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# BREVARD

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## FARM NEWS

By L. A. AMMON

### T. B. Work

At last the State has arranged its pocketbook so it can finish testing the cattle of the County for T. B. There is a few months work to be done yet. Most all Gloucester is to do, and several that were missed. The first test is free, and where reactors are found two more tests are free. Anyone seeking any farther testing will have to foot the bill.

Dr. J. V. Duckworth has been sent here to finish the work. Dr. Castleberry is here to show him where the work left off.

The County Agent visited Madison County the week-end. To hear a farmer of Transylvania complain about crops would be being a miser. Those poor people sure are up against a hard winter. Over half of the corn was cut for fodder. The best field is estimated to yield 25 bushels per acre. No garden truck or what-not.

Due to the seeding being all killed in the Counties west of us, they are sowing hairy vetch and rye for hay next year. This makes a very good catch crop, and worthy of greater consideration from us.

### Hatchery

Signing up shares to the Community Hatchery is a hard and slow job. All seem anxious, but the money is also necessary. The interest is such that the project could hardly fail, and the succeeding would be a great boost for poultry. Why not come clean and try it in a sure enough business way, and let this way of letting the other fellow do it, pass by? There must be some action on your part, or it will not go. Your sacrifice is what it needs. Many things of the past have not been pleasant, but what if we lived by the past only? A new day is here and it is up to communities to do for themselves now, which is impossible for one or two to do.

### Markets

Market calls for eggs, potatoes unchanged from \$1.50 at home, cabbage no change, beans, scarce and same, and cattle firm and higher on 1,000 pounds up.

### Outlook

If this County really becomes a summer playground, the farmers should take more to trucking, dairying, and poultry. As I size up the present situation, these branches of farming are sure enough for many more to go ahead with their plans for increased acreage.

Small fruits that mature during summer, such as raspberries, dewberries, gooseberries, blackberries, and many vegetables not usually grown, should form part of every home garden, with some to sell. Next December, if I am not transferred, we will put on movies, showing the growing of many of these crops, and try to stimulate greater production here.

Many report other cattle, mules, sheep, pigs, coming for sale, way not do as other business men do—put your goods in the pump in the form of an ad in the home paper. I am glad to help all I can, but find that I place a very small amount of the things listed with me.

### HOLLYWOOD FLORIDA TOUR CHANGES DATE

The Florida touring party leaving Asheville for Hollywood, Florida, under the supervision of Mr. G. F. Paxton and others, has made a change in the date of departure. The party will leave Asheville at four o'clock, p. m., Saturday, Sept. 26, instead of Friday, the 25, as stated in last week's edition of The News.

### EASLEY BAND BOYS GIVE CONCERT IN BREVARD

The Wildwood Park Band, of Easley, S. C., rendered an excellent concert Saturday afternoon, in the bandstand on the court house lawn. The members of the fifteen-piece band were on a pleasure trip via Rosman, Brevard, and Caesar's Head. During the very enjoyable program rendered, the members of the band were treated to ice cream by Mr. W. E. Breese.

Jerome and Pushell, Patterson's and Abram's shoe shop will all be closed Monday, on account of religious holiday.

# Present City Water Shortage Will Be Relieved Immediately

## CHATAUQUA TO BE HERE THREE DAYS

The Radcliffe Chatauqua will hold a three day session in Brevard, October 5, 6, and 7, at the High School auditorium. Two daily programs will be featured, each afternoon at 3:30 and each evening at 8:00.

The program will be varied, and the talent throughout the entire three days will be very fine. Included in the program will be found concerts, lectures, plays of from one to four acts in both comedy and drama, and entertainment features of various kinds.

Season tickets will be on sale for \$2.00, and all school children will be admitted to the six performances for \$1.00. The Chatauqua is being sponsored by the Brevard Betterment.

## ANNA CASE TO APPEAR IN ASHEVILLE, OCTOBER 3

Anna Case, America's favorite soprano, has been booked for a concert in Asheville at the Auditorium, on the evening of Saturday, October third.

The slogan, "Always in the public eye, ever in the public heart," best describes the unique position occupied by Anna Case in the affections of the American people. The term aptly applies to her, that of a "rarely beautiful woman with a really beautiful voice." Asheville was able to secure this distinguished singer only on account of the fact that her managers persuaded her to begin her tours a day earlier and accept the Asheville engagement. A great treat is in store for all music lovers who will be privileged to hear this noted American singer.

## MORE DEEDS FILED IN PRESENT YEAR THAN PAST FOUR

According to a statement made by A. B. Owen, register of deeds, Brevard and Transylvania County citizens have been so active in the real estate field that the office force of the register of Deeds of Transylvania County has been increased and all are kept busy continually. Business has grown, in the past six months especially, to such an extent that the office personnel the past summer was increased from one or two to four, and still they are about sixty days behind in their work. The working force finds it a tremendous task to keep pace with the hundreds of real estate deals which have been transacted in the town and County during the past few months.

Heretofore the office has handled about six differently printed forms for documents, such as deeds, deeds in trust, warranty deeds, mortgage deeds, contracts and chattel mortgages, but since the unprecedented real estate boom has come into existence, hundreds of differently printed forms are now put into use. Mr. Owen states that the number of papers and documents filed during the past six months exceeds that of any previous year in the history of the office, and that the number filed during the past year have more than doubled that of the past four years. Approximately 400 legal papers have been filed during the past thirty days and more than 2,000 within the past six months. The proceeds of instruments filed for registration, including deeds and deeds in trust, for the month of August alone, amounted to \$438,75.

