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## FARM NEWS

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We may think that our Community Hatchery is not getting the hatches it ought. After finding out what the Asheville Hatchery, Mrs. Willis, and many small incubators, at home are getting, we must say that our Hatchery is doing the best of all on an average. The Asheville Hatchery with its fine equipment and high priced operator would be pleased with our hatches.

The trouble seems to be the same with all. Weak chickens. Not able to get out of the shells. Some say dryness is the cause, but extra amounts of moisture has only toughened the membrane and made it worse.

Inquiries to higher authorities on the subject place the greater part of the trouble on lack of green feed during winter and during pullet growth. The amount of disease a weak hen, indicate that our flocks are not up to standard strength this year.

Mr. Parrish, State Poultry Specialist, says feed green feeds and make sure of plenty of roosters to make up for the weakness.

### Seed Potatoes Black

Many if not all have noticed much blackness at heart in our home grown Irish potatoes. Mr. W. B. Henderson, of Quebec, sent some typical samples to the State College for examination. The report was that it was not due to disease, but to dry weather. So you need not worry about such for seed, so long as the seed piece is large enough to make up for what is damaged.

### Baby Chick Week

Mr. C. F. Parrish, State Poultry Specialist, is with us this week, in trying to teach the care and feeding of baby chickens to club members and to any adults who wish to come out.

Part of the meetings will be over before this appears, but in time for the 2:30 meeting at Calvert school on Thursday, 7:30; same day at Davidson River school; Friday, 1:30, at Quebec; Lake Toxaway at 2:30, and at Silversteen school, 7:30, p.m.

The high points in feeding baby chickens, is first, Do not feed till three days old. This has already been demonstrated this year. Do not feed so early. The chick has enough yolk in his body to last several days with water. Second, watch rise in temperature due to body heat of chickens soon after putting under brooder. Third, give feeds that have proven good, and keep some green feeds on hand.

### Soy Bean Seed

Definite orders are wanted before we order seed, due to the uncertainty of the times. Prices reasonable.

## REV. J. S. STANBERRY TO PREACH AT CHERRYFIELD

Rev. J. S. Stanberry, father of "Harve" Stanberry, will preach Wednesday night, March 31, at Mt. Moriah church, Cherryfield. He will also conduct services each night that week at eight o'clock, and two services Sunday, April 4, one in the morning at 11 o'clock, and again in the evening at 8 o'clock.

## BREVARD'S AIRPLANE PUSHED INTO SERVICE ON SUNDAY

The popularity of the new airplane, owned by the Brevard Aircraft Corporation and operated by Lieut. M. A. C. Johnson, was attested to on Sunday afternoon when 26 passengers were taken for an "airing," each group of passengers being taken on a few minutes flight over Brevard. The plane accommodates two passengers besides the pilot.

Several hundred cars were parked along the highway Sunday afternoon near the landing field, which is located about three miles from Brevard, on the Brevard-Hendersonville highway. Some of the occupants of the cars were interested in watching the performance of the plane from the highway, while others were down on the field viewing the curiosity at close range or awaiting their turn for flight.

In addition to affording accommodations for passengers, the corporation is also prepared to take aerial views, make maps and surveys, etc., and in addition has the agency for the "Waco" model plane. One plane has already been sold to a party in Asheville.

## KIWANIS CLUB IS ORGANIZED HERE

A Kiwanis club, with some fifty charter members, was effected as a permanent Brevard organization at the Chamber of Commerce rooms Monday night. A meeting of the club will be held on Friday of each week from twelve to one o'clock. The place of meeting will be announced later.

The organization of a Kiwanis club is one of the forward steps Brevard has taken recently, and every member pledges himself a booster for his town and county. The formal organization included the election of officers, directors and committee chairmen, all of whom are representative of Brevard's best citizens in the various walks of life.

The officers for the ensuing year follow: president, W. E. Breese; vice-president, T. J. Summey; secretary, R. E. Lawrence; treasurer, Jerry Jerome.

The seven directors include: H. H. Patton, F. D. Clement, A. H. Kizer, J. H. Tinsley, E. P. McCoy, H. L. Wilson, T. W. Whitmire.

The committee chairmen are as follows: agriculture, L. A. Ammon; attendance, W. H. Alexander; business standards and methods, T. H. Shipman; classification, C. P. White; education, W. W. Hanaman; finance, L. P. Hamlin; good-will and grievance, Rev. Wallace Hartsell; house, G. B. Lynch; inter-club relations, A. H. Kizer; laws and regulations, R. L. Gash; membership, H. A. Plummer; music, R. H. Bennett; program, E. P. McCoy; public affairs, S. M. Macfie; publicity, J. A. Glazener; reception, T. W. Whitmire; song leader, R. H. Bennett; under-privileged child, T. C. Henderson.

