

ANDREWS

News and Advertisements

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Hundred-Year-Old Tree Produces Fine Crop Apples

By I. B. HUDSON
ANDREWS — "But only God can make a tree", concludes the famous poem on the subject. If Joyce Kilmer had in mind apple trees, he might have had in mind some ancient specimens now living and bearing fruit here in Cherokee county which were planted more than a hundred years ago. On the Stewart farm about one and one-half miles North of Andrews on which now lives Mrs. Vernon McGuire (the former Miss Annie Stewart) stands a remarkable apple tree which was brought to this region from Caldwell county by the great grandparents of Mrs. McGuire and planted here one hundred and one years ago. This tree is well preserved, is a very large apple tree, and this year has a fruitage of at least fifteen bushels of apples. The apples are large green in color, and are most excellent for pies and for applesauce. The apples begin to drop and are useable from about June 10 and last until the middle of August.

This tree at present is very thrifty and seems to be good for many more years. Uncle Sammy Stewart who died last November at the age of 93 and who was born and reared on the place had never known the tree to fail to bear some fruit any year nor has it ever been subject to blight.

On this same Stewart tract of land stands another tree that is one hundred and twenty years old. Although this tree this year had some fruit on it, its days seem to be numbered. It is quite hollow, and a mere shell around a large hollow varies it life. It is of a different variety from the other tree mentioned.

Stephen Adams, Jr., Asheville, is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Zala Adams.

Mrs. Eugene Hughes and three children, Murphy, spent last week end with Mrs. Hughes' mother, Mrs. John Stanfield.

Mrs. Louise Rogers visited in Atlanta, Ga., two days last week.

Reminds Vets Of Service Andrews Office Renders

ANDREWS — Information has been received by the Veterans Administration Office in Andrews to the effect that hundreds of veterans residing in Jackson, Swain, Macon, Graham and Clay and Cherokee counties are not aware of the fact that an office has been established by the Veterans Administration in the Andrews Library building. Here assistance will be given to servicemen in filing claims, securing hospitalization and out-patient treatment, on-the-job training, and any other benefits due them under the law administered by the Veterans Administration.

Miss Helen A. Rankin, contact representative, in charge of the Andrews office will be glad to help any veteran with any problems which he may have, to assist him in reinstating or converting his insurance policies, obtaining Civil Service preferment, filing claims for pensions and insurance, and in making application for educational or training benefits. She will also assist dependents of veterans and their beneficiaries in obtaining pensions, insurance benefits, burial allowances, headstone and burial flags.

Definite rulings governing the ratings of service connected cases of malaria have been made, according to Miss Rankin. In all such cases the Andrews office may be contacted so that the veterans may receive assistance in filing his claim, in obtaining treatment, and instructions with respect to keeping complete medical records of any new or recurrent attacks of malaria.

In connection with educational benefits, all veterans who plan to attend school under the Servicemen's Readjustment act of 1944 (GI Bill), for the first time next fall should apply immediately for his certificate of eligibility. A flood of applications sent into the Regional Office when schools are ready to open the first of September may cause delay to the veteran in receiving his letter of eligibility and subsistence allowances.

Veterans residing in Western North Carolina who desire to be placed in training on their own farms, whether the farms be rented or the farms of their employers, should apply for letters of eligibility, and the Andrews Office contacted as to the proper procedure to be followed in order to be placed in training.

The Andrews office hours have recently been revised and are open each week from 8:00 A. M. to 4:30 P. M. and until noon on Saturdays.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Sanders and children, Atlanta, Ga., visited Mrs. Sanders' sister, Mrs. D. E. Pulliam, last week-end. She also had as her guests, Miss Sara Anne Lang of Atlanta, Ga.

Gerald McGuire, Akron, Ohio, is visiting his sister, Miss Bertha McGuire.

Veterans Of Foreign Wars Post Organized

ANDREWS — Approximately one hundred veterans of World War II and a number of veterans of War I from Andrews, Marble and Topton met at the Andrews Library building on June 26, and organized a post of veterans of foreign wars. A large number of applications for membership was made, and authorization for the application for a charter was also given.

