



## E. S. Christenbury To Make Closing Speech

ANDREWS — The final graduating exercises of the Andrews city schools will be held on the evening of May 16 at 8 o'clock. At this time diplomas will be awarded to approximately thirty-six students of which number eleven are GI students. Of the latter approximately half have qualified for the diploma by taking the General Educational Development tests, whereas the others are carrying regular work in the high school.

The literary address on the occasion will be delivered by E. S. Christenbury of Chattanooga, Tenn., area educational officer with TVA.

On Sunday evening, May 11, the baccalaureate sermon will be delivered by Rev. R. E. McClure, executive secretary of the Asheville Presbytery.

Graduating exercises for the eighth grade will be held in the school auditorium at 10:00 o'clock on Friday, May 16, at which time certificates of promotion will be delivered to approximately eighty pupils.

Class day exercises will be held by the senior class on Thursday evening, May 15. Miss Jean Christy is class sponsor.

The Junior-Senior banquet is being held on Friday evening, April 25, at the Terrace Hotel.

The senior play will be given Friday evening, April 18.

## Rev. R. L. Young Lists Services

The Rev. Russell L. Young, pastor of the First Methodist Church, has chosen for his sermon at the 11 o'clock service Sunday morning, "I Believe in Jesus Christ" and at the 8 o'clock evening service, "I Believe in the Virgin Birth."

Sunday School will be at 9:45 a. m. and Youth Fellowship will meet at 7 p. m. The parsonage building committee will meet immediately following the evening service.

Junior choir rehearsal will be at 7 o'clock, Tuesday evening at the church. Prayer meeting will be at 7:30 o'clock Wednesday evening. Senior choir rehearsal will follow immediately.

The pastor is continuing a series of messages of the Apostle's Creed to which the public is invited. Special attention is called to change in evening service to 8 o'clock.

## Mrs. Pullium Is Installed As President Of The P. T. A.

ANDREWS — The Andrews P. T. A. met in high school auditorium Tuesday, April 8, at 3 o'clock with Mrs. Tom Hay, president, presiding.

The program was turned over to Mrs. Wendell Morris, program chairman. The program presented was sponsored by Mrs. Ruth Webb Garner and the program was as follows: Song, "Beautiful Dreamer" — Dixie White, E. J. Pullium, Jack Mosteller, Wendell Lovingood, Harold Parker and Whit Davis. "Some Sunday Morning", Barbara West and E. J. Pullium. Reading: "Sister's Feller", Patricia Thomasson. Song, "They Gypsy", Jean Thompson, Jack Mosteller; "Bicycle Built for Two", Fern McConnell and Jack Mosteller; "Always", Mary Frances Robinson, Wendell Lovingood; "Paper Doll", Bonnie Lee Smith and Whit Davis. Miss Frances Jane Phillips was piano accompanist. "Dark Town Parker Club" a minstrel, Billy McFalls, Joe Mintz, Le Roy Walsh, Dee Whitt Sharp, Billy Keith West.

After the program the minutes of the last meeting were read by the secretary, Mrs. Hazel Abernathy. Miss Boone, treasurer, gave a financial report. Reports from all the standing committees were given.

Mrs. John Christy, installation officer, installed the following officers for the next school term of 1947-48: President, Mrs. Galusha Pullium; secretary, Miss Tribby Glenn; treasurer, Miss Ethel Boone.

Miss Glenn's section of the first grade won the award for having the most parents attending the meeting.

Mrs. Hay expressed her appreciation to the officers and chairman of the P. T. A. for their help and cooperation for the past two years she has served as president.

## Tate To Preach Sunday on "Love"

"Love, the Greatest Thing in the World" is the subject announced by the Rev. T. G. Tate for his sermon Sunday morning at 11 o'clock at the Presbyterian church. Sunday school will meet at 10 a. m. and Youth Fellowship at 6:45 p. m.

There will be no evening service. Mr. Tate will preach at Hayesville Presbyterian church at 7:30 o'clock Sunday evening.

Jack Young of Atlanta, spent the week-end here with Dr. and Mrs. B. W. Whitfield.



RE-ELECTED — Supt. H. Bueck, who has been re-elected for another two years as superintendent of Murphy City schools.