## ST. PHILIPS CHURCH TO OBSERVE HOLY WEEK BEGINNING NEXT SUNDAY

The members of St. Philips Episcopal church will observe Holy Week, beginning next Sunday, Palm Sunday, and continuing throughout the week and until Easter Sunday.

The order of services for the week follow:

Palm Sunday—Holy communion at eight and eleven o'clock in the morning. Evening prayer and sermon at seven-thirty.

Monday, Tuesday Wednesday and Saturday, services at nine o'clock each morning.

Wednesday and Thursday, services at seven-thirty in the evening with sermon.

Good Friday service of the seven last words on the Cross, at twelve o'clock noon.

## NEW BUS ON BREVARD-HENDERSONVILLE LINE

In order to meet the increasing demand for bus travel, King & Waters, managers of the Brevard-Hendersonville bus line, have within the past week put into the service a handsome and comfortable new 15-passenger bus, operating on a two-hour schedule between the two towns. The former buses will continue to be used until they can be replaced by a second large bus similar to the present new one.

## B. & L. OPENS 35TH SERIES

The Brevard Building & Loan Association on Saturday, March 20, opened its 35th series, the organization having been in existence for the past 17 years, since 1909.

At the opening of the new series on Saturday, 159 shares were taken out. There are at present a total of 3,000 shares, and 127 stockholders in the local association.

During the past year the association has built and improved approximately 35 homes in Brevard, with an outlay of \$50,000 on the part of the B. & L. Many of Brevard's beautiful and attractive homes have been made possible through the activities of this association, which has been a great factor in the beautifying and upbuilding program of the town.

T. H. Shipman is president of the Brevard Building & Loan Association, and Mrs. H. E. Perkins is secretary-treasurer.

## C. OF C. VOTES FUNDS FOR CLEAN-UP CAMPAIGN

Without question the most enthusiastic meeting of the year was held in the Chamber of Commerce rooms on Tuesday evening. More matters of importance to Brevard and Transylvania County were passed upon than have attended any similar meeting during 1926. Brevard may boast a live Chamber of Commerce which is assisting materially in the upbuilding of this community. Its members know the meaning of that upbuilding spirit and its committees carry on.

A distinguished visitor in Brevard, Harry Stillwell Edwards, noted journalist and short story writer, at present on the editorial staff of the Atlanta Journal, was invited to address the Directors on the Stone Mountain Confederate Monumental Association campaign for the sale of Brevard's quota of Memorial Coins. In introducing him, President R. W. Everett said Mr. Edwards' service in connection with the procurement of this coin had been publicly discussed and his efforts to further the great work as has been within his power, have been appreciated in the North as well as in the South. Mr. Edwards spoke earnestly and with feeling concerning the attitude of the whole country in general toward the great Confederate Memorial and said the association was immensely pleased with the financial assistance it had received from the North. The directors voted to assist in the sale of Brevard's quota of Memorial Coins and to this end got behind a movement to hold a mass meeting of the citizens at which Brevard's own serially numbered coin will be sold at auction to the highest bidder. The date for this meeting was set for Saturday afternoon, March 27, at 3:30 o'clock. The meeting will be held on the front steps of the Court House if the weather permits. In case of inclement weather the meeting will be held in the courtroom.

The general careless condition in which the streets and alleys have been kept, was a subject for discussion by many of the directors and others. Supt. W. W. Hanaman defended the pupils of the schools in this connection and stated that the scholars were being taught the value of keeping the school premises and the streets all over the town, free from rubbish and that certain classes were assigned each day, the task of picking up bits of paper which were carelessly thrown on the school premises. Mayor Whitmire announced the delivery of the receptacles for trash which had been ordered previously and they were being distributed to designated places throughout the business sections of the town. He also informed the meeting of the purchase by the aldermen of an up-to-date street sweeper which would be delivered within a short time and which when installed, would be the means of having clean, presentable streets at all times. In this connection the directors voted funds to cover the purchase of the necessary display advertising and other literature to be used in a Clean Up, Paint Up Campaign for Brevard and Transylvania County in effort to create a greater interest in giving this community a reputation for being one of the cleanest towns in Western North Carolina. The Women's Bureau, who have had charge of this work in the past will continue to sponsor the movement but will be aided materially by the Chamber of Commerce. Representatives of the newly formed Kiwanis Club of Brevard also pledged the support of that organization in this undertaking. The date for the Clean Up, Paint Up Campaign will be announced at a later date and through the courtesy and co-operation of the Brevard News, much publicity will be given the movement throughout the county.

