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## Heavy Criminal Docket To Be Heard In Superior Court Beginning Next Monday

### Several Face Drug Charges, Cases Listed

Superior Court opens in Transylvania county next Monday morning, July 12th, and all defendants, attorneys, witnesses and others connected with criminal cases are urged to be in the courtroom at 9:30 o'clock.

It is not known at this time who the presiding judge will be.

The trial of the Civil docket will begin on Thursday, July 15th.

According to Mrs. Marian McMahon, Clerk of Superior court, there is a heavy criminal docket to be tried.

Persons on the docket and the charges they face are as follows:

William Hemphill, non support, two cases

William Robinson, bastardy  
Larry B. Lawrence, fraud

Kenneth N. Young, fraud, six cases

Albert H. Stiel, fraud  
Craig Wilkes, inadequate supt.

Roger Queen, assault  
Frank E. Penson, fail, provide

James S. Tate, D. U. I.  
Richard Garren, rape

Richard Garren, attempted crime against nature

Dennis McGee, assault

Gerald Honeycutt, assault  
Donald L. Miller, driving while license revoked

Walter G. Powell, driving while license revoked, and reckless driving

Sandra B. Suttles, forgery, two cases

Dean M. Landreth, unlawful possession of stimulant and narcotic drugs, one case each

Danny R. Volrath, unlawful possession of stimulant and narcotic drugs, one case each

James R. Fowler, unlawful possession of stimulant and narcotic drugs, one case each

Kenneth A. Smith, unlawful possession of stimulant narcotic drugs, one case each

Charles Allen Smith, unlawful possession of stimulant and narcotic drugs, one case each

Dennis E. Galloway, un-

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**REMEMBERS BREVARD COLLEGE** — Ottis Green, Sr., right, one of WNC's oldest and leading citizens, tells John I. Anderson, left, Editor and General Manager of The Transylvania Times, that he is remembering Brevard College in his will. Both Mr. Green and Mr. Anderson are members of the Board of Trustees of the local College. On the 29th of this month, Mr. Green will observe his 97th birthday. (Times Staff Photo)

### On Eve Of Birthday

## Ottis Green Remembering Brevard College In Will

By The Editor

Ottis Green, Sr., one of Western North Carolina's oldest and leading citizens, is remembering Brevard College in his will.

It's almost a birthday present from Mr. Green to the local religious and educational institution. On July 29th of this year, Mr. Green will celebrate his 97th birthday.

In his will, Mr. Green is leaving Brevard College \$15,000 for the education of deserving students with leadership and ability.

He is asking that this fund

be administered by a committee of the president, Dr. Robert A. Davis, the chairman of the Board, Allen H. Sims, and John I. Anderson, one of the Brevard trustees.

Mr. Green retired from business life in 1956, but he is still active around his home and in Asheville. He operated Ottis Green Hardware company on Pack Square in Asheville from 1905 to 1956.

"Not too long ago, I had an operation at Duke. Before being rolled into the operating room, I told the Lord that if he would let me live and prosper, I would use every-

thing that I have to benefit other people.

"So, one of the things I am doing is leaving this money to Brevard College to help some of our young people," the stately gentleman told this Editor.

From the way he shows you around his home and yards, you would never guess his age. But then to listen to him reminisce, you readily recognize the fact that he is a pioneer citizen of Western North Carolina.

As a church man, he has been an active member of the Haywood Methodist church since 1898, and for about 20 years, he was chairman of the Board of Trustees.

As a businessman, his Hardware company was one of the leading firms of its kind in WNC for more than a half century.

As a civic leader, he was president of the Asheville Chamber of Commerce and president of the Asheville Rotary club. He also helped to organize Chambers of Commerce in Canton, Hickory and Dunn. He is a 10-year veteran with First - Citizens.

### Highly Qualified

## "Luke" Morgan Is Named City Manager Of Brevard

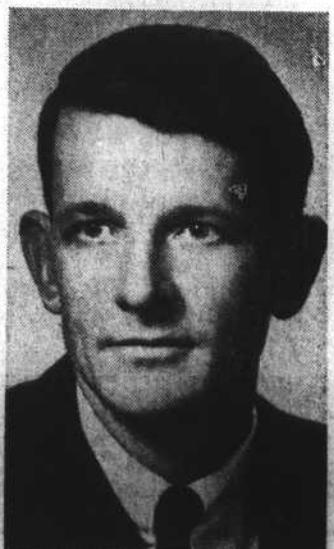
Brevard has a new city manager as of July 1st. He is Lucius B. Morgan, a former Olin employee and Brevard resident since 1962.

Mr. Morgan fills the position left vacant by Robertson Buck, who left several months ago.

An Olin employee since 1962, Mr. Morgan worked for two summer employment terms at the U. S. Plywood-Champion Papers plant in Canton while completing his education.

He is a graduate of the University of Tennessee with a B.S. degree in Industrial Management. Earlier he attended N. C. State University at Raleigh.

