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DICK BREESE WON CUP IN LABOR DAY GOLF TOURNAMENT

Ed McCoy Takes Second Place, With Anthony Trantham Closely Following Behind

IDEAL WEATHER ADDED TO GLORY OF THE DAY

Eighteen Holes, Handicap, With Large Number of Players And Big Gallery Filled the Day

The first annual club championship tournament of the Brevard Country Club was played on Labor Day. It was 18 holes medal play with handicaps. This event was won by Dick Breese, who turned in the low score, 90 for the 18 holes. To create added interest in the first Labor Day tournament, the committee invited the visiting golfers to participate and prizes were given to the two low visitors.

The first was a beautiful silver cup trophy and it is engraved:

Golf Champion
Brevard Country Club
Sept. 5, 1927
W. E. Breese, Jr.

Never was there a more popular champion in any golf club, and rarely does any champion play more consistent golf than did Dick Breese on all the 18 holes played Monday. He had three pars, nine 5's, three 6's and on the remaining three holes he took 8's, twice on the hard No. 4 and on his first trip up the mountain. This is excellent golf for one who has been playing the game no longer than Dick. It will be remembered that 79 was the lowest score for 18 holes made by the professionals in the qualifying round played on the same course, August 25. Playing within 11 strokes of the best professionals in the Carolinas is an accomplishment on the Brevard course that any golfer may be proud of.

The ideal golf weather that is characteristic of Brevard in September prevailed throughout the day and brought out a large number of entrants, both from among the club members and visitors. A holiday crowd was noticeable at the club house from the time the first flight teed off at 9:30 in the morning until late in afternoon when the final foursome turned in their scores.

It was another red letter day for golf in Brevard. There was not the outside interest that was evidenced during the "pros" qualifying round of a couple of weeks ago. It was more of a home affair for club members and golfers who have been spending the summer here, and while the tournament was an invitation event, no effort was made to enter golfers from other cities, except those who are summer residents.

Under the direction of the tournament committee, assisted by "Sandy" Woodman, the local "pro," the players were handicapped and paired in a manner that would reflect credit upon more experienced tournament officials. The flights were started without interruption at five minute intervals, after the first twosome tossed for the honor, and until the entire list of entrants left the first tee, a continual stream of enhusiastic golfers began an onslaught on "old man Par," between the majestic pines that stand on either side of No. 1 teeing ground.

Eighteen holes were played and with consistent golf all the way, Dick Breese turned in the low score to win the cup. Dick was out in 51, and on his second round made a 47 for a gross score of 98. His handicap was 8, giving him a net 90.

Anthony Trantham made a bid for the cup on his first round and was paired with Breese on the second trip, when he marked up a 51 for his first nine. "Tony" encoun-

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FISHER REUNION DREW BIG CROWD

Several hundred people attended the Fisher reunion, held at Lake Toxaway Baptist church last Saturday. This is an annual event, held each year on the first Saturday in September, and descendants of the pioneer Fisher families come from all sections of the United States to attend the reunion. Mr. James Fisher, of Tryon, ex-state senator, is president of the association, and presided at the meeting last Saturday.

The Fisher family has contributed largely to the advancement of this section, and deeds of valor of the pioneers were recounted at the gathring. The Fishers have been noted for their patriotism, so President James Fisher asked that the session of the reunion be in the nature of a patriotic celebration. He made a powerful appeal to the Fishers and their kith and kin to stand by the American flag everywhere, all the time, wherever they might be living and moving.

The picnic dinner that was spread upon the tables arranged for this annual event was a picture of the prosperity of Transylvania county. It was pronounced by all to be one of the finest and most bountiful dinners ever spread in Western North Carolina.

James F. Barrett, of The Brevard News, delivered a short address.

REV. O. L. SIMPSON GIVEN PROMOTION IN CHURCH WORK

Appointed To Editorial Staff Sunday School Board of the Methodist Church, South

DR. O. J. CHANDLER IS SENT TO BREVARD

Simpson Will Move To Nashville—Especially Fitted For Great Work Assigned Him

Rev. O. L. Simpson, pastor of the Brevard Methodist church, has received notice of his appointment to the post of assistant editor of the General Sunday School board of the M. E. Church, South, and has accepted the appointment. Rev. O. J. Chandler, D. D., associate pastor of the Central church of Asheville, has been assigned to the Brevard church until the annual conference which will be held on November 2.

These interesting changes were announced from the office of Rev. J. F. Kirk, D. D., presiding elder of the Asheville district, the appointment having been made by Bishop E. D. Mouzon, of Charlotte. Dr. Chandler is one of the best known ministers in the Western North Carolina conference and has been associate pastor of Central church for many years.

