

Guard Accepting Applications

The United States Coast Guard Academy has announced that it is now accepting and processing applications for appointment as Cadet, U.S. Coast Guard, Class of 1991. Applications are being accepted for both men and women. Appointments as Coast Guard Cadets are tendered solely on the basis of an annual nationwide competition, with no congressional appointments or geographical quotas.

Applications for appointment must be submitted to the Director of Admissions, U.S. Coast Guard Academy, prior to December 15, 1986. Candidates must arrange to participate in either the College Board Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT) or American College Testing Assessment (ACT) prior to or including the December 13, 1986 administration for the ACT, and the December 6, 1986 administration for the SAT.

The competition for appointment as Cadet is based on the candidate's high school rank, performance on either the SAT or ACT, and leadership potential as demonstrated by participation in high school extracurricular activities, community affairs and/or part-time employment. Most successful candidates rank in the top quarter of their high school class and demonstrate proficiency in both the mathematical and applied science fields.

To qualify for the competition, an applicant must be unmarried

at the time of appointment, have no legal obligations resulting from a prior marriage, and must have reached the age of 17 but not 22 by July 1, 1987. All applicants must be assured of high school graduation by June 30, 1987. Regulations stipulate that all applicants must have completed three units in English, and three in mathematics to include algebra and plan or coordinate geometry or their equivalents, and must fulfill basic physical requirements.

Coast Guard Cadets obtain an excellent undergraduate education at no personal expense. In addition, they receive pay and allowances fully adequate to fulfill their ordinary living expenses. The constantly updated Academy curriculum leads to a Bachelor of Science degree with a strong academic emphasis on engineering and science. The selected major studies, when combined with varied elective courses, establish a solid foundation for a challenging career.

Graduates of the Academy are awarded a Bachelor of Science degree and are commissioned as Ensigns in the United States Coast Guard.

For further information write: Director of Admissions, U.S. Coast Guard Academy, New London, CT 06320 or call (203) 444-8501.

Obituaries

Pearl Harrell

Mrs. Pearl Byrum Harrell, 90, of Route 1, Edenton, died September 28 at her home. A native of Chowan County, she was the daughter of the late Jessie Leary Byrum and William H. Byrum. She was the widow of William A. (Will) Harrell, a homemaker and a member of Rocky Hock Baptist Church and Edenton Chapter 302, Order of Eastern Star.

Survivors include: one daughter - Mrs. Eleanor H. Partin of Edenton; two sons - Earl G. Harrell and Jesse L. Harrell, both of Edenton; two sisters - Bertha B. Bunch and Beulah B. Haste, both of Edenton; 12 grandchildren; and 19 great-grandchildren.

A funeral service for Mrs. Harrell was conducted at 3:00 p.m. on Monday, September 29 in Rocky Hock Baptist Church with Rev. Donald Wagner officiating. Burial followed in Beaver Hill Cemetery.

Williford-Barham Funeral Home of Edenton was in charge of arrangements.

Tharlton Lawrence

Tharlton Lawrence, 73, of Edenton, died September 28 in Chowan Hospital. A native of Chowan County, he was the son of the late Matilda and Fred Lawrence, and the husband of Arlethia Lawrence. He had been employed by Chowan Veneer, and was a member of Canaan's Temple A.M.E. Zion Church.

In addition to his wife, other survivors include: six sons - Tharlton Lawrence, Jr., of Roper, Allen Lawrence, Jerry Lawrence, Larry Lawrence, and Freddy Lawrence, all of Edenton, and Ellis Lawrence of Hertford; five daughters - Mrs. Lillian Spellman and Mrs. Grace Ferebee, both of Hertford, Mrs. Margaret Liverman of Farmville, Sarah Lawrence and Lolita Lawrence, both of Edenton; one brother - John P. Lawrence of Edenton; three sisters - Mrs. Claudia Williams of Edenton, Bertha Lawrence and Dorothy Lawrence, of Baltimore, Md.; 20 grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

A funeral service for Mr. Lawrence will be conducted at 2:00 p.m. on Thursday, October 2 (today) in Canaan's Temple A.M.E. Zion Church with Rev. Clinton Brickhouse officiating. Burial will follow in the church cemetery.

