### E. E. Stiles Elected Republican Chairman

presided over by D. M. Reese, outgoing County Chairman, E. E Stiles was elected as Chairman for the ensuing term to succeed Reese and John C. O'D'l was re-elected as secretary.

The following were nominated as candidates for the Novembe election: For Representative: W A Adams, Murphy Sheriff; Bruce West, of Andrews; Clerk of Superor Court, Claude Anderson, Culherson; Register of Deeds, Virgil O'Dell, Murphy; Courty Commissioners, Ben Morrow, Long sidge, Fred Davis, Murphy and Bristol, Andrews; Coroner, Sam Capps, Route 3, Murphy. County Board of Education: Burt McNabb, Suit, Carl Stiles Route 1. Murphy, Doyle Burch, Murphy, Edwin Bristol, Andrews, and Joe Myers, Route 1, Murphy.

#### **Superior Court Adjourns Here**

The April term of Cherokee County Superior Court adjourned Wednesday afternoon. Many cases were tried, many nol prossed, and many continued. In a number of cases defendants failed to appear.

The following verdicts were rendered:

Merle Slagle, violation prohibiton law and driving drunk, six Dr. R. H. Taylor months in jail, driver's license revoked.

John Hampton, Jr., driving drunk, \$100 and costs, licens revoked.

Everett Larry Shelton, driving drunk, \$100 and costs, license revoked.

Billy McAningh, carrying cealed weapon, pay costs.

Ambers Arp, driving drunk \$181.75 bond forfieted.

Lois Radford, carrying concealed weapon, four months in jail. suspended two years upon payment of costs.

R. L. Phillips, driving drunk, reckless driving, four months in

Ted Brown, damage to property pay \$35 for N. C. Department of Conservation and Development for damage to two-way radio in truck,

and costs.

drunk, \$100 and costs. Woodrow Dillard, driving drunk four months in jail, suspended two years upon payment of costs,

license revoked. Vincent Lee, violation prohibition law, six months in jail, sus

pended for two years. James Jordan, no license, no brakes, reckless driving, \$25 and

Douglas A. Kaye, John C. Jameson, driving drunk and aiding and

abetting, \$400 bond forfeited.

upon payment \$100 and costs. (Continued on page 4)

#### **Cancer Drive** Is Under Way

The 1950 Cancer Drive is now underway here and will be conducted during the entire month of April . The goal that has been set for Cherokee County is \$800. Mrs. Mary Katherine Atkinson is county commander and Mrs. C. K. Olson, chairman, of the drive.

Murphy Junior Woman's Club plans to sponsor a square dance on April 29 to help raise funds for the drive.

#### **Bishop Henry** To Hold Services

Bishop M. George Henry of the Episcopal Diocese of Western North Carolina will hold a service of confirmation and Holy Communion on the morning of April 23, at 9 o'clock in the Chapel of the Holy Comforter in Andrews, and a service of confirmation and Holy Communion in the Church of the Messiah at Murphy the same day at 11 A. M.

On Saturday night, April 22, at 8- o'clock, the bishop will hold a service of confirmation in the Chapel of St. Barnabas in Murphy.

### **To Deliver Finals**

ANDREWS - Final graduating exercises for Andrews High School will be held in the school auditorium on the evening of May 26. On this occasion the address will be delivered by Dr. Rosser H. Taylor, head of the history department of Western Carolina Teacher's College.

Thirty-two diplomas will be awarded to sixteen boys and sixteen girls. There are four married students in the class, three boys and one girl. Of the married group of students there is one husband and wife, this marriage having been contracted four years ago. All of the married boys are G I students.

The baccalaureate sermon will be preached Sunday evening, May Billy Bayless Dockery, driving 21, in the school auditorium.

Between now and commence ment there will be both a junior and senior play given. The junior play is set for Friday, April 28, and the senior play will be given

#### Demonstration

Murphy Baseball Club will ponsor a demonstration Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Fair grounds in Murphy by Crash Brown, He will seal himself in Beau Carter, driving drunk, jail a casket and blow himself out, in 90 days, suspended three years what is called the dynamite casket act. Other acts also are Harley Carroll, attempt to steal scheduled. He will be assisted by

### Park Naturalist Gives morning in an autor near Robbinsville. Lecture at Lions Club from Tapoco to Sweetwater Church, and her car over-turned on a curve. She suffered head and

Arthur Stupka, Park Neturalist are such animals as deer, foxes, ct the Smoky Mountains National raccoon, bobcat, wild turkey, and Park gave an illustrated lecture grouse. or the park at Murphy Lions Club luesday evening. He showed national parks, but mostly in the nor hunting is allowed.

