WILL BREVARD ALLOW HER MUNICIPAL BAND TO GO ?

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CO-OPERATION IS NECESSARY FOR KEEPING OUR BAND

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FARM NEWS

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Corn Crop Fair

It is with much interest to both farmer and business man, that the corn crop is much better than was expected. When the farmer went into the fields to harvest his top fodder, he visited his crops in a way to get a more accurate idea of the expected yield. There will be many fields that will yield close to fifty bushels per acre. Some few claim to have some exceptionally good corn. Good as any year.

This is very encouraging news, as it means that the farmers buying power is not weakened as indicated in earlier reports.

Western Corn

Government reports from the Western corn belt still give us a reasonable large corn crop, but not so large as a month ago. Some sections have been hurt with drought, others with storms.

From present market figures and crop capacity, it looks as if new corn would sell at around one twenty-five per bushel in this County. A very early frost could send it to one fifty.

Seed Corn

Now is the time to think about next years seed corn. Pick out hills that fit your ideal and do not cut the tops from such hills, giving them all the chance you can. Later gather these hills for a seed patch next year. Our yield can be increased very much by greater attention to our seed corn.

Yellow Corn

We need yellow corn for several reasons. First, it is richer as a feed; second, it has a vitimine that makes for reproduction and growth that white corn has not; third, we can sell it better to the local poultrymen; and fourth there is a good demand for yellow seed corn for planting the silage crop in the North.

The Clouse firm shipped one car of white corn North the past two weeks, for which they sold for double the local price. If we had had yellow corn, Mr. Clouse could have sold it by the car load to Northern seedmen. The price last year was from $4 to $6 per bushel. Look up your seed this fall, as local markets will clean up our crop soon.

Nitrate of soda put on before the last rain of early summer has given unusual results this year. No trouble to tell where it ended in the row. The corn did not fire but little, if any. And the result is great big ears where plots not receiving the soda are fired and have small ears or nubbins. No one who has used soda as a top dressing has regretted the money so far.

Mr. Jenkins tells me that he is expecting to buy a large amount of soda this fall to be delivered next spring. In doing so he can sell it considerably cheaper.

There is some hopes of inducing the brother of the present owners of the Riverside Farm, to move his poultry business from Ohio to the already equipped farm that Dr. Stokes leaves. This man is said to own a small hatchery in Ohio. If you meet him, try selling them the idea.

Many farmers are in a state of doubt about what to do, as the real estate men are wanting their places, and may get them. My advice is to go ahead in the usual way till you are sure you have been shot. Delays expecting something to happen may cause some real loss to you, if that something does not happen. Keep cool and look for the chances to make money by growing for the increased markets. The profitable farm sells for the most, so hustle to make your farm do its best.

Feeder Cattle

From present indication there will be many more head of cattle fed this winter than last, in the United States. Be very careful in picking out your feeders, as there is a wide difference in the amount of feed it takes to put on a pound of flesh on various grades of feeders. Better buy a little early than to take seconds. The general outlook is good as for prices next winter.

The United States may win this rum war during the next 100 years, but it won't collect reparations.

BAND DISCONTINUES BI-WEEKLY CONCERTS

The bi-weekly band concerts, which the Brevard Municipal Band has given during the summer months, have been discontinued. These concerts have been greatly enjoyed by the townspeople and tourists, and they have added much to the summer entertainment program.

Many of the band boys have left town for various reasons, which has decreased the membership to such an extent that it will be necessary to discontinue this splendid organization unless sufficient funds can be raised for its maintenance.

A special meeting of the band will be held Thursday evening of this week at the band rooms. The public in general and all interested are invited to meet with the band.

B. H. S. Begins Year; Faculty of Twenty-Seven

The Brevard City Schools were opened for the work of the year on Wednesday, Sept. 2nd under the leadership of Supt. W. W. Hanaman assisted by a corps of 27 teachers. Seven additional new teachers have been added to the force to care for the phenomonal growth of the school system. Brevard now has three splendid modern school buildings including one of the finest and best in Western North Carolina, just completed at a cost of nearly $100,000.

Registration in the high school has already exceeded 225 students, an increase of nearly 100 over last years. To provide teaching force for the large number of new pupils and to introduce Home Economics and Vocational Agriculture six new teachers have been added to the high school faculty and one to the primary department; making the total number of teachers in the high school 12 and in the grades 15.

