

## Rev. E. V. May Leads Singing Baptist Revival



REV. E. V. MAY

### Easter Music And Sermon To Feature Services

"I Believe in the Life Everlasting" will be the topic of the sermon by the Rev. James R. Crook at the Murphy Presbyterian Church on Easter morning at 11 o'clock. Special Easter music will be presented by the choir under the direction of Mrs. R. H. Board.

An important part of the service will be the reception of members in profession of faith and by letter of transfer. The Sacrament of Baptism will be administered.

A sound movie entitled "The Word at Work" will be presented at the Church Night service next Wednesday night at 7:30. This is a fascinating survey of the work of the American Bible Society.

The quarterly Communion service will be held at the 11 o'clock service on April 1.

### Morris Announces Sermon Subjects

"They Took Jesus Away" will be the sermon subject of the Rev. J. Alton Morris Sunday morning at 11 o'clock at First Baptist Church. On Sunday evening at 7:30 he will preach on, "This is the Hour."

Junior G. A.'s meet with Jolynn Mayfield, Monday at 3:15.

Tuesday at 2:30 the Lottie Moon Circle meets with Mrs. J. L. Baugh. Mas Perry Circle meets with Mrs. Ben Palmer, and Fannie Heck Circle meets with Mrs. Arthur McCrary. The Sunbeams will hold their meeting at the church at 3:15.

Junior R. A.'s meet with Billy Browning, and Intermediate G. A.'s will meet with Sally Morris, Thursday at 3:15.

### \$1230.31 Received By The Red Cross

Fund Chairman Wm. N. Bolton announces the following receipts of \$1230.31 on the Red Cross campaign: \$1130.06 reported last week, plus the following: \$27 from county schools, \$4 from the business area, \$4 from the residential area, and \$65.25 from industry. The quota is \$2412.

That from the county schools reported this week included: \$2 from Shields' School; \$20 from Rev. Fred Stiles; and \$5 from superintendent's office. From industry the \$65.25 was collected by Gilbert H. Carroll of Commonwealth Lumber Corporation and was contributed by the employees there.

### Truett's Services Are Announced

"The Living Christ" will be the topic of the sermon by the Rev. W. T. Truett of Hangingdog next Sunday at 11 o'clock.

Communion services will be held Sunday morning, and all churches are invited to come.

Mr. Truett will preach at Ranger at 7:30 p. m.

The Rev. E. V. May of Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, Louisville, Ky., will arrive here by Sunday to lead the singing at the revival services of First Baptist Church for two weeks. The Rev. R. Glenn Commander of Eastwood Baptist Church, Houston, Texas, will arrive Monday and will do the preaching.

Mr. May was born in Glendale, Ky., and his wife is a native of Georgia. The couple have two daughters, five and three. Mr. May has lived in Texas most of his life. He served five years during the last war, two years in the Infantry and three in the Air Force as a fighter pilot. Eighteen months were spent in the South Pacific. He still holds a Reserve Commission with the Air Force.

The singer is a graduate of Baylor University, Waco, Texas, with a B. B. A. degree. For the past three and a half years he has done work in Oregon and is now a student at the Seminary.

Services will be held daily at 10 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. throughout the revival. Sunday services will be at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., announces the pastor, the Rev. J. Alton Morris.

### YHC To Offer Night Classes Spring Quarter

Young Harris College has announced that it will offer a full schedule of courses at night, beginning March 28. This is being done to facilitate continued in-service training for teachers, ex-servicemen, or others who work during the day.

The Spring Quarter will begin with evening class registration at 8:30 p. m., March 28. Final courses to be offered will be based on requests at time of registration. The following courses are now under consideration: English, Accounting (first quarter), Economics, Health Education, Sociology, and a course in Survey Science.

If a student desires to take only one or two courses, he will be allowed to do so. Special rates will be made for one who desires to take only one or two courses.

It is important that all veterans who have not used their entitlement do so before July 25. After that date if a veteran has not applied for his benefits under the educational code, his benefits will be cancelled. Also, even if part of the entitlement has been used and some remains, it must be used consecutively during the school year or it will automatically be cancelled.

