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Brevard area temperatures averaged 79 and 50 each day during the past week, with the highest reading being 81 degrees on Wednesday and Friday. Low temperatures felt like fall readings, with lows of 42 and 43 on Monday and Tuesday mornings.

Rainfall over the weekend was 1.29 inches.

Extended forecast for North Carolina for Thursday through Saturday: partly cloudy and warm through the period with a chance of showers or thundershowers mainly on Thursday. Lows should average near 60 degrees, with highs around the 80-degree mark.

Brevard weather data was as follows:

Date	High	Low	Prec.
June 12	81	48	0.00
June 13	78	49	0.00
June 14	81	49	0.00
June 15	78	63	0.00
June 16	80	55	1.29
June 17	78	42	0.00
June 18	76	43	0.00

Public Housing Units Are Nearing Completion, Accepting Applications

Brevard Lions Will Install New Officers

New officers of the Brevard Lions club will be installed at a big steak cookout at Neal Hawkins Farm at Blantyre on Thursday night. Meeting time is 7:00 o'clock.

The outgoing President, Therman Dockery, urges all Lions to attend and to bring their wives.

The new officers are:

- Bill Hutters — President
- Joe Orr — First Vice President
- Chester Kilpatrick — Second Vice President
- Allen Brittain — Third Vice President
- Eugene King — Secretary
- Jack Gravelly — Treasurer
- Jerry English — Lion Tamer
- Jack Hudson — Tail Twister.

New Directors include: Rev. Ed Roy and Sid Bordanaro, two-year terms, and Hall Smith and Paul Owenby, one-year.

Several new Lions will also be inducted into the club, Mr. Dockery states.

New Officers Of Kiwanians Are Elected

Jim Lovin is the new President of the Brevard Kiwanis club.

Mr. Lovin is Acting Director of Planning and Engineering at the Olin Corporation at Pisgah Forest.

He succeeds Dr. Hugo Martin, and other officers elected at the semi-monthly meeting last Thursday night are as follows:

- Bob Whatley — Vice President
- Harvey McConnell — Secretary



Dedication Date To Be Announced

Progress reports were given by Charles S. Dunlop, Director of Brevard Housing Authority at the regular monthly meeting of the Commission Monday night.

Cedar Crest Manor, the Elderly Site, will have completed dwelling units in four to five weeks and applications are now being taken at the Housing Authority's office 127 West Main St. There are two sizes of apartments for the Elderly. Efficiency dwellings will be for single persons and one bedroom dwellings for couples.

Beech Crest Manor, located off Whitmore street, is being completed soon and will have residences of from two to four bedrooms for regular families.

Balsam Crest Manor, located between Hillview subdivision and Probert Street Extension, also has residences of from two to four bedrooms for regular families. These residences will be ready for occupancy in the early fall.

Cecil J. Hill, Chairman of the Housing Authority, pointed out that although the contractors have not completed their work, the Authority can now take applications and can now explain the eligibility of occupancy.

The present inflationary conditions have effected the rent schedules that are being established. Among numerous effects is the rise in cost of utilities which plays a big part in the economy of all. Even at the present level, housing will be furnished low-income people at figures that they can afford, Mr. Hill says.

Dedication date for the Housing Project will be announced at a later time, he said.

Mr. Hill says that a nationally prominent statesman will be here to deliver the address for that auspicious occasion.

In addition to Mr. Hill, other members of the Brevard Housing Authority are: Otis Jones, L. E. Bagwell, Charles F. Himes and J. I. Ayers.

Local Robberies Solved With Escapée Arrest

Four local robberies have been solved with the arrest of Ronnie L. Moore in Concord, Police Chief J. C. Rowe announces.

Businesses robbed here in Brevard included Cambridge Square, Cato's, Land of Waterfalls Realty and Nu-Way Cleaners.

Stolen were two jackets, 16 pairs of pants and from \$150 to \$175 in cash. The merchandise was recovered, but Moore had apparently spent the money by the time he was arrested on June 14th.