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### Pops Concert Highlights The Weekend, Music Center

"A Broadway Gala" is the over-all theme for the first Pops Concert of the summer on July 10 at the Brevard Music Center. The Center's Pops Concerts have long been a favorite part of the musical summer with Transylvania audiences and this first offering promises to reinforce that popularity. Broken down into four sections, the Saturday night extravaganza spotlights music from long-run Broadway hits, sumptuous Hollywood movies, popular recordings and a special patriotic medley of Americana.

Other programs on the second Festival weekend feature the young Metropolitan Opera star Loretta Di Franco who will sing the lead in Donizetti's "Lucia di Lammermoor" on Friday night and James Oliver Buswell, IV, the brilliant 22-year-old violinist who will be the soloist Sunday afternoon with the Transylvania Symphony Orchestra.

Buswell is a violinist whose career has been phenomenal for one so young. He has appeared with nearly every major orchestra and music festival in North America, and has been acclaimed by every important newspaper and magazine in the country. What is even more remarkable is that he is only 22.



With over three inches of rainfall during the past week, Brevard area residents had a very wet week, for the most part.

Temperature averages were 81 and 61 for each day, with a wide variation, from a high of 85 on Thursday to 53 on Monday morning.

The extended forecast calls for a chance of afternoon and evening thundershowers each day through Friday, with average seasonal temperatures. Highs should be in the low to mid-80s, while lows should average in the low 60s.

Weather data for the past week was as follows:

	High	Low	Prec.
Wednesday	82	65	0.96
Thursday	85	65	0.00
Friday	79	64	1.71
Saturday	81	59	0.00
Sunday	82	58	0.00
Monday	78	53	0.00
Tuesday	73	64	0.95

### Rankings Announced

## Joe Pickelsimer Is New Fire Chief, Merrill Commissioner

There's news from the Brevard Volunteer Fire Department this week that doesn't concern fires. The news is about men themselves, new ranking and William Rides.

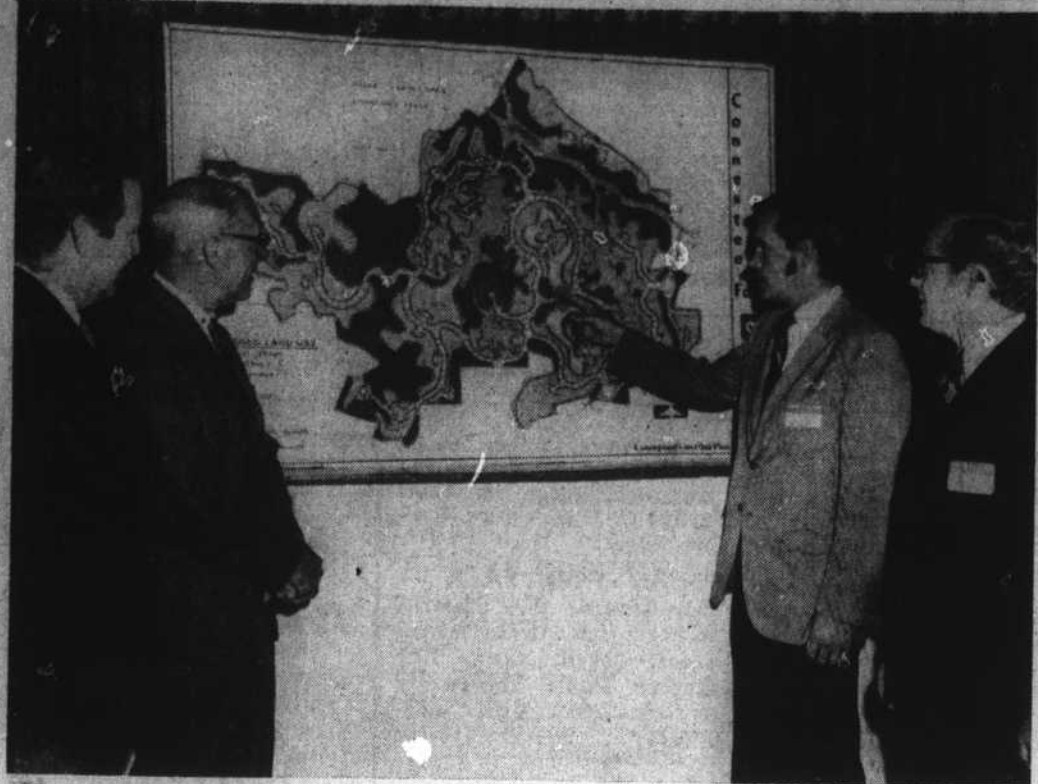
Joe Pickelsimer, Brevard native, is the new chief, succeeding Dan Merrill, who has served as chief more years than he cares to recall.

Chief Pickelsimer was appointed by the Brevard Aldermen, who also named Chief Merrill as the new Fire Commissioner of Brevard.

