

## Rev. T. Earl Ogg To Go To Bristol



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ANDREWS—The Rev. T. Earl Ogg, pastor of First Baptist Church, submitted to his congregation here Sunday night his resignation effective March 1. Mr. Ogg goes to the Calvary Baptist Church in Bristol, Tenn. His acceptance of the call to the Calvary Church as pastor was not entirely unexpected, as representatives of the Bristol Church had been here and had been in contact with Mr. Ogg for some time.

The retiring Baptist minister has been in Andrews for more than four years, having come here in Nov., 1945. He has enjoyed a successful ministry, and the church has greatly grown. Along with Mrs. Ogg, Mr. Ogg has done outstanding work with the young people of the church. Mrs. Ogg was also church organist. The Oggs have one child, Peggy.

Mr. Ogg is a college and seminary graduate, having graduated from the Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary at Fort Worth, Texas, in 1944. The Andrews Church constituted his third pastorate. In Fort Worth he served as pastor of the Haslet Baptist Church.

Mr. Ogg was married in July, 1944, to Miss Margaret Isola Walker of Mobile, Ala. Mrs. Ogg is the daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. P. D. Walker of Mobile. Her father is pastor of the Oakdale Baptist Church of that city. Mrs. Ogg is a graduate of Coker College, Hartsville, S. C., and had two years of seminary training at the Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary.

Mr. Ogg was born in Greenville, Tenn., in 1918. Most of his early life was spent in Knoxville where he was ordained to the ministry in December, 1936.

## Ogg On State Baptist Program

The Rev. T. Earl Ogg, pastor of Andrews Baptist Church, conducted the devotional Tuesday morning at the opening session of the Statewide Conference on Evangelism sponsored by the Baptist State Convention, in Greensboro. The conference was in session three days—Monday through Wednesday, and it was attended by Mr. Ogg and the Rev. J. Alton Morris from Murphy.

## Mrs. Eva King Taken At Age 60

Mrs. Eva King, 60, wife of the Rev. Early King, died suddenly at her home near Warne at 5 P. M. Sunday.

She was a native and life-long resident of this section, and had been a member of the Baptist Church for 47 years.

Funeral services were held Tuesday at 2 P. M. in Many Forks Baptist Church. The Rev. Ham Coffey and the Rev. Virgil Beam officiated and burial was in the church cemetery with Townson Funeral Home in charge.

Surviving are the husband; two sisters, Mrs. Nancy Jane Erwin and Miss Ollie Henderson, all of Warne.

## Commerce Dean

Prof. Lewis Adams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Zala Adams of Andrews, has been appointed Dean of Commerce at Washington and Lee University, Lexington, Va., it has been learned here.

## Area Girl Scout Council Employs Field Director

In order to promote the work of Girl Scouts in this six-county area, the Nantahala Area Girl Scout Council has employed Miss Mildred Cartledge of Augusta, Ga., as a field director. She will have headquarters at Western Carolina Teachers College, Cullowhee, where she will give instruction two days a week to prospective Girl Scout leaders. The remainder of her time will be given to the Scout troops in the various towns of the area.

Cullowhee, Jackson; Miss Helen Ghoramley, Robbinsville, Graham; Mrs. C. Ross Zackery, Franklin, Macon; and Mrs. W. T. Hyams, Bryson City, Swain.

Attending from Murphy were: Mrs. Ben Warner, Miss Addie Mae Cooke, and Bill Bolton.

## Last Rites Held For Mrs. Slaughter

Mrs. Elizabeth Slaughter, 64, died Thursday at 2 P. M. at her home in Robbinsville after a long illness. She was a native and lifelong resident of Graham County.

Funeral services were held Friday at 3 P. M. in Robbinsville Methodist Church, with the pastor, the Rev. John Crew, assisted by the Rev. Ronald Holland, officiating. Burial was in Old Mother Church Cemetery, Townson Funeral Home was in charge.