## Reminds Public That Murphy High School Is Accredited

When a student receives his diploma from Murphy high school, he can enter any college that accepts students without special examination. There are only about three universities in the country that require exams. If he has taken the college entrance course in high school, he can enter any college without condition.

These facts are pointed out by Supt. H. Bueck, who states that there have been statements made in town recently that Murphy high school is not accredited. He says that it is accredited and has been continuously since 1923, according to the Educational Directory of North Carolina, issued by the Superintendent of Public Instruction. The elementary school also is accredited.

## Porter Raper Is Directing Operetta For Friday Night

The 8th grades of Murphy School will present an operetta, "Mountain Music", by Otis Carrington, on Friday evening, April 18, at 8 o'clock in the school auditorium.

The operetta is under the direction of Porter Raper. The cast is as follows:

Maw, Mary Edith Hemphill; Paw, Tommy Kilpatrick; Singing Bill, W. A. Sherrill, Jr.; Susan, Barbara Reid; Walt, Don Ammons; Jake, Ralph Isenhour; Joe, Billy Brandon; Sally, Doris Wells; Maisie, Annie Ruth Campbell; and Dasie, Janelle Hensley.

Sailor chorus and neighbors who come to the "Singing", 8th grade boys and girls.

There is no admission charge, and the public is invited.

## Contest Winners To Compete At State Assembly June 5-11

The regional Baptist Training Union convention held at Andrews last Friday and Saturday was attended by 200 members from Western North Carolina.

At the closing session Saturday the following officers were elected: Director, E. Q. White, Franklin; associate director, C. O. Vance, Webster; secretary, Mrs. Clay Rogers, Hayesville; chorister, Rev. T. Earl Ogg, Andrews; pianist, Mrs. Ogg; pastor advisor, the Rev. J. Alton Morris, Murphy; adult leader, J. H. Brookshire, Franklin; young people's leader (to be selected); intermediate leader, Miss Hattie Hilda Sutton, Sylva; junior leader, Mrs. C. E. Parker, Franklin; and story hour leader, Miss Mildred Cowan, Webster.

Winners in the various contests were as follows:

Young people's better speakers: first, Miss Frances Dalrymple, Franklin; second, Willard Ramsey, Brasstown.

Intermediate sword drill: first, Miss Tommie Lunsford, Andrews; second, Miss Doris Raxter, Andrews.

Junior memory work: first, Miss Carolyn Dupree, Andrews; second, Miss Janet Parker, Franklin.

Hymn festival: first, Murphy Junior choir.

Winners will go to Ridgecrest to participate in the contests at the State Training Union assembly June 5-11, competing with winners from the other nine regions of the state.

### COMMUNITY SINGING

The Liberty community singing will be held at Ranger Baptist church, Ranger, Sunday, April 20, and at the Bachman School, Farmer, Tenn., Sunday, April 27, for the orphan children. The public and all special singers are invited to attend.

Mrs. Lyman Martyn and small son, Lyn, arrived last week from Foley, Ala., for a visit with her parents, the Rev. and Mrs. T. G. Tate.

## To Conduct Schools On Room Improvement Here

Miss Rose Ellwood Bryan, specialist in Home Management and House Furnishings from North Carolina State College, will be in Cherokee county April 23 and 24 to conduct two 4-H Club Room Improvement schools. On Wednesday, April 23, Miss Bryan will be at the high school in Andrews, and on Thursday at the Murphy Recreation room. The demonstrations will begin at 9:30 o'clock and will cover all phases of planning a girl's room for comfort and convenience.

All 4-H club girls in the county who are taking room improvement projects and their mothers are invited to attend these meetings.

## Coward's Store Opens This Week

Murphy's newest business establishment is Coward's, men's and boys' store, which was opened this week by Mr. and Mrs. Alden Coward, who will operate it. It is located in Townson building, the store formerly occupied by Whitaker Bros.

## Bueck Attends Conference

Supt. H. Bueck was one of three school superintendents in the state invited to attend the meeting of college professors and other educators in Winston-Salem Thursday to discuss higher education. He represented the directors of off-campus college centers. He was accompanied to Winston-Salem by Dr. B. W. Whitfield.

