

**Personals**

Frank Wilbanks of Toxaway was a Brevard visitor on Wednesday.

J. M. Thrash of Davidson River spent Monday in town.

Frank McCall of Calvert is attending court this week.

M. and Mrs. Eck Sims of Roseman spent several days in town this week.

J. M. Kilpatrick spent Sunday in Spartanburg S. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ray of Toxaway were Brevard visitors of Wednesday.

Mrs. S. A. Bryson of Travelers Rest S. C. is visiting her daughter Mrs. Clarence Pool.

Mrs. Ethel McMinn and children have returned from a month's visit to her mother Mrs. Gregg in Summerville S. C.

A. J. Luck who has been with the Henry Motor Co. for the winter left on Sunday for Charlotte N. C. to accept a position in a garage as mechanic there for the summer.

Mrs. T. B. Summy has returned to her home after spending several weeks in Greenville S. C. with her son.

A. K. Orr of Ashville was a Brevard visitor this week.

Mr. and Mrs. De Witt Gillespie of Toxaway were shopping on Saturday in Brevard.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Pughell spent Sunday in Hendersonville.

Mr. Frank Gafney of Greenville is visiting his wife and little daughter Ethel who are spending some time with Mrs. Gafney's parents Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Kilpatrick.

Mrs. Gladys Whitmore and mother Mrs. John Glenn of Hendersonville were Brevard visitors on Sunday.

Rube Lewis is a Brevard visitor this week.

Tom English of Oavidson River spent Tuesday in town.

B. H. Zachary is at home after spending some time in Ga. on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Pryor Rogers of Morristown Tenn. spent the week end in town.

Mrs. Cos. Paxton motored to Asheville on Saturday.

Tom Lankford of Saluda N. C. was among friends in town last week.

Miss Dorothy Silverstein is home from Bryman College, Gainville, Ga. to spend several days at home with her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Silverstein.

Ralph E. Fisher made a business trip on Saturday to Rutherfordton, N. C.

Jack Zachary of Atlanta spent the week end at home.

Miss Martha Brooks of Ashville is visiting her sister Mrs. W. S. Price Jr.

Mr. Guy Bryson of Ashville was visiting his sister, Mrs. C. F. Poole last week.

Miss Ethel Hayes was visiting in Ashville last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hardin Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hardin have returned to their home in Spartanburg.

Mrs. A. Bryson who has been visiting her daughter Mrs. C. F. Poole for some time left last Saturday for her home in South Carolina.

Dr. Virgil Osborne, of Stone Mountain, Ga., will arrive Saturday to spend the Easter holidays. Dr. Osborne will be the guest of his mother, Mrs. Osborne, and sister, Mrs. Mills.

Miss Norma Chapman left Saturday of last week for Greenville where she will take a course at Dranghor's Business College.

Agents, to represent hosiery mills, had proposition, average \$40.00 per week to start, write Joseph E. Kaufman, District Supervisor, Jenkins Hotel, Ashville, N. C.

Pure bred Brown Leghorn hatching eggs, 15, \$1.00. Our Cocks are from Russells famous Leghorns. Mr. and Mrs. John Reed, Brevard, N. C. Route no. 2.

DAHLIAS 5c to \$2.50 each. Collections of surplus 75c per dozen without labels, or \$1.00 labeled. Mrs. J. C. Maxwell

T. S. Wood has recently had his cows Tuberculin tested and delivers good milk night and morning in town or suburbs.

**A DELIGHTFUL ENTERTAINMENT**

On Wednesday, April 9th, the Brevard Wednesday club was charmingly entertained at the home of Mrs. Silverstein.

The gracious hospitality at Silverstein is always delightful, and never more so than on this occasion. In the annals of the club, last Wednesday's meeting must be set down as a red letter day; and this for two reasons, first, because on that day the club presented to its members and guests an unusually enjoyable program and second because that program was a really unique achievement, so cleverly planned and so successfully carried out that we, who were present, are still chuckling from time to time, as a racy speech, or bit of spicy repartee comes back to mind.

