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MURPHY, NORTH CAROLINA, THURSDAY, DEC. 13, 1951

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TWELVE PAGES THIS WEEK

Baptist Youth Choirs Present Dawn Of Christmas" Sunday

noon.

Lions Entertain

For The Ladies

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The Cherub Choir, the Junior Choir and the Youth Choir of First Baptist Church come together Sunday at 7:30 p. m. to present a Christmas program. There will be special musical numbers and reci-tations by Cherubs and Juniors. The Youth Choir will climax the program by presenting Roy E. Nol-te's cantata, "The Dawn of Christ-mas".

The order of program is as follows:

Iows: The Cherub Choir, Giad, Giad Day, choir; To All Good Tidings, Recitation, Kenny Jane Davis; Lit-tile Baby in the Manger, Choir; Joy—Tootsie Headrick, Sheila Chur Manger, Choir; Joy-Tootsie Headrick, Shella Stiles, Tommy Adams and choir; Once a Tiny Baby, Choir; What the Bells Say, Becky Hoover, Mary George Baugh, Martha Portwood, Glenda Mills and Choir; Glad Bells, Choir; Away in a Manger, Choir Choir.

The Junior Choir: Good Tidings. The Junior Choir: Good Tidings, Choir: Responsive Reading, Choir and Velma Umphfres; A Christ-mas Song, Nancy Rose; In Sweet-est Praise, Nancy Mills, Judy Da-vis and Choir; Here is a Wond-rous Story, Boys' Chorus and Choir: Let's Remember Christmas, Choir; Good News, Judy Davis, Ann Gladson, Ruth Bates, John Morris, Billy Browning, Willie Belle Port-wood, Sue Miller; Go With Joyous News, Choir. The Junior Choir is

Churches Protest

Appointment Of

Ambassador To

Murphy First Baptist Church and the pastor, the Rev. J. Alton Morris, and landers in the Free Methodist Church have registered protests to President Truman's ap-pointment of an ambassador to the Vatican at Rome.

Protests have gone to President Truman and Senators Clyde R.

Hoey and Willis Smith, and Repre-

The petitions to the members of

Congress state that as citizens of the United States the undersigned

the United States the undersigned "do not want to recognize the Ro-man Catholic Church as a state like France or Italy" They point out that "to send a representative to the Vatican would be like send-ing an ambassador to any denomi-national headquarters in the Uni-ed Catica access the denomina-

ted States, except the denomina-tion does not control its consti-tuency as the Pope controls the Catholic Church."

Catholic Church." The petition to the President asks that he recall his appoint-ment, and the one to the senators and representative ask that they do all within their power to defeat confirmation of the appointment.

sentative Monroe M. Redden.

The Vatican

Vatican at Rome.

in the presentation of the "Dawn of Christmas" special parts are ung by Glenda Ivie, Jimmy Davis, Sally Morris, Rosalind Stalcup, 'arolyn Alexander, and Velms Umphres.

The Cherub Choir and the Youth 'hoir are directed by Miss Velma Umphfres.

Miss Shirley Bates is the accom-panist for all the choirs. The Lottie Moon, Fannie Heck nd Mae Perry Circles will have lieir annual Christmas party at he church at 2:30 Tuesday after-noon.

Irs. Clifton Mills, Mrs. Roberta Dickey, Miss Faye Boling, Mrs. Roy Stalcup and Jack Barnett. At the 11 a. m. worship service Sunday, Rev. J. Alton Morris, pas-



A Christmas program will be taged by the Presbyterian Sun-lay School Wednesday, Dec. 19, it 7:30 p.m. There will be carols, Christmas ceadings and other features. Following the program, there will be a Christmas party, with reats for everybody. A committee composed of Mrs. 3d Brumby, chairman, Miss Jane Hill, Mrs. Jin Gibbs, Mrs. R. H. Foard, Mrs. Harvey Wilson, Jr., Wrs. Bruce Gordon, Mrs. C. H. Townson, Mrs. Bob White, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Singleton, Mrs. Harry Willer, and Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Bur-ress has been appointed to direct the program.

