



Happy New Year



"OVER THE TOP" — Transylvania's United Fund goal of \$55,266 has been exceeded, and to date over \$59,000 has been pledged or given. The donation that put Transylvania "over the top" was presented by William T. Hunter, left, vice president and controller of the Connestee Falls Development corporation, to UF President Earle Johnson, right. The gift was approximately \$4,000, and it came from the 104 employees at Connestee Falls. (Times Staff Photo)

Officials Are Pleased

United Fund Exceeds Goal, Over \$59,000 Is Reached

Transylvania's United Fund goal of \$55,266 for 1972 is now "over the top". To date, over \$59,000 has been received.

Just after it was reported in last week's Transylvania Times that nearly \$1,000 was needed to reach the goal, officials and employees of Connestee Falls Development Corporation completed their canvass and reported to UF President Earle Johnson.

According to William T. Hunter, Vice President and Controller, the 104 employees pledged and donated approximately \$4,000 to Transylvania's United Fund.

"We are delighted that all of our employees came through in such a grand style," Mr. Hunter told the United Fund President.

This outstanding donation made it possible for the goal to be reached, as well as giving the UF a surplus to meet emergencies that might arise during the year.

President Johnson, is expressing appreciation to the Connestee Falls group, said he also wanted to thank all other persons who gave to the 1972 United Fund.

He is appreciative for the fine efforts of many people who served as solicitors during the recent campaign.

He released the following statement to The Times:

The successful completion of the United Fund drive is a fine achievement for our entire Transylvania County community. Both personally, and on behalf of the Board of Directors of the United Fund, I wish to express sincere appreciation to all who had a part in reaching and surpassing our goal. The dedicated work of the solicitors and the generous response of the citizens of our county have enabled us

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Mrs. Hunter Announces

License Tags For '72 To Go On Sale Here Next Tuesday

The 1972 license plates will go on sale here and throughout the state on January 4, 1972.

The License Tag Office, 26 W. Jordan Street, Brevard will be open at 9:00 until 5:00 Tuesday, January 4 for the sale of the 1972 plates. Office hours will be 9:00 to 5:00 Monday through Friday each week. The office is closed on Saturdays.

The blue on white license tags will begin their series with HL6001 for private passenger automobiles. The truck tags will begin their series with 1601TF.

"You should have received your license renewal card in the mail by now," says Mrs. Jeanne Hunter, License Tag Manager.

"If you did not receive the renewal card; check by the Tag Office and see if it is there. If it is not, you will have to write Raleigh in order to obtain one. This should be done right away as it takes 10 days to two weeks to receive one from Raleigh and you want to allow enough time to receive the card and buy your license by the deadline, February 15, 1972."

Mrs. Hunter continues:

"When you receive your renewal card, please open the envelope, read the instructions, and have your liability insurance information on the back of the card. The name of the insurance company, your policy number, and the full name of the registered owner must be on the card before a tag can be purchased. This should be done with blue or black ink and should be completed before you come into the office."

This will entitle Mrs. Hunter and Mrs. Hawes to give faster service and avoid lines from forming.

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First To Announce

Collins Seeking House Seat As A Democratic Candidate

J Howard Collins of Asheville has announced as a candidate for the 1973 General Assembly in the Democratic primaries next year from the Buncombe-Transylvania county 43rd House District.

Mr. Collins, 39, has been employed 20 years in Southern Bell Telephone Company's Asheville plant department and was named commercial representative for Bell's Buncombe County operations in 1969.

Mr. Collins, a former president of the Buncombe County Young Democratic Club, is the first from the 43rd House District to announce as a candidate. The new two-county House district will elect four representatives.

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Weather
By FRED REITER

The unseasonably warm weather prevailed over the week of Christmas and extended the good weather for the holidays. The highest temperature recorded here was 74° on Sunday with the week's average temperature being 61°.

North Carolina's extended forecast for the rest of the week through Saturday calls for partly cloudy skies and mild temperatures until Friday when the mercury should begin to fall somewhat, bringing us cooler and rainy weather for the most part.

Date	High	Low	Prec.
Dec. 22	54	29	.00
Dec. 23	41	24	.00
Dec. 24	64	38	.00
Dec. 25	60	32	.00
Dec. 26	74	34	.00
Dec. 27	73	35	.00

Roger Babson Forecast Is Carried Today

The Transylvania Times is publishing Roger Babson's Business and Financial Forecast for 1972 this week. You will find it on page 12, second section.

We call your attention to this feature because 1972 will be a year of many changes.

This Babson Forecast contains predictions covering such important subjects as:

The year will be another "crisis year".

1972 should be a year of solid progress.

Labor unions will be relatively quiet.

No real money or credit worries are anticipated.

An easing of the "trouble spots" around the world is expected.

President Nixon will be unable to hold over-spending to a tolerable level.

Consumers will probably loosen their purse strings in 1972, etc.

