

Soil Conservation NEWS

same soil would be equally adapted to growing two different kinds of pine trees but this is not the case.

On a site just outside of Murphy on the Harshaw Road we found a good stand of mature white pine and short leaf pine growing on the same soil.

By use of an instrument called an Increment Bore it is possible to see how fast or how slow a tree has grown from the time it was a seedling.

The increment bore removes a very small core from the tree.

The growth rings are visible in this core and the past history of the tree can be easily determined just as it can be determined in a tree that has been sawed down.

The particular site which we studied here was found to be well adapted to the growth of white pine but poorly adapted to the growth of short leaf pine. The

PFC. James F. Foster, son of Mrs. Della F. Foster, Murphy, recently participated with the 8th Infantry Division in combat efficiency Army training tests in Germany.

Foster, a truck driver in Headquarters Company of the division's 28th Infantry, entered the Army in July 1957 and received basic training at Fort Riley, Kan. He arrived in Europe in January of this year.

The 22-year-old soldier is a 1955 graduate of Murphy High School was formerly employed by Coble Dairy, Brasstown.

largest white pine that was found was 26 inches in diameter and 74 years old.

Its growth rate was very good for fifty years, fairly good for five more years and very slow for the last seventeen years. The largest shortleaf was only fourteen inches in diameter and 107 years old.

Its growth has been extremely slow ever since it was a seedling. Several trees of each species were examined and the white pine far outstripped the shortleaf pine in growth in all instances.

Trees of both varieties which were examined were mature, dominant trees which have had fairly uncrowded growing conditions for most of their growing period.

In the years when the white pine made its slowest growth due to crowding by other trees it still has grown more rapidly than the short leaf did in the years when it was making its most rapid growth.

On other sites which were examined, on different types of soil shortleaf pines are making excellent growth. One field of pine on the J. C. Evans farm on highway No. 60 is making very good growth.

On the Claude Anderson farm on the Dickey Road, shortleaf pine is making good growth but the stand is becoming crowded.

A good pulp wood thinning would greatly benefit this stand.

and upon your failure to do so the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief sought

This the 11th day of October, 1958.

Thelma Axley, Administratrix of the estate of Porter Axley and Rose Lowry Axley, deceased.

NOTICE NORTH CAROLINA CHEROKEE COUNTY

The undersigned having qualified as administrator of the estate of Mrs. Sadie Martin, deceased, late of Cherokee County this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned on or before the 18th day of October, 1958, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment to the undersigned at his address, Murphy, North Carolina. This the 18th day of October, 1958.

E. E. STILES, Administrator

NOTICE OF SERVICE OF PROCESS BY PUBLICATION STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA CHEROKEE COUNTY

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT DOROTHY HOGSED, Alias, DOROTHY BERRY,

Plaintiff, vs. GENE BERRY, Defendant.

To Gene Berry, the defendant in the above entitled action:

Take notice that A pleading seeking relief against you has been filed in the above entitled action.

The nature of the relief being sought is as follows:

Annulment of the marriage of plaintiff and defendant on the ground that defendant had a living wife at the time of said purported marriage.

You are required to make defense to such pleading not later than Monday, December 29, 1958,

This the 3rd day of November,

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ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE BEFORE THE CLERK OF THE SUPERIOR COURT STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA CHEROKEE COUNTY

To all to whom these presents shall come—GREETINGS:

It being satisfactorily proven to the undersigned Clerk of the Superior Court for Cherokee County, that James Laney late of said County, is dead, without having made and published any last will and testament and it appearing that Margaret K. Laney is entitled to the administration of the estate of said deceased, and having qualified as administratrix according to law:

NOW, THESE ARE THEREFORE TO EMPOWER the said administratrix to enter in an upon all and singular the goods and chattels, rights and credits of the said deceased, and the same to take into possession wheresoever to be found, and all the just debts of the deceased to pay and satisfy, and the residue of said estate to distribute according to law.

Witness my hand and the seal of said court, this the 7th day of November, 1958.

K. W. RADFORD
16-6tc Clerk of the Superior Court

Having qualified as administratrix of the estate of Porter Axley and Rose Lowry Axley, deceased, late of Cherokee County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned within twelve months from the day of the

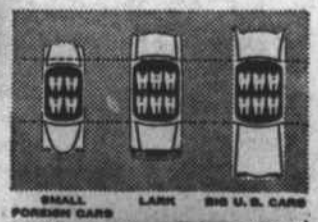
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