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**Promoting Tourism**

## Pickelsimer Given Award By State Travel Council

The Citizens Telephone Company's Vice-President and General Manager, Charles W. Pickelsimer, has been given the "Tar Heel Traveler" award for zeal in developing greater travel in North Carolina.

The award was presented by James C. Gaither, Sr., prominent Brevard realtor and current president of the North Carolina Travel Council.

The certificate, signed by Governor Robert W. Scott and Mr. Gaither reads:

"For zeal in developing greater enjoyment from travel in North Carolina, the State of North Carolina and the Travel Council of North Carolina commission Charles W. Pickelsimer Tar Heel Traveler, with the rank and privileges of Ambassador Extraordinary from the Variety Vacationland State to the people of all the United States or wherever this Tar Heel Traveler may henceforth travel or reside."

The award was given for Mr. Pickelsimer's efforts to promote travel and tourism in North Carolina and especially Western North Carolina, on a trip to Ohio, Indiana, and Pennsylvania in the Spring of 1970.

"Mr. Pickelsimer was particularly effective on this mission," says Mr. Gaither.

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### Aiding The Disabled

## Catholic Youth Group From Connecticut Visiting Here

This Sunday's 10 o'clock Mass at Sacred Heart Catholic Church will be a Folk Mass. The music and singing will be provided by the Apostrophe, a Catholic Youth group from St. Rita's Church in Hamden, Connecticut.

The group of 28 young people will arrive in Brevard on Thursday, the 11th, and will be here until the 16th.

The Apostrophe will be doing musical work for some dis-

### For Better Communications

## Brevard Junior Police League Being Formed For Boys, 8-10

A Brevard Junior Police League has been organized by the Brevard Police Department and the Transylvania County Department of Social Services.

The League will have a supervised program providing recreation, guidance and insight into police work for boys between the ages of 10 and 18. The program is designed to establish better communications between law enforcement personnel and youth in helping to solve problems facing the community.

The first phase of the League work will be a Pilot Program sponsored by the Brevard Rotary Club for boys 14 to 18 years of age. The boys accepted for the Pilot Program will be trained as leaders when the program is ex-

panded for younger boys.

Some of the activities in the training program will include drill instructions, fire arm safety, police day camp, first aid instructions, basic law enforcement, etc. The boys will meet each Saturday morning.

The League will be governed by a board of 11 directors which will include representatives from the youth members. The Steering Committee for the Junior Police League is composed of Chief J. C. Rowe, James Leopold, Everett Shipman, Hubert Brown, Edith Jenkins, Pat Galloway, Louise Stroup and John K. Smart.

Boys interested in becoming members of the Brevard Junior Police League should make application by contacting the Brevard Police Department.

### Log Reviewed

## Some Of WPNF's Oldest Programs Still Most Popular

Several programs heard daily over WPNF are long-standing favorites of local listeners and are listed here for the benefit especially of newcomers to the area.

Some of these include: "Stork Time", broadcast each weekday morning at 8:55 a. m. New babies born at Transylvania Community Hospital are listed, and their parents are saluted.

The program has been sponsored for many years by Morris Pharmacy.

Local news from the Tran-

sylvania Times is heard three times daily on WPNF, at 7:30 a. m., sponsored by Lyda - McCrary Motors, and at 12 noon and 6:00 p. m.

"Hospital Register", a listing of patients confined, admitted and released by Transylvania Community Hospital is heard daily at 5:55 p. m., when the program is sponsored by Varner's Drug store.

World News at 6:10 p. m. each evening is sponsored by Brevard Lumber Company over WPNF. Brevard Lumber is among the stations oldest and most consistent sponsors.

### Other Programs

The schedule for the Farm and Home hour is as follows: Thursday, Brevard Vo-ag dept. John Bradley; Friday, Station Program; Monday, County Extension Chairman Jerry Purser; Tuesday, N. C. Forest Service, Clark Grissom; Wednesday, Home Agent Miss Jean Childers.

