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## Typhoid Clinic Dates Are Given For Alleghany

Plans Of Health Department To Cover The Entire County

Miss Ola Collins, county nurse, announces that the new schedule of clinics for immunization against typhoid will be held on June 25 July 2 and 9, instead of the date previously announced for the beginning.

Miss Collins will be at Miles, Elk Spur church, at 10:30 a. m. to begin the schedule, the 2nd and 9th, at the same hour. At Roaring Gap post office 11:30 p. m.; Cherry Lane post office, 1:30 p. m.; Rich Hill school, 2:30; Glade Valley Post Office, 3:15.

In order to accommodate ones who were late in starting their series of typhoid immunizations, a fourth trip will be made on June 23 to the following places: Turkey Knob, Kennedy's Store, 9:30 a. m.; Piney Creek post office, 10:15; Roscoe Billings' home, 11:00; Rocky Ridge church 11:30; Scottville post office 1:30 p. m.; Shepherd's service station 2:00 p. m.; New Hope church, 2:30; Stratford post office, 3:00 p. m.

## Wiley Combs Is Buried Monday

Wiley Austin Combs, 72, died suddenly Saturday afternoon while on his way home near Pine Fork, from a neighboring store.

Funeral services were held at Pine Fork Baptist church on Monday, by Rev. Gwyn Blackburn and Rev. W. M. Hamm. Burial was in Laurel Springs cemetery. Mr. Combs had been twice married, both wives preceding him in death. Five children survive, one brother, of Bristol, N. C., and one sister, Mrs. Susie Vickers, of Crickets, N. C.

## Home Coming At Little Pine Sun

A large crowd attended the home-coming and decoration at Little Pine, Sunday. Visiting ministers from different churches were: Rev. Jack Woody and W. H. Johnson, of Fraternity church in Forsyth county; Rev. N. C. Reed, Ray Reed, from Shelton-town church, Surry county; Revs. Gilbert and Johnnie Osborne, of Riverside church, Wilkes county; W. H. Handy, Mt. Carmel church, Alleghany county.

## Will Hold Pugh Funeral Friday

R. M. Pugh, 73, of Piney Creek, died suddenly last Wednesday morning at his home. His widow, Mrs. Cordelia Pugh, survives him, with a number of children, none of whom are now living in Alleghany.

Funeral services will be held Friday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock at Piney Creek church, burial to follow in the church cemetery.

## Cities Evacuated By Nazis; Turk Border Is Closed By Allies

### KEY REVOLTER



Gen. Pedro Ramirez, former war minister in the cabinet of the overthrown Argentine president, Ramon S. Castillo. Ramirez was named as author of the revolution and quickly joined Gen. Arturo Rawson, leader of the rebel forces.

## King Of England Now Making Tour Of North Africa

### King George Is Making Inspection Of Allied Forces Before Invasion

London—King George VI. has arrived in North Africa, it was announced yesterday, and is inspecting Allied land, sea and air forces before they lose upon Southern Europe what Prime Minister Churchill called "force in its most intense and violent form."

(The National Broadcasting Company reported from Algiers that King George flew direct to North Africa from Britain. It was his first flight since the start (Continued on Page 4)

## Small Farmers Showing Big Increase In Food Production

Recognizing that food production now ranks in importance with the production of guns, tanks and planes, small farmers of North Carolina bolstered by Farm Security Administration loans and supervision, have converted their farms to a war basis and have planned to increase their production this year even beyond favorable increases of last year, said Van F. Miller, county FSA Supervisor.

A summary of FSA borrowers' farm and home plans for 1943, just released here, indicates that FSA families in this State will

### Japs Suffer Big Losses From American Submarines; Russian Front Seething

Nazis began the evacuation of European cities this week, following the continued heavy bombings of the Allies and most of occupied Europe began to take on a case of general invasion jitters.

The closing of Syria's border with Turkey, yesterday, led to the belief that the Allies were planning an invasion from this front.

Thus was added new fuel to the fires of Axis invasion anxiety. During the day the Italians reported an Allied fleet massing near Sicily, the Germans warned of a possible new Russian offensive, and the Germans were said to have reshuffled their top generals in commands along the edges of the "European fortress."

Following the fall of other islands to the Allies, Sicily is expected to be next.

