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NOTHING IN THE OLD WORLD OR THE NEW TO MATCH THIS SECTION FOR BEAUTY

"Why, Jim, I've been all over the Rocky Mountains, the Adirondacks, the Allegheny, in this country, and in the mountainous regions of the Old World, including Italy and the Alps, and there is no scenery in any of them to compare with that right here."

It was Mr. Randall W. Everett speaking, giving expression to his great admiration and love for this section. He had just returned from a trip with Rev. and Mrs. R. L. Alexander from Brevard, by Toxaway, to Cashiers, to Highlands, to Franklin, to Sylva, to Waynesville and back to Brevard by way of Mount Pisgah and the Pink Beds. Continuing, Mr. Everett said:

"Starting at Greenville, South Carolina, a tourist may come by way of Caesar's Head, to Brevard, and then take this swing around by Highlands, Franklin, Sylva, Waynesville, and back across Pisgah Mountain, and that tourist will have gazed upon the most wonderful natural scenic beauty in the whole world. Thousands of people now going to Europe would prefer this trip right here, if only they knew about it, and all the stretches of the highway were completed. Of course, the road work is rapidly nearing completion, and it seems to me that all Brevard has to do is to join in with other towns in this community and let the people know about this great beauty and the good roads now being completed throughout this section. Then, when the Great Smoky Mountain National Park is opened, it is 'good-night' to hard times hereabouts."

It is the belief of Mr. Everett that Brevard should devote full time and energy first to completion of the highways, and next to the task of telling the world about this matchless scenic beauty embraced within the boundary above described. He believes that so many tourists would come into this section, spending time and money, that the citizens here would reap a golden harvest. And Mr. Everett is exactly right.

Mr. Ernest Webb's force is about through work on the Brevard end of the Greenville highway. Soon he will move the force to the Caesar's Head end of the project. Within a few months this highway will be complete. Efforts are now being made to get the State to go to work on the Pisgah Forest end of Highway 28, and on the Boylston road, to the Henderson county line.

State forces are completing the highway from Highlands by Cashiers to the Transylvania county line. The Franklin end of that project is already completed. Work on the Great Smoky Mountains National Park is being rushed, and the Champion Fibre company has settled with the states of North Carolina and Tennessee for the lands held by that concern, embraced within the park area, which gives guarantee of the early completion of all plans in connection with the National Park. So it is, indeed, looking like this little old community is about to come into its own at last.

Editor Peace, of The Greenville News, says that his Community will fill Brevard over the week-end and every week-end just as soon as the highway work is completed on 28 from South Carolina line to Brevard. Charlotte boys are planning to come to Brevard this summer in large numbers. Florida, the old reliable, and South Carolina from Charleston this way, are both sending large numbers of tourists to this community this year. The camps will bring hundreds of men and women who will want to be near the boys and girls in camp, and all told, we are in for a fairly good 1931 season, and a great future indeed after the road work is done.

BONDED WHEN BORN INTO AMOUNTS ALMOST UNKNOWN

"Born, to Mr. and Mrs. John Smith, a son, John, Jr."

That is what readers of newspapers may see most any day when their home paper is published, only the name may not be John Smith, but that doesn't matter.

The boy is born, and the parents

are happy, and the neighbors come in to look the youngsters over, and within a short time he is cooing his first coo, and then he smiles, and one day he learns to say "Daddy." Then comes the crawling, and the standing alone, and then the walking, step by step, until his little feet can trot over the floor faster than a jack rabbit.

But what if that little fellow could know the bonded state into which he has been born! What if he could know of the Federal bonds, the State bonds, the county bonds, the town bonds, the school district bonds, the road bonds, and all other sorts and kinds of bonds into which our children are being born?

Do you know what is going to happen out yonder about 1945 or 1950? Or it may be by 1940 that it will happen. Here it is:

The little John Smiths who have been born into this bonded state of affairs are going to rise up and say "To h— with these bonds that our fool daddies and mummies placed about us and heaped upon us. We are not going to pay them, and that's that, and you bondholders can make the most of it, so shoot your wad and shoot quickly."

After all, is it quite right to bond our babies yet unborn? Is it the part of wisdom to create national, state, county and municipal debts that will break the backs of the coming generation to pay? Do you think our posterity will rise up and call us blessed, out yonder when pay day comes?

FIFTEEN-CENT AD VALOREM TAX MIGHTY APT TO GROW

Presuming that the legislature will adopt the new revenue bill providing for a 15-cent ad valorem tax for operation of the six months' school, with no sales tax of any kind, we would like to point out the danger of that fifteen cents growing to sixty, or even to seventy-five cents, instead of remaining at the fifteen cents, as planned in the revenue bill.

The purpose of the bill is to allow the authorities to collect fifteen cents on the hundred dollars valuation of real estate and personal property to apply on the six months' school term. If this could be followed to the letter, it would mean great savings to many counties in the state. But will it remain at the fifteen cents on the hundred dollars? That's the question.

