

'Teen Age Center Organization Set Up

Dickson Director; \$2,500 Budget; Directors to Meet

Chamber Commerce Educational Committee Project Is Making Progress

Temporary organization for 'teen age centers to be set up and operated in the Wilkesboro has been formed, it was learned today from the Education committee of the Wilkes Chamber of Commerce, sponsor of the organization.

The informal organization, composed of representatives of civic and fraternal groups, has hired Zeb V. K. Dickson, member of the Wilkesboro high school faculty, as director and has set up a budget of \$2,500. He will work with young people on a program which the youth will help to plan and operate themselves.

The committee in charge reached a decision to use temporary quarters for the 'teen age centers until a more permanent location can be secured.

The civic and fraternal organizations participating will underwrite the budget of \$2,500 and each will elect a member of the board of directors for the teen age project.

Dr. F. C. Hubbard, president of the Wilkes Y. M. C. A., issued the following statement supporting the 'teen age center movement:

"The Teen-Age Center will in no way conflict with the YMCA program. It will fill an existing need until the Y is built. When the YMCA is in operation, the Teen-Age Center will turn over to the Y all monies and equipment left from their operation. At the present time this Teen-Age Center is badly needed. We must all support it."

Sponsoring committee of the Wilkes Chamber of Commerce made the following comment:

"We think a separate youth center—a youth hang-out and social recreation facility—is as necessary in our county as a school building, library, or playground. We should come to the realization that every provision has been made for adult social clubs, such as fraternal orders, athletic clubs, and for other means of getting together, while we have up to the present left the social life of teen-age youth up to the schools and an occasional social agency which operates a youth social program as a side line or as a means of enrolling youth for some other purpose. The failure to meet squarely the need for a place where young people can meet socially under the right auspices is the biggest oversight in community recreation today."

Board of directors of the 'teen age center project will meet Tuesday evening seven o'clock, at the office of the Wilkes Chamber of Commerce.

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WILKESBORO RAMBLERS REMAIN UNDEFEATED; BEAT MOCKSVILLE

Approximately one thousand patrons and students saw the Wilkesboro High School Ramblers remain in the undefeated list Friday afternoon when the thrilling football contest between Wilkesboro and Mocksville came to an end with the score: Wilkesboro 6, Mocksville 2.

On the opening kickoff, Mocksville scored a safety when Tom Foster, Wilkesboro's safety man, fumbled and was forced to fall on the ball behind his own goal line. This play, coming fast at the very start of the game, put Wilkesboro in a hole throughout almost the entire first half.

Coach J. R. Slier brought a good team to Wilkesboro, and with just a bit more experience it will hold its own against any of the smaller high school teams in the state. The team out-weighted Mocksville, especially in the line. Mocksville was a continuous threat, using deceptive pass plays throughout the contest.

The first half ended with the score in Mocksville's favor, 2 to 0, and it was only late in the fourth quarter that Wilkesboro was able to put over its winning

Serves In Japan



Pvt. Fred D. Kilby was inducted at Fort Bragg May 14, 1946. He received his basic training at Camp Polk, La. and was transferred from there to Camp Stoneman, California. He is now on duty at Yokohama, Japan. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Kilby, of Vannoy.

Members of the board are the following members representing sponsoring organizations: Cecil Adamson, Chamber of Commerce; J. B. Carter, Wilkes Y. M. C. A.; L. M. Nelson, Kiwanis club; Mrs. Robert S. Gibbs, Girl Scouts; Paul Osborne, Docks; Miss Rebecca Moseley, Red Cross; Claude Carter, Junior Order; Mrs. G. T. Mitchell, Wilkesboro Woman's club. Other sponsoring organizations include American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Lions club, North Wilkesboro Woman's club; Knights of Pythias; Masonic lodge; Eastern Star; Wilkesboro Masonic lodge; Boy Scouts and Ministerial association; Police department; city officials of North Wilkesboro and Wilkesboro; Wilkes Bar association; Wilkes Welfare board; Wilkes County Agricultural Conservation association; schools of North Wilkesboro and Wilkesboro.

Bill Bason Will Be Eagle Scout

The public is cordially invited to the October meeting of the Wilkes Boy Scout court of honor and review, which will be held Thursday, 7:30 p. m., in the religious education building of the First Presbyterian church.

Bill Bason, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Bason, will receive the Eagle Scout badge, highest award in the Boy Scouts organization.

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Many Injured In Auto Accidents During Week-End

Patrol and Police Busily Engaged In Accident Investigations In Wilkes

Five were badly hurt and others received minor injuries in four automobile accidents in Wilkes during the week-end.

