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Methodist — 11 a.m.  
Presbyterian — 9 and 11 a.m.  
Episcopal — 8, 9:30, 11 a.m.  
Catholic — 11 a.m.  
Christian Science — 11 a.m.

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## Brevard Symphony Concert In Highlands Monday, July 13th

### Dr. James Pfohl Conducting Orchestra Here; Two Outstanding Artists Are Featured

The Brevard Music Center Orchestra, with Dr. James Pfohl conducting, returns again this summer to Highlands, under the auspices of the Chamber of Commerce.

The concert begins at 8:30 p.m. and there are no reserved seats. Tickets for the concert are \$2 for adults and \$1 for children.

The first concert is to be held Monday night, July 13, in the Highlands School Auditorium and a second concert is scheduled for August 17.

Appearing with the Orchestra Monday night will be Charles Rex, a talented young violinist from Transylvania Music Camp, who is the winner of the National Foundation of Music Clubs Hilda Honigman Scholarship.

Also appearing will be Katherine Stone, mezzo-soprano, and one of the 1964 Brevard Music Center Young Artist Award winners.

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Tickets for the concert are \$2 for adults and \$1 for children.

Various places in Highlands have tickets on sale, including The Stone Lantern, Lee's Inn, Chamber of Commerce office, real estate offices, THE HIGHLANDER newspaper office, and other business places. They may also be purchased at the door.

Dr. Pfohl, who has made appearances here almost every summer during the past several years, is widely recognized for his contribution to the development of musical talent. Music lovers from all over this area look forward to his return appearance here.

### MUSEUM OFFERING ADULT AFTERNOON ACTIVITIES

Dr. Thelma Howell announced this week that the Museum Committee of the Highlands Biological Station has planned a series of field trips and other activities for the membership of the Highlands Biological Station and the Highlands community generally. These services will be free to the membership; a donation box will be available to non-members.

The first program will be for unorthodox rock hounds who need help with identification and habits on collecting. The Museum is fortunate in having Miss Rebecca Endgers, a long time summer resident of Highlands, as a consultant for this program. Miss Endgers is a winter resident of Thomasville, Ga., but claims Western North Carolina as home. She has collected in North Carolina, Georgia, Virginia, Nova Scotia, and Ontario, and will have some of her collection, much of it in jewelry, at the Museum. Miss Endgers has generously agreed to be at the Museum between 3 and 5 p.m. on July 13 and 14. All local and transient rock hounds should take advantage of this opportunity.

The second program will also feature Miss Endgers. She will be at the Museum between 3 and 5 on July 20 to discuss: "The Ancient Art of Dwarving Trees—Bonsai." Miss Endgers will have specimens at the Museum and will discuss some of the techniques of the art of tree dwarfing. This program will be of special interest to Garden Club members.

Each succeeding week will

### HCT Announces Coming Events

The HIGHLANDS COMMUNITY THEATRE opened its 25th season to a capacity house last Wednesday evening with the Brevard Music Center symphony directed by Mr. James Vestadt.

The H.C.T.'s next production will be OH DAD, POOR DAD, MOMS HUNG YOU IN THE CLOSET AND I'M FEELING SO BAD, by Arthur Kopit, which will open July 24th for two nights and one matinee on Saturday, July 25th, at 2:30 p.m. This play received rave reviews in London and was a success both on and off Broadway in New York.

On August 7th and 8th the Highlands Community Theatre will present MARRIAGE-GO-ROUND, a comedy in two acts by Leslie Stevens, which was produced on Broadway with Charles Boyer and Claudette Colbert playing the leads.

The New Theatre Company of Atlanta will present ROSEAMON at the H.C.T. on August 14th and 15th. This play, which Brooks Atkinson, of the New York Times called "A work of pure art," will be under the direction of Ed Dantus of Atlanta.

The final production of the Highlands Community Theatre which will be on August 21st and 22nd, will be HOOTENANNY '64. Many requests for a repeat of last year's highly successful Hootenanny have brought back to this stage a completely new Hootenanny to be led by Stan Robinson of Atlanta. There will also be a matinee on this production on Saturday, August 22 at 2:30 p.m.