Veterans who attend these classes draw a monthly subsistence check. This amount varies with the number of dependents the veteran has. It is important that any veteran who wishes to attend these classes contact the Veteran Representative in his county so that the necessary procedure can be taken to have him properly approved for the beginning of these classes.

All persons who are interested in attending should contact President C. R. Clegg, or be at the college to register on March 28 at 8:30 p. m.

## Service At Dawn Here To Greet Easter

The dawn of Easter morning will be greeted in Murphy with a service of praise on the lawn of the Petrie Hospital. Special music, both voice and instrumental is being planned, and the Rev. James R. Crook will deliver the Easter message on the topic "The Glory of the Empty Tomb." All churches in town will be represented.

The service will begin at 6:00 a. m. following a prelude of music by the chorines from the Methodist Church. The Rev. E. V. May, visiting song leader for the Revival at the First Baptist Church, will lead the singing. The Rev. W. H. Hampton will pronounce the invocation

## Seniors To Give Three-Act Comedy

The Senior Class of Murphy High School will present the three-act comedy, "The Boarding House Reach" by Donald Payton, in the school auditorium at 7:30 p. m. on March 30 and 31 directed by Mrs. R. M. Deegan. Proceeds will be used to help finance the seniors' trip to Washington, D. C.

The cast of characters includes: Wilbur Maxwell, played by Glenn Swain; Hercules Nelson, W. A. Sherrill, Jr.; Betty Lou Maxwell, Doris Wells; Connie Maxwell, Lorene Elster; Bernadine Smith, Betty Sou Swain; John Maxwell, Roy Fuller; Janet Maxwell, Peggy Bough; Aunt Mary, Eulane Dockery; Limpy McGuire, Billy Ledford; Nora, Juanita Almond; Herman Ninety Volt Jones, Roger Mulkey; Rough House Ruby, Barbara Reed; Mr. Potter, Charles Forrester; Lucy Burno, Meredith Hemphill; Mrs. Mott, Bobby Sue Trull; and Connolly, Dick Ketter.

Stage will be under the direction of Wade Zimmerman; makeup, Mary Jane Hughes; programs, Margie Graves and Betty Kate Hughes.

## Civilians To Sponsor Bloodmobile Visit

At the meeting of the Civitan Club Monday night, W. N. Bolton talked on the Red Cross drive, and announced that the Bloodmobile would visit Murphy April 17. He is in charge of recruiting donors for this campaign. He showed a film on Red Cross activities in disaster relief and war work. Jim Ed Hughes and Dr. A. J. Headrick will be team captains representing the club for the Bloodmobile visit, with 150 units as a goal.

President O. L. Anderson appointed a committee consisting of Myron Jensen, chairman, Walter Puett and C. K. Olson as judges for the Citizenship essay contest by High School students. The best two essays submitted will be used as entries in the state contest.

A number of visitors were present. J. M. Hughes was the guest of Jim Ed Hughes; W. D. Townson was guest of A. D. Peacock; Everett English was guest of Lillard Walker; Bill Laney was the guest of O. L. Anderson and G. H. Wyatt was guest of Lee Lance.

Willie Wilson was taken in as a new member. Others who joined recently are: Ed Long, Ben Palmer, W. G. Flynt, and Everett English.

### Fire Destroys D. Farmer's Car

A 1950 Studebaker owned by Danny Farmer of Mineral Bluff, Ga., caught fire about 7 p. m. Saturday near Letitia on highway 294 and was a total loss. Farmer, who was driving the car, noticed smoke rising from the hood. Investigating, he found the engine in flames. The car was insured.

**CLOSED MONDAY**  
Vice-President Frank Forsyth announces that Citizens Bank and Trust Company will be closed all day Monday, in observance of Easter Monday.



### REV. RAYFORD PARRIS To Hold Rally Tuesday At Suit

All pastors, ministers, associational leaders of the West Liberty Baptist Association, with laymen and all who are interested in having a revival are invited to attend a rally to be held at Friendship Baptist church at Suit, Tuesday, April 3, 4:00 to 6:30 p. m. The Rev. Rayford Parris of Palacios, Texas, will be the inspirational speaker. All teachers and officers are expected to be present.

