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## Criminal Cases Are Being Tried In Superior Court Here All This Week



**BRINGS SENATORIAL CAMPAIGN HERE** — Henry Hall Wilson, center, Democratic candidate to succeed Sam J. Ervin, Jr., in the United States Senate, brought his campaign to Brevard and Transylvania last Monday afternoon. At the left in his Transylvania campaign manager, L. W. "Chick" Martin, and at the right is Richard "Dick" Queen, who is directing his campaign throughout

Western North Carolina. During the 60s, Mr. Wilson was Administrative Assistant to Presidents Kennedy and Johnson. He is especially known in Transylvania for his work with the Brevard Music Center and is a former director. He met with friends and other supporters in Gaither's Rhododendron room Monday, and then he was heard in an interview over WPNF. (Times Staff Photo)

For Further Expansion

## Prefix Of 1,000 Telephones To Be Changed This Weekend

Here's a message denoting progress at the Citizens Telephone company:

Citizens Telephone Company announces a new telephone number prefix will be added to the Brevard office effective April 7th.

The new prefix will be 884, and will necessitate the cancellation of all 883-xxxx numbers on that date. Telephone subscribers whose numbers will be changed as a result of this addition were notified by mail approximately one year ago and will be furnished a new stick-on number plate with their April 1st bills.

The new telephone directory which would have been distributed on January 1st of this year has been delayed until April 7th to incorporate these changes.

The actual cutover will begin at 2:00 p.m. on Saturday, April 6th. Any subscribers who cannot reach an 883-xxxx number after that time should dial the new 884-xxxx number.

According to Charles W. Pickelsimer, the General Manager, the change in the prefix will make it possible for Citizens Telephone company to add an additional 1,000 numbers.

"We hope the change will not inconvenience too many of our subscribers, but it is necessary for further expansion," Mr. Pickelsimer continued.

Brevard's Citizens Telephone company is recognized as one of the most progressive independent telephone companies in North Carolina.

It is one of only two that has all private line service, and Mr. Pickelsimer, the General Manager, is currently serving as president of the North Carolina Independent Telephone Association.

### Top Economic Post

## Garza Baldwin New President North Carolina Citizens Body

Garza Baldwin, Jr., president of the Fine Paper and Film Group of Olin Corporation, was recently installed as president of the North Carolina Citizens Association.

First vice president of the association until inducted as president at the 33rd annual meeting in Raleigh, he has served as a director for a number of years. He succeeded Thomas M. Belk of Charlotte and serves with other newly installed officers: Charles B. Wade, Jr., of Winston-Salem, C. Felix Harvey of Kinston, and W. Trent Ragland, Jr., of Raleigh. —Turn to Page Eight



Temperatures averaged slightly above normal during the past week in the Brevard area, with readings of 71 and 45 for the period. More than two inches of rain fell during the week. Very high winds were experienced in two periods of stormy weather. These occurred on Saturday and Monday nights, and trees and roofs in the city and surrounding area suffered damage.

The weeks highest temperature was 81 on Monday afternoon, while the coolest reading was 38 last Wednesday.

Extended forecast for Thursday through Saturday: Chance of showers Thursday with low temperatures in the 50s and highs in the 70s. Partly cloudy and turning cooler Friday and Saturday. Lows falling into the 30s in the mountains Saturday. Highs mostly in the 60s.

Brevard weather data for the week as follows:

Date	High	Low	Prec.
March 27	60	38	0.10
March 28	77	42	0.06
March 29	68	39	1.23
March 30	65	40	0.24
March 31	71	48	0.00
April 1	81	52	0.00
April 2	72	53	0.55

## Commissioners To Meet Monday

The regular monthly meeting of the Transylvania County Commissioners will be held April 8th, 7:30 p.m. in the Transylvania County Court House.

The Commissioners will consider bids on new recreation equipment for Silvermont, Recreation Center. Some \$7,000 worth of equipment for the recreation department will be requested by Craig Freas, Director of Silvermont.

