



ANDREWS TO HAVE LABOR DAY CELEBRATION

First Night Game Is Set For Friday

Asper, Ga., will play the Murphy ball team here Friday evening, August 29, at 8 o'clock, announces manager David King.

This will be the first night game played under the new lights on the athletic field. Sports-minded people in the community are rejoicing that the field has been lighted and can be used for night games.

To assist in paying for the installation of lights, tickets at \$1 each are being sold for the Friday night game. Members of Murphy Lions club and others in Murphy have tickets for sale.

Examiner Asks That Application For Licenses Be Made Here Now

Motor vehicle operators whose names begin with the letters A and B should make application now for new drivers' licenses, states R. W. Rector, license examiner. He says, "If you are caught driving without your new drivers' license after December 31 you are subject to a \$25 fine. Please come in now while we are not rushed and can take care of you. If everyone puts this off until the last days we will not be able to take care of all."

The examiner is in Murphy at the courthouse on Monday, Tuesday and Saturday of each week. He will be in Hayesville on Wednesday, Andrews on Thursday and Robbinsville on Friday of each week.

Gribbin Resigns As WNC Diocese

The Rt. Rev. Robert Emmet Gribbin, D. D., bishop of the diocese of Western North Carolina, has tendered his resignation as diocesan to the house of bishops of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the United States of America, according to announcement by the standing committee of the diocese.

The Rt. Rev. Gribbin has attended the Episcopal Church of Messiah in Murphy several times during his duties as bishop of the diocese of Western North Carolina since 1934.

The house of bishops will not act upon his resignation until it meets in annual session in Winston-Salem Nov. 4, and if it is accepted Bishop Gribbin will be asked to continue serving as diocesan at least until the end of this year.

Poor health was given as the reason for his resignation.

Miss Altice Speaks Murphy Lions Club

Miss Mildred Altice, caseworker for the blind in five Southwestern counties, with headquarters in Murphy, was the guest speaker at Murphy Lions club meeting Tuesday evening in the Methodist church. She told of how the Blind Commission, with the cooperation of Lions clubs, assists the blind and near-blind in adjusting themselves for useful, happy living, often furnishing vocational rehabilitation in order for a person to earn his living.

Miss Altice was presented by Dr. W. A. Hoover, chairman of the blind committee of the club, who also announced that on Monday and Tuesday an eye clinic was held at which 95 people received examinations. He also presented Dr. Wm. Powell of Asheville as a special guest.

Andy Patton of Franklin was a guest of his brother, Mack Patton; Kenneth Farmer, guest of Dale Lee, who commended Farmer for the work he has done with the Boy

Labor's Invitation Is Sunday's Topic

The Rev. Russell L. Young, pastor of the First Methodist church, will preach Sunday morning at 11 o'clock on "Labor's Invitation" and Sunday evening at 8 o'clock on "Christianity, A Flag or Rudder?" Sunday school begins at 9:45 o'clock. The Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet at 7 o'clock.

Prayer meeting is at 8 o'clock Wednesday, with senior choir rehearsal immediately following.

Baby Born After Mother's Death Is Doing Nicely

Mrs. Mattie Hughes, 35, died at a local hospital Tuesday afternoon at 2:55 o'clock. Between five and ten minutes after her death, her baby was born by Caesarean operation. The little girl, weighing three pounds and two ounces, is still alive and, according to Mrs. F. V. Taylor at Murphy General hospital, is doing nicely. The father, Ernest Hughes, plans for the baby to stay at the hospital for some time.

Funeral services will be conducted for Mrs. Hughes (Thursday) at 2 p. m. at Happy Top Baptist church, of which she had been a member for 17 years. The Rev. Ham Coffey will officiate and burial will be in the church cemetery, with final funeral home in charge.

She is survived by her husband, Ernest Hughes and infant daughter; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Anderson; one sister, Mrs. Mae Crisp, Culberson, Route 1, and one brother, Lee Anderson, Culberson, Route 2.