The Rev. Lester Stowe has requested that those expecting to attend notify him.

### Friendship Church To Hold Revival

The Friendship Baptist Church at Suit, will hold a Revival meeting March 25 - April 8. The Rev. Rayford Parris of Palacios, Texas, will conduct the services each night at 7:30.

The church now has new pews and Broadman Hymnals it was announced by the Rev. Lester Stowe, pastor.

### West Liberty Meets Sunday

West Liberty Association quarterly meeting will convene at Culberson Baptist church, Sunday at 2:30 p. m. The Rev. Lester Stowe will have the devotions, and the Rev. Grady Chastain will bring the inspirational message.

The Training Union report will be given by the Rev. Lester Stowe, director; the W. M. U., by Mrs. Lester Stowe, superintendent; and Sunday School, by the Rev. Orlin Thompson, superintendent, moderator, the Rev. Fred Stiles, will preside over the meeting.

## Eight People Are Injured In Wreck Here Saturday



CARS IN SATURDAY WRECK—These pictures of the Clarence Hendrix Dodge, at top, and Jas. M. Douglass Buick, which were in the wreck on U. S. 64 Saturday show how demolished they are. The pictures were taken after being brought to a local garage.—Photo by Crisp Studio.

### Hendrixes And Miss Sudderth Are Badly Injured

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hendrix and Miss Mae Sudderth of Peachtree were critically injured and narrowly escaped death Saturday morning about 6:45 when the car in which they were riding was struck by a Georgia car. The occupants of that car also were injured.

The 1950 Buick driven by James M. Douglass of Cartersville, Ga., heading toward Murphy, struck the 1948 Dodge of Clarence Hendrix, who was leaving Murphy, on U. S. 64 just inside the city limits, near Shields' Esso Station. The Hendrix car was pushed over the 20-foot embankment. Both cars were demolished, damage estimated to be approximately \$2,000.

Mr. Douglass was arrested by Patrolman Lee Lance and charged with speeding and reckless driving. Hearing is set for April 2.

In the car with Mr. Douglass were Robert Bagwell, Hugh Greer, Charles Stevens and Olin Roberts, all of Cartersville. They were coming to Murphy on a fishing trip, it was learned.

Mr. Hendrix received lacerations about the face and two broken ribs. Mrs. Hendrix has lacerations of the right leg and was badly bruised. Miss Sudderth sustained a broken jaw, a fractured nose and a ruptured eye. All were given treatment at Petrie Hospital, Miss Sudderth being removed that afternoon to St. Joseph's Hospital, Asheville, because of the eye injury. Mr. and Mrs. Hendrix were released from the hospital and went home, but it was necessary later in the day for them to return to Petrie for further treatment, and they still are patients there.

Mr. Douglass sustained lacerations of the face and head and a fractured arm. Mr. Bagwell had lacerations on the face, as did Mr. Stevens and Mr. Roberts. Mr. Greer was cut on the face and head and sustained a dislocated ankle. After treatment at Petrie, they all were released.

### Easter Cantata To Be Presented

The choir of First Methodist Church will present an Easter cantata—"The Resurrection Song" by Roy E. Nolte—next Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the sanctuary of First Methodist Church. Sunday morning at 11 o'clock the Rev. R. Delbert Byrum, pastor, will preach on, "The Deathless Hope."

Soloists for the cantata are: Mrs. Glenn Bates, Mrs. Delbert Byrum, Mrs. John Thuss, C. R. Freed, G. W. Zirbes. The choir is under the direction of Mrs. Glenn Bates, with Mrs. Duke Whitley as organist.

The text of the presentation is, as follows: Christ, the Lord Is Risen; Hear Ye the Story; Hail, King of the Jews; Father, Forgive Them; The Wondrous Cross; There Was a Garden; As It Began To Dawn; Come, See the Place; Awake, Thou That Sleepest; Sing, The Resurrection Song; Alleluia. Christ Is King; Whosoever Believeth; Now Is Christ Risen.