Andrews Junior Class To Give Comedy Dec. 15

The Junior Class of Andrews 'ligh School will present a play "Three Days of Grace", a breezy 'arce in three rapid-fire acts in the school auditorium Saturday at 7-30 7:30 p. m. The cast includes Kate Conley, The cast includes Kate Conley, Janice Barton, Shirley Carver, Maxine Trull, Juanita Crisp, Ma-bel Almond, Dickey Waldroup, Blaine Thompson, Jimmy Cathey, William Franklin, Carlyle Sharp and Eric Kilpatrick.

Ladies' Night was observed Lions Club had the Lionesses and thers as their guests for dinner ind a program of music and speak-ing. The dining room of the Meth-odist Church was elaborate with

Christmas decorations. Lion H. Bueck spoke on "Giving and Serving". Misses Glenda Ivie Sally Morris and Rosalind Stalcup **Is December 20** A Box Supper will be given at Martin's Creek School house, Thursday evening, December 20th at 7:30 p. m. There will be fun and extertainment for adults, as well as the young people. Prizes will also be given. The entire proceeds will be used ntertained with several vocal tri-s. A sextet composed of Bob Bault, the Rev. R. Delbert Byrum, C. B. Hyde, P. G. Ivie, Joe Ray and C. R. Freed sang "Silent Night",

Red Cross Bloodmobile will be in

Favors were given all present by President and Lioness Loren Da-"is, and the club gave the lady mests a gift from the large Christmas tree that was beauti-fully decorated.

GERALD GRINDSTAFF

And PAUL LOMINAC, JR. **Andrews Boys Meet In Hawaii**

Geranl Grindstaff, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Grindstaff, and Paul Lominac, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lominac, of Andrews,

have met in Hawaii. They are at Naval Air Station, Barber's Point. Grindstaff, an elec-tronic technician, is with fleet all veather training unit. Lominac, a parachute rigger, is with patrol pomber squadron 22, which is leaving shortly for Okinawa, where they will be operating under the United Nation's flag.

Lominac is a graduate of the An-irews High School. Grindstaff also attended Andrews High School.

75 Percent Of T. B. Seal Money **Stays In County**

Seventy-five cents of every dol-lar paid here for T. B. Christmas Seals stays right here in Chero-kee County and is used for chest X-rays, to determine who has tu-berculosis, and for treatment for the prevention and cure of T. B. for rehabilitation and research, and anything else that may stop the spread of the disease. The re-maining 25c goes to the North Carolina Tuberculosis Association. Carolina Tuberculosis Association, and six per cent of that amount goes to the National T. B. Asso-clation to carry on the work. Mrs. C. W. Savage says, "There is no connection between the sale of T. B. Christmas Seals and the American Red Cross."

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Initial Meeting

The initial meeting of the Uni-ted Forces for Education was held Monday evening at 7:30 in the pri-

mary building of the Murphy school. James Osborne of the Hi-wassee Dam unit of the N. C. E.

wassee Dam unit of the N. C. E. A. acted as chairman. School finance was the subject discussed by the U. F. for Ed., led by H. Bueck. Supt. of Murphy City School Unit. He told of the financial problems which school administrators face today in their efforts to provide better schools 'or our communities on a fixed budget in force of rising costs

or our communities on a fixed budget in force of rising costs. He presented four phases of the school program, namely, finance of 'eaching tools or equipment, pu-oll-feacher ratio, visiting teacher o check truency, and financial support adequate to acquire com-cetant personnel.