Patron membership cards are being mailed this week and all patrons are asked to return the card to the office at 499 immediately for permanent mailing instructions.

feature some special event; the complete program will be published when dates are definite.

In addition to these services, the Museum Committee has planned a series of feature exhibits. They plan to have something new each week and hope members of the community will put a weekly visit to the Museum on their summer schedule.

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### Dr. Harris Cancels Services

The scheduled services with Dr. Pierce Harris, of Atlanta were cancelled due to the illness of his brother, Mr. Howard Harris.

The Highlands Methodist Church and the entire community extend best wishes for the speedy recovery of Mr. Harris.

"We regret that Dr. Harris could not be with us this week, and our prayers are with the Harris family during this time of illness," the pastor, Rev. Vance Davis said.

Dr. Harris had agreed to come to Highlands with the understanding that should his brother's condition worsen, he would return to be with him. Unfortunately, Mr. Harris went into a coma before Dr. Harris had departed for Highlands.

Plans have not been made for another series of services; however, hopefully such plans can be made either for late summer or next year.

### Boom! Boom!

The "ka-boom" of explosion dynamite that has occasionally shaken the teeth of Highlanders lately originates from two sources.

Down town, the excavation for the new Presbyterian Christian Education Building calls for the removal of rock by blasting. On the outskirts of town, Wrenn-Wilson Contracting Company is having to do a considerable amount of blasting in order to lay water mains.

A 10-inch main to carry water from the filtering plant on Big Creek prong of Lake Sequoyah is being laid along Foreman Road, and a great deal of rock has been encountered.

On Monday of this week, blasting was done on the Dillard Road where a 6-inch line will be installed.

At the present time a 6-inch line extends out this road only to a point near the entrance to Mitchell's Motel, where it is reduced to a 3-inch line. The new 6-inch line will extend from there to the boundary of the corporate limits, about 300 feet west of Kalmia Court.

On the Walhalla Road, a 6-inch line will be installed within the entrance of the town limits beginning at the hospital intersection on South Street.

### Episcopal Silver Tea To Be At Farnsworth's

The Annual Silver Tea, given each year by the Church of the Incarnation,

### Library Inviting Memberships

Supported through membership dues, contributions, and the patronage of various benefit affairs, the Hudson Library marks its 80th year of service to the Highlands community this year.

Beginning from a small box of donated books in the year 1884, when the town of Highlands was only nine years old, the Library has been a beacon of light to several generations as it slowly but steadily increased in size to its many hundred volumes of today.

Although it is a popular source of pleasure to part-time patrons, its value to local people cannot be truly estimated.

Throughout the long, cold, winter months, and especially before the time of television, books provided almost the entire means of quiet recreation.

For young, for old, for shut-ins, the Hudson Library furnished a passion into another world — and escape from the dreary and monotonous — a temporary realization of unfulfilled dreams — a challenge to reach out for the truer things in life. For the curious and the scholarly, there were books to satisfy their quest for information; for the lonely, they furnished friendly companionship; for the downhearted, encouragement and forgiveness of self.

From its earliest days the Library has had to rely upon its many friends for support. With the higher price of books and an increase in operating expenses it has had a struggle each year to make ends meet. From time to time there is an additional expense. This year it is a new coat of paint for the exterior of the building.

"Now more than ever, we need the continued support of all our members, and heartily welcome the support of new members," a spokesman for the Library said this week.

There are three annual memberships: regular, associate, and sustaining. A regular membership is \$2; associate, \$5; sustaining, \$25. Memberships and contributions are deductible items for income tax returns.

Why not say "Happy Birthday" to the Hudson Library by means of a membership this year!

### Hospital Aux. Staying Busy

The Satulah Club Room was a busy place on Thursday, the 2nd, when 16 members of the Hospital Auxiliary held their regular July meeting.

There was mending on hand, and the making of new slings. Receiving blankets, baby squares, and other items for the nursery were in various stages of completion; also Bazaar work went ahead.

