ALTA THE JOURNAL PAT m Y. M. C. A. is rais 100 af 80 m trading 'r silding fund for the serving 100,000 people tion of a modern Y. M THE JOURNAL-PATRIOT HAS BLAZED THE TRAIL OF PROGRESS IN THE "STATE OF WILKES" C. A. plant, Support it. FOR OVER 40 YEARS re Carolina North viz NORTH WILKESBORO, N. C., MONDAY, AUG. 19, 1946 Published Mondays and Thursdays. Make North Willesboro Your Shopping Ca VOL. 41, NO. 31 Veterans' Employment Week Being Observed COL FLETCHER SAYS ONLY SMALL Employers Urged **Legion To Buy Or VETERANS EMPLOYMENT WEEK** NUMBER VETERANS WILLING TO **To Place Veterans PROCLAIMED BY MAYOR MCNIEL STAY OFF JOB TO DRAW 52-20 PAY On Available Jobs Build Clubhouse** Whereas, The Week of August 19-24 has been designated as Veterans Employment Week by the Employment Service Esti-Raleigh, Aug. 17 .- In view of themselves badly handicapped North Wilkesboro office of the United States Emthe comment that North Carolina after the year is over. mates 1,000 Veterans in "Based upon 30 years of exployment Service, and veterans of World War II, in Wilkes Need Jobs **S1.000** Set Aside **Fairplains Baptist** Whereas, Hundreds of Wilkes county veterans are perience in that field of governtoo large numbers, are members ment having to do with employregistered with the Employment Service as desiring This week, August 19-24, is **Revival Going On** of the "52-20 Club," loafing on ment and allied matters, I pre-As a Starter For Veterans Employment Week in iobs: "rocking-chair money," while dict that when the ride on the Wilkes county. It is indeed fitting that we give the subject of Jobs The Revival meeting began at "gravy-train" is over and the the employers seek workers, For Veterans our earnest consideration, and our best The North Wilkesboro office 'rocking-chair' collepses after Fairplains Baptist church last the Building Fund and are gaily riding the "gravyof the United States Employment night. Rev. S. L. Blevins, pastor, efforts. 52 weeks of rocking, the riders train" provided by Uncle Sam, These men by their sacrifices won our war and Service has designated the week is being assisted by Rev. A. W. and rockers are going to find Col. A. L. Fletcher, Readjustof special significance, with enment Allowance Agent for North that all of the good jobs Eller, of Purlear. Services will Legion House Would Be freed the world from agression. 876 dorsements from R: T. ReNiel, be held each day at 11:00 o'-Wilkes county veterans wish to stay at home. It gone. They will be held by the Carolina, makes this statement: Memorial For Wilkes mayor of North Wilkesboro, the clock and each night at 7:45 o'is our duty and our privilege to provide opportunities veterans who went to work at the "There is some justification Wilkes post of the American Le-Men Who Lost Lives clock. Everyone is cordially infor them to secure good jobs and remain in their home for the stories that are going bottom, and qualified for them. gion, Blue Ridge Mountain post vited to attend the services. "And that is as it should be, Wilkes post of the American around, but the situation is not as communities. of Veterans of Foreign Wars, the During this week employers are respectfully re-quested to make every effort to place additional vet-Good jobs are for those who Legion has launched a project bad as reported. Of North Car-Veterans Administration, Wlikes work for them and not for those **Executive Red** to erect or buy a building to be olina's 400,000 inductees, apchapter of the American Red proximately \$11,000 have been who wait for them, marking used as the Legion clubhouse in erans on jobs. The Employment Service Office here Cross and other organizations. **Cross Endorses** will be glad to assist employers in securing any type

During the week special emphasis is being paced on the urgency of employers hiring veterans.

The Employment Service estimates that 1,000 veterans in Wilkes county are available for jobs, Mrs. Kathryn Lott, Employment Service office man-ager, said today. More than 800 are on the active file of jobs applicants.