Surviving are a son, Malcolm, a daughter, Mrs. Ray Orr both of Black Mountain; four sisters, Mrs. W. T. Culbertson of Black Mountain, Miss Fannie Slaughter, Mrs. Georgia Tatham, and Mrs. Carrie Griffith, all of Robbinsville; one brother, Jack Slaughter of Cherokee and four grandchildren.

## Electric Service To Be Interrupted

The Town of Murphy Electric Department announces that the power will be off in Murphy Saturday morning of this week from 1 to 2:30, in order for some work to be done by the TVA.

## Dr. H. G. Allen To Conduct Revival Here

Revival services at First Methodist Church have been scheduled for July 17-23. Dr. H. G. Allen, superintendent of the Winston-Salem Methodist district, will be the visiting minister.

The Rev. R. Delbert Byrum, pastor, says in behalf of the church, "Dr. Allen is one of the prominent ministers of the W. N. C. Conference, and we feel fortunate in having secured his services for our meeting."

## Franklin Heads Local Republicans

J. W. Franklin was elected chairman and Merle Davis, secretary, of the Republicans of Murphy at an organizational meeting held at the Courthouse Tuesday night.

## Alman Funeral Held On Tuesday

George Alman, 76, died at 2 P. M. Sunday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Floyd Stalcup, in the Martin's Creek section of Cherokee County after a brief illness. He was a native of Graham County but had lived in this section for a number of years.

Funeral services were held Tuesday at 10 A. M. in Maggie's Chapel Methodist Church with the Rev. Alfred Smith officiating. Burial was in the church cemetery with Townson Funeral Home in charge.

Surviving, besides his daughter, is a son, Ollie Alman; two sisters, Mrs. Henry Carringer of Brasstown and Mrs. John Sellers of Maryville, Tenn., and a number of grandchildren, all of Route 2, Murphy.

## Nominee For Attendant

Miss Joyce Coleman is a nominee from the sophomore class of The University of South Carolina for one of the twelve attendants of the 1950 May Queen, Miss Ruth Childs of Hendersonville. The election will be held in the near future.

## To Give Cure For Troubles

"A Cure for Troubled Minds" will be the sermon subject of the Rev. R. Delbert Byrum, pastor of First Methodist Church, Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, and "The Superlative Prayer" Sunday evening at 7:30.

Sunday School will be held Sunday morning at 9:45, and Evening Youth Meeting Sunday evening at 6 o'clock.

## SINGING

An afternoon singing will be held at Oak Grove Baptist Church, Sunday, beginning at 1 o'clock.

## AT CONVOCATION

ANDREWS—Mrs. Gerald Almond, a delegate to the Asheville convocation of the Episcopal church of the Diocese of Western North Carolina in Black Mountain, is spending Wednesday and Thursday (today) there.

Rev. Rufus Morgan is the dean of the Convocation.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bailey left Saturday for West Palm Beach, Fla., to meet Mrs. Bailey's sister, Mrs. William Bachelor of Stuart, N. J., and enjoy a vacation.



CHILDREN ENJOY NEW SYMPHONY STORIES—Children all over the state are reading Symphony Stories to find out about the music the Little Symphony of the North Carolina Symphony Orchestra will play for them this season. Pictured above, Mrs. Fred B. McCall, the author of Symphony Stories, shows a copy to a young reader. The Little Symphony will come to Murphy for concerts for both children and adults on Mar. 9.

## Rev. J. C. Neville Is New Minister

ANDREWS—At a congregational meeting of the Presbyterian Church here Sunday the Rev. J. C. Neville was called to be minister at the local church. Mr. Neville at present is pastor of the Mills River Church in Buncombe County. He is expected to take up his duties here March 15. The new Presbyterian minister is married and has two sons, one son is a student at Lees-McRae School. Mr. Neville was a former chaplain in the army where he rose to the rank of major.

The pastorate of the Presbyterian Church has been vacant here since the resignation of the Rev. J. C. Dime Jan. 15.

