

Atlantic Telephone Manager Retires After 23 Years

W.E. "Earl" Bellamy will retire from the Atlantic Telephone Membership Corporation on Monday, Sept. 30, after 23 years as general manager.

Russell Price of Calabash, a 20-year employee with ATMC, will succeed Bellamy as chief executive officer of the state's third largest telephone cooperative and the only one that provides cable television service.

ATMC currently serves more than 14,000 telephone customers and 3,500 cable subscribers.

Since Bellamy, 63, became general manager many changes and additions have occurred at ATMC.

Among these are the replacement of the original aerial plant, an extensive underground construction program, providing basic four-party service, and the establishment of the Holden Beach and Calabash-Seaside telephone exchanges in the 60s.

An extensive conversion program from four-party to one-party begun in 1969 was completed in 1973. A new headquarters site was selected and in 1978 new buildings were constructed

on N.C. 130 next to West Brunswick High School. And, in 1969, Boiling Spring Lakes became the sixth exchange on the system.

Bellamy was instrumental also in the cooperative's venture into cable television, with system construction begun in 1982.

Bellamy has been associated with several state and national telephone associations. He served as president of the Carolina-Virginia Telephone Membership for two years and was on its board of directors for 23 years. He has also served on several com-

mittees of the N.C. Telephone Association and the National Telephone Cooperative Association.

Over the years, he has been active with the American Legion, the Boy Scouts and the Shalotte Lions Club. He is presently on the Morehead Scholarship Committee, a director of the Security Savings and Loan Association, and a member of the local advisory board of United Carolina Bank.

Bellamy and his wife Irene have four children: Greg Bellamy of Holden Beach, and Allen Bellamy,

Tanya Long, and Sheree Bellamy, all of Supply.

Bellamy was born in Supply on Jan. 22, 1922. He graduated from Shalotte High School in 1939, and entered the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill in fall 1940. While at UNC he joined the Naval Reserve Officer's Training Corps and on July 1, 1943, was commissioned an ensign in the U.S. Navy. He was on active duty until September 1946. His entire naval career was spent in the Pacific with anti-submarine warfare units.

From 1946 to 1948, Bellamy taught and coached at Shalotte High School. He returned to UNC summers to complete his bachelor's degree. During the 50s Bellamy taught in the vocational farm and shop program in Shalotte. He was also employed with Russ and White Motor Sales for three years.

In 1954 Bellamy was elected judge of Brunswick County Recorder's Court, and he was re-elected in 1956, 1958, and 1960. On March 31, 1962, he resigned and accepted the position of general manager of ATMC.



W.E. "EARL" BELLAMY

Officers Added, Promoted

Several promotions and staff additions have occurred at the Brunswick County Sheriff's Department since the start of a new fiscal year in July, says Sheriff John Carr Davis.

Nancy Simpson, a former dispatcher and most recently the agency's crime prevention officer, has been assigned to the detective division. She will work investigations in the Holden Beach area as well as continuing to handle child and sexual abuse cases. While she expects to remain in touch with area Community Watch groups, former road deputy Donald Gates succeeds her as the department's crime prevention officer. He will also work with banks and other commercial establishments in the area of security, said Davis.

Pam Hunt has been promoted from dispatcher to secretary of the detective division and telecommunications supervisor.

Another dispatcher, Carol Coleman, has been promoted to the detective division.

In addition to filling vacancies created by their promotions, two additional dispatchers have been hired to allow scheduling of two dispatchers in the office on weekends, holidays and nights from 6 p.m. to 2 a.m. when fewer officers are on active duty.

Hiring of four new deputies has allowed a doubling of the road patrol from 6 p.m. to 2 a.m. as well, Davis said. The additions include Greg Wood, Thomas Allen, former Long Beach Police Chief James Sloop and Larry Jones. Another deputy, Douglas Todd, has been hired to replace Frances Goins. She has retired on disability.

Shelter Offers Pets Of Week

The Brunswick County Animal Shelter has several pets available for adoption.


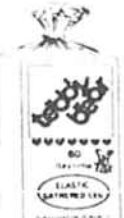

































Zelma Babson, animal control supervisor, has chosen a short-hair female buff and yellow cat and a group of young kittens as pets of the week.

Other featured animals up for adoption include a female brown and black German shepherd mix and a white male samoyed/husky.

These animals, and many more, can be seen at the animal shelter Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. The shelter is located off N.C. 211 near Supply.

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