

Director Of Selective Service Cautions July 1st Registrants

Place Of Residence Must Be Definite; No Future Transfer Of Cards

Men who will register on July 1, 1941, were cautioned today by General J. Van B. Metts, state director of selective service, to be careful to give to the registrar who registers them correct information as to the place of their permanent residence. The name of the township, county and state must be stated specifically and must be placed on line 2 of the registration card. It is most important that men registering be careful to give the correct location of their residence because the place of registration card will determine the local board which will have jurisdiction over them, General Metts emphasized.

On the first registration day many registrants gave confusing information, and this resulted in their registration cards often being assigned to the wrong local board. This resulted in many complications and Selective Service agencies were subjected to unreasonable worry and trouble transferring cards. The new Selective Service Regulations, prepared for the July 1, 1941, registration, provide that there will be no future transfer cards. The place of residence of the registrants, which will appear on line 2 of the registration card, will once and for all determine the local board which has control over the registrant.

A place is provided on the new registration card for the registrants to indicate the place of residence and the mailing address. The mailing address is not so important as the residence address, because the mailing address may be changed as often as the registrant establishes a new address. But the place of residence, to be indicated on line 2 of the registration card, will never be changed, and the original card will be assigned to the local board having jurisdiction over the area of the residence address.

The new Regulations provide that the registrant shall be permitted to determine what place he desires to give as his residence when he does not reside in one place all the time, but once that election is made and is stated on registration day and is recorded on the registration card, it may never be changed thereafter.

Every man in the State of North Carolina who has attained the 21st anniversary of the day of his birth since October 16, 1940 (with few exceptions noted below), must register with his local Selective Service board on July 1, State Director J. Van B. Metts stated today.

Men required to register in this second registration are those who were born on or between October 17, 1919, and July 1, 1920.

Aliens, as well as American citizens, who become 21 years of age before midnight July 1, 1941, must register. Director Metts emphasized. He also pointed out that aliens between the ages of 21 and 36 years, who have come to the United States since the first registration on October 16, 1940 and have not yet registered, must register on July 1.

Special arrangements will be made by local board to register men who cannot appear before the local board because of illness or incapacity. Men subject to registration who are inmates of asylums, jails, penitentiaries, or other similar institutions on July 1 will be registered by the warden on the day they leave the institution.

Men subject to registration on July 1 who are away from home and cannot, except at great expense and inconvenience, return to their own local boards to register, may appear before the nearest local board and will be registered there. Such men should be cautioned, however, to give their permanent address when registering, General Metts said.

Men who are required to register on July 1 and fail to do so will subject themselves to severe penalties, including imprisonment for not more than five years, or a fine of not more than \$10,000 or both fine and imprisonment, General Metts emphasized.

Macon Boys With Davey Tree Company

Bill Mincey and Charles Thompson, local boys, are now employed by the Davey Tree Expert company of Kent, Ohio. Having finished a short training period at the Davey tree school in Kent, Mincey was sent to Hudson, Mich., and Thompson to Walton, Ky. They expect to see a great part of the eastern half of the United States before cold weather sets in. It is probable that during the winter they will be sent into the Southern states where the Davey company has an extensive business. Oldest and largest organization of its kind in the world, the Davey company is on the lookout for young men like Bill and Charles who wish to take up tree surgery.

Draft Board Reports Progress

Expressing pride in the smooth working of the State selective system, General J. Van B. Metts, state director, today issued a statement showing the results accomplished through April 30.

Out of a total of 454,335 registrants (of whom 325,358 are white and 128,977 are negroes) classification has been completed for 130,141. Of this number 24,108 have been found available for general or limited military service.

A total of 9,639 men have volunteered—5,456 whites and 4,273 negroes. Of these 6,196 have been classified as 1-A.

The state has a pool of 6,193 men who have been classified as 1-A and are awaiting induction and another pool of 11,040 who have been tentatively recorded as 1-A men but still have their physical examination to pass.

Lake Emory

By MRS. O. V. MINCEY
Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Shuler and daughter of Hopewell, Va., are visiting Mrs. Shuler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bynum Saunders.

George Thompson of the CCC camp near Smokemont spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Thompson.

Louise Shields left Friday, June 13 for Gay where she will spend a few weeks attending summer school at Cullowhee.

Sunday, June 22 will be Decoration day for the Ridgecrest Baptist church.

The Ridgecrest quartet attended the singing convention at Knoxville, Tenn., June 15 which was broadcasted over Station WNOX.

A Saturday night picnic supper was enjoyed at the foot of the Smokies by Mr. and Mrs. Jim Berry, Mrs. O. V. Mincey, Sally Sue and Ruth Mincey; also a crowd of young folks from Franklin.

Otto

Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Swaim were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Curtis with a dinner at their home on Sunday, June 15.