Bids on a third Transylvania County ambulance will also be opened at the meeting.

The Commissioners hope to have the report of activities from the Sheriff's Department which was requested some time ago.

Anyone having further business to come before Commissioners, please call the Commission office at 883-2441 to have the item placed on the agenda.

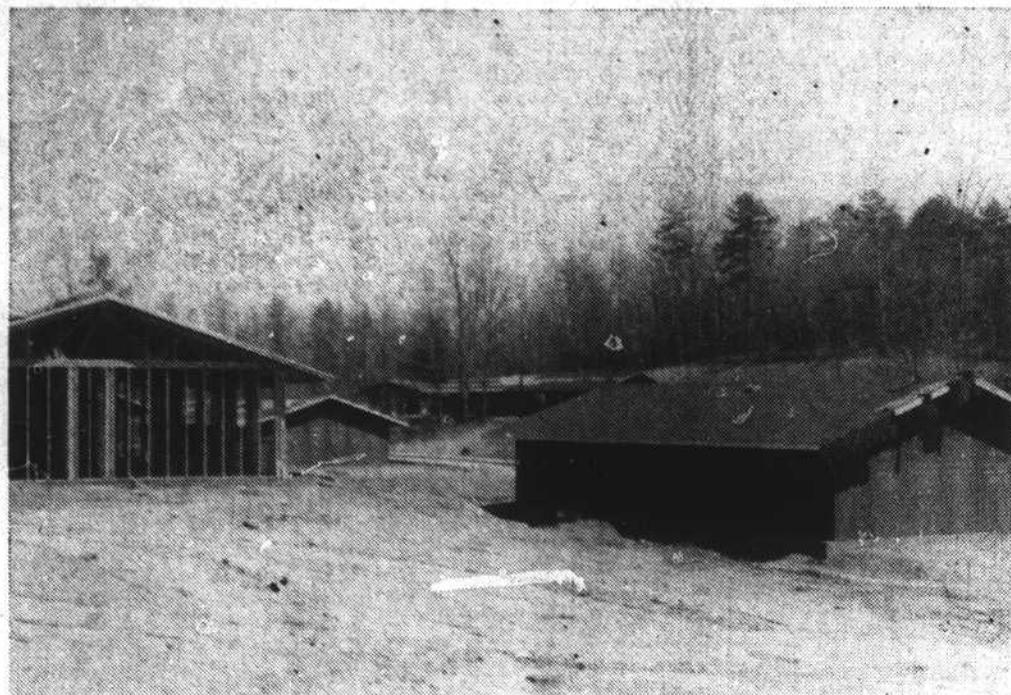
### Program Highlights

## Rebel-500 From Darlington To Be Heard Sunday On WPNF

Auto racing returns to the schedule of WPNF-Radio 1240 this weekend, with the Sunday running of the Rebel-500 race at Darlington International Speedway at Darlington, S. C. It will be WPNF's first race broadcast of the new '74 racing season.

Most of the best-known drivers of the NASCAR circuit will take part in this big race, with a veteran broadcast crew on hand to bring to WPNF listeners every thrilling event which takes place.

Local sponsors who make this broadcast possible are: Goodwill Motors, Citizen's Telephone Company, Swaff's Restaurant



**FINE PROGRESS** is being made in the three areas of low rent public housing in Brevard. In the picture above are several of the units that will house 38 families. These are being constructed off Probart Extension, near the Cashiers Valley Road. Completion date of all the

units is expected in early August, and according to Charles Dunlop, the Executive Director, the local authority has at least 50 applications for consideration of occupancy at the present time. Cecil J. Hill is Chairman of the Brevard Housing Authority. (Times Staff Photo)

### At Former Hospital

## New Residential Care Center Expected To Open Next Week

With 98 per cent of the required renovation done in the building and 75 per cent of the various state inspections passed, the Brevard Residential Care Center is expected to open sometime during the week of April 8 - 14th.