In discussing the matter, Mrs. Lott said that among the registrants of veterans is almost every type of skilled labor needed by emplyons in this area, in addition to any number of laborers desired. The Employment Service is in position to render prompt service to any employer on calls for labor, skilled or unskilled.

Further commenting on unemployment of veterans, Mrs. Lott stated that interviews in her office had revealed that sides, after deductions are all or he gainfully employed than drawing unemployment benefits, which are provided veterans at the rate of \$20 weekly for 52

Interviewer: A large number American Legion **Supports Week of** Vet Employment

Reddies River, three sons and secure the highest cooperation of the main purpose of a Chamber one daughter: Coy Woodie, West every club and of the individual of Commerce is to correlate accome back later. I think I would ries of recent automobile thefts The American Legion Post No citizens of the community to the tivities of all organizations and "I'd like a job in North Wilbe better off in Service if its so in the city. According to Chief Jefferson and John and Rich 125 Wilkes County heartily enend that a united front may be individuals for the welfare and kesboro-if I can get it." After hard to get a decent wage and Woodie and Mrs. Ira Ratliff, who Wall, points of striking similardorses the Veterans Employment had in every undertaking the progress of the community. you can't support your family. a comprehensive registration on ity exist in each case. live in West Virginia Week and urges all employers to Interviewer: We have a list Speaking of industrial expanhis former work experience army community thinks best to do. list their needs with the local NORTH WILKESBORO SOFTBALI He discussed in particular "An sion, he stated that industrial of a few schools where you can training abilities and interests, U. S. Employment Service. The Industrial Program for the growth is usually from within the conversation proceeds: get mechanic training. war was fought and won by men instead of bringing in Applicant: But I wo hamber of Commerce. indus Applicant: "Have 7011 who were trained as machinists, **ADVANCES TO 3RD ROUND** To prepare for such an undtries and that new industry can openings for truck drivers or to leave home since I have been radio and other communications ertaking he urged the import be created by the use of raw pan operators?" away so long. I want a job here experts, and technicians in count--that has a future-and I can ance of the following: materials and resources already Interviewer: "No, we haven't, less other fields. North Wilkesboro's softball nine but we do have jobs that will make a decent living." 1. Know your resources, what on hand. Last-but not least-veterans North Wilkesboro won the Mrs. Lott urges all employers team gained wide and favorable pay you 55c to 60c per hour." you have. as a group are dependable, am-Preceding the program a brief ovener in their play by shellack-Applicant: "What are they? to list their job openings with secognition for North Wilkesboro 2: So lay out those resources business session was held, during bitious, and eager to work. It ing Thomasville 15 to 9 on Wed-Laborers?" I don't want a job the U. S. E. S. office in order to to the eyes of the world in such which it was decided that the is our responsibility to find a last week by advancing to the like that after three years in obtain full employment in this Service and I don't believe I can community. nesday night. On Thursday aftthird round of the state softball ernoon they took in the favored attractive manner that other club will sponsor White Cane place for our veterans in order tournament at Greensborro by Gaston county nine 4 to 0, virtue of defeating two of the The local team, first the people will want to share in Day for the benefit of the State to have a full employment com-The local team, first time in their benefits. munity and satisfied citizens. Association for the Blind. Vets Employment V. A. Manager Is G. R. Andrews discussed plans WILLIAM GRAY, Commander best teams in the competition. tournament competition, was 3. Use the diamonds that lie for professional baseball here HARRY KERLEY, Adjutant. But on Friday afternoon a widely recognized by sports au in your own back yard. Week Endorsed By | Here Assisting In next year and asked the club fast team from Canton ended thorities as being one of the fin-4. Build your industry from within rather than to try to members to continue to create J. F. (Jack) Hayes North Wilkesboro's winning est and most capable teams in the bring in too much development interest in the proposal. streak by taking a three to noth- tournament and made an excel-Claimed By Death **Jobs For Veteran** V. F. W. Post Here The club voted to have the ing victory. The North Wilkes- lent impression among softball from without. It is not a good policy to offer concessions to meeting September 6 in the form boro team, evidently slowed by players and fans from all parts John Franklin (Jack) Hayes three tiresome trips to Greens- of North Carolina. boro, failed to get sufficient hits The box scores of the games induce industry to come to one's of a picnic for Lions and their L. Harold Yountz, Contact age 73, member of a well known The members of Veterans of families at Smoot Park. community. Foreign Wars Post No. 1142 are Representative and Manager of Wilkes family, died Sunday