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WATCH the LABEL

TYPHOID CLINICS **SLATED TO START** HERE NEXT WEEK

Vaccination Dates for Different Sections of the County Are Given Out by District Health Department; Seek to Prevent Another Typhoid Epidemic

The typhoid clinics this year will begin on May 2, Mrs. Virginia Smith. county health nurse, announced today. Following is a complete list of the dates and places where the vaccinations may be secured. It will be noticed that some of the places, where clinics have been held in previous years, are ommitted this year, due to the fact that only a few people attended the clinic and it is to save time, gas and expense that they are omitted.

"We would like to emphasize

"We would like to emphasize that only one trip will be made to each place," Mrs. Smith said. "So read your dates carefully and be there at the appointed time. Should you miss the local clinic, call by the health district office on Monday or Saturday morning and receive your dose there. Let's all co-operate and take the vaccination to prevent the epidemic we had last summer."

May 2 Vilas (Glenn's store), 9:30 to 10:30

a. m. Cove Creek (Moody's store), 11:00 to 12:00 a. m. Silverstone, 1:30 to 2:30 p. m. Mabel school, 3:00 to 4:00 p. m.

Poplar Grove church 9:30 to 10:30

a. m. Shulls Mills postoffice, 11:00 to

12:00 a. m. Foscoe, 1:00 to 2:00 p. m. Grandfather, 2:30 to 3:30 p. m. May 9

Hagaman's store, 10:00 to 11:00 Reecc (Dean Reece's store) 11:30

a. m. to 12:30 p. m.

Bethel school, 1:30 to 2:30 p. m.
Timbered Ridge church, 3:00 to 4:00 p. m.

May 10

Steven's store, 10:00 to 11 a. m.

Green Valley school, 11:30 a. m.
to 12:30 p. m.

Riverview school, 1:30 to 2:30 p.m.

May 15

Rutherwood (Michael's store) 9:30

to 10:30 a. m.
Triplett school, 11:00 to 12:00

a. m.

Deep Gap school, 1:00 to2:00 p. m.

Stony Fork school, 2:30 to 3:30

May 17
Brushy Fork (Harrison & Harmon's store) 9:30 to 10:30 a. m.
Valle Crucis school, 11:00 to 12:00

to 2:30 p. m.

May 23
Bamboo school, 9:30 to 10:30 a. m.
Laxon postoffice, 11:00 to 12:00 Howard's Creek school, 1:30

2:30 p. m. Meat Camp, 3:00 to 4:00 p. m.

9:30 to 10:30 Victor Ward's store, 11:30 a. m. Windy Gap school, 2:00 to 3:00

Scout Training Committees To Hear National Director

Harry K. Eby, national director of volunteer training, Boy Scouts of America, will visit the Old Hickory

America, will visit the Old Hickory councill to instruct the seven lead ership training committees of the area on May 3-4. Announcement of two meetings in the council has been made by Tom Roth, area chairman, of Elkin.

On Thursday, May 3, Mr. Eby will meet with a group from Ashe, Watauga and Willes districts in a a meeting here. Dr. D. J. Whitener, Watauga district leadership training chairman, will be in charge of the meeting. Attendance for Ashe is to be promoted by M. W. Ashe is to be promoted by M. W. Reynolds, and from Wilkes by Paul

Friday, May 4, Mr. Roth will preside at a meeting in Elkin. The meetings will be for the purpose of "training trainers." Mr. Eby will use a set of colored slides in demonstrating how to put on the "Fundamentals of the Boy Scout Movement" course, and a motion picture on "The Patrol Method" for

Scoutmasters' training course. Parent-Teacher Group To Meet Monday, 30th

use in the presentation of the basic

The Boone Parent-Teacher Association will hold its final meeting of the school year Monday, April 30, 8 p. m., in the high school auditori-

The subject of the program will be "Recreational Possibilities for Boone." A 30-minute movie, "Making the Most of Playtime," will be

Founders Day Speaker



SENATOR CLYDE R. HOEY

FOUNDERS DAY AT LOCAL COLLEGE

Senator Clyde R. Hoey to Be Principal Speaker at First Founders
Day at Appalachian

Appalachian State Teachers College is announcing the first Founders Day on Tuesday, May, 8 the day before the forty-second annual commencement exercises, thus makcommencement exercises, thus making it a part of the commencement occasion. Many guests have been invited, among whom are the parents of the present student body.

United States Senator Clyde R. Hoey is to be the speaker at 10:00 clock Tuesday morning. Senator

o'clock Tuesday morning. Senator Hoey introduced the bill in the North Carolina general assembly to make Appalachian a state school.