On Sunday on the Windy Gap road Miss Odessa Pendergrass sustained a broken leg when the car in which she was riding with J. Archie Hemric, of Ronda route one, collided with a car driven by Granville Cheeks, of Cycle. Sgt. A. H. Clark, of the highway patrol, investigated the accident.

Bennie Cross, of Huntersville, was driver of a car which crashed into a car driven by Cleveland Nesmith, colored, of Winston-Salem, on highway 268 east of this city shortly after noon Sunday. Elizabeth Martin and three-year-old son, Wayne, Winston-Salem colored residents, both had fractured skulls. They were in the car driven by Nesmith, which was turning from the highway when it was hit in the rear by the car driven by Cross. Sgt. Clark said that Cross is charged with reckless driving.

Herbert Hester, of Boomer, was badly injured Sunday night, 7:45, when the car which he was driving toward North Wilkesboro on the Moravian Falls highway left the highway on the left and crashed into the porch of the home of Wade Ashley. Sgt. A. H. Clark, who investigated the accident, said that Hester was intoxicated. Hester may lose an arm, which was badly injured. He is a patient at the Wilkes hospital. The car knocked down two brick columns on Mr. Ashley's porch, traveling several hundred feet after leaving the highway.

James Vickers, of North Wilkesboro route one, was driver of a car which overturned off highway 18 into the grounds at the home of P. W. Eshelman in the northern part of the city. His brother, who was with him in the car, sustained serious head injuries. James Vickers is charged with driving while intoxicated, Police Chief J. E. Walker said.

Special Meeting Of Veterans of Foreign Wars On Tuesday

A special meeting of Blue Ridge Mountain post of Veterans of Foreign Wars has been called to be held at the V. F. W. hall on C street Tuesday night, eight o'clock, for consideration of the 'teen age center proposal. Every member of the post is asked to attend. A committee from the Wilkes Chamber of Commerce will meet with the veterans.

9 WILKES 4-H MEMBERS RANK HIGH IN ELKIN FAT STOCK SHOW - SALE

By D. D. WILLIAMSON (Assistant County Agent)

Five girls and four boys from the Wilkes County 4-H Club entered fifteen nice fat steers in the Fat Stock Show and Sale held at Elkin on October 8-9. The fifteen steers weighed 13,805 pounds and brought \$4,286.90. Out of the fifteen steers eleven were choice and four good, which brought \$119.24 in prizes. Wilkes county placed third in the county placing and won \$15.00 on that or a total of \$134.24 in prize money.

Ruby Hutchinson of Traphill 4-H Club was first place winner of Wilkes County and the seventh place steer out of 110 in the show. Edith Marie Ferguson of Ferguson 4-H Club, was second place winner in the county with Billie Dean Cothren of Mountain View 4-H Club, as third place winner. Other Wilkes 4-H Club members entering steers in the show were Paul Hutchinson, Mary Hutchinson and Ginger Alexander of Traphill 4-H Club; Caroline Ferguson of Ferguson 4-H Club; Dewitt Rhodes of Mountain View 4-H Club; and Kent Sturdivant of North Wilkesboro in the Mulberry 4-H Club.

The North Wilkesboro Kiwanis Club bought Ruby Hutchinson's calf which weighed 1,050 pounds and sold for 29c per pound. The North Wilkesboro Lions Club bought one of Billie Dean Cothren's calves which weighed 1,015 pounds and sold for 29c per pound. The G. P. Market bought Mary Hutchinson's calf which weighed 978

Y.M.C.A. FUND NOW \$100,000

Now In Japan



Pvt. Thomas Lee Bumgarner has arrived safely in Japan, according to news received in a recent letter by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Bumgarner. Pvt. Bumgarner entered service May 14 this year and received basic training at Camp Polk, La.

P.-T. A. Meeting Scheduled Here Thursday Night

Plans are going forward to have a large representative of parents, teachers, and all persons interested in children and school progress to meet in the school auditorium Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock to organize a Parent-Teacher association in our community.

The planning group canvassed the city last Thursday. All parents and teachers are invited to come and take an active part in this paramount cause.

As of today, the program for this first meeting will include (1) a talk by Mrs. E. N. Howell, State president of the Parent-Teacher association; (2) Enrollment of members; (3) Election of officers; (4) Presentation of bi-laws; (5) a message from our Superintendent; (6) and a social period, including introduction of teachers.

A reminding card will be mailed to each family registered in the schools, and all teachers during the week. It is hoped that all who are interested in the welfare and progress of our educational system will attend.

There will be another meeting of the planning group Tuesday morning at 9:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. David E. Browning.