The Highlands - Cashiers Hospital Cook Book is now in circulation. Selling for \$2.50, it may be purchased in Highlands from Wit's End, Lydia Hancock's Real Estate Office, the Hospital, Mrs. W. C. Oays, and Anne's Beauty Shop. In Cashiers it may be bought at the Carolina Mountain Shop and Mrs. Governor's Real Estate Office.

It will also be on sale at the Bazaar.

### Colonial's 10 Per Cent Day Sat.

The Colonial Shop on Main Street has designated tomorrow, July 11th, as "Hospital Day."

Episcopal, is scheduled for next Friday, July 17th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Farnsworth.

Hours are from 4 to 6 p.m. The Farnsworth home, one of the oldest homes in Highlands, is further described in this issue in "Looking Backward" by Helen Hill Norris, who spent many days of her childhood there.

The Episcopal Church extends an invitation to summer visitors and all other interested persons.

The committee in charge of arrangements includes Mrs. Robert Barnes, Mrs. Lester Dawley, Mrs. Herbert Porterfield, Mrs. Frank Wightman, Mrs. Hubert Klempeter, and Mrs. Martha Goode.

Men of the Episcopal Church will supervise the parking of cars.

### Nantahala Power Rates Comply With New Schedule

FRANKLIN — Commercial customers of Nantahala Power and Light Company will be billed under two new rate schedules in compliance with an order issued June 11, by the North Carolina Utilities Commission.

The new rate schedules eliminating Nantahala's commercial customers are designed to eliminate discrimination in the commercial rates ordered by the Commission on Oct. 28, 1963.

Some 2,300 of Nantahala's 18,000 customers are billed on commercial rate schedules. The Commission's June 11 order eliminated three Nantahala commercial rate schedules: WH, a water heating rate affecting only six customers; and I, a commercial and industrial heating rate covering electric heating service to some 90 customers.

The three rates eliminated in the order were replaced by two new rate schedules for all Nantahala commercial customers: SC, small commercial, and LC, large commercial.

All other rates ordered by the Commission on Oct. 28, 1963, remain in effect. Nantahala's appeal of the Commission's October order will apply to the new commercial rates as well. The company's appeal is based primarily on the grounds of an inadequate rate base and insufficient return.

Commenting on the Commission's order, Nantahala's president, John M. Archer, Jr., said, "the rates ordered into effect for Nantahala in both the October 1963, order and the June 11, order produce an unfair return of 4.08 per cent on the rate

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### Hospital Bazaar Is On The Way

Week after next, the annual Hospital Bazaar will be held in the Methodist Church basement.

Churches and organizations of Highlanders join together at this time of year to offer for sale all kinds of hand made items, homemade food, white elephants — in fact there are any number of unusual and attractive articles to be found there.

The Bazaar will be held for two days, July 24th and 25th. Mark these dates on your calendar.

You won't want to miss it!

### Attending Convention

Mrs. Dave Linardy, long-time summer resident of Horse Cove, is taking time out from her summer vacation in order to attend a convention of the Soroptimist American Federation Service Club at the Deauville Hotel in Miami Beach, Fla. Leaving last Thursday, Mrs. Linardy expected to be away for approximately three weeks.

Meanwhile, keeping Mr. Linardy company in "Linardy's Horse Cove Knoll" home is their daughter, Mrs. Wayne Stanley and her two children, David and Forrest. They expect to remain here until school time, when Mr. Stanley will come up to take his family back to Stuart, Fla.

### TOWN REPEATS APPEAL TO USE WATER CONSERVATIVELY

As dry weather still prevailed on Tuesday of this week, Herbert James, town clerk, once more asked for the consideration and cooperation of water customers in conserving the Town's steadily diminishing water supply.

Restrictions on water use were ordered last week, which specifically forbade the use of water for sprinkling lawns, shrubs, gardens, roads, and for filling swimming pools.

This helped considerably, but the water situation grows more serious with each day that brings no appreciable amount of rain to the area.

The Town has in use all of its available sources, including Houston Branch, a gravity flow source, and Rattlesnake Branch which must be pumped into the reservoir. The Town also has three wells in use.

