

123 Men Claim Allowance For Self-Employment

In Cherokee and Clay counties served by the Murphy branch office, 123 self-employed veterans filed claims for self-employment allowances under the G. I. Bill of Rights in the first five months of this year. It is learned from information supplied by R. Fuller Martin, acting chairman of the State Unemployment Compensation Com-

mission.

These claims are filed by World War II veterans who are in business for themselves and whose net income from their business for any month is not as much as \$100. If a self-employed veteran earns nothing or less than \$100 net during any month, he may file a claim not later than the 20th of the month following, for \$100 or for enough to make his total net income as much as \$100. More than 95 percent of the self-employed veterans filing these claims in the State are farmers and the bulk of them report little or no earnings during

the growing season, or until harvest and marketing time.

In the same five months and in the same two counties, 831 new veteran claims for unemployment allowances were filed, indicating that during this period 831 veterans were unemployed at the time they filed their claims.

These veterans, claiming Servicemen's Readjustment Allowances for unemployment, must first apply for jobs. They must be able to work available for work and willing to take any suitable job offered them (except that, under the G. I. Bill of Rights, if a veteran is able to work when he files his first claim, but illness or other disability prevents his weekly reporting to the local USES office in person, he may delegate a representative to file later claims for him.

On a State-wide basis, it is found that just about one veteran out of every four inducted into the service had filed claims for Servicemen's Readjustment Allowances by the end of May, and also, on a State-wide basis, it is revealed that considerably more than an average of two inductees came from non-agricultural activities for every one inducted from agriculture. Early this year, 351,146 had been inducted into the armed forces from

Miss Latham Is Guild Speaker

Miss Lois Latham of Buck Creek Ranch was guest speaker at the meeting of the Wesleyan Service Guild which was held Monday evening at the home of Miss Hattie Palmer with Miss Marvie Walker and Miss Frances McPherson serving as associate hostesses.

Miss Latham told of her work as Red Cross recreational director in the European theatre of operations. About a year after going to England, Miss Latham visited her sister and family in Holland.

North Carolina, an estimated 105,185 coming from agriculture and 245,961 from non-agricultural activities.

It is estimated that early in this year, 1917 had been inducted from Cherokee, 626 from agricultural and 1291 from non-agricultural activities, and from Clay County, 694 had been inducted, 325 from agriculture and 270 from non-agriculture. Some inductions have been made since this compilation, adding a few to these figures by this time.

As an indication of the activities in Cherokee and Clay Counties, during the week ended June 15, in the Murphy office, new claims were filed by 49 veterans and continued claims were filed by 862 veterans, indicating that 908 veterans were unemployed and were actively seeking jobs during that week. During the month of May, 21 veterans filed new self-employment claims.

Not all veterans who file claims for Servicemen's Readjustment Allowances are eligible for payments. On a State-wide average basis, about two out of every 100 claims filed are disallowed at the time they are filed, although a few of the number may be allowed to draw allowances in later months.

These provisions for veterans are made by an appreciative government in an effort to give former service men and women an opportunity to readjust their lives. Martin issues a word of caution, however, advising veterans to put forth every effort to obtain suitable employment as soon as possible and not exhaust their allowances, which may be needed even more in later years than they are at present.

Letitia

Miss Lorene Taylor was Sunday dinner guest of Miss Oma Ruth Stiles.

Eddie Graham spent Sunday evening with Homer Stiles.

Misses Doris, Bobbie and James Haney were Sunday dinner guests of Miss Helen Green and visited Mrs. Mille King Sunday evening.

Miss Nellie Graham was Sunday dinner guest of Miss Vaud Stiles.

The Rev. Jess Rich and J. G. Clonts were Sunday dinner guests of M. C. Stiles.

The Rev. Ben Reece spent Saturday night with W. C. Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Hedrick and Mr. and Mrs. Wade Hedrick of Peachtree spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Stiles.

Sgt. Tom Nelson Craig has returned from overseas and has been discharged.

Herman Stiles was Sunday dinner guest of Glen Taylor.

Mrs. Frank Littlejohn and children, Marilyn and Frankie, Nashville, Tenn., are visiting relatives and friends in Murphy, Marble, and Andrews, this week.

and again just before returning home in April. She told of the hardships, they underwent in Holland, being allowed heat only three hours a day, and food was very scarce. On her second visit, she noted some improvement in conditions.

Approximately 25 were present. The hostesses served refreshments and a social hour followed the program.

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Fontana Village, every Sunday — 11:00 A. M.
Franklin, every Sunday—8:00 A.M.
Highlands, every Sunday — 11:00 A. M.
Sylva, 4th Sunday — 8:00 A. M.
Waynesville, every Sunday — 11:00 A. M.

SCOUTS HAVE PICNIC

Hiwassee Dam scouts of Long troop No. 1 met at the picnic grounds at the dam July 5, at 4:30 o'clock with the following members

present: Opal Crain, Mary Flurry, Betsy Morgan, Alma Cole, Betty Jean Verner and Miss Marion Jones. Mrs. W. T. Gibson, and Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Morgan, troop committee, also were present.

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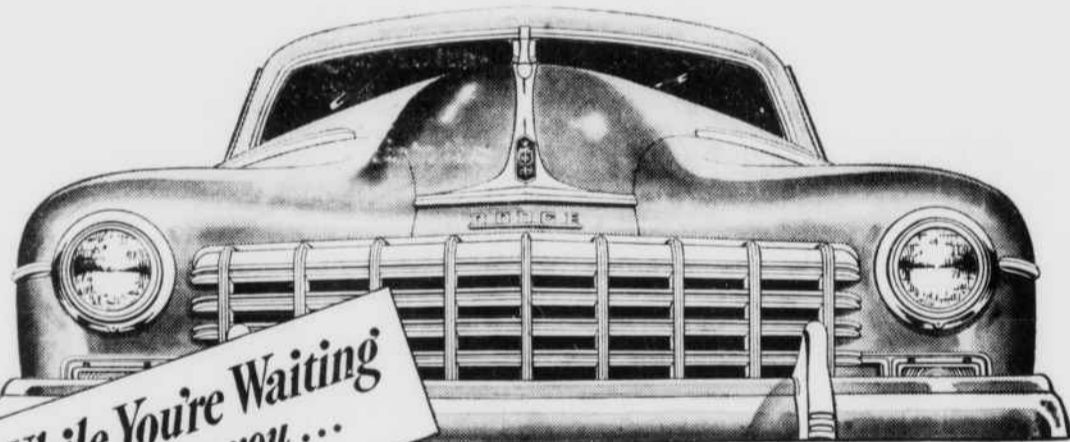
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