State Health Officials To Visit Here 3rd

Dr. Carl V. Reynolds, state health officer, Dr. R. E. Fox, director of the Division of Local Health Administration, both of Raleigh, and Dr. E. L. Bishop, medical director of the TVA, Chattanooga, will visit the Cherokee-Clay-Graham health department headquarters in Murphy on Wednesday, September 3.

The purpose of the visit of these officials here is to study the needs of the health department.



HEALTHIEST — Sherman Hampton, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hampton of Murphy, who last week participated in the state-wide health contest at the 4-H club short course in Raleigh. He was one of the five contestants, being the health king from the Western District, comprising 19 counties. He ran a close second in the state contest.

Sherman has been active in 4-H club work for three years, having carried on some outstanding projects.

U. S. Marine Corps Posthumous Awards Honor Wilhide Brothers

The U. S. Marine Corps recently presented several posthumous awards to the parents of the late First Lieutenant Robert M. Wilhide, USMC, Second Lieutenant Wilfred W. Wilhide, USMC, at Andrews.

The awards were made during an informal ceremony at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank S. Wilhide, Catherine Wilhide, sister of the brothers, was present during the presentation.

The Distinguished Flying Cross and the Air Medal with citations were presented posthumously to Lieutenant Robert Wilhide. Gold stars in lieu of the second, third and fourth Air Medal with citations were awarded posthumously to Lieutenant Wilfred Wilhide, who had previously been honored with the Distinguished Flying Cross and the first Air Medal.

Awarded in the name of the president of the United States, the medals were given in ceremony by Captain Charles K. Warrick, USMC, and Commissioned Warrant Officer Eugene F. Moon, USMC.

Army Veterans May Secure Medals At Court House

Army World War II veterans of Murphy, who have been authorized by the War Department to wear the Victory Medal may obtain the medal upon presentation of their discharge certificate or similar papers bearing the required authorization, it has been announced by Master Sgt. Ken R. Coon, located in the Court House lobby on Monday and Tuesday a. m., Wednesday and Thursday p. m., and Fridays.

Although several million veterans have earned this honor by their wartime service, the medals have only recently been coined by the United States Mint, and no general distribution has yet been made. In place of the medal itself, veterans awarded this honor have worn the ribbon bar, which ordinarily substitutes for the medal on all occasions except formal ceremonies.

The Sergeant pointed out that the discharge papers of most veterans relieved from active duty since V-J Day bear the notation that the individual is authorized to wear this medal. All Army veterans are urged to examine their discharge certificates, and if eligible, to call at the Court House to pick up the medal itself.

Charles Brown of Kingsport, Tenn., spent Thursday here with his great-grandmother, Mrs. R. H. Hyatt.

Kenneth B. Farmer Goes To Annapolis

Kenneth B. Farmer, grandson of J. T. Hayes of Tomotta, has received through Rep. Monroe M. Redden, an appointment to the U. S. Naval Academy at Annapolis, Md. The appointment is effective July 1, 1948. His physical examination will be taken in April of next year. In the meantime, Kenneth will attend college at Clemson in Clemson, S. C., preparatory to entering the Academy.

Upon his graduation from Murphy high school in 1944, Kenneth

passed the V-12 test and entered Clemson College study under the Army Specialized Training Program until he was 18. He later served in the army at Camp Gordon in Augusta, Ga., Fort Ord, California, Monterey, Cal., and the Piesidio at San Francisco, Cal. He was in the information department of Headquarters Company, receiving his discharge last October, he entered the University of North Carolina off-campus college in Murphy.

County School Faculties Listed

Lloyd Hendrix, superintendent of Cherokee county schools, has released the following list of teachers for the fall term which starts September 1:

Ranger: James Pearl Crisp, principal; Mrs. W. C. Walker, Mrs. Beulah Barton Sales, Mrs. Ruth D. Carroll.