Rev. Mr. Simpson will move to Nashville, Tenn., where his offices will be maintained, within the next few weeks. He came to the Brevard church from Spindale last December, and has had phenomenal success in his work here, there having been an increase in his church membership here of nearly one hundred during the nine months of his Brevard pastorate. During the summer Mr. Simpson was called to Duke, where he was under-graduate instructor in the school for pastors conducted by the two conferences of the M. E. Church in North Carolina.

In addition to the great increase in church membership in Brevard, a new parsonage has been erected here, valued at $12,000, since Mr. Simpson came to Brevard. While Brevard citizens rejoice with Mr. Simpson in the honors that have come to him, there is sincere regret throughout this section at his leaving.

Although a young man, now in his fourth conference year, Mr. Simpson is considered one of the strong preachers of the state. His sermons are masterpieces, showing at all times the effort and work of the real student and scholar.

Mr .Simpson is especially fitted for the work which he has been chosen to do. He is a graduate of Weaver College at Weaverville; Emory and Henry, Virginia; Boston University School of Theology and Harvard University.

His A. B. degree was conferred by Emory and Henry college, while the degrees in Theology of S. T. B. and S. T. M. were won at Boston University and at Harvard. Mr. Simpson also traveled and studied in Europe, spending two years there in continuation of his studies. During the World War he was chaplain in the Coast Defenses of Mobile, United States army.

KIWANIS CLUB AT CAMP SAPPHIRE

Members of the Kiwanis club met at Camp Sapphire last Friday evening for their regular weekly meeting. President Tom Summey being absent from the city, former president, W. E. Breese, presided.

The importance of summer camps in this county was the subject of the evening and the club pledged its membership to a still greater cooperation with camp directors and all those interested in camp activities. Mr. Breese predicted that Transylvania had already taken the lead in the summer camp business, and urged the club to greater activities in order that this county may remain in the lead.

Captain Bill Fetzer, host of the evening, made an interesting talk on the work and thanked Brevard for the hearty cooperation which the camps received from the business men. D. Meade Bernard, of Camp Carolina, made a stirring address and asked the help of the Kiwanis club in eliminating the danger of the railroad crossing between Brevard and the camps on the west of the railway tracks. It was pointed out that it was an absolutely blind crossing and that there had been several narrow escapes from death or serious injury during the summer.

Thos. H. Shipman, chairman of the road commissioners, outlined plans whereby this crossing could be entirely eliminated, and it is expected that immediate action will follow.

Each member of the club paid the regular price for the weekly luncheon and when Secretary Jerry Jerome turned the money over to Captain Bill Fetzer, he took a few small pieces of silver to give to the cook and waiters for the extra work in preparing the dinner, and turned the change back to the club secretary. When Mr. Jerome informed the Kiwanians what Captain Bill had done, Mr. Silversteen made motion that the money be given to a widow in the county who has a house full of little children in destitute circumstances.

REFEREE HEARING IN BIG LAND SUIT

Hon. Thomas J. Johnson, of Franklin, Is Referee—Asheville Lawyers in the Case

PROMINENT BREVARD MEN PARTIES TO THE HEARING

Woman Lawyer One of the Parties—Several Days Will Be Required —3000 Acres Land Involved

Hon. Thomas J. Johnson, prominent Franklin lawyer, is referee in a hearing involving a land dispute between the Carolina Mountains Realty Corporation, the Piedmont Finance Corporation, Ralph Fisher and wife, and Thomas H. Shipman and James G. K. McClure. The sessions are being held in the county court room, with A. Emerson Eve, of Asheville, as court reporter.

The case involves 3142 acres of land. Mr. and Mrs. Fisher have been sued for about $14,000, and Mr. Fisher is suing other groups in the complicated case in the sum of $178,000. It seems that Mr. Fisher sold the land to the finance corporation, which, in turn transferred a 5-8 interest to Messrs Shipman and McClure. Dispute then arose as to titles to the land and breach of contract between involved parties in the three-cornered contest.

It is said the finance corporation consists of Smith Richardson, of Greensboro; T. L. Gwyn and Arthur Osborne of Canton; H. M. Berry of Charlotte and Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Street, of Asheville. Mr. and Mrs. Street are attending the hearing before the referee.

George H. Smathers and Charles E. Jones, of Asheville, and Lewis P. Hamlin of the Brevard bar, are conducting the case for Mr. Fisher, while J. S. Adams of Asheville, and D. L. English and Wm. E. Breese of the local bar are counsel for the other groups.