Speaking this week on Morning Devotions is Rev. Edgar Johnson, pastor of Little Cove Mission. Next week Rev. Ronald Lashley, pastor of Morning-side Baptist church, will be heard.

The Sunday morning Church service is being broadcast through the remote facilities of WPNF from Brevard Faith Assembly. Rev. Donald Hicks is pastor.

The public is invited to attend the 10 o'clock Mass.

### Weather

By FRED REITER

Highest temperature in the Brevard area last week came on Friday as the mercury hit a reading of 62 degrees, while the week's low point was Tuesday morning, with a reading of only 11 degrees. Rainfall was plentiful during the period. Average temperature readings for the week were 44 and 26.

Weather Service extended outlook for Thursday through Saturday: clear to partly cloudy and cold Thursday with a chance of light snow in the mountains with highs in the 30s. Lows Thursday in the teens and 20s. A gradual warming trend thereafter. Highs Friday and Saturday generally in the 50s with lows in the 20s and 30s.

Weather data for the past week was as follows:

	High	Low	Prec.
Wednesday	33	27	0.00
Thursday	38	28	0.72
Friday	62	37	1.00
Saturday	60	22	0.00
Sunday	43	24	0.54
Monday	46	36	0.54
Tuesday	28	11	0.00

### Post Office Will Close On Monday

The Brevard Post Office will be closed Monday, February 15th, in observance of Washington's birthday.

There will be no window service and no regular mail delivery on city or rural routes.

Special delivery service will be provided.

### Four Held On Shoplifting Charge Here

Four young men were apprehended Tuesday afternoon on a shoplifting charge, and according to Police Chief J. C. Rowe, they are being held in the local jail.

Three officers, Sgt. L. B. Vaughn, Patrolman N. H. Stiles and Patrolman J. C. Laughter answered a call at Brevard Jewelers about 5:30 to investigate the shoplifting of watches and merchandise.

Later they arrested Willie Lee Garnett, 20, Asheville, Richard Nesby, 20, Fletcher, Clyde Eric Proctor, 18, Asheville, and Arthur Goodman, 20, Asheville, in connection with the shoplifting.

The merchandise was recovered.

### Both Town and State

## Monday At Midnight Is The Deadline For License Tags

Mr. Motorist, bought your 1971 license tag yet?

If you haven't, time is short.

In fact, Monday at midnight is the deadline.

Sales at the license tag office on West Jordan Street have been better during the last few days, and Mrs. Jeanne Hunter, the manager, expects an influx in business this weekend.

Brevard residents must also



**AT "OPEN HOUSE"** — The "Open House" of the new Sims Student Center Building at Brevard College last Saturday night was highly successful. On hand to greet persons attending were the two men above, Dr. Robert A. Davis, president of the College, left, and Allen H. Sims, right, Chairman of the Board of Trustees and a great benefactor of the local institution. (Times Staff Photo)

### From A C P In '70

## County Farmers Receive \$32,980 In Assistance

### Event On Feb. 26th

## Get Tickets Early Is Plea Of Civic Banquet Officials

Tickets to the annual banquet of the Brevard Chamber of Commerce have gone out to all members, and they are asked to return their checks as soon as possible.

The banquet will be held in the Brevard high school cafeteria on Friday night, February 26th, beginning at 7:00 o'clock.

Roy G. Sowers, Jr., prominent director of the North Carolina Department of Conservation and Development, will be the principal speaker. Mr. Sowers, who

is a leader in business and industry, is expected to bring a timely and informative address.

The tickets are \$3.50 each, and they can be purchased by the public at the Chamber of Commerce office in the library.

A capacity crowd of 300 persons is expected to attend the banquet, and the directors and their wives will greet all attending.

A very interesting program is being planned.