The Allied Air Forces, which have caused 600 air alarms and carried out 180 heavy aerial attacks, have caused widespread evacuation of civilians to safe rural areas. German newspapers, by their admissions and appeals, were in agreement on important points:

That Allied air attacks, especially in Western and Northwestern Germany have caused heavy damage both in homes and in the cities in general.

Reports from Yugoslavia disclosed last light that Gen. Draja Mihailovitch's Chentnik guerrillas and the Russian-supported partisans had effected a reconciliation since the dissolution of the Comintern and were fighting side by side against German occupation forces.

Key sectors of the Russian battlefield from the Kuban to Leningrad are seething with intensity. (Continued On Page Four)

### TO HOLD SERVICES

Elder John Williams and Elder Presnell will preach at Cranberry church on Saturday and Sunday mornings, June 19-20.

## Canada's Mothers Do Big Job In War Effort



Organized group games are important in the program planned for the tiny tots sheltered daily by the Dominion-Provincial Nurseries. Trained attendants care for every need of these youngsters whose mothers are employed in Canada's many war industries.



R. L. DOUGHTON

## Mrs. Kemp Estep Dies In Hickory

Funeral Service Held At The Sparta Baptist Church; Burial At Whitehead

Mrs. Kemp Estep, of Hickory, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Wagoner, of Sparta, was buried at Whitehead this afternoon, following the funeral service at the Sparta Missionary Baptist church at 4:30 o'clock. Rev. Richard L. West, pastor, was in charge of the service.

Mrs. Estep had been critically ill at her home in Hickory for many months. Surviving her are her husband and three children, her parents and a number of brothers and sisters; hers being the second death in a family of fourteen children. Her brother, Sgt. R. C. Wagoner, was killed in an automobile wreck here early in February.

John Wagoner lives in Winston. (Continued On Page Four)

## Congressman R. L. Doughton Is Highly Praised For His Ability In Magazine Article

### President Says "No" To Demands For "Food Czar"

### Declares Present OPA And Price Roll Back Is Sufficient

Washington—President Roosevelt yesterday turned down congressional demands for a single powerful food czar and at the same time declared the Office of Price Administration and its \$1,500,000,000 to \$2,000,000,000 price roll back subsidy program will remain intact.

He acknowledged at a press conference that the over-all food and price situation was not entirely satisfactory but said that congressional suggestions thus far presented offered nothing better than the existing set-up.

In effect he challenged congressional demands. (Continued on Page 4)

### Described As The Man Who Holds The Purse Strings Of Nation In Grasp

Congressman R. L. Doughton is highly lauded in a feature article in Colliers magazine of June 19. "Double-or-Nothing Doughton", by Amy Porter. The article reviews Mr. Doughton's life, personal habits, his success in Congress and the recent fight over the Ruml plan.

Mr. Doughton is described as the gentleman from North Carolina—"who in effect holds the purse strings of the nation in his cautious grasp, believes in plain arithmetic as surely as he believes that the way to succeed is to get up early, work hard, pay your debts, go to church, and abstain from liquor and tobacco".

In describing Doughton's life, Miss Porter writes "Doughton lives by the proverbs and, to his mind, the Ruml idea outraged at least three of his favorites: "Waste not, want not", "A bird in hand . . .", and "Honesty is the best policy."

"He does not care for his nickname, "Muley", and suspects it was invented by people with "special interests" who found they could not pull him around by the nose. He insists that in politics he's not a fanatic or a dreamer; not a conservative or a (Continued on Page 4)

## Mrs. Fender Is Buried Monday

Mrs. Brantley Fender died at her home at Stratford, Monday morning at 11:00 o'clock, following a two-weeks' critical illness. Funeral rites were held at Antioch church at two o'clock Tuesday afternoon, burial following in the church cemetery, with Elder S. C. Caudill, Elder Walker and Elder John Williams, in charge.

Survivors include the husband and two daughters, Clarabelle and Betty Jean.

## To Collect Wool For Pool Next Monday, Tuesday

Collection Points Are Announced By County Agent R. E. Black

County Agent R. E. Black said here this week that a schedule has been worked out for the gathering of the wool pooled by Alleghany growers.

The schedule is set for Monday and Tuesday, June 21 and 22, and is as follows:

Monday, 8:30 to 10:00, J. H. Douglas; 10:30 to 12:00, Oscar Gambill's Store; 1:30 to 3:30, D. J. Jones; 4:30 to 6:00, Stratford.

