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## TRANSYLVANIA SENDS MORE BOYS TO CAMP

Twelve Transylvania boys left on last Saturday for Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., to begin their careers as defenders of democracy.

The boys left on the afternoon train. Before going to the station they marched in a body to the court house square where each member of the party was presented with a comfort kit, made and filled by members of the Transylvania branch of the National League of Women's Service. The kits were presented by Mrs. J. S. Silversteen, chairman of the local organization.

From the square the line of march led directly to the depot. The selectmen were immediately followed by two boy scouts who carried the American flag and acted as escorts to the Veterans of the Confederacy. Next came two young ladies bearing Red Cross Banners and followed by a number of representatives from the Woman's Department of the Red Cross, who wore their Red Cross costumes. These ladies were followed by a long line of citizens who went to say good-bye and good luck to Transylvania's new soldiers.

Following are their names:

Daniel Buford Mulenex, Pisgah Forest, N. C.  
Baxter Bunyan Fowler, Landrum, S. C.  
A. Edgar Wilson, Selma, N. C.  
George Wallis Reece, Quebec, N. C.  
Benjamin Franklin Merrill, Etowah, N. C.  
Lambert Elam Bagwell, Brevard, N. C.  
Frank Winthrop Scruggs, Brevard, N. C.  
Virgil McCrary, Penrose, N. C.  
Merida Andrews, Cedar Mountain, N. C.  
Sylvester Winchester, Rosman, N. C.  
Jess M. Galloway, Selma, N. C.  
Charlie C. Batson, Cherryfield, N. C.

## RESOLUTION OF THANKS

Resolved: That we, the members of the faculty and student body of Brevard Institute Summer School express our appreciation to King Livery Co. and other citizens of Brevard for the very pleasant outing given us on the automobile drive Friday afternoon, July 5th, 1918.

(Signed) Miss White,  
Miss Alken,  
Committee.

## LAUGHS

"Man is the only animal in all Creation that can laugh."

### PROOF

City Dweller—"And so your neighbor is a real philanthropist?"  
Commuter—"Yes, he bought \$10 worth of garden seeds for my chickens this spring."

"When are they going to get a Ford?"

"As soon as they can afford to get a mortgage."

Father—"Who is this chap that writes to you so often?"

Alice—"He is teaching me to swim in a correspondence school."

Uncle Si—"How many cows do you keep?"

Uncle Eb—"One to chase the boarders and one to get run over."

White—"Preparing to send your wife to the mountains?"

Brown—"Yes, I've got my letters here already written."

Black—"Got all equipment for your car?"

Green—"Yes, an extra tire, an alias and an alibi and enough cash for bail."

Ned—"Is their new hotel up-to-date?"

Fred—"Indeed it is. They furnish sleeping powders with every bedroom."

"Critically ill, is he?"

"Yes, critical of everything and everybody."

Mistress—"And why did you leave your last place?"

Maid—"Me and the missis was not congenial."

## TO THE FARMERS OF TRANSYLVANIA

As a member of the Food Administration Committee of this county, my attention has been called to the time set for the threshing of small grain in the county.

I also find that the time is set in Henderson county for July 22nd and in Buncombe for August 1st, while here it is July 10th.

The millers and grain dealers wanted all small grain to be stacked and allowed to go through a heat in the stack or barn before it was threshed so that it would keep and so that it could be shipped to the boys in France.

One of our progressive citizens, O. W. Clayton, has gone to great expense and purchased the largest and best threshing machine that is in North Carolina at the cost of nearly \$4,000 so that he could take care of the grain of our farmers. Mr. Clayton has threshed in this county for several years and goes to the stack yard of the small farmer as quickly as to that of the large farmer and he has often set down and threshed for the small farmer when he lost by so doing.

Now, it is reported that several threshers from Henderson and Buncombe counties are taking advantage of the time of threshing in this county and are intending to come in here and do the threshing for some of our large grain growers and deprive Mr. Clayton of what little profit there is in the threshing business.

I am therefore, asking the good men of the county to stick to one of our own men who has made this large investment and to save all their threshing for Mr. Clayton. He is the man who takes care of us and we should take care of him. His machine will save ten per cent more grain than the smaller machines and he paid \$150.00 for an extra attachment so as to save the grain which is usually lost.

Let the Henderson and Buncombe men stay at home and do the threshing in their own counties and not take advantage of the law and come up here.

This is the time for Transylvania farmers to help the man who has invested his money so as to help them and save their grain for them, and Clayton is the man who threshes for rich and poor, big and little and he deserves the patronage of every good citizen of the county.