Major Forehand Speaker Friday At Kiwanis Club

Combat Experiences Interestingly Told; Good Reports Given Club

Featured by an address by Major Roy Forehand, and interesting reports on matters of public interest, the North Wilkesboro Kiwanis club held an interesting meeting Friday.

Bob Smith called attention to the culmination of the 4-H Club Baby Beef show which was held at Elkin Tuesday and Wednesday with 9 4-H club boys and girls showing 15 fat steers with total weight of 13,805 pounds or an average weight of 920 pounds to the calf. They sold for \$4,286.90 or an average of \$285.79, which was \$31.05 per hundred pounds. Prizes amounting to \$134.24 were received. All of these calves were bought by Wilkes county buyers. The best calf was bought by the Kiwanis club for \$378.00 or .36 per pound. This calf will be butchered and distributed to the members next Thursday.

Cecil Adamson told the Club of the organization sponsoring the Teen Age Center. He stated that Zeb Dickson had been employed as director and that a budget of \$2,500.00 had been set up for maintaining it. He asked the Kiwanians to support the movement with a Club contribution and he also stated that private donations would be accepted. He asked that the President appoint a member from the club membership to be on the board of directors of the new organization. The president appointed Lewis Nelson; and then asked that the board of directors meet immediately after the meeting for the financial support.

Program Chairman W. J. Caroon asked Forrest Jones to present his speaker, Major Roy Forehand. Roy gave a very interesting resume of his experiences in the South Pacific during the years of 1943 and 1944. He went out with the 93rd Division with 12,000 troops on his ship. The outfit went to Guadalcanal and to Bougainville. At the latter place his outfit experienced a loss of 2,200 men killed in their first encounter. This news did not get back home at the time. He related other experiences more successful as his outfits proceeded through New Guinea and to the Philippines where he helped to liberate a group of 400 American and Dutch and Philippine prisoners. He had on exhibit a number of hand weapons he secured while in those theaters.

Guests Friday were: F. B. Hankerson, of St. Louis, and A. P. Hankerson, of LaCrosse, Wis., with J. B. Williams; Ray Landreger with W. D. Halfacre; S. F. Stone with Gwyn Gambill; Holliday Mitchell with J. R. Finley; Major Roy Forehand with W. J. Caroon.

Three-Day Mission St. Paul's Church

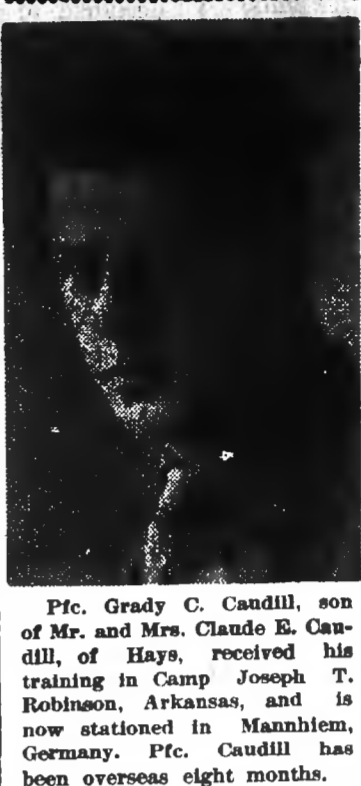
The Rev. James S. Cox, Rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Winston-Salem, will begin a three-day preaching mission at St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Wilkesboro, this evening at half past seven o'clock. His sermon topic for tonight is "Life by Faith." St. Paul's Church extends a cordial invitation to everyone to attend the service tonight and also the two succeeding services which will be held on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings of this week at the same hour.

Ronda Girl Runs Into Side of Car

Elkin, Oct. 11.—Pauline Durham, 16, of Ronda, was bruised and shaken up shortly after the Fat Stock Show and Sale parade here Wednesday afternoon when she was said to have started to cross the street and collided with an automobile driven by Luther W. Roberts, 25, of Roaring River.

Rushed to Hugh Chatham Hospital, an examination disclosed she was not seriously injured and was allowed to go home. Spectators who witnessed the accident said the girl ran into the side of the car.

Now In Germany



Pfc. Grady C. Caudill, son of Mr. and Mrs. Claude E. Caudill, of Hays, received his training in Camp Joseph T. Robinson, Arkansas, and is now stationed in Mannheim, Germany. Pfc. Caudill has been overseas eight months.

Army Declares Draft Holiday Through 1946

Washington.—With nearly 1,000,000 volunteers in uniform, the army Friday declared a draft holiday for the rest of 1946.

Maj. Gen. Lewis B. Hershey, Selective Service director, was notified by the War Department that some 20,000 men who already had been called up for induction the last half of October, and 15,000 men in the November quota, need not report.