Miss Dorothy Moore is visiting her cousin, Miss Mary Helen Vinson at Otto this week.

The young people of Asbury Epworth League carried a worship program to Union Methodist church on Sunday evening, June 15. The theme of the program was: you cannot get anything for nothing. Following the conclusion of this program the Union Epworth League took charge.

J. C. Swaim talked briefly on an important question: "Youth Must Tell It's Duties." Those who presented the visiting program were Nannie McDowell, leader, Margaret Corbin, Lotis Bradley, Roberta Henson, Don Cabe, Edith Cunningham, and Hazel Bradley. An exchange of programs with other young peoples' organization is invited.

In preparation for the dedication of the new Asbury church on the first Sunday in July, Rev. J. C. Swaim appointed the following committees: decoration, Mrs. Blanch Parrish, Mrs. Leonard Myers, and Mrs. Fred Slagle; lunch, Mrs. Claude Bradley, Mrs. Hazel Norton, Mrs. L. M. Henson; parking, Robert Stewart; tables, Leonard Myers, ushers, Misses Lotis Bradley, Bernice Cabe, Margaret Corbin, Edith Cunningham, Ruth Norton.

Mrs. Harrison Rogers, of Waynesville and Newport News, Va., visited her sister, Mrs. Edd Bradley and Mr. Bradley Monday. She was accompanied by her daughter, Miss Gereldine Rogers, and sons, Oliver and Elgene. Oliver is returning to Newport News after a short visit to relatives here and at Waynesville.

Miss Josephine Bradley, of Murphy, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edd R. Bradley.

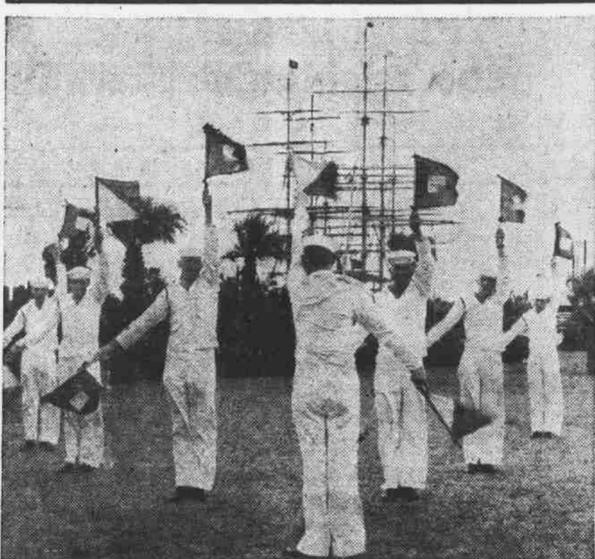
Governor Appoints School Commission

Ralph H. Ramsey, Jr., was appointed Monday by Governor Broughton to serve on the state school commission from the 12th congressional district. Mr. Ramsey has made his home in Transylvania county since graduating from the

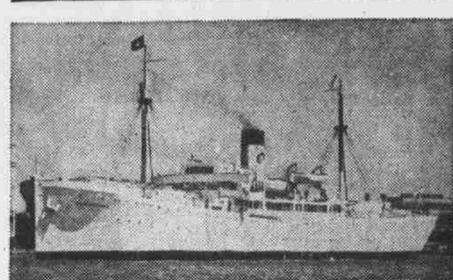
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in 1921, and has served two terms in the State Senate from the 32nd Senatorial District. The entire commission appointed by Gov. Broughton will serve until May 31, 1943.

U. S. TRAINS YOUTHS FOR SEA



The United States Maritime Service is meeting the threatened shortage of skilled merchant seamen by training youths who have had no previous seagoing experience. Young American citizens in good physical condition 18 to 23 years of age are being enrolled for a seven months' course of instruction in the duties of the deck, engineers, and stewards departments. Enrollees are paid \$21.00 monthly; clothing, food, and quarters are furnished by the Government. The training course qualifies these young men for jobs on American merchant vessels where pay starts at \$72.50 a month with food and quarters furnished. For detailed information write to U. S. MARITIME SERVICE, WASHINGTON, D. C.



Sheriff Slagle Sells Three Guernseys

A. B. Slagle has recently sold three cows from his registered Guernsey herd. The sales were Hester of Belmont View to Lambert Furniture company, Thomasville; Linnet of Belmont View to Charles M. Turner of Tryon; and Fisty of Belmont View to H. Arthur Osborne, Canton.

Church Services

Sunday, June 22
Rev. C. F. Rogers
9:45 a. m.—Bible school.
11 a. m.—Morning worship.
6:30 p. m.—B. T. U.
7:00 p. m.—The Brotherhood.
8:00 p. m.—Evening worship.