Not moving pictures, but sound pictures (if that home made phrase may be used) entertained the guests. And we use that verb advisedly, for entertained we were, and that delightfully.

Two short plays, Rosalind, and Twelve Pounds, by J. M. Hamlin were presented.

Presented, not in the ordinary, everyday manner, but in a new and original way through the voice alone.

Not a member of the cast appeared before the audience, not even the setting was visible. All the dialogue was behind a wall of screens.

So well was the whole scheme carried out, that the lady of comfortable middle age, and the sparkling, bewitching girl, were as plainly seen, in the mind's eye, as was the pompous knight (soon to be whose very waistcoat buttons, in one's mental picture, exuded smugness).

Like Oliver Twist, we long for more, and we beg of the Wednesday club to let such an occurrence become an annual event.

One of the Guests.

**JAMES ALBERT ZACHARY**

James Albert Zachary was born in Surrey County North Carolina August, 1852 and died March 28, 1924 at his home in the suburbs of Brevard.

He was married to Nannie E. Bradley and to this union were born eight children, five of whom with the widow are left to mourn their loss. They are Mrs. Sarah Rhymor of Hendersonville, Wade of Selica Mrs. Cassie Smith, Mabel and Ina of Brevard.

Mr. Zachary lived long in Cashiers Valley. Several years ago he came to Brevard to make his home.

Though blind, deaf, and ill his mind was always alert and it was a treat to hear him talk.

He was a kind neighbor, a good christian man. For many years a member of the Methodist church.

The sympathy of friends and neighbors gives out to the family, especially the bereaved wife who is now ill.

Mr. Zachary was buried in Cashiers Valley.

State of North Carolina, County of Transylvania.

G. H. Alexander, of Hogback Township has had in his possession for twelve months the following described stray personal property:

One 2 year old pale red steer marked in left ear with smooth crop, and under bit, right ear marked with smooth crop.

The above described steer will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder on May 10th, 1924, unless the owner will come and redeem the said personal property.

This the 10th day of April, 1924

Roland Owen

Register of Deeds

**CITY PRESSING CLUB**

J. E. WATERS, Prop.

**CLEANING**

**PRESSING**

**DYEING**

All work turned out promptly.

**BREVARD AND MOSQUITOES**

There need not be any mosquitoes in Brevard. There were last summer. One evening in August the writer's household was driven indoors by the little pests. As far as I have seen the mosquito is here very small but bites nevertheless.

Where does it come from? The bulletin of the Department of Agriculture is responsible for the statement that the common mosquito is most ingenious in its modes of travel. It will secrete itself in clothing, in trunks, in anything that offers a passage along with its prey. I can corroborate this for a fact, for some nights after I unpacked my trunk on my return from Florida last spring I heard the sing which had grown familiar during those last weeks of my sojourn in the land of flowers, and I killed several.

More than one or two of our citizens spend the winter in Florida; a good many of our summer visitors come from that state; hence the mosquito.

Once here it will speedily establish and reproduce itself in any stagnant water, the still pools of streams, ponds, barrels with water, any receptacle that will hold a few drops is utilized for the deposit of eggs which soon become larvae and thereafter speedily a grown up mosquito ready to lay eggs in its turn.

The life of the individual mosquito is short, but her power of reproduction is enormous. Therefore this nuisance must be combated at its source.

It is a much easier task to get rid of the mosquito than the fly. If the town and the private citizens co-operate, the mosquito is not difficult of extermination.

Nothing capable of holding water should be allowed to be about the premises. Chickens drinking pans and flower pot saucers should be emptied daily. Flower vases and bedroom pitchers should be emptied at least once a week before being filled up. Ponds pools, especially marshy places, which cannot be drained should be treated to a dose of kerosene every ten days so long as a single mosquito remains in the town. Gutters and downspouts should receive a liberal application of kerosene after a rain.