He was an escapee from the Henderson County Prison Correctional Institute at the time of the local robberies.

He is now being held at the North Carolina Correctional Institute in Avery County, awaiting trial here in Brevard.

Moore's arrest in a Concord bus station came after information was received here as to his whereabouts.

At Brevard College Third Annual Alumni Weekend Slated First Week In August

The first weekend in August will mark the third annual alumni weekend held on the campus at Brevard College. All alumni are invited to attend. For a very nominal fee, housing will be furnished in the residence halls and meals will be served in the dining hall.

This will give alumni the opportunity to come to the mountains of Western North Carolina for a weekend of relaxation and time to visit with friends and classmates on the campus of their College.

Brevard Institute, Rutherford College and Weaver College have a special invitation to visit and get acquainted with Brevard College. Weaver College Alumni will want to leave after breakfast on Sunday to attend their annual reunion in Weaverville.

Recreational facilities on campus which will be open to alumni are the swimming pool (bring your swim clothes), tennis courts (you will need a racket and balls), billiard and ping pong tables.

Tickets for the performances at the Brevard Music Center for Friday, Saturday and Sunday and Flat Rock Playhouse for Saturday night, will be available through the Alumni Office.

Some visitors may elect to attend the Mountain Folk Festival on Friday night featuring mountain musicians, old-time music and dancing. This is an annual occasion held in the Asheville Civic Auditorium. Others may want to go to Robin Hood Barn, Sherwood Forest on Greenville highway, for a Saturday night of square dancing with live music and experienced callers.

All of the recreational offerings—Turn To Page Seven

Best Season Ahead

Brevard Music Center Opens July 5th

The first performance of Brevard Music Center's 38th season will be given, fittingly, by a pianist who lives in New York City, whose music has taken her several times around the world, but who chooses to spend her summers in our mountains.

"Brevard is a joy," Sylvia Rabinoff said in a telephone interview this week.

"I find a whole atmosphere of music-making separate from the pettiness which sometimes grows up around a group of musicians."

Is it the view from her cabin window, is it the slower cadence of our speaking, is it walking on grass instead of concrete or waterfalls the height of her Manhattan apartment building, is it the response of North Carolina audiences? Simple "Southern hospitality?"

Mrs. Rabinoff will say only, "There is a graciousness about Brevard."

Friday evening, July 5th, Mrs. Rabinoff will perform Brahms Piano Concerto No. 1 with the Brevard Music Center Orchestra conducted by Henry Janiec, the Center's artistic director. A

member of the pre-college division faculty of the Juilliard School of Music, Mrs. Rabinoff will remain here for two months as the Center's artist-in-residence.

Her husband, Benno, the violin half of their internationally acclaimed duo, will join his wife onstage July 31st for a program of sonatas for violin and piano.

Mrs. Rabinoff speaks of her teaching in New York:

"Work at the Juilliard is highly intense. A lot of competition. Brevard is more of a community. Everyone is there making music and there is a great deal of cooperation."

"The ratio of students to teachers is low enough that I am able to get a personal feeling for every student, even in theory class."

Since an 18-year-old pianist named Sylvia Smith made her debut on a Paris stage "some years ago," lover; of the piano repertoire — particularly of Beethoven sonatas — have gathered in concert halls across the United States, in Canada, Asia, Africa, the Middle and Near East, and in the capitals

of Europe to witness the skills of the native New Yorker. Mrs. Rabinoff's first visit to the Center here was a brief one, an overnight stay and performance in 1966. She was not certain what awaited her when she accepted a faculty position here last summer.

"I expected a lot seeing the program and remembering my stay here in 1966. But I did not get to know the students the first time I was here?"

"I did not realize just how good their music would be. There is nothing average or amateur about the work of the students at Brevard. The student recitals are wonderful. I look forward to hearing the music myself. Does that sound strange? But it's true. Their music really is professional."

Beyond the 180 acres of the Center itself, the world traveller finds the town of Brevard "a wonderful community, very friendly."