to defeat the favored Canton Thursday and Friday follow: Paul Cashion was recognized He said this city should capitalize on good water and water as the new zone chairman of most anxious to cooperate in any the local Veterans Administra- night, 11:40, at home. He had movement which will tend to re- tion Office, appealed to all been ill since suffering a stroke North Wilkesboro ab r h a N. Wilkesboro abrha power and that the opportunity Lions Clubs and received a big turn us all to a normal economy, merchants and industrial men in of apoplexy several days ago. 4 1 1 1 Lee, 3b B. Lee, 3b ____ 2 0 0 5 to process raw products ready for hand from the club. We feel that having everyone this area to lend their full sup-gainfully employed is a step in port to the U.S.E.S. "Job Week William J. and Mary C. Robert-Lawrence G. Orltcher, mem the purchaser's use is impeling.
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Guests were as follows: Bob ber of the club who served for Program" from August 19th-1son Hayes, spent his life in his that direction. 24th inclusive. "Here's your native community at Purlear. He Men who have been in service have attained a large variety of chance to help a veteran find a was never married and is sur-M. Williams, cf _____ \$ 0 0 5 Revis, rf ______ 3 0 0 0 ford with W. E. Jones; S. Sgt. Journal-Patriot, returned Friday job by making an immediate vived by four brothers and two skills. There are service men in survey of your personnel needs sisters: F. O. Hayes, Bumpass, this community capable of filiing nearly every job that is avail- and listing your requirements Va.; W. A. and W. B. Hayes, R. Triplett, rf _____. 1000 a Triplett _____ 1000 Cake with R. D. Smith; W. B. G. I. Blankenship, Jack Anderwith the local U. S. E. S.-Make Wilkesboro route one; R. D. able here. a determined effort to make Hayes, Millers Creek; Mrs. Jes-These trained men are not room for one more veteran in se Doss. Yadkinville: Mrs. J. J. ab r h a a Batted for Kerbaugh in 7th. Finley; Gary Fulghum, of Wil- James M. Anderson; Lindsay Gaston Co. content to work at common layonr employ," Mr. Yountz said. Matherly, Wilkesboro route one. 3 0 0 0 Canton Stone. c ab r h a son, with J. O. Reins; Z. V. Stew- Cashlon with his father, Paul bor. They want to be able to use Funeral service will be held 3 0 1 0 art and E. W. Smith, Lenoir Ki- Cashion. their new knowledge. If good Giles, lf ______ 3 0 0 0 Holtzclaw, rf ______ 3 1 1 0 wanians, had Allen Laxton and Tuesday, three p. m., at Arbor Home Coming At jobs, at living wages, are avail-Grove Methodist church. Rev. J. 3 0 1 6 Sutton, c _____. 3 1 2 0 J. Grisette, of Lenoir. The at-J. Bredle, ss **Crawford Pharmacist** able, the membership roster of Liberty Grove-25 L. A. Bumgarner, pastor, and . 3 0 0 0 tendance prize was given by Dr. "Fifty Two-Twenty Club" Forbes, rf _____ 2 0 0 0 DeWeese, 3b _____ 3 0 0 0 G. T. Mitchell and won by R. D. Red Cross Pharmacy the Rev. A. W. Eller will conduct will diminish rapidly and ma-The public is cordially invited the service. -Dr. E. P. Crawford, of Lenoir, terially. to a home coming service to be a registered pharmacist and exheld Sunday, August 25, at Lib- Home Coming At Employers in our community perienced druggist, has accepted Union Baptist Is are urged to coperate in employ-a position with Red Cross Pharerty Grove Baptist church four Bethany Aug. 25 ing veterans in skilled jobs. Lets 23 0 2 10 Having Revival macy in this city, where he as-Totals all get back, as soon as possible, miles east of this city near higha Batted for Ellington in 7th. N. Wilkesboro ______ 000 000 0-0 Revival services began last sumed his duties Thursday. N. Wilkesboro ______001 030 0-4 Canton ______ 002 001 x-3 night at Union Baptist church ______ 0 a Batted for Ellington in 7th. N. Wilkesboro __ 000 000 0-0 Home coming day will be obto Normal Living. way 268. Rev. Roy Franklin, pastor, Sunday, August 25. There will be E-L. Rerbaugh. RBI-Sut- and will continue through the Court Of Honor Is JAMES H. MCNEILL. B-Connor 2, J. Bredle. RBI ton 2, Mitchel. HR-Sutton. 2B week with services at 11 a. m. will preach in the service to be an all-day service; including Commander. will preach in the service of the an all-day service, includes held at 11 a. m. At noon a din-preaching and singing, and ner will be spread picnic style and an hour of fellowship will Byerybody is twiced and all miler 2. 2B-Eller, Bush. SB --Spence. SB-Lee, Rhea, Holts- and 7:45 p. m. Blue Ridge Mountain Post No. To Meet Thursday 142, Veterans of Foreign Wars. -Crews. 6H-J. C. Williams. claw, Scarborough. DP-Sutton Boy Scout Court of Honor and The pastor, Rev. Glenn Huff-BB-Off Crews 1, Auten 1. 80 to Allen. BB-Off Crews 3, man, is being assisted by Rev. Review will meet Thursday, 7:30, -0mark the beginning of the re upred to attend. be enjoyed. The service will also L. B. Murray. The public is in- in the religious education build--By Crews 1, Auton 3. LOB- Waldroup 1. SO-By Crews 1, temporary grazing crop. are expectally A seeded within the month, can provide about the cheapest feed North Wilkesboro 6, Gaston 2. Waldroup 7. LOB-North Wil- vited to all services. ing of the First Presbyterian Wild pitch-Auten. U-Smith keeboro 4, Canton 5. U-Cates. church. All Scouts and Scouter State of the state tinue throughout the week. Austin and Talley. SUPPORT THE Y. M. C. A are asked to attend, produced on the man. and Hall. T-: 50. wist ??