You see, there is the extra two months, or extended term, in counties having the eight months' term. The state has nothing to do with the money for this extended term, or the two months extra. That must be levied, in addition to the fifteen cents for the six months' term. Just how much is that extra two months to cost? Just what will be the assessment for this extended term?

Unless this feature is closely watched, what we think of as being fifteen cents on the hundred dollars valuation will be stretched away out yonder.

HERE'S HOW TO GET YOUR PICTURE IN THE PAPER

If you want your picture on the front pages of all the big daily newspapers (and little ones, for that matter), just sue your old man for divorce, or the old woman, as the case may be. That's all. This divorce racket is certain to produce the picture. You women who crave to see your beautiful faces looking out at you from the front page of the paper, just enter suit for divorce, and you'll get it there. You needn't think that you can get your picture in the paper by having babies, and keeping house, and attending church, and saying your prayers, and singing a lullaby over the cradle, or leading a class of children in Sunday school. No, Sir, or Madam, we meant. That's not the way.

But you enter suit for divorce, and sue the old man for alimony, and by all the hecks in heckdom, your picture will peep right out at you from the very next day's newspaper.

Don't you get sick and tired of seeing all these fool pictures of fool men and women who are getting divorced from one another, blasting the front pages of the papers? Do you reckon there is any way in the world to stop it?

A REQUEST

Editor The Brevard News,
May we have space in which to ask the public to co-operate with us in keeping Gillespie cemetery in the best possible condition?

We would ask people to exercise care when digging graves and not throw the fresh dirt from such graves onto the plots of others. We also ask that people refrain from leaving jars, bottles, boxes, and other receptacles in which flowers have been carried, scattered about the cemetery.

Several people have complained to us about the practice of others in breaking flowers from plots belonging to various citizens. Please do not despoil the plots and graves so tenderly cared for by others.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Gillespie.

BREVARD SCOUTS WIN IN JAMBOREE

Silver Fox Patrol Won First
Place in Signaling—Ranked
Fourth in Total Scores

(By SCOUT REPORTER)

Brevard Troop No. 1 of the Boy Scouts of America won fourth place in the annual jamboree for Scouts of the Daniel Boone Council Saturday. Four hundred Scouts participated in the various events and there were as many spectators in the grand stand of the Asheville Memorial Stadium. Led by the drum and bugle corps, the Scouts paraded from the Federal building to the stadium. The events at the stadium, included signaling, knot tying, first aid, a dressing race, a fire building contest, tent pitching contest and wall scaling race.

The local troop placed in four of the principal events, taking one first place, one second, one fourth and two fifths.

In knot tying, fourth place; signaling, first and second places; fire building, fifth place; and inspection, second place.

Asheville Troop 4 dropped to third place this year. They have held the Jamboree and Bon Marche trophy for several years. The winning troop, Asheville No. 8, scored a total of 51 points, while the Brevard troop placed fourth, with 23 points.

In the signaling contest, in which Brevard took first and fifth honors, the Silver Fox Patrol taking first and the Wolves fifth.

The world's record for wall scaling is 11 seconds, the winning team this year scaled the wall in fourteen seconds. Last year the record was nineteen and one-fifth seconds.

The spirit of rivalry and competition ran high during the jamboree, and all the scouts fought fair and hard for honors.

Lake Toxaway News

Mrs. James Merrill of Penrose, spent a few days last week with relatives and friends in Toxaway.

L. C. Case Jr. was in Asheville last week.

Mrs. Eli McKinna spent last Thursday with her daughter, Mrs. Lon O'Shields.

Mrs. Ward Breedlove of Selma was visiting relatives here last week.

Misses Willie Mae Owen and Virginia Bruner spent last Thursday night with Mrs. Welch Galloway, at Rosman.

Allen Dunn of Bald Mountain, who died last Thursday morning, May 21, was buried at the Lake Toxaway cemetery Saturday. Funeral service was conducted by Rev. S. B. McCall, at Toxaway Baptist church.

Mrs. LeFoy of Greenville, S. C., is spending the summer with her son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. F. Y. Willbanks.

Misses Virginia Bruner and Willie Mae Owen spent the week-end at Inman, S. C., visiting Miss Owen's relatives.

Clyde Breedlove of Glenville, spent last Friday night with his aunt, Mrs. Fannie McCoy.

Miss Emma Lee Merrill of Penrose spent last week with her cousin, Mrs. Arrowood Lee.

Cleon Williams spent last Friday in Greenville, S. C.

Henry Arrowood and daughter, Miss Blanche, returned home Saturday afternoon from Tuscola, Tenn., where Mr. Arrowood has been for some time on account of the illness of his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Gillespie and daughter, Virginia and B. T. Egerton spent last Sunday at Lake Lure.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Ray, Misses Essie Owen and Edith Sanders and O'Neil Owen were in Cashiers last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roberts, who have spent the last three weeks in Texas, have returned to Toxaway.