"Here (in New York) you can't walk the streets at night. Those of my students here at Juilliard who were with me last summer at Brevard can't wait to return."

Program Highlights

"Skitch And Company" Heard Each Morning Over WPNF

One of the entertainment world's finest performers and best-known musicians is now heard regularly over WPNF-Radio 1240.

Skitch Henderson, a favorite of many for some years, is heard on "Skitch and Company", a musical variety show each Wednesday at 10:30 a.m.

Skitch presents the show in the modern style of today, and interviews a headline performer on each program. And, of course, Skitch also features his own records.

The guest on the show for the next two weeks will be pianist Billy Taylor and his trio.

Other Programs

The schedule for the Farm and Home hour is as follows: Thursday, Station Program; Friday, ASC Office, Charles Bryson; Monday, Home Agent, Miss Jean Childers; Tuesday, Station Program; Wednesday, Assistant County Agent, Dennis Winters.

Speaking this week on Morning Devotions is Rev. Glenn Dixon, pastor of the Mt. Moriah-Calvert Baptist church. Next week Rev. T. E. Arnold, pastor of the Brevard Faith As-

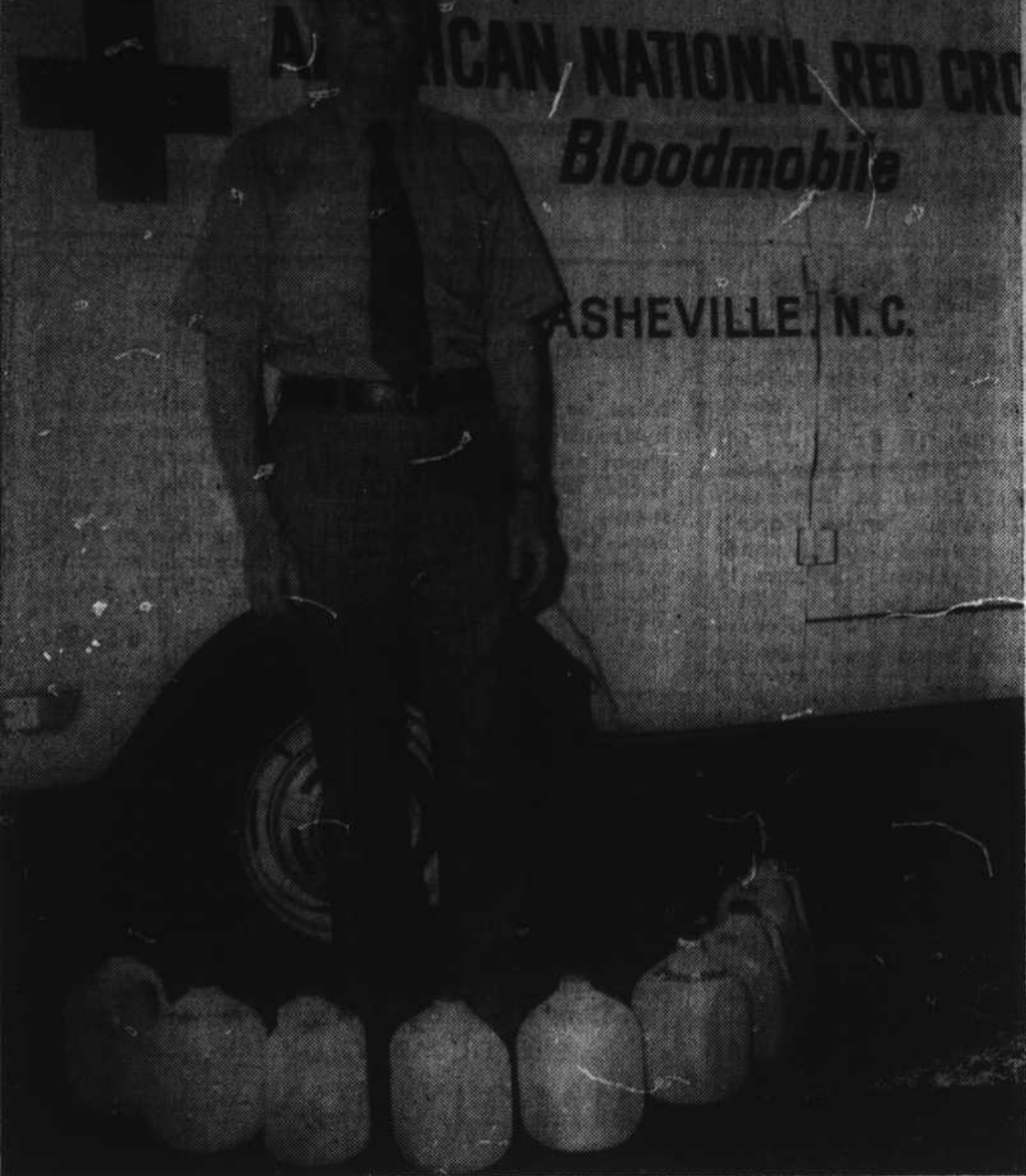
sembly of God, will be heard. The Sunday morning church service is being broadcast through the remote facilities of WPNF from the Wesleyan church. Rev. Marlin Mull is pastor.