Macedonia: John Hogan; Shields; J. Allen Cooke, Mrs. Myrtle Moore; Culberson; Miss Cora Nichols.

Wolf Creek: Mrs. Kate Shields, Mrs. Wilma Shields, Miss Lattie Simmonds, Johnson; Miss Luella Jenkins, Miss Ida Lou Cole; Wolf Creek A.; Miss Maud Collins.

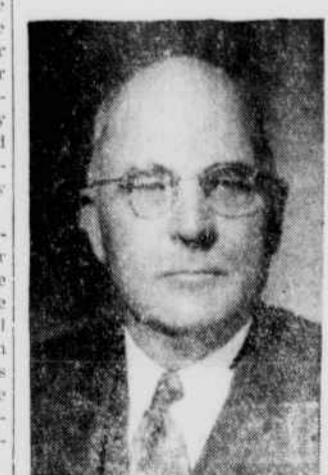
Hawassow Dam: James T. Osborne, acting principal; Jack Carpenter, Mrs. Pauline B. Thomas, Miss Marie Gregory, Miss Thelma Keenan, Mrs. Ross A. Barton, Mrs. Mattie Lee Garland, Mrs. W. B. Jenkins, Miss Maggie Belle Kisselburg, Miss Ieard, Miss Annie Lou Keenan, Mrs. Thelma M. Smith, R. L. Keenan, Walter Anderson, Miss Marion Louise Jones, home economics.

Friendship: Mrs. Anna Pearl Woodard, Mrs. Lois H. McNabb, Buck Knob; Mrs. Lottie Murphy, Unaka; W. R. Martin, Beecher Morrow, Mrs. Bertha Chambers; Upper Beaverdam; Mrs. Norma Lee Carringer, Mrs. Lola Radford.

Tellico: J. W. O'Dell; White Church; Joe S. Myers, Mrs. Vey McDonald; Ebenezer; Miss Ellen Hembree, Miss Nettie McDonald; Boiling Springs; Mrs. Opal O'Dell Davis; Owl Creek; E. L. Arrant.

Peachtree: Clarence Hendrix, principal; Miss Dale Sudderth, Mrs. Thelma P. Axley, Mrs. Vesta R. King, Miss Kate Robinson, Miss Bertha J. McGuire.

Martins Creek: Lonzo Shields, principal; Voyd Hogan, Mrs. Ruby M. Hemphill, Mrs. Edith M. Evans, Howard Martin, Mrs. Bertha Hogan Carringer.



TO VISIT ANDREWS CLUB — Andrews — Macon M. Williams, Governor of 194th District, Rotary International, of Lenoir, who will make his annual visit to the Andrews' Rotary club on Thursday, September 4.

Mr. Williams will meet with the officers and committee chairmen at 11 o'clock at Terrace Hotel. At 12 o'clock noon he will be the guest of the Rotary club at its regular weekly meeting.



ON PRESBYTERIAN HOUR — Rev. Frank C. Brown, D. D., of Dallas, Texas, will be the speaker on the Presbyterian Hour network next Sunday morning, August 31.

Dr. Brown is a native of West Virginia. He holds three degrees from Hampden Sidney College, having been awarded his D. D. in 1925. He graduated in theology from Union Seminary in Richmond, and then studied a year in the Free Church College in Edinburgh, Scotland. He has done an outstanding work as evangelistic pastor, especially in the Broom Memorial Church in Charleston, W. Va., and in his present pastorate, the First Presbyterian Church in Dallas.

He was elected Moderator of the General Assembly in 1940. He is now chairman of the Assembly's Committee on Evangelism and a member of the Assembly's Committee on Home Missions.

The subject of his message next Sunday will be "Man's Eternal Opportunity." This broadcast can be heard in this community over radio stations WSB, Atlanta, and WNOX, Knoxville.