Nazi Resistance Crumbling Along **Bavarian Front**

Paris, April 25—Whirling down on Hitler's Bavarian mountain retreat, three mighty allied armies curved the tips of a giant pincers within 25 miles of Austria's border last

In the far north, the British opened the final assault on Germany's second port of Bremen, and along the Elbe river valley the Russians drew ever closer to an historic union with the waiting Americans.

Berlin blazed in its final agonies and Nazi propagandists said Hitler.

May 17
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Valle Crucis school, 11:00 to 12:00 m.
Matney (Clyde Tester's store) 1:30
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2:30 p. m. redoubt toward which the American third and seventh and French first armies were beating a triple drive. Supreme headquarters, reporting the allies had captured more than a million Germans in the west since April 1, heard that resistance on part of the Bavarian front was crumbling May 24
Phillips Branch (Willowdale soldiers were racing with civilians fore the Russians catch them.

Germans Forced To Bury Laborers Whom They Burned

On the Elbe River in Germany— The citizens of Garnelegen became sickly familiar with each grisly de-tail of the infamous atrocities committed there by their countrymen.
At the point of bayonets they dug
individual graves for each of the 1,100 slave laborers and political prisoners who were burned to death in a Gardelegen barn a few nights

Two Russian Armies Join Forces in Berlin

London, April 25-Two powerful Russian armies joined forces inside Berlin yesterday and seized fully half the area of the burning city which the Germans said now was "practically surrounded" and entirely cut off from outside aid.

A Moscow communique announced the junction of the first Ukranian and first White Russian armies in a single phase of co-ordinated drives which captured Schlesischer railway station and all districts north and east of it, within a mile of the cen-

ter of the city at Unter Den Linden.
The first White Russian forces of
Marshal Zhukov simultaneously executed a great wheeling movement north and northwest which severed one of the two railways leading from Berlin to the northwest German pocket and came within two and one-half miles of the other,

Moscow disclosed. The Russian account showed the city still lacking some 14 miles of being surrounded. The German controlled Scandinavian telegraph bu-reau said, however, that there was Boone." A 30-minute movie, "Making the Most of Playtime," will be shown, followed by group discussion of possible programs for Boone.

Everyone interested is urged to attend.

Boone. The said, nowever, that there was only a three-mile corridor left on the northwest and that it could not be used because it was blanketed by Soviet heavy artillery fire. No more reinforcements can be sent in, said this report. said this report.

FINALS WILL BE HELD WEDNESDAY AT APPALACHIAN

Hon. D. Hiden Ramsey, of Asheville Citizen, to Deliver Address at Forty-second Annual Commencement Thirty - five to Get Degrees

The forty-second annual commencement of Appalachian State Teachers College will be held on Wednesday morning, May 9th, at 10:30 o'clock. Hon. D. Hiden Ramsey, editor of the Asheville Citizen, and a member of the State Board of Education, will deliver the address. The college will confer upon 35 young men and women bachelor of science degrees. The North Carolina Department of Certification will is-

Department of Certification will issue to these graduates Class "A' certificates in their respective fields Seventeen member sof the senior class were graduated just before the holiday season, making a total for

the regular school term of fifty-two. In addition to this there will be a good-sized graduating class at the close of the summer school. The public is cordially invited to attend these exercises.

LOCAL RED CROSS

Clyde R. Greene Receives Certificate of Merit in Connection With War Fund Campaign

The Watauga chapter of American Red Cross announces that Mr. Clyde R. Greene has received

Mr. Clyde R. Greene has received a certificate of honor from the American National Red Cross, "for distinguished achievement in the 1945 War Fund campaign."

Mr. Greene was chairman of the local War Fund effort, and it is pointed out that these certificates are only issued where counties make outstanding records in their contributions. Watauga had a quota of \$6,700, and at last reports had actually subscribed \$8,603,96. actually subscribed \$8,603.96.

RAGS WANTED IN SCRAP DRIVE

Salvage Chairman Calls Attention to Need of Rags as Well as Scrap Paper

A campaign to gather rags of every description is being started immediately in the county, according to Frank M. Payne, chairman of the local salvage committee, who points out that rags are quite as essential to the war effort as is scrap paper, which has recently been gathered here in such large quantities. quantities.

Mr. Payne is forming an organization through the various school principals of the county to sponsor the campaign to gather rags, and states that it is his purpose to designate a collection point in each school district, with a central point of collection in Boone. Further details concerning the rag campaign, which lasts for 30 days, will be released

C. R. McGhee Funeral Held On Monday

Funeral services for Charles Ross McGhee, 69, of Winston-Salem, were conducted Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the home and at 4 o'clock at Mineral Springs Baptist church. Rev. R. E. Adams, Rev. E. P. Caudle and Rev. C. F. Womble officiated. Burial was in Forsyth Memorial park

Memorial park.

Mr. McGhee died at a WinstonSalem hospital Saturday following a serious illness of two days.