W. E. Brees.

## BREVARD INSTITUTE NOTES

Mrs. F. H. E. Ross, who is treasurer of the Woman's Missionary Council of the Southern Methodist Church, and also treasurer of Brevard Institute spent several days with us last week, in the interest of the school. The Institute is always glad to welcome Mrs. Ross, and regrets that her arduous duties do not permit her to make a longer stay.

Miss Alma Trowbridge is visiting her brother, Dr. Arthur Trowbridge, of Iowa University, who is spending the summer in New York city. Dr. Trowbridge is a member of the Educational Staff of the War Council of the Y. M. C. A. and was granted a year's leave of absence by the University to engage in this work. Miss Trowbridge will visit later, relatives in Connecticut and Vermont, and will be away most of the summer.

Word has been received from Miss Pike that she has at last reached her home in Norway, Maine, after stopping to visit friends in Boston, Portsmouth, York, Portland and other places en route.

The North Carolina teachers in attendance at the Institute are taking the State examination this week under County Superintendent Mitchell.

## MILITARY CAMP OFFICERS AND WIVES HONORED

The Red Cross Tea Room will be formally opened Saturday, July 13 in honor of the officers and their wives of the military camp at Davidson River, who will be tendered a reception by the Transylvania Chapter of the U. D. C.

Hours, 5 to 7 p. m.

## JUNIOR RED CROSS BEGINS WORK

The Brevard Junior Red Cross held its first meeting at the Transylvania Red Cross headquarters last Tuesday morning.

The first thing in order was the election of officers. Miss Agatha Deaver was elected chairman, Miss Ethel Hayes, vice-chairman, Miss Dorothy Silversteen, secretary and Miss Virginia Stradley, treasurer.

After disposing of several important business matters which came before the meeting those present set eagerly to work under the direction of Miss Louise Brunot and Miss Violet Henry. The young ladies sewed and the young gentlemen made pillows.

All the officers and the following members were present: Amelia Galloway, Marguerite Watson, Elizabeth Shipman, Blanche Doyle, Joe Poole, E. C. Neil, Jr., Odell Nicholson, Inez Nicholson, Helen Duckworth, Geneva Neil, Lillian King, Evelyn Townsend.

The next meeting will be held in the local Red Cross rooms Tuesday morning, July 16th, at 10 o'clock. Every girl and boy in the town who wishes to do something to help win the war is urged to be present.

## WHY WE ARE LATE

Our machine is running by electric power, which is furnished by a power company. For some cause, we know not what, much of our time has been consumed in waiting for power. These waiting hours effect our whole system of work and cause disappointment to many of our readers. We hope for better things hereafter.

## FAIR BREVARD

Fair Brevard lies in the mountains  
Mid screams and fountains  
And rushing water falls.  
'Tis there amid her fair domain  
Of hill valley, rock and plain  
That beautiful nature calls.  
And she calls in tones neither cold  
nor hard  
"Breathe hard, breathe hard in fair  
Brevard!"

Drink deep of this pure ozone  
Flavored with pine and balsam cone.  
Inhale this clear and sparkling air  
Oh, come all ye who love to roam  
And make with me your tented home  
And these scenes so fair.  
Drink crystal water that is not hard;  
Drink hard, drink hard, in fair Brevard!

Come men and maidens, old and young  
And listen while this song is sung;  
'Tis one the pines are singing;  
The melody of harps a-stringing;  
'Tis calling, calling, "come, oh, come!"  
Like joyous bells a-ringing.  
And this is the message on nature's post card:

"Love hard, love hard, in fair Brevard!"

Love me long and love me strong!  
Ye tollers, 'mid the city's throng;  
Come out and with me ponder  
O'er these grand views, where'er you choose  
To let your eyes a-wander.  
For thoughts come fresh and freely,  
And the mind is bright in fair Brevard.  
Think hard, think hard, in fair Brevard!

And Sugar Loaf to help along;  
There's Mount Pisgah tall and strong,  
We'll feast on Chestnut Ridge.  
You may Hooverize on Mount Surprise,  
And bathe and boat on Sapphire's rise,  
Or hustle out a partridge.  
The air is bracing, muscles hard;  
Enjoy your food in fair Brevard;  
Eat hard, eat hard, in fair Brevard!

You may picnic out of Caesar's Head  
Or trip to Ribbon Falls instead.  
(There's beauty where'er you turn.)  
Or gaze enrapt at Conestee;  
"I'll please you when you come to me  
When you for water burn."  
"Come out" cries nature, "and play  
in my yard.  
The people have named it Fair Brevard."