'The Messiah" To Be Given Sunday At Methodist Church

The Christmas portions of ² feorge Frederick Handel's THE AESSIAH will be presented at irst Methodist Church, Murphy, in Sunday, December 16, at 8 p. a. by candlelight. The chorus pre-onting this famous oratorio con-ists of singers from the choirs of First Methodist Church, Mur-phy Presbyterian Church, Mur-phy Presbyterian Church, Young Harr's College, and other inter-sted persons in the community. Frederick Schley is the director, ind Mrs. Duke Whitley is organist. The solo numbers and their re-pective soloists are as follows: The solo numbers and their re-pective soloists are as follows: 'Comfort, Ye, My People", C. R. 'reed; "Every Valley Shall Be Ex-austed", Phillip DiLavore; "Then shall the Eyes of the Blind Be 'pened" and "He Shall Feed His 'lock Like A Shepherd", Mrs. Zeb Chastain; "But Who May 'bide the Day of His Coming", 'ack Barnett; "I Know That My Tedeemer Liveth", Mrs. R. Del-bert Byrum; "There Were Shep-herds", Miss Susie Miller; "R-ioice Greatly, O Daughter of Zi-on", Miss Edna Herren. "Why Do he Nations Rage?" will be sung by the basses in unison. The numbers to be sung by the

by the basses in unison. The numbers to be sung by the choir will be: "And the Glory of the Lord", "O Thou That Tellest Good Tidings", "For Unto Us A Child Is Born", "Glory to God", and "The Hallelujah" Chorus". Those who will participate in his presentation are: Sopranos: Mrs. Glenn Bates, Mrs. R. Delbert Syrum, Mrs. John A. Davideon

Ars. Glenn Bates, Mrs. H. Delbert, Svrum, Mrs. John A, Davidson, Miss Edna Herren, Mrs. J. C Howse, Mrs. Bruce Gordon, Miss Hilda McCurdy, Miss Susie Miller, Miss Geraldine Smith, Miss Emily Sword, Mrs. John Thuss, and Miss Ann Woods; Altos: Mrs. L. C. At-tins Miss Waynette Black Miss Ann Woods; Altos: Mrs. L. C. At-tins, Miss Waynette Blalock, Miss Reverly Barrow, Miss Betty Brown, Mrs. H. Bueck, Mrs. Zeb Chastain Mrs. Nell Davidson, Mrs. R. H. Foard, Mrs. Edwina Hagaman, Miss tuth Hinson, Mrs. Dale Lee, Mrs uke Rushton. Mrs. Robert White; fenors: Mack Clark, John Dawson, Phillip DiLavore. Delano Fielding, C. R. Freed, Maurice Moore; Bass-is: Jack Barnett, Rev. R. Delbert Syrum, J. W. Dividson, Rev. L. F. Huckaby, W. B. Johason, Mack Hawne, James Osborne, Bruce Yandle. Ine public is invited.

ine-public is invited. On Sunday at 11 a. m. the pas-or, the Rev. R. Delbert Byrum, ill preach on "What the Soul Wagnifies".

Pfc. Lovingood

Is Commended

The chaplains, all first lieuten-ints, are Harry R. Mays, 118 Sen-ica Rd., Clemson, S. C., James R. Crook, 101 Dillard St., Murphy, N. C., and Floyd L. Heckard, Mount Airy, N. C. Pfc. Wayne A. Lovingood, Com-pany "B", 1343d Engineer Combat Battalion, recently received the 'ollowing letter of appreciation:

1. The operational efficiency of n Engineer Combat Battalion dereaction of T/O & E equipment. Therefore, drivers are very essen-'ial in the effectiveness of the or ganization.

canization. 2. It is with great pleasure that I designate you "Best Driver of the Month" for October 1951. You "err selected on your excellent performance of duty in comply-ing with driving regulations and "re and maintenance of your ve- The Month" for October 1951. You basis Driver of the Month" for October 1951. You basis Driver of duty in complying with driving regulations and maintenance of your vehicle.
 I am highly gratified with Tour commendable performance of tuty and wish you continued success and advancement in your Army Career.
 William A. Sundlof Lt. Colonel CE Commanding
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DISCUSS PROBLEMS-Three former World War II combat infan trymen now serving as chaplains discuss mutual problems in an Army chapel at Camp Rucker, Ala., where they are stationed. All first lieutenants, the chaplains are (left to right) James R. Crook, Murphy, N. C.; Floyd L. Heckard, Mount Airy, N. C.; and Harry R. Mays, Clemson, S. C.