It is interesting to note that the Presbyterians here do things in a sort of sequence. Their former pastor was "J. C." Lime. The new pastor is "J. C." Neville. Also, both men were chaplains with the military forces.

## World Day Of Prayer Program Is Friday Night

A committee composed of Mrs. R. Delbert Byrum, chairman, Mrs. J. H. Hampton, Mrs. Henry Hyatt, Mrs. Bob Easley and Mrs. C. W. Savage met at the home of Mrs. Byrum Wednesday morning an arranged a program for the World Day of Prayer, sponsored nationally by the United Council of Church Women, which will be held Friday evening, February 24, at 7:30. The place will be announced later.

be church-wide in outreach.

The theme for the program this year will be "Faith For Our Time". The following persons from the different church will take part:

Mrs. Lloyd Hendrix, William Bolton, Mrs. Harry Miller, the Rev. James R. Crook, Cyrus White, the Rev. J. Alton Morris and Mrs. Byrum, who will be leader.

The program will consist of meditations and prayers, hymn singing and special music, and will be church-wide in outreach.

A group of women from the Wesleyan Service Guild of First Methodist Church will present a skit describing the six missionary projects to which the offering will go. Special music will be furnished by the Youth Choir of First Baptist Church directed by Miss Moseley Moore.

Last year the World Day of Prayer was observed in 86 countries and the program was translated into more than 60 languages. Services were held in over 10,000 communities in the United States. The offerings totaled over \$250,000 for the six missionary projects at home and abroad.

The author of the 1950 service is Michi Kawai, president of the Keizer Girls School of Tokyo, Japan. Since 1915, the World Day of Prayer programs have been written by outstanding Christians of this country as well as from other countries around the world.

## SINGING

A community singing will be held in the Masonic Hall over Murphy Hardware on Monday, February 20, at 7:30 P. M. Q. W. Loudensmilk will be in charge.

## Cage Tournament Starts Wednesday

## For Boy Scouts Lions Conduct Drive For \$640

Miss Jane Hill's seventh grade presented a skit at the meeting of Murphy Lions Club Tuesday evening.

W. A. Sherrill announced the drive for \$640 for Boy Scouts, asking Lions to solicit memberships for that amount.

The Rev. Delbert Byrum and Harry Seamon were inducted as new members by W. M. Davis.

Ten-year pins were presented by Lion President Mack Patton to: S. N. Bobo, Frank Forsyth, Dr. W. A. Hoover, and Joe E. Ray.

O. L. Anderson, guest of Alden Coward, was introduced.

ANDREWS—The Smoky Mountain Basketball Tournament will get under way here beginning Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 21, with four afternoon games and three evening games the first day. The playing will continue throughout Wednesday and Thursday. There will be three games Friday and Saturday. Fifteen schools will participate as follows: Andrews Bryson City, Cherokee, Cullowhee, Franklin, Glenville, Hayesville, Highlands, Hiwassee Dam, Murphy, Nantahala, Robbinsville, Stecoah, Sylva and Webster. There are two groupings—"A" and "B". The "A" group is composed of Murphy, Franklin, Sylva and Bryson City.

The floor of the Andrews Gymnasium has been resurfaced at a cost of \$300. Also the shower rooms have been repainted, better lighting has been installed, and lockers have been built. A drinking fountain has been installed on the main floor. Seats sufficient to accommodate 300 persons have been installed.

A refreshment bar meeting State Board of Health standards will be in operation at all games. The local school is doing all in its power to meet every need of the many visitors expected here for the event.

## D. H. Radford, 29 Is Found Dead

Funeral services for Denver Herman Radford, 29, whose body was found Saturday lying beside tracks of Southern Railway near Godfrey's Crossing in the Koon Development in Asheville, were held Tuesday at 2 P. M. in Unaka Baptist Church.

The Rev. John Moss, officiated, and burial was in the church cemetery with Ivie Funeral Home in charge.