At a subsequent meeting additional memberships were secured, and Friday evening, July 5, was set for the election of officers. Arrangements have already been made for a state representative of VFW to meet with the Andrews post on July 18, on which occasion it is anticipated that there will be a formal delivery of the post charter. A drive is now being made to obtain two hundred charter members.

Andrews Personals

ville, S. C., is visiting relatives in Andrews.

Vernon (Muss) McGuire, who has been ill since last Saturday, is much improved.

Mrs. Sam Williams of Andrews and her daughter from Burlington, visited Mrs. Williams' son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Williams, in Chattanooga, Tenn., last week.

Dr. Pat Lyddan joined his wife and son here Wednesday last week for a visit with J. A. Tatham and family.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Nichols spent last week-end at Villa Rica, Ga. with relatives.

Miss Melba Holder is visiting her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Irving L. Young of Chicago, Ill.

Capt. and Mrs. Daily Harris, Washington, D. C., were guests of Mrs. Harris' mother, Mrs. A. B. Stuart of Glenn Choga Lodge, last week-end. Mrs. Stuart also had as her guests Mrs. John Hay and daughter, Betty Jean, of Knoxville, Tenn., Misses Mary Rachael and Katherine Harris, Grier Harris and Jesse Plummer of Lamar, S. C.

Miss Ruth Barnard, Knoxville, Tenn., spent last week-end with her mother, Mrs. Alice H. Barnard.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Sutton, Sylva, visited the Barnards and the I. B. Hudsons last Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. Winston Pierce and children, Patricia, Paula and Perry, of Durham, are visiting Mrs. Pierce's father, B. A. Rickett.

Mrs. Vertie Lambert, Aquone, visited relatives in town last week.

Postell

An all day singing will be held at the Swanson church Sunday, July 14. All singers are invited to come and bring lunch.

Ray Stiles of Gastonia spent the holidays with his father, M. C. Stiles.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Truett and little daughter Barbara of Cleveland, Tenn., visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Jones last week.

Miss Birdie Stiles of Gastonia is spending a two weeks vacation with her brother, M. C. Stiles, Postell, and Hershell, Marble.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Allen of Athens, Tenn., visited the former's mother, Mrs. Rebecca Allen, Sunday.

Quinton Jones of Gastonia visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Jones, last week.

Upper Wolf Creek

Revival services conducted by the Rev. Will Hedden came to a close Tuesday night with a Baptism Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Bertha Bandy, who has been employed in Brunswick, Ga., has been visiting here the past week.

There will be a singing in the afternoon the fifth Sunday. All singers are invited to attend.

Jack McMahan, who has been in Germany, has received his discharge and is at home.

Fred Bryant, who has been employed in Dorville, Ga., has returned home.

Mrs. L. L. McAllister and daughter

Joe Green

Joe Green of Copperhill died Thursday morning, June 27, at the home of his son, in Copperhill. He had been ill for several weeks.

Funeral services were held at Hopewell church Saturday afternoon, June 29, with the Rev. Mr. Goss officiating.

Mr. Green is survived by one son, Howard Green of Copperhill, one sister, Mrs. J. P. Cable of Murphy, and three grandchildren.

Quin and Humphrey of Copperhill was in charge of funeral arrangements.

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Serial: "MYSTERY ISLAND"

Late Show Saturday, 10:45 P. M.
Richard Conte - Faye Marlowe, In—
"THE SPIDER"
—And—
Selected Short Subjects

Sunday - Monday, July 14 - 15
ABBOTT and COSTELLO, In—
"NAUGHTY NINETIES"
Also — LATEST UNIVERSAL NEWS

Tuesday - Wednesday, July 16 - 17
David McEmery - Jane Frazee, In—
"SWING IN THE SADDLE"
—Also—
"SWAMP WATER"
Serial: "PHANTOM RIDER"

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