It is said several days will be required in taking all the evidence in the case and hearing the arguments of the unusually strong legal talent conducting the case.

Mrs. Street is a lawyer herself, and has the distinction of having been the first woman to ever appear before the North Carolina Supreme court in the capacity of an attorney-at-law.

SEVEN CAR LOADS OF POTATOES SOLD

And More To Be Shipped—Advice on Cream Business—Buy All Heifers To Be Had

(By L .A. AMMON)

Seven cars of potatoes have already been sold, and two more lined up. No trouble to find buyers this year. The time and the price the farmers are willing to take make the difference. In past year there has not been enough farmers that would take one dollar for their potatoes in the Fall. Large acreage forces them to do it this year, and that gives the buyer a chance to handle them and get out.

Many have been asking questions about cream and what might be expected per cow. Price and so on.

First, if you are churning and making two pounds of butter per day, you could sell about the same in butter fat. Price now about forty-two cents per pound. Price varies according to the butter price in Chicago or New York. See the price of butter in these cities and you will know what the store will pay for butter fat. The overrun takes care of their expenses.

An average Jersey cow will bring in ten dollars per month, and you should not have to buy over 20 percent of her feed. The skim milk fed to chickens and pigs is worth about eight cents per gallon.

A gallon of medium rich cream will bring you from one dollaar to one twenty-five, depending on the price, which varied from 38 to 55c per pound of butter fat, last year.

Many are interested in cream routes. These will be worked out as soon as possible. First there will have to be some start, so one of the men on the road can be hired to pick up the rest. Bring in the cream at first.

Five cows make a nice herd for a farm. That will give you around fifty dollars per month, and two full five gallons cans of cream twice per week.

To start in the cream business is the easiest of any farm marketing. A spoon and a wide mouth pan or crock is all that is needed. Skim the milk into the granite pan, set in water to cool, at the end of 24 hours take the spoon and skim off the cream, put in anything you have that you can get it to market with. Bring in twice per week. For the farm with five cows it will pay to get a 400 lb cream separator, as much cream will be saved. This man will need one or two five gallon cans, which will cost around two-fifty each.

The creamery is also planning on having some of the merchants in distant parts, buy the cream and then ship back for it. Will take time but if the people will cooperate all will be worked out for their comfort.

Pick up all the heifer calves you can and start raising cows, for they will be needed. Don't go wild in buying cows, but look in other county sections, buy and add to your herd. Raise them to the dairy.

COUNTY BOARDS IN THE STATE COURTS

Road Commissioners Win In Mandamus Proceedings Before Judge Schenck of Hendersonville

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS APPEAL TO SUPREME COURT

Case Involves Right of County Commissioners To Reduce Budget Prepared by Road Board

Judge Michael Schenck, of Hendersonville, heard mandamus proceedings instituted by the Transylvania county road commissioners last Saturday, in which the court was asked to order the county commissioners to levy and provide certain sums of money with which to carry on the road work in this county. The board of road commissioners was represented by Wm. E. Breesefi, while the county commissioners were represented by Ralph R. Fisher, county attorney. The court ruled in favor of the plaintiffs, and Mr. Fisher took an appeal to the Supreme court.

The controversy arose over the budget as prepared and presented by the road commissioners to the county for approval. The county commissioners reduced the amount considerably, the biggest item being cut from the proposed budget being that of a $7000 item on the new road to Asheville through Boylston. It was claimed that the sum of $35,000 had been provided for this work on the engineer's estimate. The road commissioners had asked for an additional $7000 for this work, convinced, they said, that the highway could not be completed with the original amount.

Other items cut from the proposed budget were in smaller amounts, involving, it was brought out at the hearing, the salaries of road supervisors and highway patrolmen.

Mr. Breese, for the road commissioners, contended that the road board is operating under a special act passed in the early days of the last session of the legislature, giving to the road commissioners certain rights which are now being denied them. Mr. Fisher, for the county commissioners, contended that the state-wide county government act, passed later at the same session of the legislature, is the law under which all county agencies are working, and this act gives to the county commissioners the right to decide upon the budgets of all other county agencies, to approve or disapprove, as it seems best to the county commissioners.

Mr. Fisher, at the hearing, contended that a question of fact had arisen, therefore the county commissioners were entitled to a jury. This was disputed by Mr. Breese, for the road commissioners. Mr. Fisher made motion that a jury trial be ordered. Motion was denied.

The case will be argued before the Supreme court of the state. Interested citizens will watch the developments closely.