Pisgah Forest Lions To Hold Installation

The Pisgah Forest Lions held their regular dinner meeting on June 11th at the Pisgah Forest Lions Den. The Lions hosted a group of Brownie Scouts and their leaders from Penrose.

After dinner and a brief business session, the Scouts entertained the Lions with a program of campfire songs. Lion Bill Knisley then described the recent State Lions Convention in Charlotte, which he and Lion Boyce Gillespie attended as delegates.

Installation night for new club officers is scheduled for June 28th.



TOP DONOR — To help celebrate the 25th anniversary of the American National Red Cross blood program, Charles Himes donated a pint of blood when the Bloodmobile visited Olin Corporation on Tuesday, June 11th. This brought his total contributions to eight gallons since the program was initiated. Mr.

Himes, a veteran of World War II, is the largest donor in Transylvania County and is one of the leading contributors in the Asheville Bloodmobile area. The blood donor program has been managed by the Red Cross since May 25, 1949, just prior to the Korean Campaign.

Tax Rate 60c

Commissioners To Adopt New Budget Next Tuesday Night

Final discussion on the budget for 1974-75 will take place at the upcoming meeting of the Board of County Commissioners on Tuesday, June 25th, at 7:30 p.m. in the Court House.

The Commissioners are expected to adopt a budget ordinance requiring a tax rate of 60c. The proposed budget has been open for public inspection in the office of the Register of Deeds and will remain there until adoption by the Board of Commissioners.

The Commissioners received a resolution this week which was passed by the Cumberland County Commissioners requesting the North Carolina Department of Transportation to reconsider its policy on neighborhood roads and urging that provision be made for maintenance of these roads to keep them in proper condition for their use as service roads to the people. Cumberland County Commissioners are asking each North Carolina County Board of Commissioners to consider a similar action. This will be discussed by our Commissioners at their meeting.

Appointments are expected to be made to the Historical Commission, Child Development Council and the Library Board.

Anyone having business to come before the Board of Commissioners is asked to call the Commission office at 883-2441 so that it may be placed on the agenda.

Taylor Announces

Seeking Funds To Re-Surface US 64 From Brevard-Rosman

State Senator Charles H. Taylor announced today that he is attempting to get paving funds to re-surface US 64 between Brevard and Rosman. Mr. Taylor stated that no plans were available to re-surface the road because of construction of the four-lane highway from Brevard to Rosman. He says, however, that he feels the dedication of US 64 merits the re-

surfacing and improvement and has taken steps to obtain funds for such work.

Right-of-way purchases for the four-lane continuation of US 64 are expected to begin in the last quarter of 1974 and will probably take most of 1975 to complete. Construction should begin in early 1976. Most of old 64 will then become a

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