Showing many of the trees, found there. Except during very cold winters, floweres bloom throughout the year, he said. Flame azalea and rose-purple Therefore the property of the Lions and the property of the Lions and the lions are the lions and the lions are lived the lions are lived to the lived t

Plane azalea and rose-purple rhododendron.

Pictures of wildlife found there in the early history of the country and the present any were above. Fund in the present any were above. Flection of officers at the further are 52 species of fur-bearing are the widow, Mrs. Election of officers at the second meeting in May was announced by President Patton. The state Convention in Charlotte in large and a sister, Miss Mary Riley of Rossville, Ga.

Surviving are the widow, Mrs. Dmma Riley; two daughters, the Misses Rebble and Roberts Riley of the home, and a sister, Miss Mary Riley of Rossville, Ga.

Fishing is permitted in park May Bert Riley, 63 color slides of many scenes in 16 through August 31. No trapping

Mr. Stupka also gave his lecture to the Murphy High School as-sembly Tuesday afternoon, when shrubs and flowers that grow sembly Tuesday afternoon, when abundantly in the area, Mr. Mrs. R. S. Bault was in charge of moved here from Kentucky sever-

Plame azalea and rose-purple Tuesday night meeting. He might



PRACTICING HERE-Dr. Wilam R. Gossett, optometrict, who has opened offices in the Mauney Building in Murphy.

#### **Appointed Dealer** For Ferguson

Evans Auto Co, has been appointed dealer for Ferguson Tractors and Implements in Cherokee. Clay and Graham Counties, N. C., Towns and Union Counties, Ga.

#### Dr. W. R. Gossett To Practice Here

Mauney Building in Murphy. His practice will be devoted to eye examination and rehabilitation of the visual functions.

Dr. Gossett is a graduate of Brevard College and Northern Illinois College of Optometry Chicago, Ill., from which he holds a B. S. degree in visual optics and his Doctor's Degree in optometry.

Before moving to Murphy Dr. Gossett was associated with Dr. W. H. Pearce, Hendersonville, Hc. is a veteran of World War U, having served 38 months in the Navy Medical Department. A large part of this time was spent with Headquarters Squadron Fleet Air Wing Two loosed in the Pacific.

Dr. Gossett is a native of Greenville. S. C., but has made his home in Henderson County for the past nine years. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Gossett of Etowah, Tenn.

Dr. and Mrs. Gossett have one daughter, Shelia, and at present reside at 200 Proctor Street in

### W. H. Sudderth Taken By Death

W. H. Sudderth, 79, member of prominent family, of this county, died at his home in the Peachtree section near Murphy about 7 a. m. Monday following a long illness.

A native of Cherokee County, he was the son of the late Theodore and Delia Copeland Sudderth. The Sudderth family was mong the first white families to settle this section. They settled in the area near Mission dam where succeeding generations have always lived.

Surviving are eight daughters, Miss Elsie Sudderth of the home, Mrs. S. J. Suddath and Mrs. Pope Barnett of Jefferson, Ga., Mrs. Hayden Ferguson, Mrs. Glenn Hendrix, Mrs. John Donley and Mrs. Verlin Crisp, all of Murphy and Mrs. Glenn Crisp of Akron, Ohio; four sons, Willard, Dock, Paul and Guy Sudderth, all of Murphy, a brother, Henry Sudderth of Murthy, 24 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held in Peachtree Baptist Church Tuesday at 2:30 P. M. with the Rev. Robert Barker, the Rev. Alfred Smith, and the Rev. J. Alton Morris officiating. Burial was in the church cemetery with Townson Funeral Home in charge.

Active pall bearers were: Jack and Bill Ferguson, Bob and Oran Witt, Ralph and Neil Sudderth.