Oh joy! Oh joy! at fair Brevard.  
Ernest H. Norwood,  
Brevard, N. C.

## SUGAR USERS MUST TAKE NOTICE

AFTER JULY 15, ALL HOTELS, BOARDING HOUSES, RESTAURANTS, ETC. MUST HAVE CERTIFICATES TO BUY SUGAR.

County Food Administrator Thos. H. Shipman is anxious that no dealer in sugar or hotel, restaurant, boarding house, hospital or other institution shall find themselves in such position after July 15th that they cannot purchase sugar. "The order is perfectly clear," stated Mr. Shipman to a News reporter.

"No dealer in or user of sugar can purchase sugar since July 1 except household consumers. All retail dealers, hotels, restaurants, boarding houses, hospitals, county homes and other institutions are included in this list. All of these should write without delay to the Sugar Division of the Food Administration at Raleigh stating the nature of their business and asking for proper forms upon which to file their statements. When these statements have been made out and returned to Raleigh the Sugar Division will send certificates for the sugar required of each firm or institution.

"The attention of all dealers in sugar is called to the requirement that all dealers must keep an absolutely accurate record of the names of purchasers and of sales and quantities of sugar and are further reminded that the maximum quantities of five pounds to the country household and two pounds to the city household must be rigidly observed.

"Sugar dealers are required to sell sugar only to their regular customers and to confine such customers, even their regular customers, to a minimum not exceeding three pounds per person per month. The two pounds is not an arbitrary allotment for a week or any other period because the size of families vary. Some families will require two or three two-pound purchases a week.

"Beginning July 1, eight inspectors were put into the field by the Food Administration and they will be able to check up the records of dealers and ascertain the names of any users of sugar who have been purchasing from dealers other than their regular customers."

## FOR MRS. H. P. CLARKE

Mrs. H. N. Carrier entertained at her residence on Monday afternoon with a most delightful reception in honor of Mrs. H. P. Clarke, whose wedding took place recently.

Mrs. Carrier was assisted in receiving her guests by Mrs. Clarke, the honor guest, Mrs. Beattie and Mrs. Macfie.

The entire lower floor of the house was thrown open to the guests and lavishly decorated with field daisies and rhododendron.

A delicious ice course was served during the afternoon.

## RETURNED VOLUNTARILY

John Posey Morgan, who left Camp Jackson about Christmas, sent word to our local board that he would like to return to camp. He reported June 30 in his uniform and was accompanied to Camp Wadsworth, at Spartanburg, by J. I. Watson, chief clerk of the local board. Morgan's sorrow for his conduct and his willingness to return to camp will probably save him from severe punishment.

A "speechless campaign" is to be waged in Buncombe so that the candidates of both parties may devote their time to the war activities. The plan was proposed by Thos. J. Harkins, republican candidate for the state senate, and promptly accepted by Judge Stevens, the democratic nominee. Fine. Who next?

Mr. and Mrs. John Marshall Price, of Augusta, Ga., who are making a motor tour of the Western North Carolina Mountains came to Brevard on Wednesday for a short stay. While here they visited Caesar's head and Conestee Falls. They left on Friday for Asheville, Hot Springs and other points of interest.

## HOME SERVICE WORK OF LOCAL RED CROSS

The Transylvania Chapter of the American Red Cross has provided a place where information concerning allotments, allowances, powers of attorney, insurance, etc., for families of men in service can be obtained. Anyone interested may call at the U. D. C. Library at Brevard on any Tuesday morning between the hours of ten-thirty and twelve-thirty or on any Friday afternoon from four to six o'clock, beginning Tuesday morning, July 16th.

Members of soldiers' families or young men who are to enter the army or navy may come and find out, free of charge, all about your rights under this new law.

The Home Service Committee is glad to be of service to you in this way, just as we stand ready to help or advise you in any matter which may be troubling you because of the absence of a man from your family.

Mrs. Joseph S. Silversteen,  
Chm. Home Service Committee.

## YOUR HEALTH

Please allow me to write a few words on various subjects—not a formal composition, but just an old-time talk, in which I will try to answer questions that have been put to me.

The children's teeth should be attended to promptly. If the work is put off too long, the time will have passed in which it was to be done. Our dentist wishes to do the work and finish within the time allowed.