The following were elected to various posts by the members of the Department:

- Ray Badger - Deputy Chief
- Gordon Byrd - Senior Captain
- Eddie Paxton - Junior Captain
- Don Kilpatrick - Truck Captain
- Ernest Smith - Senior Lieutenant
- Joe Smith - Junior Lieutenant

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"THE UNCITY" that Realtec incorporated plans to construct at Connestee Falls here in Transylvania was the chief topic of conversation at Realtec's "get acquainted" dinner-reception at the American Legion building here last week. Several Realtec officials are shown above going over the proposed project with Donald Lee Moore, chairman of the Transylvania County Board of Commissioners. Looking over the diagram of the area are, left to right; Roger W. Sheridan, Realtec's vice president of operations, Commissioner Moore, Realtec vice president Robert Boone, and Stanley Whitcomb, executive vice president of Realtec. (Times Staff Photo)

### At Legion Building

## Connestee Falls Reception, Dinner Attended By Many

By - Cal Carpenter

An estimated 150 Brevard and Transylvania County citizens attended a dinner-reception sponsored by the Connestee Development Corporation June 29th and were briefed on plans for what Realtec, Inc., the Ft. Lauderdale, Fla. - based Urban Development branch of CertainTeed Products Corporation and parent firm of Connestee, is the "Uncity."

Gathering in the Brevard American Legion Hall, the unusual turn-out of citizens from the professions, business, industry and many private indi-

viduals heard Gilbert P. Edwards, President of Realtec, reiterate the obligation the corporation feels toward the historic Connestee Falls area and Transylvania County.

"The natural splendor and unspoiled beauty of Connestee Falls is our inheritance. We pledge to preserve and protect that, trust with all the resources at our command," he said.

"We are, of course, in business to make money, like all businesses," said Mr. Edwards, "but we are convinced that we will profit more if you profit

too; if we create a resort-home area that the citizens of Transylvania will be proud to have as a neighbor — not just another second home development."

### The "Uncity"

Realtec's determination is to develop a year-around residential - resort area with complete city utilities and conveniences plus the beauty and recreational facilities of a resort. It is to avoid any crowding and emphasize desirable privacy, yet provide restricted entrance, security

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### In This Issue

## City, County Have Record Budgets For The New Year

Budget summaries for Transylvania County and for the City of Brevard are carried in this week's issue of The Transylvania Times.

While they are record budget estimates, the tax rate for both the City and the County will remain the same.

The summary for Transylvania County is carried on the front page of the third section, and a complete copy of the same is on display in the Register of Deeds office in the court house.

The total budget requirements amount to \$1,945,944, as compared with \$1,923,703 last year.

Property valuation in the county is set at \$91,500,000 as compared with \$88,000,000 last year.

Donald Lee Moore, chairman of the Board of Commissioners, points out that the

largest expenditure is for schools.

The tax rate will remain at \$1.05.

For Brevard  
Brevard's record budget for 1971 - 72 totals \$544,061,

and this compares with \$494,800.00 for the past year.

The tax rate will remain the same at \$1.38.

The complete budget summary for the ensuing year is carried in the front section of this week's Times.

### Curfew Put On Park

## Aldermen Take Action At July Meeting On Tuesday

The last of the old refunding bonds for the City of Brevard, amounting to \$73,000.00 were retired on June 30th of this year. Mrs. Opal Armentrout, Clerk-Treasurer, reported to the Board of Aldermen meeting Tuesday night.

The original issue was \$479,000, dated July 1, 1936, and they were scheduled to be retired in 1976.

The City Fathers voted at the meeting to put a curfew on the City's Franklin park. The closing time is 10:00 p.m., and violators will be prosecuted.

A public hearing will be held on August 2nd, in regards to re-zoning of property of Don M. Jenkins on West French Broad street, bounded by Whitmire street, Railroad avenue and King street. The request is to have the property changed from I-1 to C-2.

Thomas Pinkerton was given permission at the meeting to operate two pool tables in the Family Game Room.

A taxi driver's license was also granted to Ben J. Miller.

Other items at the meeting concerned a Fire ordinance amendment, an amendment to the Code of Ordinance relating to the streets and budget revision.

Mayor Charlie Campbell presided, and aldermen attending included W. W. Duckworth, Gil Johnson, W. M. Melton, Dwight Moffitt and Charles L. Russell.

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### Follows Reeves

## Dr. Merle Young Is Now The Pastor At St. Timothy United

Dr. Merle N. Young, the new minister at St. Timothy United Methodist Church, is a veteran of 26 years as a Navy Chaplain. He retired in 1966 while District Chaplain, 11th Naval District, San Diego, California.

Dr. Young is a native of Iowa and was educated at John Fletcher College, Drew Theological Seminary, Princeton Theological Seminary and has just returned after completion of two years graduate study at the University of Edinburgh, Scotland. He was awarded the Doctor of Divinity degree in 1960 by MacMurray College, a United Methodist institution at Jacksonville, Ill.

While on active duty with the Navy, Dr. Young was awarded the Bronze Star Medal for his service during the Korean War.

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