#### **Dorothy Edwards** Seriously Injured

tional missionary of Bryson City, is receiving treatment at Rodda-Van Gorder Hospital, Andrews, for serious injuries sustained Sunday morning in an automobile accident

Miss Edwards was en route from Tapoco to Sweetwater Church, other injuries and has been unconscious much of the time since

# **Taken By Death**

Bert Riley, 63, died at the home, Murphy, Route 2, Sunday follow-

#### Byrum's Sunday **Subjects Listed** "The Afterglow of Easter", will

be the sermon topic of the Rev. R. Delbert Byrum, pastor of First Methodist Church, Sunday morning. On Sunday evening he will preach on, "God's Dependability". Sunday School will be held at 9:45 Sunday morning and Evening Youth Meeting at 6 Sunday eve

#### Fain Plants 25 Dogwood Trees

W. M. Fain, who has planted around 25 dogwood trees this year and more than that last year, has been added to the SCOUT'S dogvood club. Other members are solicited. If anyone has planted dogwoods this year, please notify the SCOUT and let the names be listed.

The purpose of the dogwood club is to encourage the planting of this native tree to beautify the awns and roadsides in this county.

#### **Pre-School Clinic** To Be Held 24th

The pre-school clinic for Mur phy school will be held in the primary building Monday, April 24. beginning at 9 o'clock. All children eligible for the first grade next year should come to the school at this time. A committee from the P. T. A. will assist first grade teachers and representatives from the health department in conducting the clinic.

Mrs. D. L. Wells and son of Wallace are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Townson.



TO HOLD REVIVAL-The Rev. The Rev. Fred Stiles will preach at Hanging Dog Church Sunday at 11 o'clock.

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# Regional B.T.U. Convention To Be Held Here Apr. 21-22

### To Lay Plans For New School

The Murphy School Board has mployed Greene and Robelot. Asheville architects and engineers, to begin work on plans for a new high school building to be erected on the school grounds adjacent to the primary building.

#### Army, Air Force Want To Enlist H. S. Graduates

The U.S. Army and Air Force Recruiting Service is now making an effort to enlist high school graduates. Recruiter Ken Coon Tenn., former pastor of First Bapof Murphy has started contacting the high schools in this area, presenting the program to the prospective applicants.

Sgt. Coon says that no high school seniors can enlist until they have graduated, under the 1950 high school plan. They are being encouraged to enlist after graduation.

Sgt. Coon already has spoken in the Robbinsville High School, and will speak at Hiwassee Dam High School Friday. Other schools will be visited at a later date.

#### **Diseases Cause** Attendance Loss

At the end of the first seven months, the statistical report from the office of the Murphy school whooping cough, 14; scarlet fever, 14; meningitis, one; mumps, 13; measles, one; sore eyes, 15; scables, two; empetigo, 15. Total number school days lost due to the cases listed were 9009. This includes Elementary and High

#### Stowe's Sermon **Topics Listed**

The Rev. Lester Stowe, pastor of Friendship Baptist Church, Suit, has announced that his serthe Blood", and for Sunday eve- as follows: ning, "Waiting on God".

A Training Union study course be in charge.

SPEAKS AT CONVENTION-The Rev. T. Earl Ogg of Bristol, tist Church, Andrews, who will speak at the Regional Baptist Training Union convention to be held here April 21-22.

### Civitan Charter

Murphy Civitan Club will re-Eugene J. Bryan of Chattanooga, is expected to attend.

Peacock.

showed the following figures: H. Y. Williams, James E. Hughes, number of cases of colds, 2,726; Clair K. Olson, Fred O. Christoinfluenza, 370; chicken pox, two; pher, John H. Bayless, Tom Evans, S. S. Williams, Nat B. John Carringer, L. B. Hardinson, John E. Marshall, Dr. A. J. Head-Myron Jensen.

## Tournament

Tournament winners in the Bapmon topic for Sunday morning at convention Friday evening at 11 o'clock will be, "Nothing But Marble Church were announced

Murphy Youth Choir, hymn festifor the West Liberty Association Bible Readers: Miss Tommy Lunswill be held at Friendship May ford. Andrews, Better Speakers'; Memory Work.

#### i - 5. Miss Ruth Bagwell, asso- Doris Raxter, Andrews, Intermeciational missionary of Western diate Sword Drill; and Gladys North Carolina Association, will Faye Pullium, Andrews, Junior

### Al G. Brown Is New President Of Rotary ANDREWS-New officers for

Andrews Rotary club were select-Andrews Rotary club were selected for the ensuing Rotary year Morris' Sermon beginning July 1 at the last meeting of the organization here. At G. Brown was named president; Edgar Wood, vice-president; Galusha Pullium was reelected secretary-treasurer; Edwin Bristoj, H. E. Davis, and Wayne Bettle were named to the board of directors.

announced that the last meeting was the tenth meeting in a row | that the club had 100 per cent previous record for perfect attend- Union at 7 Sunday evening. snce was thirteen meetings, about two years ago.