See the dentist or write to him and make an appointment, then be certain to keep the appointment. The dentist, Dr. Bennett, over Weitz's store, cannot do all of the work at once, and you should as above stated, make arrangements with him so that he could have a small bunch of children coming every day. This dentist work is free of charge for school children. Those who do not act promptly, and who fail to get their children's teeth treated, will only have themselves to blame. Do not wait to be called. This is the only call that will be made.

I hope that everyone who needs this, will tell all of his neighbors who have not read the paper, so that all will know about having their children's teeth treated.

I wish that those who take the Brevard News would induce all of their friends who do not take the paper to subscribe, so that I could reach all in the county with my little talks on health, and it would enable me to explain all of the rules and regulations that are made from time to time.

If the committeemen of each one of the schools in the county will see or write to me, I will explain to them all about the vaccination to prevent smallpox, and give them pamphlets showing how to construct sanitary privies.

I hope that the parents to whom I have sent notices that their children need treatment for tonsils, eyes, ears, etc., will attend to the matter promptly. I do not prescribe the removal of tonsils unless I consider it absolutely necessary. When possible, I prescribe treatment by home physician, so as to prevent an operation. Therefore, when I prescribe removal of tonsils by a specialist, everyone can be satisfied that I honestly believe it absolutely necessary for the future health of the child, besides when they send child to specialist, he too, examines and decides as to the need of the operation. By this means you have the opinion of both doctors, and if the specialist decides not to operate, all well and good. No harm will have been done. This statement also applies to the eyes and ears.

I have examined a great many children carefully and am struck with the number who have tonsils, eyes and ears that should be treated.

Do give the little children an even race in life by having them treated for the above conditions. Do this promptly and it will be an untold blessing to them and to you.

## REV. A. W. M'DANIEL MOVES TO TENNESSEE

Rev. A. W. McDaniel will leave town Friday for his new work at Sevierville, Tenn., where he will have charge of the Sevierville Baptist church for one-half time and Chilhowee church the other half. At Chilhowee church is located the Chilhowee Baptist Academy, which has annually about 250 students. Sevierville is the county seat town of a populous Baptist county, so a wide field of opportunity is open to the new pastor. The call was very enthusiastic.

Mr. McDaniel desires the prayers of all Brevard friends in behalf of himself and his new work. He also appreciates the many pleasant friends and acquaintances made in Brevard and bids them an affectionate adieu.

Mrs. McDaniel and children will return from their visit to her parents in Toledo, O., to Sevierville as soon as the household goods arrive there.

## REVIVAL MEETING AT BAPTIST CHURCH

Revival services will begin at the Baptist church August 4th and continue two weeks; morning session at 11 a. m. and evening 8:30 p. m. Dr. W. W. Hamilton of the First Baptist church of Lynchburg, Va., will do the preaching and Mr. E. L. Wolsiel of Asheville will have charge of the singing.

C. E. Puett, Pastor.

## A DUEL TO DEATH

News has been received of a duel unto death in which a former citizen of Brevard, William Galloway, a son of the late Capt. T. C. Galloway, was killed. This unfortunate affair took place in Gadsden, Ala. Stonewall Ellis was the other participant in the duel and it is thought he is fatally wounded. Family trouble, it is thought, brought about the serious affair.

Both men were well known farmers and lived within a few miles of each other. Both men had families. They had been good friends.

Mr. Galloway was well known in Brevard and vicinity. The affair is much regretted by his friends in this section.

## STOPPING THE WASTE

The War Industry Board has issued an order to the newspapers of the United States. The order reads: Discontinue the acceptance of the return of unsold copies.

Discontinue the use of all samples or free promotion copies.

Discontinue giving copies to anybody except for office-working copies or where required by statute law in the case of official advertising.

Discontinue giving free copies to advertisers.

Discontinue the arbitrary forcing of copies on news dealers, compelling them to buy more copies than they can legitimately sell in order to hold certain territory.

Discontinue the buying back of papers at either wholesale or retail selling price from dealers or agents, in order to secure preferential representation.

Discontinue the payment of salaries or commission to agents, dealers, or newsboys for the purpose of securing the equivalent of return privileges.

Discontinue all free exchanges. This order goes into effect July 15. The News will comply with this order.

## SERVICES AT PRESBY'N CHURCH

Rev. C. R. Hemphill, D. D., president of the Presbyterian Theological Seminary of Louisville, Ky., will fill the pulpits of Brevard and Davidson River Presbyterian churches during the months of July, August and September. Services will be held at Brevard at 11 a. m. on the first and third Sundays and at 4:30 p. m. on the second and fourth Sundays.