This announcement was made last week by James R. Queen, Jr., Manager of the new facility.

The 58 - bed Intermediate Care Facility was originally

scheduled to open last October but it was delayed by, among other things, the fact that the new Federal Regulations for Intermediate Care Facilities were not published until January, according to Mr. Queen. Since then, the delay has been in getting materials and equipment.

"We've been delayed by the same things that are delaying builders all over the country,"

## Of Watergate Fame Rufus Edmisten Will Speak Here This Friday Evening

Rufus Edmisten, deputy chief counsel of the Senate Select (Watergate) Committee on Presidential Activities, will be at Berry's Restaurant for a get-acquainted Dutch Supper Friday, April 5th, at 7:00 p. m.

A native of Boone, Mr. Edmisten received his BA in Political Science at UNC-Chapel Hill in 1963 and the Doctor of Jurisprudence from eGeorge Washington University in 1967.

He has served as chief counsel

and staff director of Senator Sam J. Ervin's Senate Subcommittee on Separation of Powers since 1969. However, his national exposure has really come about since serving the past year on the Watergate probe. Previously, he was counsel to the Subcommittee on Constitutional Rights, where he specialized in the rights of the American Indian and the separation of church and state.

Under his direction, the Separation of Powers staff has conducted pioneering investigations into means of curbing abuses of power by the executive branch of the federal government. The subcommittee has been in the forefront of inquiries regarding the impoundment by the executive branch of funds appropriated by Congress and has initiated the first studies into the now prominent issue of executive privilege.

His familiarity with the doctrine of executive privilege gave him special expertise in his capacity of deputy chief counsel to the Watergate Committee where, in addition to serving as Senator Ervin's chief aide, he assisted in supervision of the large staff of attorneys and supporting personnel who carried out the committee's investigative tasks.

In addition to administrative activities, Mr. Edmisten was charged with the public interrogation of former Secretary of

## Civil Docket Opens Monday, Judge Martin Will Preside

Several cases on the Criminal docket are being tried in Superior Court this week, and the court is expected to continue through Friday.

Judge John R. Friday, of Shelby, is presiding, and next week the Civil docket will be heard. Judge Harry C. Martin, of Asheville, will preside over the court next week.

As The Times went to press on Wednesday, Roger D. Gray and Aubrey L. McCrary were being tried for racing. A jury was hearing the case.

The testimony had been completed, and the lawyers were pleading the case before the jurors.

Also on Wednesday morning, David C. Brown had been tried for breaking and entering, but the case was declared a mistrial.

In other court action, Marvin A. Brown was found guilty of first degree burglary and was sentenced to two years as a youthful offender.

Ted D. McCall was found guilty on two counts of breaking and entering and larceny, and those sentences are pending.

Sherry Hemphill was found guilty of assault and battery and was sentenced to five days in Transylvania County jail.

Anna B. Rosemond was found guilty of assault with a weapon and was sentenced to seven days in Transylvania County jail.

## Lions Nominate New Officers

Brevard Lions have nominated a slate of officers for the new year.

They will be elected at the next meeting, when the club will hear a program on the Junior Achievement program in Transylvania. Glenn Echols will be in charge.

Nominations for officers are as follows:  
President — Bill Hutters  
1st Vice President — Joe Orr  
2nd Vice President — Chester Kilpatrick  
3rd Vice President — Allen —Turn to Page 8B

### Phillips Announces

## Tom Penn Named Campaign Chairman Of United Fund

William Thomas Penn, Manager, Industrial Engineering at the Ecusta Paper Division of Olin Corporation, has accepted the vital task of serving as Campaign Chairman for the 1974 United Fund Campaign.

In making the announcement of this position, United Fund Board President Harry Phillips expressed real appreciation that a man of Mr. Penn's ability and talent is to chair the campaign.

A resident of Brevard since 1963, when he joined the industrial engineering staff of Olin, Mr. Penn brings a genuine appreciation for Transylvania County and a concern for its —Turn to Page Eight