Brevard now offers the pupils of the community the opportunity to have instruction not only in the regular academic subjects but also in Vocational Agriculture, Home Economics, Vocal music and piano. Extra-curricular activities are also in evidence in the work of literary societies, publishing of a school magazine, and in athletic interests.

A faculty coach for boys and one for girls have been employed and enthusiasm is seen everywhere the prospects for the best athletics the school has ever

With the present pr educational policy of the Education over the County tendent Mr. T. C. Hender with one of the best corp of Brevard has ever had, the school year promises to be tional one for the commun

Supt. W. W. Hanaman Brevard, a graduate of the sity of Wisconin with seve of experience in the teachin lor in the west and in N olina.

The following is a com of the teachers.

W. W. Hanaman, superi Mrs. J. E. Godfrey, princip high school and teacher o Tom Dekle, science and athl for girls; Miss Marguerit English; F. R. Nalls, Engl Martha V. Davis, mathema Evelyn Jones, French an N. L. Ponder, Latin; Mr Hanaman, Home Economic Glazener, Vocational A Mrs. Hugh Walker, Music or; Miss Marguerite Piano;

Miss Dorothy McKee, p the Grammar School; Mi Maude Miller, 7th grade; Miss Haze 7th grade; Miss Dorothy M grade; Miss Kathleen V 6th grade; Miss Annette Patton 5th grade; Miss Irene M grade; Miss Martha G grade; Miss Suwanee H grade;

Mrs. F. P. Sledge, principal of the primary school and 3rd grade; Miss Amelia Galloway, 3rd grade; Miss Bertie Ballard, 2nd grade; Miss Lillian King, 2nd grade; Mrs. Laura Darby, 1st grade; Miss Nelle Rambo, 1st grade;

Charlie Johnson Found Dead At Home With Head Partly Blown Off

Charlie Johnson, an aged resident of the Lake Toxaway section, was found dead in his home Sunday about noon, by his daughter, Annie Johnson. Investigation disclosed that a part of the deceased's head had been blown completely off, presumably from the discharge of a 16 gauge shot gun which was found in the room with the body.

A coroner's jury composed of Dr. G. B. Lynch, Fred Hall, Lee Fisher, M. O. McCall, Mich Neely, J. E. Rufty and L. C. Case was summoned, and after an inquest over the body, arrived at the following verdict:

Charlie Johnson met his death at the hands of an unknown person or persons. Roy and Moulty Johnson, sons of the deceased are being held without bond, until further investigations are made.

At the preliminary hearing, scheduled for Monday afternoon before Justice of the Peace F. E. Shuford, W. E. Breese, appearing for the State in the absence of the solicitor, succeeded, over the protests of Ralph Fisher and Coleman Galloway, attorneys for the Johnson boys, in having the hearing postponed until Saturday morning.

A large crowd attended the funeral services held Tuesday afternoon, at the Lake Toxaway Baptist church, among those attending being the two sons, who in connection with the death of their father, acompanied by members of the sheriff's department.

The officers, although not disclosing any clues, are at work on the case, and it is expected that some light will be shed on the apparent mystery that surrounds the death of the deceased at the preliminary hearing Saturday.

PRESENTATION OF STONE MOUNTAIN COINS AND MEETING OF U. D. C.

On Saturday, September the 12th, at 3:30 p.m., at the Transylvania Confederate Memorial Library, the Brevard Banking Company will present a Stone Mountain coin to each Confederate Veteran (or widow) in the County. Please bring this card.

ANNIE JEAN GASH,
President Transylvania Chapter U. D. C.

Cards bearing the invitation above have been sent to the fifty odd veterans and widows of Transylvania County, whose names and addresses could be secured. If there are others, the Brevard Banking Company wishes them to take this notice their invitation to come for their ins also.

The actual presentation will be ade by Mrs. T. H. Shipman, wife the president of the Brevard anking Company, and charter mem of the Transylvania Chapter U. C. Mrs. Shipman will be assisted members of the Children's Chap r, The Transylvania Volunteers.

At the same time and place Stone Mountain coins will be on sale by the ildren, both to the public and to embers of all Confederate organations.

Immediately following the presention of these coins there will be business meeting of the Transylania U. D. C., to take up our work fter the summer's vacation, to comlete all payments to State funds, hich must go to the division treaurer by September 15., and to elect elegates to the State meeting which is to be held in Elizabeth City, October 20-24. All members are urged to come, bringing some hange with them, so all obligations can be met. Mrs. L. E. Fisher, district director has been invited to be present.