Born in Watauga county Sept. 4 1875, Mr. McGhee went to Winston Salem 30 years ago from Wilkesboro and for 25 years was connected with the R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company, from which he retired in

Springs Baptist church.
On Sept. 25, 1898, he was married to Mary C. Clanton, who died Feb. 4, 1945.

Surviving are one son, W. C. Mc-Ghee; three grandchildren; one brother, R. T. McGhee, of Boone; and one sister, Mrs. U. A. Hatton, of Blowing Rock.

Memorial Service For Two to Be Held Sunday

Memorial service for Pvt. John M. Edmisten and Pfc. William H. Vines, of Beaver Dam township, neighbor boys and lifelong friends, killed in the European theatre of war, will be held Sunday, April 29, at Bethei Baptist church, under the leadership of the pastor of the church, Rev. Robert H. Shore. The American Legion will take part in the pro-

gram.

AS MILLIONS PAY LAST TRIBUTE



With the Capitol dome an imposing backdrop, the military procession, headed by the caisson bearing Franklin D. Roosevelt's body, winds its way down Delaware avenue toward the White House. The sad journey from Union station was viewed by millions. The presidential and U. S. flags bring up the rear.

Killed In Germany



Pfc. Benjamin F. Lookabill, who was killed in action in the fight-ing in Germany on March 21. Pfc. Lookabill was a member of the 12th Armored division and had been in service since December 24, 1942. He went overseas last October. He was a son of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Lookabill, of Route

BLAINE HAYES IS

Son of Mr. and Mrs. James Hayes of Triplett, is Victim of Japs in New Invasion

Blaine Hayes, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Hayes, of Triplett, was killed in action with the navy off Okina-wa, in the recent invasion, according

wa, in the recent invasion, according to an official message reaching the family Sunday. It was stated that the body was buried at sea.

Young Mr. Hayes, 19 years old, was known to have been a member of the crew of a destroyer, but whether or not the vessel was sunk, was not indicated. He had been in the navy for almost two years, it is said.

Surviving are the parents and number of brothers and sisters.

Memorial Service To Be Held At Hopewell Church

There will be a memorial service for boys in the service for their country at Hopewell Methodist church on the firth Sunday in April, the 29th, at 2:30 p.m., to which ev-eryone is cordially invited. Rev. Ernest Stephens, pastor of the church, will be in charge of the

"GOLDEN BELL QUARTET" TO BE HEARD IN BOONE

The "Golden Bell Quartet" which is heard over radio station WBT, will appear at the courthouse in Boone on May 6, at 2 p. m. The pro-gram is sponsored by the Missionary Baptist church, colored congregation of the town, which is trying to thus pay the debt of the church. Both colored and white are invited. Admission 50 cents and 35 cents.

APPOINTED TO PSA POST Mrs. Margaret Hardin McLeod, of Boone, has been appointed clerk-typist with the Farm Security Ad-ministration here, having made the Through an error in the last edition of The Democrat the hour of the service, which is 2 o'clock p. m., was omitted.

Highest grade in a civil service extends the service, which is 2 o'clock p. m., some time ago. Mrs. McLeod assumwas omitted. ed her duties the first of last week.

CRAWFORD WON'T ENTER CITY RACE

Lee Stout Substituted by Executive Committee to Fill Democratic City Slate

Joe Crawford, nominated by the Democratic convention as a candidate for one of the seats on the town's three-man board of aldermen, has withdrawn from the mu-nicipal ticket, stating in a letter to the executive committee that he is

the executive committee that he is unable to accept the nomination.

The committee, through Chairman J. C. T. Wright, announces the acceptance of Mr. Crawford's withdrawal statement, and the appointment of Lee H. Stout, incumbent, to fill out the ticket. Thus the entire clate of the present city adminisslate of the present city adminis-tration is up for re-election.

The Republicans have not as this is written announced their municipal ticket.

Justice Made Keynote Of All Decisions On International Cases

San Francisco, April 24—The four sponsoring governments of the United Nations conference have agreed to support specific proposals that international disputes be settled with due regard for principles of justice and international law."

This was made known to reporters

today by Secretary of State Stettinius, chairman of the American delegation and temporary presiding officer of the conference opening to-

for three votes in a general assem-bly of a proposed united nations

organization.

The Chinese originated the suggestion to include references to justice and international law in the proposed charter of the organiza-An American delegate, Senator

Vendeberg, also had been hammer ing for a pronouncement specifi-cally embracing the word "justice." Standing behind Settinius at a mammoth news conference in a hotel Vandenberg uttered one sentence: "I'm very happy to welcome justice in its first appearance, in this in stance.

Stettinius batted back a host of questions on the touchy Polish sit-uation—one of the major issues on the eve of the meeting of 46 nations seeking to guide the world into the ways of permanent peace.