memory of Wilkes men who lost their lives in World Wars I and

In beginning the campaign to raise funds to carry out the memorial project the post appropriated \$1,000 from its treas-

ury. According to preliminary plans for the project, the Legion house will serve as a place of meetings for the post. In addition there will be reading and recreation rooms and other facilities for recreation and comfort of Legion members and their friends.

a memorial plaque with the names of all Wilkes men who lost their lives in both World Wars

Legion plans will be made for contacting the people for donations for the project.

Executive Secretary. liam Gray, post commander, or

Stolen Automobile Is Found In Wilkes

Vets' Job Week

As a representative of tha

Wilkes County Chapter of the

American Red Cross I am pleased

to endorse the plans for Vet-

erans' Employment Week. Cer-

tainly everyone is indebted to the

men who have sacrificed so much

in military service. On the other

hand, our entire community suf-

fers when a single one fails to

make a satisfactory adjustment

or becomes a continuing liability.

It is indeed a farsighted com-

munity which seeks to aid the

federal and state agencies in

their efforts to assist the veteran

by making it easier for him to

pick up the threads of civilian

REBECCA MOSELEY,

life quickly and successfully.

Elkin, Aug. 15 .--- An automobile, stolen Saturday morning from the Chatham Manufacturlice Corbett Wall has reported. The car belonged to Spencer Gwyn, colored, a mill employee.