If every householder will observe these simple rules and our citizens report to our mayor or one of the aldermen, the whereabouts of any pond which could be a breeding place and see to it that a small quantity of kerosene is applied to it, we can soon make good the statement, "There are no mosquitoes in Brevard."

H. M. NORWOOD

**J. M. Hamlin**

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In the 24 States and three territories (Ark., Fla., and Mich.) there were in 1850 about 8,000 postoffices. North Carolina in 64 counties had 446 offices; Buncombe had 17 Wake one of the oldest and the capitol county had 10; but that was in the day's when Buncombe was called "the State of Buncombe." Macon had one office and Haywood 2; Haywood, C. H. and Tennessee River.

Besides the offices mentioned in Buncombe, there was Mill River, John Clayton. By way of distinction our John was called "Swamp John Clayton." His residence stood at the edge of his farm of broad valley acres noted for lagoons and maple swamps.

Somewhere in 1840, John Clayton resigned and Claytonville office was removed to L. S. Gash's store (Blantyre) who became p. m. and so did Benj. Wilson and James Himilr become P. M. Some time after a new office was established named Davidson River, Elizer Patton, P. M. About 1855 (I guess) the State route from Ashville was extended to Cherryfield, Miss Rebecca Glazener, P. M. and but a few years before the war the route was extended to Hogback Valley.

After the completion of Jones road, largely through the influence of Capt. F. W. Johnston a weekly route from Ashville to Greenville S. C. Dunn's Rock was established office with Pinckney Johnstone, Post Master, was on this line. When the War between the States disrupted affairs, Johnston resigned and Col. Luther Nail was appointed Post Master by the Confederate government. When the censor's act taking up to 35 years of a was enforced the route from Ashville to Hogback was discontinued for lack of riders, leaving Dunn's Rock and Davidson River the only offices in the county. Many a fond mother in frigid winter's torrid summer in long distant hiked frequented these offices to hear from her boy at the front.

The climax of mail distribution was reached at the collapse of the Confederacy when all mail facilities were annihilated. It produced

a sensation undoubtedly peculiar, akin to that of Robinson Crusoe only there were more of us but the entire country felt the touch of his isolation. Robinson was not annoyed with reports floating in; but news generally unfavorable and without known authority kept the Southern in a state of apprehension and a dreadful state of suspense. Fortunately one of the first adjustments was the mails.

J. M. Hamlin

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Medical authorities insist that 25 per cent of tuberculosis in children is caused by drinking tubercular infected milk.

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**FOR SOLICITOR**

I hereby announce my candidacy for the nomination as Solicitor of the Eighteenth Judicial District of North Carolina, subject to the Democratic Primaries of Saturday, June 7th, 1924.

J. Will Pless, Jr.

**FOR TREASURER**

We are authorized to announce Mr. Ed. Patton as a candidate to succeed himself as Treasurer in the forthcoming Primary of June, subject to the rules and regulations of the Democratic Party.

**FOR SALE:** Overland 5 passenger car See J. C. Richardson.

**FOR REPRESENTATIVE**

Many voters wish to announce the name of Wm. Duckworth as a candidate to succeed himself as Representative, subject to the rules and regulations of the Democratic Primary of June, 1924.

**FOR SALE - Upright piano**

at reasonable price for cash. 445 H. S. Hayes, Lenoir St., Asheville, N. C.

I will have plenty of sweet potato plants for sale at C. M. Siniards new residence for year of 1924. See or write C. M. Siniard, Box 49 Brevard, N. C.

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"The Monument, erected by the citizens of Transylvania County, N. C. in memory of their soldiers of the world war and to mark the Eastern entrance of the great Pisgah Forest and Game preserve. The monument is four miles from the beautiful town of Brevard N. C. and twenty miles from Mount Pisgah.

This picture was sent in by Dr. Chas. W. Hunt, of Brevard, North Carolina.



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