Joe Ray Heads Polio Campaign

Joe E. Ray has been appointed county chairman for the Cherokee County March of Dimes campaign by Mrs. Phillips Russell, Director or Organization, Chapel Hill, The campaign is to get underway Jan-ury 1 and end January 31, 1952. Ray has appointed H. L. Me-dever as assistant chairman and the following committees: Publicity: Miss Addie Mae coke, chairman, the Rev. Robert Barker, Miss Edna Bishop, H. A. Mattox, H. E. Bishop, Frank forsyth, Bob White, Bob Easley, L. Mattox, H. E. Bishop, Frank forsyth, Bob White, Bob Easley, County March of Office Frank Walsh, chair-man, Mrs. Evelyn West, Ben H.

All three were combat soldiers dur-ing World War II and have brought valuable experience as battle lead-ers to their newer assignments as piritual leaders.

Andrews: Mrs. Annie Ruby Bar-nett, chairman, P. B. Ferebee, Dr. Chas. O. Van Gorder, Galusha Pullium.

lium. Tomotla: Miss Lella Hayes chairman, Mrs. Bert Shields, Mrs. Beulah Sales. Peachtree: Mrs. Meb Hendrix, chairman, Mrs. Evelyn Sudderth, Mrs. Noah Hembree, Mrs. Frank Airy, N. C. Chaplain Mays, whose assignment is with the divisions 136th Regi-nent, participated in the Battle of the Bulge as a platoon leader. "I feel that the time spent in a rifle company has given me a broader perspective and a better understanding to give counsel," he declares.

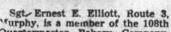
Mrs. Noan Hemoree, Mrs. Frank Ferguson. Martin's Creek: Bill Hembree, chairman, Mrs. Zeb Chastain, Mrs. Grady Smith, Douglas Smith. Ranger: Mrs. K at e Shields, chairman, Hardy Truett, Mrs. Charlie Kilpatrick, Mrs. Johnnie

Unaka: Howard Martin, chair-

Suit: R. L. Keenum, chairman



Is Commended



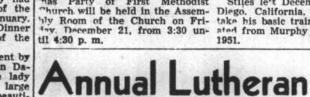
Red Cross Bloodmobile will be in Murphy Jan. 18. Toastmaster Hobart McKeever "nnounced that Joe E. Ray had been appointed chairman of the polio drive to be held in January. Over 100 were present. Dinner "was served by Circle 2 of the Methodist Church. Favors were given all present by

needy. The Supper will be sponsored by he Woodmen of the World. **Christmas** Party

The entire proceeds will be used to make Christmas baskets for the

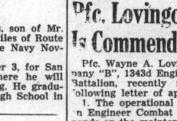
and there was group singing of Christmas carols, led by C. R. Lion President Loren Davis an-nounced that the dime board is

now being operated. J. L. Savage announced that the





Ernest I.loyd Stiles, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest C. Stiles of Route I, Murphy, joined the Navy Nov-The annual Children's Christ-mas Party of First Methodist "hurch will be held in the Assem-bly Room of the Church on Fri-tay. December 21, from 3:30 un-til 4:30 p. m. "hurch will be held in the Assem-blego. California, where he will take his basic training. He gradu-ated from Murphy High School in 1951.





