

Buell Named To Head Baptist Executive Promotion Group

The Rev. John Buell, pastor of the Highlands Baptist Church, is the new chairman of the Baptist Executive Promotion Committee.

Others named to serve with him at a meeting of the committee January 11 at the Frank-

lin church were the Rev. M. W. Chapman, moderator of the association, the Rev. Arvil Swafford, vice-moderator, Arvel Parker, B. T. U. director, and Clifford Cook, group leader in Sunday School work.

The committee, composed of

pastors and two members from each of the 42 churches in the county, heard a number of reports at the meeting and accepted the resignation of E. R. White as B. T. U. director.

A Sunday School report by the Rev. Lee Crawford showed gains in enrollment and the pastor reported all leaders are "doing splendid work".

Arvel Parker reported on B. T. U. activities. The recent "M" night attendance was given as 315, with the Highlands church winning the attendance banner. It also was announced that the regional tournament is planned for May in Franklin and that a study course will be conducted in the churches during March.

A report on W.M.U. was made by Mrs. W. N. Cook. She said seven of the 11 societies, with 209 members, sent in good reports. Mrs. Cook also announced that the Lottie Moon Christmas offering for foreign missions was more than \$400.

The Rev. C. T. Taylor, who has been serving as contact man for the association, reported a large number of cards and letters have been written and a number of officer plan-

ning meetings attended. The committee voted to give Mr. Taylor \$150 for his services as contact man during the past quarter.

The devotional was conducted by the Rev. Jarvis Underwood.

The next meeting of the committee is set for April 5 at the Ridgecrest Baptist Church.

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4-H Members Receive Awards Saturday



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Saturday's meeting of the 4-H County Council saw a number of club members receive awards for achievements during the past year. Pictured above are those present at the meeting. They are (L to R) front row, Alice Lee Bradley, Wayne Sheffield, Doyle Young, and Elizabeth Ann Ammons; second row, Mack Hodges, Kathryn Ann Jones, Jerry Gibson, Edna Earl Stoudemire, and June Cabe; third row, Donald Brown, Otis Stiwinter, Nancy Cable, Carolyn Waldrup, and Nancy Setser. Six others who received awards were not at the meeting. (See Story on Page 1).

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ON 'A' LIST

Miss Julia Elizabeth Moody, student at Western Carolina College, Cullowhee, made the Alpha honor list for the quarter just ended, it has been learned here.

GREGORY ON LEAVE

Pvt. Harold Gregory, who has just completed basic training at Camp Gordon, Ga., is spending a 14-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Gregory, of Franklin, Route 2. At the end of his leave he will report for duty at Fort Belvoir, Va. He entered service in November.

GUY ON LEAVE HERE

Pvt. Bobby Guy, who has been stationed at Camp Gordon, Ga., is spending a 20-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Furman Guy, of Franklin, Route 4. At the end of his leave he will report to Fort McPherson, Ga., for new assignment. He entered service last November.

CADET HEARN PROMOTED

Cadet Eric W. Hearn, son of Col. and Mrs. W. W. Hearn, of Franklin, has been advanced to the rank of private first class at Riverside Military Academy, Gainesville, Ga., it has been announced. Cadet Hearn also was awarded recognition for his work on the freshman football team. The academy is now operating at Hollywood, Fla., its winter home.

Retired Navy Chief Drops Anchor Here After 20 Years

Three From Macon Attend Conference

Sheriff J. Harry Thomas, Alderman A. G. Cagle, and J. P. Brady, of The Press staff, attended the Freedom of Information Conference in Raleigh last Thursday.

Weimar Jones, publisher of The Press, who is now on the staff of the University of North Carolina School of Journalism, was a panelist at the morning session dealing with problems of newspapers and the judiciary in informing the people. Mr. Jones also is president of the North Carolina Press Association.

ON DEAN'S LIST

Miss Barbara Gribble, a junior at Western Carolina College, Cullowhee, made the Dean's List for both the spring and winter quarters of 1953. An elementary education major, Miss Gribble is secretary of the Alpha Phi Sigma, national honorary scholarship fraternity, publicity chairman of the Association for Childhood Education, executive member of the Future Teachers of America, and secretary to the Dean of Men.

CHURCH SOCIAL HELD

The weekly social was held at the Highlands Methodist Church last Thursday. Those present were Mavis McCall, Geraldine James, Sue Hopper, Louise Norton, Nancy Norton, Eleanor Early, Lorraine Vinson, Catherine Chastain, Bobby Houston, Raymond Cleaveland, Tommy Norton, Herbert James, Ray Reese, Charles Chastain, Jack Patterson, and Dickie Early. Among those chaperoning these socials are the Dewey Hoppers, the Rink Batys, the R. E. Earlys, and W. C. Newton.

A veteran Navy Chief with almost 16 consecutive years of sea duty has dropped anchor in Franklin.

He's Frederick Salaim, a native of Pennsylvania, whose wife is the former Miss Mary Lou Burrell, daughter of Mayor and Mrs. W. C. Burrell. He is now associated with his father-in-law at Burrell Motor Company.

Here's part of what the Navy has to say about the retired chief:

"Twenty years of active duty in the Navy led Chief Commissaryman Frederick Salaim across the sea lanes of the world, gave him a 50-yard-line seat on world events.

"At the outbreak of the Spanish insurrection, the chief, then a seaman, was aboard the Cruiser Omaha when she stood offshore of Barcelona, Spain, to evacuate American diplomats and citizens.

"Cruises aboard battleships, cruisers, and in oil tanker are entered in his log, but most of his time was spent sailing with the amphibious force. Aboard the ships that brought men to the beachheads of World War II, Chief Salaim went through the invasions of the Marshall Islands, Leyte, Lingayen Gulf, Saipan, Guam, Iwo Jima, and toured the Atlantic to be in on the invasion of Casablanca in North Africa."

Prior to his formal separation from the service in November at Norfolk, Va., Chief Salaim was presented with his membership to the Fleet Reserve.

The ex-chief and his wife have two children, Deborah Lee, 4, and Rita Ceelia, 2.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our thanks to each of our friends and neighbors for the many deeds of kindness shown us during our recent bereavement. Also for the beautiful flowers.
Dorcas Tallent and Family

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