That Brevard will have much publicity throughout the year, is evidenced by the authorization of a larger advertising campaign than has been attempted in previous years. Fifteen thousand booklets will be distributed showing why Brevard has been given a prominent place among the mountain resorts of Western North Carolina, to which the eyes of the nation are now turned, and inviting tourists and home seek-

## REVIVAL MEETINGS START HERE JUNE 13

Rev. Thurston B. Price, general evangelist of the Methodist church, South, with his party, will hold tent meetings in Brevard starting June 13 and continuing through four weeks.

Dr. Price is an able preacher and draws large crowds with his unique style of presenting the old-fashioned gospel, and never fails to hold a successful meeting. Several years practise at the bar as a successful criminal lawyer has given him a style of appeal that is almost irresistible.

It is considered very fortunate that Dr. Price could be secured for Brevard, as all his dates were taken for large cities and he was able to come at this time only through a shift of dates.

It is hoped that the meeting will be a union meeting of all the churches, pastors and people, and it is assured that if all will co-operate one will have occasion to regret it.

ers to come to this community. In this booklet will be depicted some of the magnificent views of Transylvania County, which for scenic grandeur can hardly be equalled in Eastern America. It will briefly show the reasons for the continued steady growth which has characterized this community and call attention to the unusual opportunities for investment and home building here.

As a part of the publicity program, tentative plans were made for broadcasting the outstanding features of Brevard from one of the large Eastern stations.

As a means of creating greater interest in Brevard throughout Western North Carolina, a committee was appointed to arrange a series of meetings to which men interested in Chamber of Commerce work and the general upbuilding of this section would be invited to address special meetings of this organization. The plans of this committee will be made known as soon as arrangements are made for speakers.

The erection of a modern hotel, planned well in advance of the present needs of the town is practically assured, according to the report made by the committee on that project. Three concerns amply financed to promote the erection of a first-class hotel large enough to take care of the anticipated requirements of the town for the next five years, are interested in a location in Brevard, and it is expected that within a short time definite plans will be made for the erection of a commercial and tourist hotel which will be equal to any in Western North Carolina in accommodations and cuisine. An effort will be made to obtain every available camp and boarding house in the county for the accommodation of the influx of tourists and visitors, which this year, promises to be the greatest in our history.

Mayor Whitmire addressed the meeting with reference to the need of a more beautiful cemetery for Brevard. He stated that such an institution was a most important factor to many of those who would contemplate making Brevard a permanent residence and at the present time a very beautiful location could be secured at a most advantageous price. He urged the Chamber to get behind a movement to organize a cemetery association and a committee of seven members of the Chamber was appointed by the president as follows: Mayor Whitmire, chairman, Messrs. Jenkins, Plummer, Hampton, Dr. Summey, Macfie, and Allison.

President Everett announced that while the meetings of the Chamber of Commerce which are held on alternating Tuesday evenings are known as Directors meetings, all members are invited to be present and take part in the proceedings. Those who have not been accustomed to attend the Chamber of Commerce business sessions are particularly invited to come and hear the interesting discussions of matters pertaining to the welfare of every resident of Brevard and Transylvania County. The secretary will gladly give information concerning the programs to all who are interested.

Another paradox is that only those who remain slaves to art become its masters.

## TRANSYLVANIA AT FRONT IN RECENT EDUCATIONAL MEET

Since returning from the meeting of the North Carolina Educational Association held in Raleigh last week, County Superintendent T. C. Henderson is of the opinion that Transylvania came in for her share of honors at this gathering of educators, that is, in respect to uniform school term throughout the county.

Supt Henderson had the privilege of announcing before the association that Transylvania, the county of which he was a representative, will adopt a full nine months school term next September, which new ruling was made possible by recent popular vote of the citizens of the county. This is a decided honor to Transylvania in that it is the first rural county in the state to provide for a nine-months school term, and is second of the 100 counties of the state to adopt such a measure. Only one other county, New Hanover, of which Wilmington is the principal city, now has a nine months school term. Six other counties, however, provide for eight months school term.

Mr. Henderson states that he has met with the school committees of the various school districts throughout the county and that all are heartily in favor of a nine months term for the school year 1926-27.

Some 600 delegates from various parts of the state were in attendance at this 42nd meeting of the North Carolina Educational Association.

## THOMPSON MILLWORK CO. REPRESENTS MANY YEARS IN LINE OF BUSINESS

The Thompson Millwork company, a recently established enterprise in Brevard, represents a well-established firm, there having been four generations connected with this line of business. Various members of the Thompson family have been in millwork business for fifty-odd years, thus rendering great value to the trade in the long years of experience and professional knowledge passed along from generation to generation.