Blair Funeral Home of Edenton is in charge of arrangements.

Graham Bass

Graham Byrum Bass, 42, of 202 Perry Drive, Goldsboro, died September 19 in Wayne Memorial Hospital following a lengthy illness. A native of Chowan County, he was the son of Mary and Graham Bass of Edenton, and the husband of Mrs. Johnnie Sasser Bass of Goldsboro. He was employed for 17 years with United Parcel Service, and had been a manager for eight years. Bass was a member of Rosewood First Baptist Church, an honorary retiree of Teamsters Local 391, a member of TPA, a former Little League coach and was active in the Rosewood Softball League.

In addition to his parents and his wife, other survivors include: one son - Trey Bass, of the home; two daughters - Paula Bass and Susan Bass, both of the home; two brothers - Carroll Bass of Edenton and Robert Bass of Ayden; several nieces and nephews.

A funeral service for Mr. Bass was conducted September 21 in

Seymour Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Marvin Willis and Rev. Charles Heath officiating. Burial followed in Wayne Memorial Park.

Pallbearers were Roger Brickhouse, Charles Gay, Donnie Medlin, Lew Rentis, Dilly Ziglar and Ricky Hardison. Honorary pallbearers were the package car drivers from the East Carolina District of United Parcel Service.

Seymour Funeral Home of Goldsboro was in charge of arrangements.

Arthur Conrad, Sr.

Arthur James Conrad, Sr., 52 of 43 Piedmont Avenue, Hampton, Va., died Friday, September 26 in Hampton General Hospital. A native of Salem, Massachusetts, he had lived on the Peninsula since 1950. He was an Air Force veteran of the Korean War and a member of the Loyal Order of Moose No. 1119 in Newport News.

In addition to his wife, Mrs. Erna Gertrude Conrad, other survivors include: four daughters - Mrs. Wanda G. Oliver, Mrs. Pamela C. Keeter, and Mrs. Kelly L. Jones, all of Edenton, and Mrs. Cheryl L. Lee of Fredericksburg, Va.; three sons - Arthur J. Conrad, Jr., of Edenton, Robert A. Snead and G. Steven Snead, both of Fredericksburg, Va.; three sisters - Mrs. Sandra Morse and Mrs. Ruth Meniates, both of Beverly, Mass., and Mrs. Mary A. Lauranzano of Hamilton, Mass.; three brothers - Kenneth Conrad of Fort Myers, Fla., Douglas Con-

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Preventive Measures Urged

The FBI announced that, over a 10-year period, an average of one of every four residences throughout the Nation is likely to be burglarized, according to recently tabulated Uniform Crime Reporting probability figures. The data, based on the current residential burglary experience, show the chance is even greater over longer timeframes. For a 30-year period, the burglary probability exceeds an average of one of every two households.

The Nation's households have lost an estimated \$13 billion to burglars during the 1980's. Residential burglaries reported to law enforcement totaled more than 13 million from 1980 to 1985, or 27 burglaries annually for every 1,000 households.

Data concerning those offenses for which time of entry is known show more residential burglaries occur during the daylight hours than at night, and the average loss

per break-in is higher for daytime occurrences. Household burglaries result in greater average losses than those against non-residential property such as commercial and industrial buildings.

Something can be done about this offense. The FBI said collective crime prevention efforts by citizens and law enforcement can make a difference. Crime prevention programs conducted by citizens' groups, such as Crime Stoppers and Neighborhood Watch programs, have been developed throughout the country and have been shown to be effective in helping to reduce vulnerability to crimes such as residential burglaries.

Crime preventive measures are often simply a matter of common sense. For example, giving a residence an "occupied-at-the-moment" look while the homeowner is away, and properly securing all doors.

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