Pallbearers were, Ross Woody, James Brannon, Elmer Chambers, Guy Bryson, Dee White, and Guy Roberts.

Surviving are: the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harve B. Radford; one sister, Miss Ruby Radford; and four brothers, James, Ralph, Howard and Y. L. Radford, all of Unaka.

## Club Requests Bass And Pike

The regular meeting of the Hiwassee Dam Wildlife Club held at Hiwassee Dam Monday evening was well attended and several matters of interest to all in Cherokee County were discussed.

The group discussed problems relative to the distribution and planting of bi-colored Bass. These seedlings are furnished free by the N. C. Wildlife Resources Commission to supply food and shelter for wild birds, and anyone may obtain their supply by filling in the application's which are available at the Hiwassee Dam Wildlife Club or county agent's office. The planting of this legume may solve erosion problems.

The next subject acted upon was a resolution to forward a written request to the State Authorities for the planting of fingerling bass and walleye pike in Cherokee Lake, located at the head of Persimmon Creek, for eventual stocking of Hiwassee Lake. The stocking of suitable streams with trout was also recommended.

The next meeting of the Hiwassee Dam Wildlife Club will be held Monday evening March 6, at 7:30, at Duke's Lodge. A good speaker is expected.

## Planting Dogwood Trees Encouraged

The SCOUTS Dogwood Club is being continued this year, and names of all persons reporting that they have set out dogwood trees will be published as members of the club.

Mrs. J. H. McCall of Murphy is a member of the club, having set out 12 dogwoods recently.

## GUILD TO MEET

The Wesleyan Service Guild of First Methodist Church will meet at the home of Mrs. Mercer Fain Monday evening at 7:30, with Miss Mary Akin and Mrs. Ruth Wilson as co-hostesses. The program leader will be Miss Estoleen Gibson. The devotional will be given by Mrs. Martha Adams.

## Regal Club To Beautify Approaches To Murphy

Efforts will be made in the next few weeks to make all four highway approaches to Murphy attractive for at least a mile, a "Model Mile" project undertaken by the Murphy Regal Club. Mrs. Johnnie Nunn, chairman of the committee, states that assistance of the State Highway Commission and local agencies will be requested. People owning property along the areas will be asked to cooperate by seeing that their land is kept clean and by planting shrubs and flowers. After the committee has had an opportunity to make definite plans, the exact areas to be beautified will be designated.

Another project in which the Regal Club has taken leadership is getting the streets of Murphy marked. The town council has agreed to cooperate in this venture, and it is expected that soon at least some of the streets will have name plates.

The club also is interested in promoting a curb market for the benefit of farmers in the county. Mrs. T. S. Evans has offered to donate the use of a lot on Church Street for this purpose, and the following committee, from the club was appointed to go forward with the work: Miss Edna Baker, chairman, Miss Willie Lovingsood, Mrs. Nina Hubbell, Mrs. Grace Thompson, Mrs. Willie Lovingsood, Mrs. J. H. Phaup, Johnnie Nunn, S. D. Akin, Beattie Dickson, T. S. Evans, J. H. McCall and R. H. Powell, and Misses Marvella Walker, Addie Cooke, Willie Lovingsood, Fain, Beattie Akin, and Beattie Lovingsood.

Evans, Mrs. Grace Thompson, and Miss Willie Lovingsood.

Last summer the club promoted the clean-up campaign, to make Murphy clean, attractive and healthful, and encouraged the provision of picnic areas for home folks and visitors. A committee headed by Mrs. J. H. McCall will work on this project this spring and summer.

Eight members of the club have planted bulb beds to help beautify the town and their own lawns.

At the meeting Friday evening in the home of Miss Josephine Heighway, the above projects were discussed and new officers were installed by Mrs. McCall, retiring president.

Mrs. Nina Hubbell is the new president. Officers were listed in the Scout last month. The members had a pot luck supper at 6:30. Miss Willie Lovingsood was installed as a new member.