AT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

A. L. Ritchie, of Concord, N. C., will deliver an address at the Presbyterian church next Sunday, the 13, at 11 a.m. Mr. Ritchie is a very able speaker, a lay member of the church who has done much good work in the State, and the public may expect a fine sermon from a man who preaches without being a preacher.

GET-TOGETHER DAY AT BLANTYRE SCHOOL

Friday, August 28th. was observed by Blantyre School as Get-Together Day.

The day opened with a short but splendidly rendered program by the school children. Mr. T. C. Henderson, County Superintendent of Public Instruction, gave an interesting and instructive talk.

At the conclusion of the program the ladies and girls cleaned the inside of the school building. They washed desks, boards and windows; they hung curtains, put up pictures and prepared the picnic dinner which was served on the grounds. Some of the men and boys put in windows, sash cords, locks and hung window shades, while the others worked on the outside.

Seuarate ball grounds were cleared and fived for the large boys, small boys and large girls. A basket ball court was selected, but due to the dry weather could not be graded. Play ground space was provided for the small girls and primary children entirely separate from the larger children. Seats were placed about under the trees.

Dinner was followed by exciting baseball games between the boys the small boys and the larger girls.

The crowd was then called back into the school building where the Blantyre School Improvement Association was organized. Mr. Lee Cash was elected president, Miss Emily Moore, vice president; Mrs. Mary Bell Orr, secetary; and Mr. Osborne, treasurer. The first Friday night of each month was selected for the regular meetings, the first meeting to be held September 4th at 8.00 o'clock in the school building.

REVIVAL SERVICES AT LITTLE RIVER CHURCH ARE SUCCESS

We have just closed a great revival at Little River Baptist church, with seventeen additions to the church and a great revival to the church members as a whole, leaving the church of "one mind and one accord." They paid the evangelist $109.50 and bought the pastor a "Dickson Bible," costing $18.50, and to the surprise of the pastor, the church raised $367.00 above the salary for him to go to Furman University this year, and will enter Furman on September 7th. He will still keep the field work at Enon and Little River and come back to the work on week-ends. Whatever the University may mean to the pastor, these good people have the honor.

One night during the meeting, some of the K. K. K. members marched down the aisle of the church and presented a donation of $43.00 to the pastor and evangelist. They say they stand for all that is right, and we believe it—Because we always find them doing the good things, and righting the wrong ones.

Rev. Charles Ellis of Bakerville, N. C., did the preaching in great power. Any pastor will do well to get him, for he is sound in every way and will build the church around the pastor. Rev. Ellis taught in one of our home-board schools for seven years. Call him if you want a real revival.

C. W. HILEMON, Pastor.

FRIDAY WILL BE BREVARD DAY AT ROYAL PINES

Brevard day will be observed at Royal Pines tomorrow (Friday), with a free trip to this beautiful development for all desiring to go. Free luncheon will be served on the grounds, in addition to a watermelon feast, and a most interesting and instructive lecture, and free drives over this subdivision, so striking in its beauty and desirable location.

The free busses will leave the Aethelwold Hotel for Royal Pines, Friday morning at 10.15 o'clock, and all desiring to go on this occasion are requested to make reservations with Mrs. Verdery or Mr. Zoller, the Brevard representative, not later than six o'clock this, Thursday afternoon. All are invited to go, but no one is obligated to buy property.

POWER TO BE LIMITED FOR NEXT FEW DAYS

On account of repairs being made at the power plant of the Cascade Power and Light plant, and the installing of a new water wheel, there will be no power from this source for the next few days.

Mr. Erwin of the Sapphire Cotton Mills has kindly consented to furnish current for lighting purposes, provided no motors are used, as his plant is unable to pull the load caused by motors being switched on. At the first sign of an overload the power will be completely shut off. It is hoped that everyone will regard the wishes of Mr. Erwin, and that he will not be forced to cut off the power.