Red Cross Chapter To Elect Officers On September 5

The Cherokee County Chapter of American Red Cross will meet at the home of Miss Addie Mae Cooke on Friday, September 5, at 8 p. m., for the election of officers. At a meeting of the board of directors Tuesday evening, several matters concerning veterans in hospitals and those serving overseas were discussed, and the following nominating committee was appointed to present a slate of officers at the September 5 meeting: Mrs. T. A. Case, chairman, Mrs. H. G. Elkins, and H. Bueck, by Miss Addie Mae Cooke, chapter chairman.

Miss Cooke urges all members of the Cherokee County chapter, which includes everyone who paid as much as a dollar into the treasury last March, to attend the meeting and participate in the election of officers and other activities of the chapter.

Rev. T. G. Tate Announces Topic

The Rev. T. G. Tate will preach at the Presbyterian church Sunday morning at 11 o'clock on the subject, "Speak Unto the Children of Israel That They Go Forward." Sunday school will meet at 10 a. m. and Youth Fellowship at 7:15 p. m. There will be no evening service. Mr. Tate will preach at the Hayesville Presbyterian church at 8 o'clock Sunday evening.

District Governor To Visit Andrews Rotary Club 4th

ANDREWS — The program at the Andrews Rotary club held at Terrace Hotel on Thursday of last week consisted of a report on plans for the year on "Community Service" by Rev. J. C. Lime, Mr. Lime, in the course of his talk pointed out many avenues of service for the local civic club.

Event Sponsored By Chamber Of Commerce There

ANDREWS — With the athletic committee of the Andrews Chamber of Commerce as sponsors, the town of Andrews and surrounding territory will launch its first "big time" Labor Day celebration here on Monday, Sept. 1.

The highlight of the day will be an "old time" Fiddlers' Convention which will be held in the high school auditorium at 8 o'clock in the evening at which event \$50 in cash prizes will be given away as follows: \$25 grand prize for best fiddler or group of players; \$10 second prize for best fiddler or group of players; \$5 for best guitar or mandolin player, or individual group; \$5 for best banjo picker or group; \$5 for best performer or group under 12 years of age.

Featured also are two baseball games with Tellico Plains, Tenn., playing the local team at 10 A. M., and 2:00 P. M. The above teams played thrilling games here the 4th of July with each team winning one game.

Free lemonade and watermelon will be served at Hamilton Bros. Auction Barn.

Merchants will close their stores for the day's events.

The new concrete bleachers in process of construction at the ball park will be ready for dedication.

Opening Programs Scheduled For Murphy Schools

Murphy school will open Monday, September 1st, with chapel programs. The Rev. T. G. Tate will conduct the opening devotional for elementary school at 9:00 a. m. and high school at 9:30 a. m. On Tuesday and each day thereafter school will start at 8:45 a. m. On Monday and Tuesday the children will be at school until noon. Beginning Wednesday, it will operate the regular full day, states Supt. R. Bueck.

The lunch room will begin serving on Wednesday, September 3rd. The price of lunches will be \$3 per month. In the elementary school the children will make their payments to their teacher at the beginning of the month, and in the high school payment will be made to Mrs. Jean White.

The following is a quotation from the regulations of the Division of Textbooks concerning rentals for the school term 1947-48:

"The rental fee for each high school pupil is \$3 per year. The full amount must be collected from each pupil who enters school anytime during the first semester. Veterans must pay just as other pupils do. No pupil should be allowed the use of any book until he has paid the \$3 rental fee. There can be no exceptions to this rule unless special arrangements are made with the Division of Textbooks."

Supplementary reader fees will be the same as last year. Prices are as follows: Grades 1 to 2, 50c; 3, 4, and 5, 60c; 6, 7, and 8, 70c.

Glenda Ivie spent last week in Atlanta with her grandmother, Mrs. Lona Greer. Mrs. Greer returned with her Sunday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Ivie.