Miner Announces

The Rev. C. Z. Miner, pastor of Murphy Free Methodist Church, announces that Sunday School December 16 will be at 10 a.m. and the Worship Hour at 11 a. m. "Tithing" is the topic of the morn-

Thing is the topic of the morn-ing message. The "Light of Life Hour," spon-sored by the local church, can be heard every Sunday at 1 p. m. over station WGST. Y. P. M. S. will meet at 7 p. m., and the Evangelistic Service is at 7.20

7:30.

Wednesday Prayer Meeting is at 7:30 p. m.

TO HAVE SINGING

inary Extension Center of Murphy has been accepted by the Seminary Extension Department of South-ern Expitist Theological Semina-ries, Jackson Miss., which com-mends the qualifications of the men, and designates them as "a good faculty." There still are some details which will have to be work-ed out between the local center and the department in Missistippi. The Rev. A. G. Brooks is keeping in touch with Dr. Lee Galiman as these details are being cleared.

On the basis of educat malifications the local teac ave training required to have school of religion. The qui dions of these men are;

Seminary Center

Faculty Is Approved

There will be a singing at Mt. Carmel Church at 1:30 Sunday, December 16.

Texas: Instructor in Press

Eighth Army, which received a meritorious unit commendation September 26.

commendation, made from Eighth Army Headquarters in Ko-rea by Major General H. I. Hodes, vited the 108th Quartermaster Bakry Company for outstanding ser-ice in support of combat opera-Jons in Korea during the period December 1, 1950, to May 31, 1951

Though forced to move, their he members of the unit worked

the company produced over 100.000 pounds of high quality bread during this period.

Choir in Andrews will sing its an-mul Christmas Carol Service at the church Sunday afternoon, Dec-mber 16, at 4:30. The public is in-

vited to attend.

illigently to overcome adverse weather conditions, lack of ade-uate sanitation facilities, short-

mber 16, at 4:30. The public is invited to attend.
The program for this year is as follows: Organ Prelude, Prayer from Rienzi by Wagner; Processional Hymn, O Come All Ye Faithful; the Christmas Story from St. Luke's Gospel; Prayer. Group I, a. Sing We Noel (15th century French):. b, Now the Holy Child is Born (16th century French); c, They Call Him Jesus (Italian); d, The Searching Carol (English). Group II; a. Sleep Holy Babe (American); b, Jesu, Thou Dear Babe Divine (Haitian); c, Sleep, My Jesus, Sleep (Dutch); d, Jesu, Jesu, Gently Sleeping (Russian). Offertory—O Holy Night (French Adam). Group III, a, Sing We Now of Christmas (17th century Geridation on Christmas Day (15th century Geridation).

Saint Andrew's Lutheran Church

Vrench);, b. Christ Was Born on Christmas Day (15th century Ger-man);, c. Bring Your Torches, Jea-tette, Isabella (17th century ⁹rench);, d. Hehold That Star (American Negro). Group IV, a, The Carol of the Little King (Eng-"eb);, b. A Christmas Fantasy;, c. Silent Night (German). Benedic-tion, Allegro by DeMonti. The choir is under the direction of Miss Margaret Fisher. Mrs. Giles W. Cover is organist. Soloists for the alternoon are: Miss Fisher. Miss Elsanor Cover and Mrs. Tom 7, Day.

The faculty for the Baptist Sem- Alton Morris, B. A., Mercer Uni-

The faculty for the Baptist Sem-inary Extension Center of Murphy has been accepted by the Seminary Extension Department of South-ern Baptist Theological Seminar-ries, Jackson Miss.which com-mends the qualifications of the good faculty." There still are some details which will have to be work-ted out between the local center ted out between the local center. Mies Eleanor Cover and Mrs. Tom R. Day. Other members of St. Andrew's Choir are: Miss Mabel Almond. Miss Christine Barber, Miss Lo-rene Barber, Mrs. Boyd Cooper, Miss Frances Cover. Mrs. L. L. Ezzell, Mrs. James Ibberson, Mrs. Wayne Ladd, Mrs. Glenn Love, Miss Phyllis Snyder and Mrs. C. R. Tarkington.