TO PAY $1 BUSHEL NEXT YEAR'S CROP

C. C. Yongue made announcement at the meeting of the Kiwanis club last Friday night that a group of business men will soon make an offer to the farmers of Transylvania couny to furnish seed potatoes and fertilizer and enter into contract to buy poatoes next fall at one dollar a bushel, the seed potatoes and fertilizer to be paid for out of the crop when it is marketed. The announcement was greeted with applause. Mr. Yongue stated that the concern will want as much as 300 acres planted in Irish potatoes next year in this county under this contract. This proposition and that of the Y & B Corporation with the independent buyers will make potato growing on, of the big items of the farmers in Transylvania county next year.

MR. HARTSELL IN GREAT REVIVAL

Rev. W. H. Hartsell, pastor of the Brevard Baptist church, spent last week at Cullowhee, where he conducted a revival for the Baptist pastor of that place. Reports reached Brevard bring information that the meeting was most successful, there having been 35 professions of faith and seven additions to the church by letter.

When asked about the meeting, Rev. Mr. Hartsell said he greatly enjoyed the work there, and spoke very highly of the splendid spirit of the Cullowhee Methodist minister who worked faithfully in the Baptist revival. "That Methodist preacher has one of the sweetest spirits I ever knew," was the way Mr. Hartsell expressed his appreciation of the cooperation of the Methodist pastor.

MR. T. E. REID MOVES FAMILY TO BREVARD

T. E. Reid, popular citizen of Oakland, is now with the Houston Furniture company and has moved his family to Brevard. They have taken the Mrs. [illegible] apartments and Mr. [illegible] daughter will attend the Brevard High school.

GREAT REVIVAL IS BROUGHT TO CLOSE IN SUPREME HOUR

Four Weeks' Earnest Campaign Adds 216 To Roll of Confessing Christians

GREAT THRONGS CROWDED TENT DURING REVIVAL

Cyclone Mack Made Hundreds of New Friends Because of His Uncompromising Fight

(By J. O. B.)

The 11 o'clock services held last Monday morning in the big gospel tabernacle near the Baptist church, brought to a close a four weeks evangelistical campaign by Rev. Baxter F. McLendon, of Bennetsville, South Carolina. In these meetings the noted evangelist has, according to the comments of ministers, church officials, and the public at large, unquestionably proved himself to be truly a man of God, a powerful evangelist whose influence in leading his fellowman to believe and accept the Christ that he preaches, nothing short of super-human.

So forceful are his messages, so plain are his illustrations of the Scriptures and so effective does he present the plan of salvation, that one man termed him as God's own Human Radio. "Yes sir," said he, "under the power of this man of super-natural influence is God's voice talking to a lost world and calling it back to the old time faith, that a fuller and deeper love may abound in the world. Cyclone Mack," he continued, "is far more than a preacher or an evangelist, he is an instrument through which God is speaking today, just as He spoke through the Prophets of olden days. Check him up,' said he, "and you will find that the life of McLendon is a 'detector' of right from wrong and that his prayers, amplified by the power of consecration seem to carry almost with the flash of his words, through the limitless space between here and Yonder—the Throne of God. Fearless, yet pleadingly, Mack stands upon the dial of Obedience and the world hears the agonizing cry of a dying Christ— the promise of a Risen Lord and the Call of a Living Jesus—coming to us from the Grand Central Station of the sky and picked up over an aerial Faith that seemingly reaches down from the very heart of God to meet the heart of Baxter McLendon.

"Never again in this age," he continued, as his head sank toward his breast with tears dripping from his eyes, "will Brevard and Transylvania have just such another opportunity to garner in the lost souls that are now so apparent on every hand" and, hesitatingly, he continued with a tremor in his voice, "in almost every home."

That much good has been accomplished from Mack's meetings and a fruitful harvest is to be expected here, is evidenced by a conservative estimate of 1500 church members who vowed reconsecration to the will of God and the cause of the church. In addition to which 216 new converts have, or will, be added to the church membership of the county. This phase of the meeting was keenly felt on last Sunday when practically every church within the county received new members.

The closing of Mack's meeting should be the beginning of a great spiritual awakening throughout the county. It is hoped that ministers and Christians of every church will take advantage of the opportunity and wage a continued warfare against every known form of sin, with renewed zeal and increased interest in the spiritual welfare of the manhood and womanhood of the county, that all may unite in making Transylvania a safer and better place in which to rear its young manhood and womanhood.

