrested, and Richard Claud Curry was nabbed early Sunday morning. Their bonds are set at \$10,000 each. At the right with Sheriff McCall is Dr. Carol Grahl, chairman of the Kiwanis club "Operations Drug Alert" committee. In the right photo Chief Deputy Sheriff Ed Owens is displaying drugs, scales, guns, etc., that were found in the cabin. Dr. Grahl is holding marijuana that was taken from two garden patches adjacent to the cabin. (Times Staff Photos)



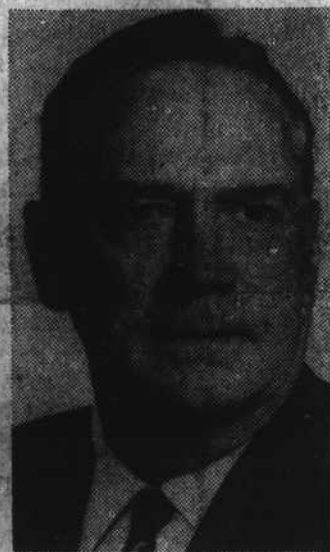
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**Jones Comes Here**

## Brackett Appointed Manager Of American Thread's Clover Plant



W. E. BRACKETT



C. S. JONES

W. E. Brackett has been appointed Manager of American Thread's Clover, South Carolina, Plant and C. S. Jones has been named to succeed him as Manager of American Thread's Sylvan Plant at Rosman, M. L. Morgan, General Manager of the Company's Carolina and Georgia Plants has announced.

Mr. Jones has been manager of the Clover operation since joining The American Thread Company in July 1967.

In announcing the change, Mr. Morgan said:

"We look to Bill Brackett to complete the job that Charlie Jones has done so much to get started, and we are fortunate to have a man of Charlie's knowledge and experience to assume Bill Brackett's former responsibilities at the Sylvan Plant."

A native of North Carolina, Mr. Jones had been associated with Dominion Textiles in Montreal, Canada, 16 years prior to joining The American Thread Company. During that period he held the position of superintendent and later general manager of their largest plant; he served as manager of operation services, headed up the quality control department, production planning, and industrial engineering functions; he also had the responsibility of starting up two of their new plants.

Previously he had been with the Dan River organization.

Mr. Jones is a textile graduate of N. C. State University and a former battalion commander in the U. S. Army.

He has been prominent in community and civic affairs in Transylvania County.

### In Transylvania County

## Food, Cars, Rank High In Spending

How are Transylvania County families apportioning the larger incomes they are now receiving? How much are they spending in local retail stores?

According to a new consumer market study covering the past year, local outlays for goods and services continued at a high level, despite inflation and despite a general feeling of uncertainty with respect to the national economy.

The facts and figures, listing the amounts spent locally for automobiles, food, clothing, furniture and other commodities, come from the Standard Rate and Data Service. Its survey, just released, gives comparable data for each section of the country.

In Transylvania County, it shows, a large part of the con-

sumer dollar went to stores selling food and automotive equipment. Between them, they accounted for 50 per cent of all retail business done in the local area.

By comparison, only 40 per cent was so spent in other parts of the United States and 43 per cent in the State of North Carolina.

Food purchases alone, in supermarkets, bakeries, delicatessens and the like, amounted to \$4,392,000, as against the previous year's \$4,173,000.

These expenditures covered only food that was bought for home consumption. Not included is money spent in restaurants, lunch rooms and other dining and drinking places.

Just how much the take-

home food cost, on a per-family basis, was determined by dividing the total amount spent by the number of families. It averaged out to \$1,263 per family.

As for retail outlets for cars, motorcycles, boats and other automotive equipment, their total for the year came to \$3,497,000.

The survey shows that other retail lines also turned in good figures for the period.

Those selling general merchandise, in variety and department stores, chalked up a total of \$1,463,000.

Shops selling shoes, hats, gloves and other articles of apparel had receipts of \$644,000.

The volume in stores handling furniture and other home furnishings was \$1,441,000.

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By FRED REITER

Weather Bureau's extended forecast for the Western North Carolina area: Outlook Thursday through Saturday — continued warm and humid with a chance of afternoon and evening thundershowers each day. Afternoon highs in the high 80s, with overnight low temperatures in the low 60s.

Tuesday's rainfall at the Brevard weather station amounted to 1.30 inches. The rain fell during a severe lightning storm. Some hail also was reported, along with some damaging winds.

Temperatures during the past week averaged 86 and 58 at Brevard, with Tuesday's rainfall the first significant rain to fall since June 20th.

	High	Low	Prec.
Wednesday	84	51	0.00
Thursday	84	64	0.00
Friday	87	61	0.00
Saturday	83	52	0.00
Sunday	86	52	0.00
Monday	88	63	0.00
Tuesday	89	61	1.30

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Picture of 10th reunion of Rosman's 1960 class, front page of second section.

# Marijuana Found Growing In The County, Three Persons Arrested

## Squabble Cited

## 117 Are Arrested At Rooster Fights On East Fork Sunday

Rooster fighting was a favorite pastime in Transylvania on Sundays but it was brought to an abrupt halt last

Sunday morning by SBI agents and the State Highway patrol.