### HAS FACE BURNED

Cloe Moore is suffering from burns on his face this week, as a result of rays from a carbon electrode torch.

## Supt. Clyde Erwin Is Speaker For Finals



Dr. Clyde A. Erwin, state superintendent of Public Instruction, has accepted an invitation of Supt. H. Bueck to deliver the address at the commencement exercises of Murphy high school. The exercises will be in the school auditorium on Wednesday evening, May 14, at 8 o'clock, with approximately 52 students graduating.

On May 13 the primary grades will give an operetta, under the direction of the teachers.

May Day will be observed on May 2, with the queen being selected from the high school and the dances by grammar grade pupils.

The baccalaureate sermon will be on May 11 at 11 a. m., at the Methodist church, with the Rev. Russell L. Young preaching.

## Drunken Driving Cases Tried In Superior Court

Most of the cases disposed of in superior court last week were for violation of the prohibition law and driving while intoxicated. Among the number were:

Driving while drunk: Gordon King, fine \$50 and costs and road sentence suspended; Kendall Adams, \$50 and costs, suspended sentence; Wiley Brooks, \$100 and costs, suspended sentence; Mart Hamby, \$50 and costs, suspended sentence; Garland Graves, \$50 and costs, suspended sentence; Coy Oliver, \$50 and costs, suspended sentence; Verlin Randolph, \$25 and costs; Gene Roberson, \$75 and costs, suspended sentence; Ernest Young, driving while drunk and violation of Prohibition law, \$250 and costs, license revoked, road sentence suspended; Clyde Hamilton, driving drunk, \$50 and costs, road sentence suspended.

Gilbert Carringer, abandonment and non-support, \$50 per month from April 1947 and every month thereafter paid to superintendent of public welfare of Graham county to be used for support of three children, 6, 4, and 3 years of age until judgment be modified, bond of \$500 to appear at each criminal term of court.

Pearl Johnson, driving drunk, and violation prohibition law, \$75 and costs, suspended sentence.

Violation of prohibition law, Ralph Baker, road sentence four months; Glen Kirkland, \$50 and costs; Kenneth Walters, \$25 and costs; Robert D. Felton, Jr., \$25 and costs; Creed Head, road sentence 12 months; Mrs. Head, prison sentence, six months; Lee Morrow, Mrs. Lee Morrow, 12 months sentence; Posey Stewart, \$50 and costs, suspended sentence; Roy Dockery, road sentence eight months; Allen Wise, violation prohibition law and forgery, road sentence 18 months; Fred Stewart, \$25 and costs, road sentence 90 days; Charles Walter Stewart, \$100 and costs, suspended sentence.

Violation prohibition law, Wade Mull \$100 and costs, suspended sentence; Glen Beavers, \$25 and costs suspended sentence.

Jack Ramsey, carrying concealed weapon, road sentence 90 days.

Dallas Millsaps, reckless driving, \$25 and costs; Franklin Capps, reckless driving, \$25 and costs; Grady Walters, reckless driving, \$25 and costs.

Divorces granted: Albert C. Almond vs. Onie Almond; Mabel Rogers Pinnix vs. Ralph Pinnix; Lola Bryson Stovall vs. Frank Stovall; Stella Ashe Killian vs. Lonnie Killian; Neal Robertson vs. Madeline Medlin Robertson; Frances Gibson Rowland next friend Buster Gibson vs. Gay Rowland; Louis Edward Arban vs. Della Elrod Arban.

Gussie Hampton et al, vs. W. A. Hampton et al, compromise; Geneva Hamby vs. William Mart Hamby, compromise.

### GUILD TO MEET

The Wesleyan Service Guild will meet at the home of Mrs. Walter Mauney, with Miss Clara McCombs and Mrs. Laura Freeman as co-hostesses on Monday, April 21, at 7:30 p. m. Mrs. Sarah Lloyd will have the devotional and Miss Mary Cornwell the program.

### ON RADIO HOUR —

Featuring Dr. C. E. Matthews as speaker on the subject, "God's Universal Indictment, the third program of the current Baptist Hour series will be presented next Sunday, April 20, over an independent network extending from Baltimore, Maryland to Miami, Florida and westward to include Texas, New Mexico, Oklahoma and Missouri, as announced by the Radio Commission of the Southern Baptist Convention. S. F. Lowe, Director, Atlanta, Georgia. The Atlanta announcement further reveals that Dr. Matthews, now Secretary of Evangelism of the Baptist Home Mission Board, was for 24 years the effective pastor of the Travis Avenue Baptist Church of Fort Worth, Texas, which has a membership of 5,967.