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1972 Contest

Many Prizes Are Offered To First Baby And Parents

The Transylvania Times and WPNF, in cooperation with several local merchants, are conducting a "First Baby Contest of 1972".

Rules for the contests and complete details are carried in a special message on page 15, second section.

The prizes and the donors are as follows:

\$5.00 Dry cleaning—Cardinal Cleaners

One pair of "Step Master" baby shoes—Trantham's

A year's subscription—Transylvania Times

A Evenflo complete baby formula feeding kit—Morris Pharmacy

Century baby carrier—Hous-

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New Year's Observance Will Be Quiet In Transylvania County



ARMY RESERVE HEADQUARTERS personnel now stationed here in Brevard are pictured above. They are, front row, left to right; Chief Master Sergeant Jean M. Roland, Maj. James R. Heyward, Lt. Col. John R. Bragdon, and Capt. Robert J. Nicholson. Back row; Joe E. Farr, CW4 Charles F. Himes, Master Sergeant Dan H. Gaddy, Jr., and Capt. Jimmy S. Blair. This group represents a total of 156 years of military service. (Times Staff Photo)

Stores Close, Offices Have Holiday Monday

A quiet New Year's observance is expected in Brevard and Transylvania county.

Many of the stores will be closed on Saturday for the holiday, and town and county offices will be closed on Monday for the New Year's observance.

Several dances and parties are scheduled in the community for New Year's Eve.

They will be held at Glen Cannon Country club, the American Legion Memorial building and at the Elks club.

According to Postmaster Charlie Patton, the following schedule will be observed at the Brevard Post Office on Friday and Saturday:

Friday, New Year's Eve, Dec. 31, 1971:

Normal lockbox, delivery, collection and special delivery services will be provided.

Normal receipt and dispatch of mail will be maintained.

Window service will be suspended at 12:30 but call service for parcels will be maintained until 5:00 p.m.

Saturday, New Year's Day, Jan. 1, 1972:

No window, lockbox or collection service will be provided.

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Army Reserve Headquarters Now Located In Brevard

The Headquarters, 3rd Battalion, 321st Regiment, 2nd Brigade (BCT), 108th Division (Training), is now located in Brevard. It moved here from Asheville on Dec. 1, 1971.

The unit is composed of five companies, two of which Companies A and B, are also located in Brevard. Company C is in Waynesville and Companies D and E are in Rutherfordton.

Headquarters personnel moved here are: Lt. Col. John R. Bragdon, Jr., Commanding Officer; Major James R. Heyward, Executive Officer; Captain Robert J. Nicholson, Operations Officer; and Captain Jimmy S. Blair, Supply Officer.

Rosman Residents Now Eligible For Emergency Flood Insurance

The membership of the Brevard Chamber of Commerce is urged to vote for new directors prior to the meeting on January 11th in the Library.

According to Dr. Milton Massey, the president, a 40-man board will be elected at that time when the ballots will be tabulated.

Officers for the New Year will be elected at a call meeting on the following Tuesday night, from the newly elected board.

The year 1972 promises to be a busy one for the Brevard Chamber of Commerce, and President Massey urges the members to select persons who are vitally interested in the community progress.

The membership of the Brevard Chamber of Commerce totals 194 persons, representing practically all business and industries.

Chamber Of Commerce Now Electing Directors

Congressman Roy A. Taylor announced Monday that the U. S. Department of Housing and Urban Development has approved an emergency Flood Insurance Program for Rosman.

Rep. Taylor said that effective December 30, 1971, owners of existing one to four family residences and small businesses in Rosman may buy Flood Insurance from their local Insurance Agents at a low subsidized rate under the emergency flood insurance program.

The Congressman quoted HUD officials as saying that Rosman became qualified under the program when it agreed to adopt land use and control measures that will minimize flood damage to future construction.

The HUD sources said local insurance agents may obtain policies and other information from the National Flood Insurers Association servicing office which they identified as the Kemper Insurance, 1229 Greenwood Cliff, Charlotte, North Carolina, 28204.

Rep. Taylor said he has worked closely with Mrs. Edith C. Osborne, Mayor of Rosman, to secure approval of the program.

To Hold Short Course, Health And Safety Act

The Brevard Chamber of Commerce will sponsor a short course explaining the provisions of the Williams - Steiger Act of 1970.

This law, which is now effective, affects all employers. Basically the act is designed to protect the health and safety of

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Tabulation January 11th Brevard Travel Agency Will Open For Business January 4

The Brevard Travel Agency will open offices in the Bryant Building on Tuesday, January 4th. The new business will offer reservation, ticketing service and accommodations for all types of travel.

Experienced people will be available to help plan for business trips, vacations, honeymoons and vacation or student travel. There will be no charge for the agency's planning service.

The new office, located on the second floor of the Bryant Building on East Main St. in Brevard, has been attractively decorated with colorful posters from all over the

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