The Brevard firm is a branch of the Z. J. Thompson Lumber company, of Shelby. The local company is equipped with all machinery necessary to make frames and odd millwork and all kinds of inside trim, making a specialty of odd millwork. A full line of framing, sheathing, flooring, shingles and laths is also carried in stock. Sash and doors are shipped from the main office at Shelby.

L. F. Thompson is in charge of the Brevard plant, assisted by W. M. Roberts. Mr. Thompson has been here since February, when the establishment opened for business. He was joined this week by his wife and baby, and they are now living in their recently purchased home adjoining the plant on Railroad street.

## R. L. NICHOLSON IS DOING HIS PART

Postmaster Nicholson is doing his part in the upbuilding of the town as is shown by the continuous betterment of the mail facilities.

Only recently a new cancelling machine was added to the equipment of the postoffice, and soon the new office building will be occupied, which is also a wonderful improvement.

An order was received this week to extend rural route No. One two miles, thereby serving more families, and shortening the distance that some patrons were compelled to travel to reach their mail boxes.

It is known that some patrons were compelled to travel nearly 8 miles for their mail, and now with the new change, they can sit on their front porch and see the carrier go by.

It seems that while we sleep, Mr. Nicholson is still awake and planning some way to improve the service, and we wonder what the next will be. The patrons of route No. One should be grateful to Mr. Nicholson for this wonderful change and stand ready to co-operate with him in any way possible.

Germany will have no try-out in the big League this season.

## THE PRAYER CORNER

THE GENTLENESS OF GOD

"Thy gentleness hath made me great." Psalms 18:35.

On each of the occasions when Gentleness is mentioned in the Bible it is referred to as A Divine Attribute. In Psalm 18:35 we have the wonderful statement "Thy Gentleness hath made me great." Could any description of the influence of gentleness exceed the simplicity and beauty of this? And who does not feel how essentially true it is?

We all know how terribly roughness and violence degrade and belittle. Do we not feel at once that a Divine Gentleness must delight to triumph by inviting human beings to rise up, and be their most and their best?

Where, except in the Bible, do we meet with a God who delights in hiding His power and even in divesting Himself of it, that He may win the confidence of His creatures for their good, and may afford them such scope for their liberty, that they may become great enough to enjoy His intercourse, and be a source of rejoicing to Him?

"I have read the Bible through a hundred and fifty times," said an old saint in his ninety-first year, "and I have come to see that God is an infinitely lovely Being." That was Bible reading to some purpose.

God's Gentleness has been shown to us, not only in the Revelation, but in the very manner of it.

"He stooped to bless  
And stooping raised us;  
And the tenderness  
Which loomed in pity on a world of sin  
Long years ago  
Still waits with Love to call the nations in,  
Till all shall know,  
How man may rise to God in Holiness  
Because He stooped so low."

## A PRAYER FOR THE GENTLENESS OF GOD

O Thou God of Gentleness, teach us to be gentle that we may be great with Thine own greatness—the greatness of humility.

We know how simple and beautiful the description of the influence of gentleness as the Psalmist describes it. Do we not feel how essentially true it is too? We all know how terribly roughness and violence degrade and belittle our nature. Do we not all feel at once, that Thy Divine gentleness must delight to triumph by inviting us to rise up and be our most, and our best.

Nowhere but in the Bible do we meet with a God, who like Thee, delights in hiding His power and even in divesting Himself of it, that He may win the confidence of His creatures for their good, and may afford them such scope for their liberty, that they become great enough to enjoy His intercourse, and be a source of rejoicing to Him. O Thou God of Gentleness!

May we, like the old saint, so read our Bibles that we may come to see that Thou, our God, art an infinitely lovely Being, so shall our Bible reading be to some purpose, for Thy Gentleness has been shown to us not only in the Revelation, but in the very manner of it.

Thou God of Gentleness didst stoop to bless, and stooping, raised us, and the tenderness which looked in pity on a world of sin long years ago still waits in love to call the nations in till shall know—how man may rise to God in Holiness, because Thou didst stoop so low in Jesus Christ, Thy beloved Son, that in Thy Gentleness we might be great in Him, Amen.

—C. D. C.

## CHAS. B. DEEVER RESTING AT TIME OF GOING TO PRESS

Chas. B. Deever, who underwent a serious operation at Brevard hospital on Tuesday of last week, is resting easy and holding his own very well, according to latest reports just before going to press.

## MRS. JOHNSTONE IMPROVING

Mrs. William Johnstone, who suffered a paralytic stroke about two weeks ago, is reported as showing quite a little improvement at last reports.