Mr. Lowe states that under Dr. Matthews' leadership the churches of the Southern Baptist Convention are maintaining a sustained, concerted evangelistic emphasis for the three months period April May and June.

The Baptist Hour may be heard in this section over WSB, Atlanta.

## Final Rites Held For H. V. Burrell

Henry Vanderbilt Burrell, 74, died at a Murphy hospital, Tuesday, April 8, at 10:20 p. m. Funeral services were held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock at Peachtree Baptist church, with the Rev. J. H. Stansberry officiating. Burial was in the church cemetery with Ivie funeral home in charge.

Grandsons were pallbearers. A native of Towns county, Ga., he lived on Route No. 2, Murphy.

He is survived by four sons, William H. Fred and Sam Burrell, all of Murphy and Clayton of Robbinsville, and three daughters, Mrs. Vinnie Martin and Mrs. Tennie Zervas of Murphy, and Mrs. Dortha Ellis of Cleveland, Tenn., and 48 grandchildren.

## Two Local Boys On Honor Roll

Paul Hill, freshman, and Walter Carringer, sophomore, students at Western Carolina Teachers college, were among the list of names published recently by the Registrar's office as having made the winter quarter honor roll.

Both of these students also made the honor roll for the fall quarter which makes them eligible for admission to the Alpha Pi Sigma fraternity, a national honorary society. The Zeta Chapter of this fraternity, which was organized in 1930-31, was begun for the purpose of promoting and maintaining high scholarship among the students. College students may become members of the fraternity by making a sufficiently high scholarship average for two quarters.

Mrs. Roy Lovingood has been at Duke Hospital, Durham, for the past several days, undergoing examination.

## Legislature Ratifies Nine Of 14 Bills Introduced From County

Following is a final digest of all local legislation introduced or acted upon by the 1947 General Assembly during the entire session; effecting Cherokee county or any municipality within the county:

- SB 105—(County jail fees payable by Murphy) Introduced by Jones, February 7.
- February 26, Ratified.
- SB 106—(County officials) Introduced by Jones, February 7.
- February 21, Ratified.
- SB 239—(Andrews officers qualification) Introduced by Jones, March 7.
- March 21, Ratified.
- SB 267—(Salary of Clerk of Court) Introduced by Jones, March 13.
- April 2, Ratified.
- SB 281—(Murphy recreation and

- cemetery commission) Introduced by Jones, March 13.
- April 1, Ratified.
- HB 38—(Wine and beer referendum) Introduced by West, January 16.
- March 18, Reported unfavorably by House committee.
- HB 151—(Jurors' fees) Introduced by West, January 29.
- February 11, Ratified.
- HB 152—(Andrews officers) Introduced by West, January 29.
- February 3, Received in the Senate and sent to Counties, Cities and Towns. Not reported out of committee.
- HB 246—(County commissioners election) Introduced by West, February 6.
- March 19, Reported unfavorably by Senate committee.
- HB 273—(Andrews elections) Introduced by West, February 7.
- March 19, Reported unfavorably by Senate committee.
- SB 299—(Andrews City Administrative School Unit) Introduced by Jones, March 15.
- March 21, Ratified.
- HB 586—(Commissioners' salaries) Introduced by West, Mar. 6.
- March 22, Passed second and third readings in the Senate.
- March 25, Ratified.
- HB 771—(Prohibiting sale of wine and regulating and/or prohibiting sale of beer. Introduced by Ramsey (by request of House Finance Committee), March 18.
- April 4, Reported unfavorably in Senate.
- HB 791—(Sheriff's fee) Introduced by West, March 18.
- April 3, Ratified.

## LONG DISTANCE FOR PICKETS' FEET



ACCUSTOMED TO SITTING at phone switchboards, these Philadelphia long distance operators find long hours of picket patrol a bit hard on the feet. Here they take time off—also their shoes—for rest. (International)