PREACHES SUNDAY The Rev. Fred Stiles will preach

### To Be Received

ceive its charter on Friday evening. April 28, when Judge president of Civitan International.

A meeting of the club will be held during the week of the 17th, at the Methodist Church, and members will be notified the exact date, states Secretary A. D.

Charter members of the club re: Wade P. Ricks, John Jordan, Kinney, Frank L. Ingram, A. W. McIver, James A. Parker, John Rebak, Jr., Vincent D. Elster, Raphael M. Deegan, Lee J. Lance, rick, Fred V. Johnson, Jr., and

## **Winners Listed**

tist Training Union Associational

val; Frank Walsh, Marble, Adult

# **Topics Announced**

The Rev. J. Alton Morris, pastor of First Baptist Church has announced that his sermon topic for Sunday morning will be, "The Love of God" and for Sunday Club President Olen Stratton right, "What Pastor and People Have a Right to Expect of Each a brief illness. Other".

Sunday School will begin at

The Y. W. A.'s of the church the church cemetery with Tow will meet with Miss Moselle son Funeral Home in charge.

Yes" will be the theme of the Tenth Regional Baptist Training Union Convention to be held at First Baptist Church, Murphy, Friday and Saturday, April 21-22 beginning at 2:55 Friday afternoon.

Members of Murphy Church will be hosts to approximately 300 visitors to this convention, entertaining many of them in their homes over-night. Delegates are expected from Training Unions in Cherokee, Clay, Graham, Macon. Swain, and Jackson Counties,

Everett White of Franklin, regional director, will preside. The Rev. S. L. Lamm of Bryson

City will conduct the worship period Friday afternoon, and the Rev. J. Alton Morris will give the welcome for the host church. Mrs. Clay Rogers of Hayesville will have charge of the Adult Scripture Reading tournament. Murphy Youth Choir will give special music. Department conferences on, "How to Re-Vitalize Our Training Unions" will be held, The efternoon program will end at 5 o'clock, and delegates will be assigned to their homes. At 5:30 the Murphy Church will be host at dinner for the delegates.

Friday evening's program will be Youth Night, and Miss Lucille Mulkey of Robbinsville, associate regional director, will preside. Charles Ginn of Sylva will conduct the worship. Mrs. Earl Ogg of Bristol, Tenn., will conduct the Intermediate Sword Drill, Special music will be given by Franklin Church. "A Day at Our Assemblies" will be discussed by Doris Raxter of Andrews and Doris Middleton, Sylva. Young People's Speakers Tournament will be conducted by Miss Hilda Sutton of Sylva, Special music will be given by the Tuckasegee Association. The Rev. T. Earl Ogg of Bristol, Tenn., will speak on "Adventuring With Christ"

The Rev. Joe Orr of Robbinsville will conduct the worship Saturday morning, the program beginning at 9:25. Mrs. Carl West of Andrews will conduct the Junior Memory Work tournament. State Training Union Director Harvey Gibson will speak on, "Pushing Back the Frontiers", at 10:05. Officers will be elected and reports of committees given Andrews Church will give special music, and a message on "In Christ is God's Everlasting Yes" will be brought. The Rev. C. M. Warren of Sylva will conduct the Hy:nn Festival, Winners of Tournaments will then be announced; and the convention will adjourn at

#### **Group Wins Trip** To New York City

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Hughes, Mr and Mrs. Arvel Woods, and Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Presley will leave Saturday for New York City to attend the national banquet of Electrolux Corporation at Waldorf-Astoria Hotel. They will return Thursday, April 20.

This trip is being given the above by the corporation as a reward for outstanding work during the past month.

#### **Final Rites Held** For Mrs. Rhodes

Mrs. Tinnie Rhodes, 70, of Culberson, Route 1, died Friday afternoon in a Murphy hospital after

Funeral services were held Se day at 10 A. M. in Macedonia Bapperfect attendance. The club's 9:45 Sunday morning and Training tist Church, with the Rev. Virgin Brown officiating. Burial was in

Moore Monday evening at 7:30, and a Training Union Workers' Council will be held at the church Tuesday evening at 7:30.

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