## Mrs. McMahon Reports Superior Court Ends, District Court To Open Thursday Morning

As The Times went to press last Wednesday, Richard Garren was being tried in Superior court on a rape charge.

It was a jury trial.

After deliberating for several hours, the jury told Judge Fred H. Hasty that they could not reach a verdict.

The case was declared a mistrial and was continued until the next term of Superior court on March 29th.

The first week of court then

will be devoted to the trial of criminal cases, and the next week will be a civil term.

Last week's court adjourned after the Garren case.

Mrs. Marian McMahon, Clerk of Superior court, reports that District court will open Thursday.

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## It Was Four Above Zero On Wednesday

Transylvania had the coldest morning of 1971 Wednesday when the mercury dropped to four degrees above zero.

But Transylvania has fared, weatherwise, much better this week than neighboring counties.

Many of the surrounding counties were hit with rain, hail, sleet, snow and ice on Monday night, but the wintry storm stopped near the county line.

The weatherman promises a slight warming trend.

## Busy Session Held Tuesday At The Library

A budget of \$12,950.00, by far the largest ever proposed by the local civic body, was adopted by the directors of the Brevard Chamber of Commerce at their regular monthly meeting Tuesday night in the library.

It was the first meeting under the leadership of the new president, Dr. Milton Massey, and it was well attended. Much action was taken during the busy session.

Dr. Massey named chairmen of several important committees, and other chairmen will be appointed at the next meeting.

The new president emphasized that the Chamber of Commerce is exactly what the membership make it. He made a strong plea for support and cooperation.

"It will take the combined efforts of all to make this year the success it ought to be," Dr. Massey declared.

Charles L. Russell will head the important Advertising committee during 1971.

Co-chairmen of the Public Relations committee are Bill Norris and Don Blankinship.

One of the goals of this committee is to hold open public meetings during the ensuing year, and the first is slated for Tuesday night, March 9th, at Brevard College.

It will be a dinner meeting, beginning at 6:30 o'clock.

Charles Himes and Jerry Willis will head the Environmental and Beautification committee.

Much discussion was given to the need of a continuing, countywide clean-up campaign.

This discussion was headed by Hale Siniard, Jr., a director and a member of the County Board of Commissioners. The first phase will be a two-day drive to clean-up along Transylvania's highways in early spring.

C. Few Lyda and Vernon Fullbright are the new co-chairmen of the Membership committee. Every effort will be made during the year to increase the membership, and it was pointed out that any interested person is welcome to join.

The Long-range Planning Committee will be headed by Chester Kilpatrick. It was suggested that a Transylvania County Chamber of Commerce be considered. It was also suggested that the by-laws be revamped.

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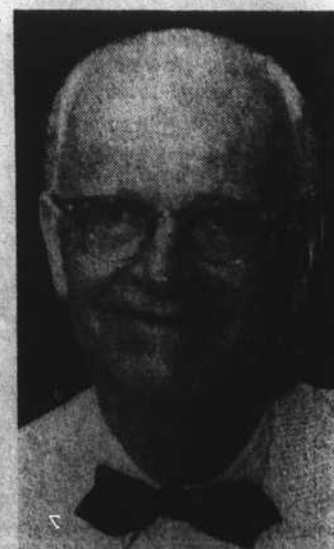
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### Public Invited

## Dr. Nelson Bell To Speak To Presbyterians Sunday

Dr. L. Nelson Bell, MD, world renowned Christian layman will preach at the morning worship service of the Brevard-Davidson River Presbyterian Church on Sunday, February 14th. Widely known as an author, Bible teacher and statesman of the Church, Dr. Bell now makes his home in Montreal, though he commutes frequently to Washington, D. C., headquarters of the magazine Christianity Today, of which he is a founder and executive editor.

Dr. Bell is also held in esteem as a physician and surgeon. In 1916, Dr. Bell went to China as a medical missionary where he served under the auspices of the Presbyterian Church in the



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