Tuesday, 8:00 to 10:00, Laurel Springs; 10:15 to 10:45, Mack C. Edwards; 11:00 to 12:30, Whitehead; 1:30 to 6:00, Sparta.

Alleghany wool is being purchased this year by Chatham Mills, Elkin, at an average of 56 cents per pound for good clear wool; an increase of three cents per pound over last year, Mr. Black said.

## Capt. R. O. Miller Awarded Medal

Has Been Given Air Medal And Purple Heart. Has Relatives In County

Capt. Rufus O. Miller, 23, who, as told in an Associated Press dispatch recently from Washington, has been awarded the Air medal by Lieut.-Gen. George C. Kenney for "courage and skill" and "quick analysis of the situation" in saving a comrade and a crippled bomber while returning from a raid on Lae, New Guinea, last January, is a son of Dr. and Mrs. R. C. Miller, of Gastonia, and a grandson of Mrs. F. Miller and the late Mr. Miller, of Laurel Springs.

Besides the award above, Capt. Miller has received the "Purple Heart", being wounded in action in Buna, New Guinea, last November.

Captain Miller has been in the U. S. Air forces a little more than two and a half years. He trained at Texas airfields and was ordered into action December 8, 1941, the day after Pearl Harbor. He has been overseas for many months, first at Honolulu, later in the Southwest Pacific.

Captain Miller was graduated from Gastonia High School and attended State College three years before joining the air forces.

## Mrs. Halsey Died Sunday, June 13

Mrs. Clemmie Halsey, 72, died on Sunday, June 13, at the home of her son, Jonah Triplett, of Piney Creek.

Burial was in Piney Creek Baptist church cemetery following the funeral service. Mrs. Halsey was married twice, two sons of the first marriage surviving: Jonah, of Piney Creek, and John, of Huntersville, W. Va.

Miss Clyde Fields is attending educational meetings in Greensboro and Raleigh this week.

## Following Alleghany Men Serving In Uncle Sam's Armed Forces



Corporal Leff Caudill, listed as having been wounded in action in North Africa on May 8th. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Caudill, of Twin Oaks. He was one of the first to enter the armed forces after the outbreak of war.



Pvt. Thomas E. Jarvis, is on Camp Howze, Texas, has been in the army for five months. He is with the Engineers' Battalion. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Jarvis, of Sparta, and has recently spent a ten-day leave at home.



T-Sgt. Doughton L. Perry, (left), is now stationed at Camp Maxey, Texas. He entered service over a year ago. Pvt. Hugh B. Perry, (right), is now stationed at Fort McClellan, Ala., but expects to be transferred soon.



Pfc. William C. Brinegar, son of Mrs. Clyde Brinegar, of McGrady, has been promoted to his present rank. He entered the army in January, 1943 and is now stationed in New Mexico. He likes Army life fine.



Ensign Jesse Willard Wooten, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wooten, formerly of Alleghany county. He enlisted in the Naval Reserve in October, 1942. He received his commission as ensign at Columbia University, in 1942.

## What You Buy With WAR BONDS

Save now to buy later, after the War. That's good common sense because if you spend now, you help to drive prices up for everything you buy. Durable goods are scarce so invest in War Bonds today and do that house remodeling when Victory is won.



If you have not done so, join a Payroll Savings Plan at your office or factory. If you are not investing at least ten percent in War Bonds, increase your regular deductions on your Payroll Savings Plan. Let's "Buy that ten percent."

U. S. Treasury Department

## Rationing Guide

- BLUE STAMPS**  
(For processed foods)  
Blue stamps K, L, M, continue good through July 7.
- COFFEE**  
Stamp No. 24 (1 lb.) is good through June 30.
- FUEL OIL**  
Period 5 coupons valid in all zones until September 30.
- GASOLINE**  
"A" book coupon No. 5, good for three gallons each, must last through July 21.
- SHOES**  
Stamp No. 18 (1 pair) became valid June 16.
- SUGAR**  
Coupon No. 13 good for 5 lbs. through August 15. Coupons No. 15 and 16 are good through October 31 for 5 lbs. each for home cooking purposes. Housewives may apply to their local ration boards if necessary.
- RED STAMPS**  
(For Meats, etc.)  
J, K, L, M, good through June 30. N becomes valid June 25.