FRANKLIN METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. J. L. Stokes II
10 a. m.—Church school.
11 a. m.—Worship service.
7:15 p. m.—Young Peoples meeting.
8:00 p. m.—Evening service.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Rev. Hubert Wardlaw
10 a. m.—Sunday school.
11 a. m.—Services.
MORRISON PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
2:30 p. m.—Sunday school and service 2nd and 4th Sundays.

FRANKLIN METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Philip L. Green
4th Sunday:
11 a. m.—Iotta.
7:30 p. m.—Snow Hill.

ST. AGNES EPISCOPAL
Rev. A. Rufus Morgan
10 a. m.—Church school.
11 a. m.—Morning prayer and sermon.
MACON METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. J. C. Swaim
4th Sunday:
11 a. m.—Patton's.
2 p. m.—Mt. Zion.
3 p. m.—Maiden's.

ST. JOHN'S CATHOLIC PARISH
Rev. A. F. Rohrbacher
Schedule of Masses
2nd and 4th Sundays:
8 a. m. E. S. T.—Franklin.
Every Sunday:
11 a. m. E. S. T.—Highlands.
11 a. m. E. S. T.—Waynesville.
8 a. m.—E. S. T.—Bryson City.
1st Sunday:
8 a. m.—E. S. T.—Andrews.
3rd Sunday:
8 a. m. E. S. T.—Cherokee.
5th Sunday:
7 a. m. C. S. T.—Murphy.

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AAA, TVA Committees Make Farm Suggestions

By S. W. MENDENHALL
Upon the advice of AAA and TVA community and county committee, the following suggestions are being offered for consideration of Macon farmers. It is felt that some of these suggestions can be put into practice on our farms and will help relieve a shortage of feed and food that has been caused by the dry weather.

Hay that was to have been supplied by oats, grasses, lespedeza, and clovers will be considerably short. To help make up this shortage, soybeans, cane, millet, sudan grass or corn may be seeded and cut for hay. After any of these crops are cut for hay the land should be seeded immediately to some cover crop such as rye, crimson clover, vetch, ryegrass or Austrian winter peas. Besides being a cover crop and improving the land these crops should afford excellent winter grazing.

Pastures are over grazed even when our seasons are good. Even though we may have rain from now on pastures can not come back to full strength. Therefore it will be necessary to seed some of the above mentioned cover crops for grazing in order to carry our cattle through the winter and at the same time give the pastures a chance to build back.

You can secure rye grass, Austrian winter peas, and vetch through the Agricultural Conservation program as a grant of aid the same as lime or phosphate. Crimson clover that could not be turned should be cut and threshed or combined. Chances are

that crimson clover seed will be much higher this fall at seeding time. This land can still be planted to corn, beans or July potatoes.

Irish potato land can be planted in beans. The tendergreen is probably one of the best market varieties. This land can also be planted to corn for late roasting ears or for silage. With a possibility of a shortage on potatoes, it would seem advisable to plant July potatoes. If you still have old potatoes on hand you can plant them and with a good season, should make a fair yield.

Gardens should be replanted. Beans, corn, cabbage, turnips, tomatoes, mustard, spinach or kale, crowder or field peas, beets, lima beans, and Irish potatoes may still be planted. This year you will need a fall and winter garden more than ever before.

Corn probably will be one of our best crops. Corn planted this month should still make silage. If we ever needed a silo it will be this year. If you have as many as six cows now is the time to plant some extra corn and dig a silo.

Coal Valley Boys Give Show June 21

The Coal Valley Boys will give a performance at the Macon county courthouse on Saturday, June 21. The show consists of string music, singing, and good comedy featuring Davy Corbin. The Coal Valley Boys are heard over Station WGWC, Gastonia at 7:45 a. m. The show is sponsored by the Holly Springs B. Y. P. U.

Macon Baptist Union Meeting Sunday, June 29

The Macon County Baptist Union meeting will be held with the Well's Grove Baptist church Sunday, June 29.
9:45—Sunday School.
10:35—Welcome, by the pastor, Rev. C. O. Brookshire.
10:45—Devotional, Rev. Lester Sorrells.
11:00—Message, Miss Victoria Tant.
11:30—Business.
11:40—Message, Rev. J. C. Pipes.
12:30—Lunch.
The afternoon program will be decided upon at this meeting.
Robert Williams, Moderator.
Judson Smith, Clerk.

Ordered To Reclassify Selective Service

Louis B. Hershey, National Director of Selective Service issued a statement advising all citizens who have been deferred because they are necessary in the production of defense supplies to remain at their jobs. He stated that our men in service have been promised the equipment with which to fight and it is the duty of the men engaged in the production of defense materials to see that they get the materials. Mr. Hershey directed all agencies of the Selective Service System to take the necessary action to reconsider the classification of all registrants who have ceased to perform the jobs for which they were deferred and who by such failure are impeding the National Defense Program.

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