Mr. and Mrs. Richardson of Atlanta, spent last Sunday here.

Mrs. Charlie Lee spent Sunday afternoon with her daughter, Mrs. Hosea Lee.

Mrs. Allen Dunn and family of Bald Mountain, spent last Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Louie Fisher.

Tom Lyda of Rosman, spent last week with his daughter, Mrs. Bishop Teague.

YOUNG TAR HEEL FARMERS TO MEET SATURDAY NIGHT

Members of the Young Tar Heel Farmers of the Brevard High School group will meet this Saturday night for work in the club activities. It is hoped that a full attendance will be marked up. At 3 o'clock in the afternoon the boys will meet to form an athletic association.

man, were visitors at the home of Jack Smith on Friday and Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Ebert Whitmire visited the former's relatives in Columbus, N. C., the past week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Moore and Miss Heen Henderson motored to South Carolina last week to visit Mr. Moore's father.

Rev. Mr. Bert filled his regular appointment Sunday morning. We would be glad if more people of the community would attend the services every second and fourth Sundays. If you once hear Mr. Bert you will want to hear him again.

Misses Nell Robinson and Edna McCall, Cecil Robinson and Fred Chapman motored to Enka last Wednesday.

Mrs. Avery Reid and children, Mr. and Mrs. Mitch Neely, Mr. and Mrs. Jud McCrary called on Mrs. Elizabeth Reece Sunday.

Grandma Henderson, who has been on the sick list for some time, is still bedfast, but doesn't suffer greatly.

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Checkerboard Chatter

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"Mr. Meant-to" has a comrade, and his name is "Didn't-do;" Have YOU ever chanced to meet them? Did they ever call on you? These two fellows live together, in the house of "Never-win." And I'm told that it is haunted by the ghosts of "Might-have-been."

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Irish potatoes are showing up nicely. Bugs will be along pretty soon. — We have some nifty spray outfits that are the very thing for potatoes, beans and garden work. We carry a full line of spray materials and insecticides.

Success isn't a matter of what business a man's in but what is in that business.

The Legislature is very apt to finish their work this week — But their work won't make your crops grow — V.-C. Fertilizers can do for your crops what

the Legislature can not possibly do.

Bob — "I'm smoking a terrible lot of cigars lately." Rob — "You are if that's one of them."

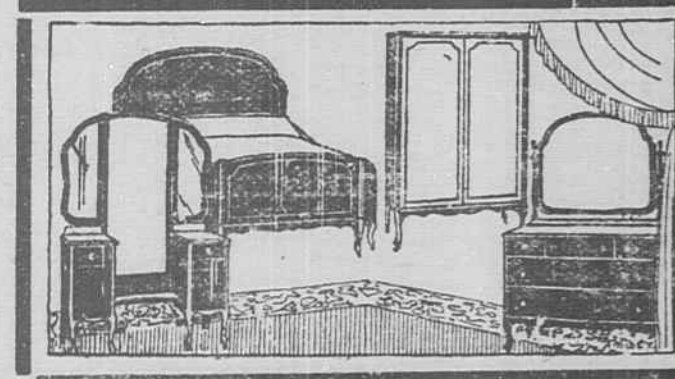
Any way, there is one time in the pedestrian's life that he has the right of way, even if it is when he is riding in an ambulance. . . .

Here's one that was asked by one of our customers last week "If the flivver wanted to race, would the table runner?"

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SUMMER AND FURNITURE GO HAND IN HAND

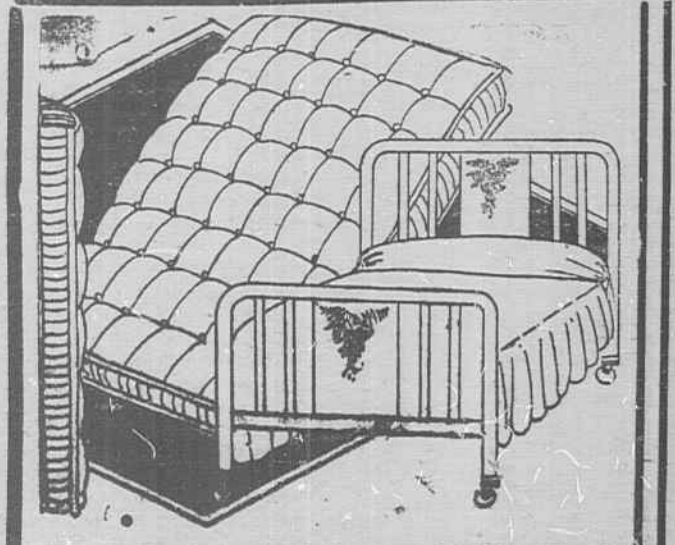
Summer is here and with it will come the hundreds of visitors who make Brevard and Transylvania County their Mecca in the hot season. Whether you expect to have paying guests in your home or whether you entertain your friends, you want your Home to look its best. Let us help you in beautifying your Home and that at a very nominal cost.



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