This cantata will be presented by candlelight amid the quiet of the evening hour and beneath hallowed walls with the hope that the Easter message might find a larger place in our deepest loyalties. The public is invited to the service.

Evening Youth meeting is at 6 o'clock.

### P. T. A. TO MEET

The Murphy P. T. A. will meet Monday evening March 26, at 7:30 in the Primary building.

A movie on citizenship will be shown by Glenn Patton and Mrs. Case will talk on citizenship in the school.

Remember to register at the door.

### Chorus Gets Excellent Rating

Members of the Murphy High School girls' chorus won a certificate of "excellent" in the Western District Music contest which was held in Asheville Friday and Saturday. This was the first time the local group had made application for taking part in this annual event.

Those accompanying the group besides Mrs. Puett, who is director for the group were: Mrs. Harry Miller, Mrs. H. Bueck, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Forrester and Ike Olson.

Students making the trip were: Mary Jo Dockery, Betty Cook, Ruth Hogsd, Carolyn Ritch, Mary Ann Forrester, Ann Shields, Carolyn Alexander, Sally Morris, Virginia Akin, Sylvia English, Wilma Stiles, Lucille Hall, Susie Miller, Doris Palmer, Mildred Taylor, Ann Dockery, Glenda Ivie, Doris Wells, Shirley Bates, Barbara Rhoads, Carlene Kilpatrick, Emma Jean Shields, Thelma Dockery, Audrey Dockery, Jimmie Davis, Joanne Adams, Judy Nichols, Billie Jane Ruch, Betty Kephart, Rosalind Stalcup, Joyce Strange.

### Duncan Opposes Pollution Bill

Representative J. H. Duncan is home from Raleigh for a few days this week, and he states the numerous people here have misinterpreted his vote on the Stream Pollution Bill.

Mr. Duncan opposed the bill because he felt that it would keep industry from locating in this area, he said. He has been accused of being opposed to new industry, and his vote on the bill for the purpose of encouraging it.

## Plans Easter Pageant Fields Of Woods

A sacred pre-dawn Easter Pageant "The Trial and Resurrection" will be presented by the Church of God in Fields of the Woods near Murphy Easter morning beginning at 5 o'clock, with M. A. Tomlinson, general overseer, in charge.

The first part of the program will be sacred songs such as "Nearer the Old Olive Tree," "Gethsemane," "Dark Calvary," "The Old Rugged Cross." While these songs are being sung, they will also be enacted. While "Gethsemane" is being sung, an actor representing Jesus will take His disciples and go to the garden to pray. When "Nearer the Old Olive Tree" is sung, Jesus will be under the tree

praying. After this, He is taken by the mob back to the city. The Scripture concerning the trial will be read, and then He will be taken to where three large crosses stand, one for Jesus and one each for the two thieves. After the Crucifixion, the body will be placed in the tomb, and guards placed in front of the tomb. There will be an earthquake effect, and the stone will be rolled away. Then the resurrection scenes take place.

It will take about one hour from the time the pageant begins until it ends, most of it before daylight. The program will be broadcast over loud speakers. Last year the attendance was more than 5,000, according to Mr. Tomlinson.

### REV. C. W. KIRBY Rev. C. W. Kirby To Speak At Men's Meeting

The Rev. C. W. Kirby, pastor of Central Methodist Church in Canton, will be the feature speaker at the Murphy Area meeting of Methodist Men on Monday evening, March 26, at 7 o'clock in the Junaluska Terrace Hotel, Andrews.

This meeting is a quarterly meeting of the Methodist men from Cherokee, Graham, and Clay counties.

Frank Forsyth, president of the organization, will preside at the meeting. Other officers of the group are: vice-president, Lee Penland of Hayesville; secretary, Wade Beece of Andrews; treasurer, Weldon Ellasi of Robbinsville.

The Rev. W. Jackson Hanesworth, Superintendent of the Western District of the Methodist Church, will be present also.

Mrs. Hanesworth spent several days this week in Asheville as the guest of Miss Ruth Poy.