Tarkington. The Rev. W. E. Hall, Pastor. alls attention to the fact that the our for the Carol Service has one changed from 5 to 4:20 p. m.

Lt. Colonel Commanding Pfc. Lovingood, son of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Lovingood, Rt. 3, Mur-phy, has been in service 17 months and overseas nine months. He had is basic training at Fort Knox, Kentucky. He was recently sent to is pain for five days. Between periods of military ser-vice the three chaplains completed the theological training which pre-pared them for their present as-signments. Mays attended Dukc University Divinity school, Crook the Union Theological seminary of Virginia and Heckard graduated from Emory University in Georgia.

Lt. Colonel CE Commanding Pfc. Lovingood, son of Mr. and

declares.

Chaplain Crook, now of the 135th Regiment, saw 25 months of com-bat in the Pacific, also as a platoon

O. C. Payne, Truman McNabb, the Rev. Lester Stowe. Letitia: Mrs. W. C. Walker, chairman, Mrs. Emma Haney, Olen Clonis. Oak Park: Mrs. Glenn Raper, chairman, A. A. Williamson, Rev Grady Chastain. Wolf Creek "A": Miss Maude To Award Contracts

Wolf Creek: A. Miss Maude Collins, chairman, Jim Harris. Wolf Creek: Mrs. Edgar New-man, chairman, A. J. Simonds, Mrs. Edith Cook. Culberson: Frank Byres, chair-man, Mrs. Glenn Owenby, the Rev. Colvin Thomson.

man, Mrs. Glenn Owenby, the Rev. Colvin Thompson. Buck Knob: Willard Graham, chairman, Mrs. Lottie Murphy, Mrs. Vesta T. Verner. Texana, Mrs. E. R. Dennis, chairman, Mrs. Ella Beatty Rags-dale, Edmond T. Moore, Jr. The town council of Andrews met in the City Hall Tuesday af-ternoon to receive bids for im-



provement of the water system. Bids were announced as follows:

struction Co., Norristown, Pa., \$3,985. The total low bids were \$100,-796,90. Contracts will be swarded with-

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796.90. Contracts will be swarded with in the next few days, official said.

Bitusse, Columbia, S. C., 970, 133.
Filter plant, low bidder, William B. Dillard, Sylva, \$27,000; C.
Y. Thompson Col., Greenwood. S.
C., \$33,993; Glenn Construction Co., Charlotte, \$39,342.
Repairing concrete reservoir, low bidder, Pressure Concrete Co., Florence, Ala., \$2,932; Gunite Concrete and Construction Co., Kanass City, Mo., \$3,785; Lattimer Construction Co., Norristown, Pa., \$3,985.

The society continued its Novem ber study of interracial relations. The school principal, Mr. Toliver, spoke on the "Phylosophy of Stev-ms-Lee". A program, "A Day In the Life of Stevens-Lee", was pre-sented by the high school students. Tea was served after a tour of the class rooms.

Check truency, and financial support adequate to acquire competant personnel. The United Forces for Education is backed by people from six well-known organizations throughout our State and Nation These are members of our State School Board, P. T. A., Federation of Worder Clube, Farm Bureau, North Carolina Education Association and the Grange. The principal content of the Grange. The principal content of the Grange The principal content of the American Lexion, the American Lexion, the American Lexion, the American Lexion and Junior State Civilian Lion, and Junior State Civilian Lion, and Junior State Civilian Lion, and Junior Wommus Chub Rotary Club. Month formery Lodge AF & AME, P. T. A. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Davidson and ra. Paralee Welker spent last set and in Blackwater, Va., as

Local members of the Delta Kappa Gamma National Honorary Society who attended the meet-ing in Stephens-Lee High School, Asheville were Mesdames Ruby Hill, Dair Shields, Evelyn Patton, and Emily Davidson, and Miss Em-ly Sword.

Local Members

Attend Meet

133.

For Water System