McLendon is a hard fighter—relentless as a foe to evil and untiring as a servant of the Master. He is a rare combination of frankness, sincerity, energy, obedience and love. In every sermon he cleaves to the Bible, upholds the redeeming power of Jesus Christ, and preaches sin black, life short, death certain and eternity long.

Rev. Wallace Hartsell, pastor of the Baptist church, who was away from the city during most of the first two weeks of the meetings, took an active part during the last week, rendering valuable service toward the success of the meeting. Rev. O.

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MEETING MOVED TO HIGH SCHOOL ROOM

Crowds attending the McLendon meetings at Rosman were so large that the church could not hold the people, and a delegation of Rosman citizens came to Brevard Wednesday morning and obtained consent of the school board to use the High School auditorium for the remainder of the meetings.

Hundreds of Brevard people are going to Rosman every night to hear Cyclone Mack, while other groups are attending from various sections of the county. All these, added to the Brevard people, made it impossible to continue the meetings in the church building.

725 YOUNG PEOPLE ENROLLED IN CITY SCHOOLS' ROSTER

Principal Jones, of High School, Gives Promise of Great School Year—Executive Ability

SCHOOL AUTHORITIES MAKE THE ADDRESSES

Band Furnishes Music for Occasion —Fine Corps of Teachers — Henderson Pleased

Prof. J. B. Jones, superintendent of the Brevard schools, demonstrated his leadership and ability as a school man on the opening day, Monday, when he called upon hard headed business men, who were members of the board of county commissioners and school boards, to address the teachers and student body rather than calling upon the professional public speakers of the town. The men who spoke being charged with the responsibility of financing and guiding the school could deal in actual facts while talking to the teachers and students.

There were 725 boys and girls enrolled in the Brevard schools on the opening day, and officials seeming to fully realize the responsibilities resting upon their shoulders in conducting the high school and the elementary school, which are charged with the training of this army of boys and girls.

A splendid program had been prepared for the opening exercises Monday morning, the municipal band rendering several selections, followed by scripture reading by Prof. Jones and prayer by Rev. V. A. Crawford. Supt. Jones, in his timely remarks on "Good Schools Through Cooperation" stressed the necessity of cooperation on the part of the boys and girls and the parents and teachers for successful school operation, and mentioned other essential agencies in school cooperation, such as the newspapers, civic organizations and churches, stating that the returns will be found in the happy, contented and useful boys and girls of the community.

In the absence of J. H. Pickelsimer, chairman of the county board of commissioners, another member of the board, C. C. Yongue, was introduced by Supt. Jones. Mr. Yongue in a few words called attention to the fact that the eight months' uniform school through the county would allow the school children the same credit rating as would the nine months' term, and that with a little closer application and a little less play the pupils would be able to make their grade without any trouble in the allotted eight months' time.

J. S. Bromfield, chairman of the county board of education, revealed an interesting fact when he made the statemnet that the board of education has invested over $500,000 in school property in Transylvania county, and that of this amount each child of school age owns about $125 worth of the property. Addressing the school children directly, Mr. Bromfield said, "It's your property, take care of it." He spoke of the value of an education and pointed out to the pupils that the board of education, through the taxes of their parents, makes it possible for every child in Transylvania county to have an education free.

W. M. Henry, representing the local board of trustees of the county schools, stressed the importance of working for ideals in education and mentioned several necessary elements in attaining this goal, such as good school buildings with modern equipment, efficient superintendent and well educated teachers fully equipped for work, and a manifest interest in education on the part of pupils, teachers and parents.

T. C. Henderson, county superintendent of schools, closed the program with interesting remarks concerning the advancement in the Transylvania county school system during the past 20 years, pointing out that little more than 20 years ago there was only one school in the county, with only 100 pupils and three teachers and the school term only four months in duration. Mr. Henderson traced briefly the history of the school system of this county up to its present adequate equipment in buildings, property and faculty members. He called attention to the fact that on account of the uniform tax law children from all sections of the county are allowed the same educational advantages as the Brevard boys and girls, stating further that the present indications point to the most successful school year ever experienced in Brevard and Transylvania county.

At the conclusion of the program, Supt. Jones introduced to the audience all of the high school teachers who were seated on the platform and then introduced Prof. M. H. Shope, principal of the Brevard Elementary school, who in turn introduced his faculty members also seated on the platform.

WOMAN'S BUREAU MEETING POSTPONED ONE WEEK

On account of the Labor Day holiday last Monday, the September meeting of the Woman's Bureau was postponed until next Monday, September 12. A full attendance is desired at this meeting, next Monday at 3:30 o'clock at the Chamber of Commerce room.