This marks the fifth in a se-

At the Legion house will be

At a future meeting of the Meanwhile, those who are in-

terested in making early donations are urged to contact Wil-

Harry Kerley, adjutant. Mrs. D. W. Woodie

Funeral Tuesday Funeral service will be held Tuesday, ten a. m., near Vannoy present the speaker, Louis Puring Company parking lot, was for Mrs. Lucy E. Woodie, 81, recovered yesterday near Austin who died Saturday at her home merce of Winston-Salem, who in Wilkes county, Chief of Po- in Union township. Rev. J. W. discussed the work of the Mo-Luke will conduct the last rites. dern Chamber of Commerce. He Mrs. Woodie is survived by said it is the function of such

Winston-Salem Chamber of A highly interesting program relating to industrial expansion **Commerce Executive Is** of North Wilkesboro was car-Speaker Here An industrial expendion pro-gram for North Wilkesboro was Ofurb.

tensively.

day noon.

Industrial Talk Is

Feature of Meet

Kiwanians Friday

Program chairman, Dr. F. C.

dey, of the Chamber of Com-

of workers desired, either skilled or unskilled. The

Employment Service can be greatly beneficial to em-

ployers as well as to veterans and others desiring

jobs, and should be used more frequently and ex-

By the cooperation of all concerned, Veterans Em-

ployment Week can and should prove to be a most

successful event in our city and community. R. T. McNIEL,

ried out Friday evening before the Morth Willishoro Loop Lewis Purdey, Industrial manthe subject in the limelight at the Kiwanis Club meeting Fri-

Mayor of North Wilkesboro.

ager of the Winston - Salem Chamber of Commèrce, was the speaker for the evening. The program was in charge of James Hubbard asked Forrest Jones to M. Anderson, who asked Forrest Jones, secretary-manager of the Wilkes Chamber of Commerce, to present Mr. Purdey.

At Lions Meeting

Here Last Friday

Mr. Purdey throughout his forceful talk stressed the importher husband, D. W. Woodie, of an organization to organize and ance of cooperation, stating that

discharged. Roughly, 8.5 per cent of those discharged are filing claims for readjustment allowances for unemployment. About 85,000 or 27.3 per cent of discharged have filed those claims for allowances for short periods, after which the big majority have gone to work. Most of those now drawing will get off gladly as soon as they can find jobs, but I guess some are

do not want jobs. **Louis Purdey Guest** "I wish I could reach every

one of these young veterans with Anyway," the solemn warning that those who have joined the "52-20 ier to get a job when you've Club" and are contriving to got a job than it is to get one

EXPLAINS THE ATTITUDE O

U. S. R. S. Manager

The local U. S. E. S. is a cenmade, what would I have left to ral meeting place for returning live on?" What are the chances to get mechanic training or some veterans who are interested in securing information on benefits as outlined in the G. I. bill. G. I. bill? However, most of these veterans are only interested in securing a the job" training but at the ob-by that I mean a job that present time, the firms approved

will assure safety, good health, and satisfaction. Here is part of an actual conversation that typifies the atti-

tude, and interest of the boys as they contact this office:

LOYMENT SERVICE OFFICE EMP

spend a year in idleness, will find when you are loafing."

time while others are digging in. "Just living these days is a

sort of warfare and it is going to be even mor_{Θ} so in the future. Every G. I. who had front-line experience knows that he had to dig his own fox-hole. Nobody

helped him, for everybody else had his own to dig. "That is exactly what is hap-

pening today. The wise veteran is digging his own fox-hole. My meaning to stay "on the draw" advice to every young veteran is by one pretext or another and to get a job and get busy on it. It may not be what you want. but it may lead to what you want. advised Colone

other type of training under the jobless weeks.

Interviewer: A large number

Applicant: I guess that's so

because I have called on a lot of

places and they just tell me to

for training are filled.

Fletcher, "it is a great deal eas-