Rosman Hi School Opens Sept. First With 13 Teachers

Rosman High School opened for the session 1925-26 on Tuesday last week. The building was packed full of children of the district. Besides these there were high school pupils from Quebec, Gloucester, Davidson River and Cherryfield. This is indicated that this will be a session that the Rosman school has never experienced. The faculty consists of college graduates, and experienced teachers from North Carolina, South Carolina, and Georgia. The principal thinks that he has the ability with whom to work. The teachers show their interest in their profession by their pride in their work by enrolling in the North Carolina Teachers Association. This is the first school in the County this year to enroll and this enrollment being 100 per cent strong is an example for other schools of the County and it is hoped that the other 103 schools of the County will show the same professional spirit and the same interest in the cause of education that has been shown by the members of the faculty of the Rosman school.

At the opening exercises the school was addressed by the pastors of the different churches of Rosman and a hearty invitation was extended to the various members of the faculty to attend one of the churches and Sunday Schools of the town, and take part in the exercises. This is an example for the various communities of the County, and teachers, if they are loyal to the community where they work, will be glad to have a hearty welcome, not only from the pastors but also from the citizens of the community, and will be glad to take part in any thing that will help in the moral as well as the educational development of the community in which they are working.

MUCH PROFANE LANGUAGE CAUSES BOOTLEGGERS FALL

On last Sunday night, Sheriff Sitton and Deputy Nichols were called to Gloucester to arrest an alleged wife-beater. After the arrest was made, the party stopped at a roadside spring for a drink of water and while there, a car passed, the occupants using a very unmistakable brand of loud profanity. Sheriff Sitton followed in his car, leaving prisoner number one in custody of Deputy Nichols and caught the men in the act of taking a drink of the hilarious fluid. The three occupants of the car were arrested on charges of being drunk and disorderly and transporting liquor.

ECK SIMS CATCHES SPEEDERS; FINDS BOOZE

On last Friday, Rural Policeman Sims halted a Ford touring car for speeding on the North Brevard highway, and upon looking in the car found 40 gallons of whiskey packed nicely in the car.

The occupants of the car, Ralph Hurst and Walter Wagner of Asheville, aged about 18, were placed in jail. Wagner is a reputed bootlegger, having been arrested in Jackson County recently on charges of transporting. This makes 95 gallons of whiskey, two cars and four men arrested at the same place in the past short while by Sims.

THE PRAYER CORNER

GLADNESS OF HEART

Though it is true enough that any one, may, by determined effort, acquire the valuable habit of cheerfulness, of which I spoke in last week's Prayer Corner, I think those who are glad at heart—like a merry child—without special effort, help and cheer their comrades far more. "Happiness is very infectious," remarks a writer. "I tried to keep," she says, "a photograph of a laughing baby or my mantel piece, because I could not keep from smiling when I looked at it, and it is impossible to smile all to oneself and cherish melancholy thoughts at the same time. Gloom [illegible] harsh darkness [illegible] together."

No day can [illegible] if we begin it by kneeling before our King to receive His [illegible]

[illegible]

A PRAYER FOR GLADNESS OF HEART

O Thou God of Gladness and of Joy, make us to hear joy and gladness, that the bones which Thou hast broken may rejoice, and that we [illegible] comforted, for we rest upon the Lord's promise. Put glad[illegible] in our hearts. We [illegible] lowest rank [illegible] and [illegible] wickedness. Help us to be righteousness and [illegible] Thou mightest anoint us with the oil of gladness.

Enable us [illegible] kneeling before our King to receive His commands, that the [illegible] in the hearts of those who have knelt in glad surrender before Him shining face, and that incense all the day through, may be all our [illegible]

Give us to serve Thee with gladness and come before Thy presence with thanksgiving, to eat our bread with gladness and simplicity of heart. Call us by our names, that we too, like Mary Madgalene, may feel Thee very near us, and have the glad assurance that all the dark and the night, all sin and blight are forever passed away. Let us lift our eyes to the eastern skies, and live in the endless light, and the praise shall be given to Thee, Thou God of Gladness and of Joy, Father, Son and Holy Spirit, now and forever. Amen.

—C. D. C.

MISS MATTIE DAVIS INJURED BY AUTO AT PISGAH FOREST

Miss Mattie Davis, of Pisgah Forest, suffered serious injuries Tuesday evening about six o'clock, in front of her home, when she was crossing the street and was run over by an automobile driven by Mr. Ed Hossal, of Davidson River. She was at once removed to Dr. Summey's office where an X-ray examination was made, and was later placed in Transylvania Hospital.

The News was unable to obtain any information from the hospital regarding the extent of her injuries.