Although ordinarily the day's demands can be more than replaced during the night in the storage reservoir, the present demand is so great and the source supply so diminished that the tanks do not reach the overflow stage during the night.

"We ask that all water users bear this in mind, and do not be wasteful with water," Mr. James said.

There is no way the source supply can be increased except by a large amount of rain, so until the rain comes, the Town asks the understanding and help of all users. On Wednesday morning a light rain, beginning about 5 a.m. dampened the Highlands area and it was hoped that there might be more to come.

### No Tours Next Week

The Home Tours, sponsored by the Episcopal Churchwomen for the benefit of Highlands - Cashiers Hospital and customarily held each Friday, will not be held next Friday, July 17. The Churchwomen hold the Annual Silver Tea on that date.

Home Tours this week, called at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. O. W. McConnell, Whiteside View; Judge and Mrs. George Janvier, foot of Seablah; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wightman, off Walhalla Road and overlooking Blue Valley; and Mr. and Mrs. Richard D. Wood, the Ravenel house on Wolf Ridge, where tea was served. Mrs. Wood is the niece of the late Miss Marguerite Ravenel.

### Hole-In-One By Singletary

NEW YORK — A hole-in-one scored by L. H. Singletary, a Highlands golfer, may earn him a trip to Scotland for two and \$1,000. By getting his ace at the Highlands Country Club, Mr. Singletary was entered in the Old Snuggler Hole-in-One Sweepstakes, an annual competition for cash.

The winner will be announced at the end of the year.

### District Gov. Visits Rotary

Highlands Rotarians welcomed District Governor O. Ted Kirby, of Charlotte, at their Tuesday night meeting this week. Accompanied by Mrs. Kirby, the District Governor came to Highlands earlier in order to get in some sight-seeing, and met with officers of the local club previous to the regular meeting.

Mr. Kirby gave an interesting and inspiring talk to Rotarians, outlining plans for the coming year, stressing the importance of attendance at special conventions and meetings of Rotary, and expressing the hope that this year would see many accomplishments by Rotary Clubs.

A native of Huntington, W. Va., Mr. Kirby graduated from V.P.I. in 1949. Currently he is with G. E. in Charlotte.

He is a past president of the North Charlotte Rotary Club, and has already distinguished himself through his outstanding service to Rotary.

Mr. Dick Harrison, who is related by marriage to Mr. Kirby, followed his usual custom of presenting a hand-carved gift to the special guest. His gift to District Governor Kirby was a beautiful wooden hand tray.

Thirty-two regular and visiting Rotarians were present.

### Sanford Says Tar Heels Will Obey New Rights Law

RALEIGH (AP) — Now that the civil rights bill has been enacted into law, Gov. Sanford said Tuesday there is "every indication . . . that the citizens of North Carolina will obey it."

"This is the result of a good climate of tolerance and understanding which exists here, and it is a wonderful credit to the people of the state," Sanford added.

Sanford said the people can be sure the new law is going to be tested in the courts very soon, but in the meantime, as law-abiding people we must rely on the established legal procedures in the courts and not on force of any kind.

"Force and bitherness are not in keeping with North Carolina tradition, and we must not let such feeling control our actions," Sanford declared.

The governor said before the civil rights law was passed many cities and towns of North Carolina were making voluntary efforts to provide greater opportunities which Negroes sought. He noted that the Good Neighbor Council was created on the state level to increase job opportunities for Negroes.

"This work must continue if substance is to be given to the larger measure of freedom for all people," the governor declared.

"It is my hope that the spirit which has characterized much of the work that has been done in the interest of racial justice in the past several years in this state will survive and be strengthened and that the Negro leaders will manifest their own sense of increased responsibility," Sanford added.

"They should recognize that the federal statute cannot accomplish for them the economic advance they seek and that they will need the good will of employers to reduce the economic disparity they suffer now."

"My appeal to our people of both races is unchanged therefore. That appeal is that we honor the law—that we deal justly, love mercy and walk humbly with our God. That way we will find peace and the kind of progress that can enrich all our people both spiritually and materially."



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