A raid resulted in the arrest

of 117 persons who were conveyed to the court house from the site of the raid and tried immediately before a battery of magistrates.

Fines of \$10 and costs of \$15 were levied against each of the defendants, according to a magistrate in Brevard.

Monday afternoon Chief Deputy Sheriff Ed Owen of Transylvania County said the Sheriff's Department there was deliberately bypassed in the staging of the raid. When asked him why, he said "I guess they were afraid we'd tell it."

Deputy Owen also criticized the district solicitor, Leonard Lowe of Caroleen, charging he has failed to cooperate in a continuing drug case that the Transylvania County Sheriff's Department has been investigating. Three defendants are in jail now under \$10,000 bond each in that case.

"I have asked the State Bureau of Investigation and Mr. Lowe for help but they won't cooperate," the chief deputy said.

He also said that the solicitor would not let the Sheriff's Department know.

## Officers Feel \$50,000 Drug Ring Solved

By The Editor

A two-week stakeout by law enforcement officers of Transylvania and Henderson counties, the Brevard police and the Highway patrol resulted in the breakup of a major marijuana growing and production operation on Jeter Mountain in lower Transylvania county.

Two men and a woman are being held in the county jail in connection with the raids. Their bonds have been set at \$10,000 each.

Arrested at the site last Friday morning about 11:30 o'clock were Sue and Stewart Fahraney, of Sarasota, Florida, and Richard Claud Curry, of Nokomis, Fla., was arrested Sunday morning about 5:30.

The Fahraneyes were arrested as they returned from a recent rock festival in Atlanta, Ga.

Hundreds of marijuana plants were found growing in two gardens adjacent to the site.

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### For Third Weekend

## Music Center Offering Folk Opera, Pianist, Met Stars

The musical attractions this coming weekend at the Brevard Music Center should rank among the finest in the Center's 34-year history. With two great stars of the Metropolitan Opera, a distinguished young European pianist and a prize American folk opera on the bill, Brevard will add to its firm reputation as the "Summer Music Capital of the South."

Kicking off the third Brevard Festival weekend will be an unusual opera offering, the Appalachian-based folk opera "Susannah" by Carlisle Floyd. This work by the famed South Carolina composer is the Music Center's contribution to the year's South Carolina Tricentennial Celebration.

At 8:15 p.m. Saturday, the young Polish-born piano virtuoso

Voytek Matushevski will play Chopin's Piano Concerto No. 1 in concert with the Transylvania Symphony Orchestra, conducted by Emil Raab. And at 3:30 p.m. Sunday tenor James McCracken, often called the "American Caruso" for his heroic voice and imposing presence, will sing in a concert recital with his wife, mezzo-soprano Sandra Warfield. The virtuoso BRC Orchestra, led by Dr. Henry Janicek, will back the two Met Opera stars; the orchestral part of the program will include the "Egmont Overture" by Beethoven and Stravinsky's "Firebird Suite".

Since Floyd's "Susannah" won the N. Y. Critics' Circle Award in 1956, the powerful tale on innocence, jealousy and

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### On Brevard Radio

## Space Program To Be Heard Over WPNF, Log Is Reviewed

A special NASA feature program will be broadcast by WPNF Thursday at 10:45 a.m. The special report, entitled "Eagle and Columbia Revisited" will commemorate man's first moon-landing mission of one year ago.

The actual landing was made on July 20th, 1969, and the special program will be repeated at 2:45 p.m. Monday the 20th.

"Record Party" starring Frankie Carpio each Tuesday, Wednesday and Saturday night over WPNF from 7:00 p.m. 'til sign-off at 10 p.m. continues to

be one of the station's most popular programs.

Frankie spins the latest in mod music during his seasons of Record Party which is hosted Monday, Wednesday and Friday by Ron Mackey.

Two outstanding speakers are scheduled to appear on the Protestant Hour in the next few weeks. They include Dr. H. Louis Patrick, pastor of the Trinity Presbyterian Church of Charlotte, and Dr. Wade F. Hink, a professor at Columbia Theological Seminary in De-

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### Judge Grist Presided

## July Term Of Superior Court Ends, County Court Is Friday

The Transylvania county two-week term of Superior Court, with Judge William T. Grist presiding, is continuing active.

Judgments have been rendered in the following cases, in addition to those reported in last week's issue of this newspaper:

The case of Kenneth N. Young, out-of-state defendant on a charge of selling unregistered stock in an insurance company, was decided Friday morning. The jury returned a guilty verdict on both counts of offering and

selling the un-registered stock.

The cases were consolidated for judgment and Young was given a sentence of not less than two years and not more than four years in state prison and a fine of \$1,000.

Notice of appeal to the N. C. Court of Appeals in Raleigh was given in open court. An Appearance Bond was fixed in the amount of \$5,000 and a Cost Bond was fixed in the amount of \$500.

A civil action for removing cloud on title, Myra Gardner

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