Drivers License To Be Issued Each Tuesday

C. Spencer, of Lenoir, will be at J. C. Spencer, of Lenoir, will be at the city hall each Tuesday for the purpose of issuing driver's license to motorists of this section. Mr. Spencer will be will be on duty from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.

Pfc. Ralph Sherwood Wounded in Germany

Pf. Ralph Sherwood, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sherwood, of Beaver Dam township, has been slightly wounded in action in Germany, his parents have been advised.

Pfc. Sherwood is recovering in a hospital in England.

PIANO RECITAL

Students studying with Mrs. Boone will be heard in recital Friday evening, April 27, at 7:30 in the college auditorium. The public is invited.

STATE DOCKET IS FINISHED TUESDAY IN SUPERIOR COUR'

Number of Cases Disposed of Charge of Driving While Intoxicated Heads List of Violations; Judge Bobbitt Presides: Wall is Prosecutor

The spring term of Watauga superior court disposed of the list of cases on the state docket at midafternoon Tuesday, and court was recessed until this (Wednesday) morning, when the calendar of civil cases was taken up. Court officials state that the term may last through the week or into next week, depending on whether or not the depending on whether or not the parties to the suits are ready for

trial, and have witnesses present.

Judge W. H. Bobbitt is the presiding judge, and L. M. Wall, of Lenoir, prosecuted the state docket, Solicitor L. S. Spurling being absent due to illness.

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Following are the judgments of the court: Simon Wheeler, driving drunk, 90

days on the roads.

Howard T. Hodges, driving drunk, \$50 and the costs. Walter Bumgarner, driving drunk,

60 days on roads. Howard Thomas, driving drunk, 90 days on roads. Charlie Cole, driving drunk, \$50

and costs.

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James P. Mast, violating prohibition laws, \$100 and the costs.

Eugene Bumgarner, driving drunk, \$50 and the costs.

Spencer R. Eggers, driving drunk, \$50 and the costs,

Millard M. Moretz, driving drunk, \$50 and the costs.

\$50 and the costs. Dewey Rominger, driving drunk, \$50 and the costs. Charles S. Robbins, driving drunk,

\$50 and the costs.

Blaine Eggers, larceny of gasoline,

Blaine Eggers, larceny of gasoline, 20 months on the roads. A suspended sentence passed in a former court was placed in effect.

Robert W. Artie, larceny. Defendant had already spent almost five months in jail. This was adjudged to be sufficient punishment.

Buster Grimes, violation prohition law, \$25 and the costs.

Trent L. Greer, driving drunk, \$50 and the costs.

Clint Grimes, driving drunk, 90 days on roads.

J. C. Lyda, temporary larceny of automobile, placed on probation.

Leonard Rominger, driving drunk, 60 days on roads.

Robert W. Carpenter, operating motor vehicle with improper driver's license. Assessed with costs.

Herman Keller Returns Home

Cpl. Herman Keller, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Keller, of Pineola, has returned home after spending 33 months in a Japanese prison camp. Cpl. Keller was one of 510 prisoners rescued by Rangers and guerrillas from a Jap camp on Luzon February.

A 24 year-old man, he weighed 120 pounds when rescued but was The announcement came soon after all the British commonwealth lined up behind a Russian demand to walk. Today a little more than two months later he weighs 170 pounds. When rescued he had no clothing except a pair of shorts. During his nearly three years in prison he said he was assigned to farm work, growing egg plant, sweet potatoes, cucumbers, squash and rice. He was in two battles on Bataan and was captured when the islands fell to the Japs in the spring of 1942. He is a patient at Moore General Hospital, Asheville.

China Relief Tied in With Drive for Clothes

April 24 was set aside as a special day for Chinese relief and any special donations may be brought to the Woman's Club rooms and should be marked for China relief, says Mrs. Ralph Greer, chairman for the clothing relief. says Mrs. Ralph Greer, chairman for the clothing relief program for war victims, who is working with Mrs. W. M. Burwell, chairman of the China relief in this county. Either of them will supply further information to those interested.

For seven years, it is pointed out, China has been fighting the aggressor during which time more than 50,000,000 people have been robbed of their possessions and driven from their homes. The Chinese know

their homes. The Chinese know what it is to be cold and destitute, the statement concludes.

Lions Club Show Was Big Success

The "Gay Nineties Revue", annual Lions Club show presented at the Appalachian Theatre last Wedthe Appalachian Theatre last Wednesday, was one of the most successful club shows staged in recent years. The revue was well attended and the proceeds from sale of tickets amounted to \$370.00.

Each year the Llons Club sponsors a show in order to raise funds to assist the club in carrying on its work with blind children in Watauga county. The club also works with the Boy Scouts and civic enterprises.