## AT THE METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. H. C. Sprinkle, presiding elder will preach at the Methodist church Sunday evening at 7:30. Quarterly Conference will be held at 4:00 p. m. Epworth League meets at 6:45—the hour of service being moved up.

## Work Is Being Rushed; New Watershed Started

## DOES ADVERTISING PAY? B & L SAYS YES

Sept. 23, 1925

To the Editor  
Brevard News:

For the Brevard Building and Loan Association, Saturday September 19th, was indeed a real letter day. On that day a new series opened and broke all previous records for initial shares taken out. One of the contributing causes for this was, I am sure, the special attention it received through your advertising columns.

May I take this opportunity to thank you for your share in the results.

Very truly yours,  
MRS. H. E. PERKINS.

## WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION GIVES INTERESTING PROGRAM

The Woman's Missionary Union of the Baptist church is sponsoring a Week of Prayer by the most interesting program of the mission work. Working at the church program, a collection of proceeds amounting to \$100.00 will be used by the Union of Missions in the present work.

The program, as follows: Devotional, Mr. Duckworth; those representing the church and mission societies were: Meredith College, Mrs. Ashworth, foreign; E. H. Ervin, our orphanage; Harrison Case, W. M. C., Mrs. H. Hartell and Mrs. Scruggs, Sunday Schools, Miss Ethel Barnes and Mr. George Simpson; B. Y. U. Mrs. Roy Long and Mrs. Moore; mountain schools, Mrs. Ward; herald, Mrs. L. P. Hampton, Dr. Maddry, Mr. W. S. Price, department of evangelism, E. H. Duckworth, David Price; mission pastor, Bruce Hartzell; orphanage, Earl Ashworth, Charity and children, Clarence Curlee; Mother, Dennis Scruggs; Y. W. A., Christian Snelson; dialogue, Our Hospital, Mrs. Curlee, nurse, Ruth Snelson; dialogue, Y. W. A. Girls, Ruth Cantrell and Christian Snelson; Christian Stewardship, Mrs. A. E. Hampton.

## BAXTER HAMLIN NOT DEAD AS REPORTED TUESDAY

Lewis P. Hamlin wishes to correct the statement made by The Asheville Times of Tuesday regarding the death of his brother, Baxter Hamlin, who was reported as killed in the wreck at Sunburst, N. C. Mr. Hamlin received a telegram from his brother in Canton on Tuesday evening stating that he had read the article in The Times, but there had been a mistake somewhere, as he was all right.

## J. S. BROMFIELD INCREASING PRESENT-ICE PLANT CAPACITY

As an added proof that J. S. Bromfield believes in the bright future of Brevard and that "preparedness" should be the watchword of every citizen, he is beginning at once to enlarge the capacity of his present ice plant, by the erection of a 15-ton, new plant, with the most improved up-to-the-minute machinery. This will mean more than three times the output of the present plant, and will guarantee the town for years to come, an abundant supply of pure ice.

In connection with the new plant will be facilities for the making of ice cream, if the growth of the town should ever justify it.

Brevard's water shortage problem has at last been solved. The plea for water will no longer be heard. Within the week, official statement has been issued to the effect that work is being pushed by the City Water Commission on an emergency water project which will be completed within the next few days, thus furnishing an abundance of water for Brevard's present needs. The new pump, which is to be installed one-half mile below the present intake, will furnish 120 gallons of water per minute in addition to the present output, and will be pumped above the filtering station. The pump was ordered by wire Wednesday morning from Raleigh and was shipped the same day, and upon arrival in Brevard the work of installation will be immediately begun by a competent force of workmen, and it is the expectation that same will be in operation and ready for use by the latter part of this week.

This plant is to be used as an emergency plant only, until the permanent water shed can be put into operation, which will be an assured fact within the next sixty days, or possibly sooner.

The new, and permanent water shed is to be located on Kings Creek, one and three-fourths mile from the present reservoir, and will include some of the territory in the government land in the Pisgah National Forest. The new plant is modern in every respect and designed to keep pace with Brevard's increase in population for many years to come. Under conditions similar to the existing drought, the plant will be able to furnish sufficient water to take care of the needs of 2,000 people. At normal times, it will allow for an output of water to abundantly provide for twice that number of people. It will thus be seen that the permanent water shed not only provide the use of quantities of water for an increase in population far in excess of the present number of people, but will take care of any abnormal conditions that may arise at some future date, such as the drought of 1925. Work on the new water shed has already begun and will be pushed through to completion as rapidly as possible.

The water shortage throughout the summer has been a great hindrance to the street paving construction which has been under way for the last three months. It has been necessary to haul the water from Kings Creek by the tankful to carry on the paving work, which has not only delayed the construction work to a certain extent, but has also put the company to a greater expense and disadvantage otherwise. All of these difficulties, however, will soon be at an end, since the next few days will bring relief to a most trying situation.

FROM MR. McCOY

September 18, 1925.

The Editor, Brevard News,  
Dear Sir:—

I would like to use your columns to express regret that it has been decided to do away with the services of a "Rural Policeman" in this County, as I know that the present officer has done much to eliminate speeding, whiskey running, and many other law violations since he has been appointed. I feel that the rural people are just as much entitled to police protection as the residents of the larger towns, and the moral effect of having an officer of this nature does much to keep order in the small places along the highway.

I know that Mr. Sims has been an efficient officer, courteous to tourists, and I hope that the "Power that be" will reconsider their decision to cut off this officer.

Yours respectfully,  
E. P. McCoy, President Brevard Chamber of Commerce.