Guests, but no promises were made beyond the first of the year. The War Department said the suspension did not prejudice its right to renew calls if future volunteer enlistments fail to maintain adequate military strength.

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ROTOGRAVURE PICTORIAL EDITION JOURNAL-PATRIOT APPEARS 17TH

The rotogravure pictorial edition of The Journal-Patriot, which has been awaited with intense interest, will be issued on Thursday of this week, October 17.

Described by publishers and others connected with preparation of the edition as the finest and most complete publicity publication ever issued in Wilkes, the edition will contain 48 pages.

When work began on the edition, 24 pages was the goal, but response on the part of the business firms and many individuals was so enthusiastic that

Splendid Progress Is Being Made In Current Effort

Workers Named For Wilkesboro; List Rural Workers Planned

Splendid progress was reported today for the early days of the Wilkes Y. M. C. A. campaign to reach the goal of \$160,000 for the building fund this year.

Jack Swofford, campaign director, reported today that the fund now has reached approximately \$100,000, which represents an increase of \$38,000 since the campaign opened several days ago.

Forrest Jones, secretary-manager of the Chamber of Commerce, is preparing a thermometer indicator, which will be placed at a public point here and which will show progress in the campaign from day to day. Intensive work is expected this week to add substantially to the total for the building fund.

The following workers have been named for the campaign in the Wilkesboro: Mrs. Carl Coffey, Mrs. R. T. McNeil, Mrs. Claude Doughton, J. R. Hix, R. C. Finley, E. F. Gardner, Dr. F. C. Hubbard, P. W. Eshelman, J. B. Carter, Jack Swofford, W. K. Sturdivant, J. B. Williams, Frank H. Crow, Richard Johnston, W. F. Absher, Robert S. Gibbs, W. Blair Gwyn, Glenn Andrews, Boyd Stout, Paul Cashion, W. G. Gabriel, Carl Vandeman, J. Allie Hayes, Paul Osborne, Charles H. Day, R. M. Brame, Jr., W. D. Jester, Maurice Walsh, A. F. Kilby, R. E. Gibbs, W. D. Halfacre is publicity chairman for the campaign and J. B. Carter is treasurer.

A rural committee is being organized to cover the rural areas of the county. The committee is being organized to cover the rural areas of the county.

Both banks, office of the Chamber of Commerce and the office of The Journal-Patriot will receive donations for the Y. M. C. A. fund.

the edition was finally completed just twice as large as was originally planned. Because of the large volume of material contained, a great task confronted the photographer, engravers, copy writers and printers. In order that the job might be done thoroughly, no time or effort was spared in the various phases of work. The rotogravure edition will go to all of the more than 4,000 subscribers of The Journal-Patriot in the issue of October 17, and many extra copies will be distributed.

MOUNTAIN LIONS BEAT JONESVILLE IN WILD SCORING GAME 75-6 HERE

Scoring almost at will, the North Wilkesboro Mountain Lions crushed an inexperienced Jonesville eleven here Friday by the sensational score of 75 to 6.

The first half score mounted to 34 to 0 with first and second stringers playing the game. Coach Bowers sent in almost every boy on the squad in the second half and the scoring continued. Jonesville's lone tally was in the fourth period against second stringers when Iays pushed over to score.

After the opening kickoff and an exchange of fumbles McGinnis made a splendid gain and Sturdivant clipped off 12 yards to score and also ran the extra score and also ran the extra score. A few plays later Turner ran over from the 10 and Caudill added the point. The score, 14-0. McGinnis added another touchdown on a double reverse and the try for point failed. The first period ended 30-0.

In the second quarter Davis rushed the line for a touchdown, the point was good and the score was 27-0. Jonesville then made their first down with the aid of a five-yard penalty. Byers, substitute back, made 25 yards and Sturdivant raced around and to score. Davis added the point

and the score was 34-0 at half time.

In the third period Turner intercepted a pass and ran to the 30. Steelman took an end-around and raced 30 yards to score. Caudill added the point. Turner scored another touchdown on an end run and McGinnis added the point, the score, 48-0.

Hudson ran 30 yards to score and McGinnis made the try for point good. A few plays later McGinnis, who was substitute for Rousseau, who was out with injuries, added another touchdown on an end run and Byers ran the point, the score, 62-0.

Jonesville came to life with a 50-yard drive that paid off when Davis, the sparkplug of the out-classed backfield, went over. The try for point was no good. In the closing minutes of play McGinnis ran his touchdown parade up to four with two more scores on fine runs with Caudill adding the points by runs and the final score was 75-4.

And while the North Wilkesboro backs ran wild, the line was charging hard and deserves fully as much credit for the overwhelming victory. Hard and spirited tackling often earned the