



Handsome trophy won by the Chatham Girls' Basketball Team of the Winston Plant, in the Southern Textile Basketball Tournament, Greenville, S. C.—Photo by Walter Burgiss.

Chatham Girls Win Cage Championship

DEFEAT DRAYTON BY SCORE 23-13

The Chatham girls' basketball team of Winston-Salem, running true to form went to the finals in the Southern Textile Tournament in Greenville, S. C. and winning over Drayton for the championship.

The following is a resume of the games played in the tournament:

March 3rd the team met Whitmire of South Carolina, defeating them by a score of 53-18. The offensive stars were Mildred and Babe Poole and Ann Lineback.

Chatham	Whitmire
F—Dunn, 5	Puckett, 5
F—B. Poole, 17	Huckby, 11
F—M. Poole, 17	Erskine
C—Samuel	Eubanks
G—J. Sherrill, 2	Baily
G—J. Sherrill, 2	Black

Chatham substitutes: L. Smith, Lineback, 18, Whitener, Robbins: Whitmire, Ray, Evans. Referees: Leonard and Heath.

March 4th Chatham met Judson of Greenville in the semi-finals. Chatham's victory over Judson was achieved with greater ease as the Blanketeers amassed a safe lead in the first half and though held in check in the second half was able to prevent serious damage from the plucky Greenville sextet.

Judson	Chatham
F—Barr, 4	B. Poole, 5
F—Westmoreland, 1	M. Poole, 7
C—Cobb, 8	Lineback, 9
C—Calvert, 4	Samuel, 1
G—Von Holland	J. Sherrill
G—Wrad	J. Sherrill

Judson Subs: Putnam, Sellars, 1; Chatham Subs.: Smith, Biddix, 3, Dunn, 1, Whitener, 1. Officials: Heath, Leonard.

March 5th Chatham girls held Drayton tight to win 23-12, in finals. Backed by the brilliant shooting of Mildred Poole and Anne Lineback and flanked by the defensive play of Dot Samuel, the new champions showed the eight thousand fans who witnessed the game the best teamwork which had been exhibited during the Southern Textile Tournament.

An All-Southern team, announced at the end of the game, gave first team berths to three of the championship team, Mildred Poole, Dorothy Samuel and Cleo Dunn Petree.

Chatham	Drayton
L. Smith	Harley, 7
F—B. Poole, 1	R. Durham, 1
F—M. Poole, 8	Whitlock, 3
C—Samuel	Splawn
G—J. Sherrill	T. Durham, 2
G—J. Sherrill	Rogers

Sub.: Chatham, Biddix, Dunn, 4, Lineback, 6. Referees, Heath and Suddeth.

Team Off to Greenville



The above picture shows the girls' basketball team as it boarded the pullman to go to Greenville, S. C., to enter the Southern Textile Tournament. Reading from left to right: Claudia Austin, manager; Ann Lineback, Jesse Smith, Mildred Poole, Hattie Robbins, Cleo Dunn Petree, Katherine Whitener, Levia Smith, Babe Poole, Aldie Biddix, R. W. Harris, Jennie Sherrill, Jannie Sherrill, Mr. Thurmond Chatham, A. R. Plaster, Coach, and Dot Samuel.

OUR CONSTITUTION

The People's Protection

Have we any protection against acts unauthorized by our Constitution?

Under our Constitution, "we the people" are supreme. We are the principal and we create the Congress and make it our agent with power to act within the limitations we enumerate in our charter, but with no power to go beyond those limits. In addition we specifically prohibit it from certain acts.

Under these conditions, what recourse do "we the people" have if the Congress, as our agent, exceeds the limits we specify or enacts legislation which we specifically prohibit? If left to itself to determine such a case, the Congress naturally would approve its own acts. It would not pass an act and disapprove it. Thus the agent would authorize what the principal prohibits.

To prevent this, "we the people," in our Constitution, provide the simple means commonly provided where the principal challenges the acts of his agent in

court. The court—in the case of our Constitution, a federal court and finally the Supreme Court—tries the case by hearing both



sides. If the Court finds the agent's act in accordance with the agent's power, the act is upheld. But if the Court finds that the agent acted beyond his authority the Court so states, whence such act is declared unauthorized, and therefore void, or in other words unconstitutional.

If the Congress as the people's

agent had power to exceed the people's Constitution such a Constitution would be useless. To prevent this and protect ourselves against unauthorized acts by our agent, "we the people" make our Constitution "the supreme law" and we create and empower the Supreme Court to construe or pass upon it.

Factory Safest, Report Indicates

The safest place to be is not at home, not out in the open, but in a manufacturing plant, according to a report of the National Safety Council.

The report shows that there are less than one third as many industrial accidents as accidents in the home; in fact, that occupational accidents are far fewer, and far less serious than any other type.

The American workman is the beneficiary of the most intensive safety drives ever launched anywhere, drives which have reduced accident frequency 61 percent in ten years—with the seriousness of the average individual accident declining at a comparable rate, the report indicates.

Did you get your Picture Book? Only a few remain.

ELKIN MILL

DYE HOUSE

Mr. and Mrs. Quintin Spicer visited relatives in Lexington Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Hinson and family spent last week-end with friends at Erlanger.

Mr. and Mrs. John Issaries spent last Sunday with his father and mother at Fish River.

Beamer Hemric is confined to his home as the result of an accident Wednesday morning. We were all sorry to hear of it, Beamer, and hope that you will be back at work soon.

Jake Teague spent last week-end attending court and "politic-ing" in Yadkinville.

POWER PLANT

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Burgiss and family and Mr. and Mrs. Willie Childress were visitors in Danville, Virginia, last week-end.

Jake Brown and Walter Burgiss spent last Friday looking over the new Selected Dairies plant near Winston-Salem. When two "camera bugs" get together, we know what to expect.

We have it, and good authority too, that Montgomery Castevens was seen one day last week riding toward the river with a box of fishing gear on the seat beside him. Some people like to believe in groundhogs, some in robins as harbingers of spring, but when Montgomery and his fishing tackle are seen together, spring is here to stay.

Walter Burgiss, Jake Brown, Van Dillon and Bud Barker attended the N. C. Photographic Society Salon in Greensboro recently. Walter exhibited several pictures which received a lot of favorable comment.

BURLING DEPT.

Misses Mozelle Freeman, Ada Freeman and Beulah Gregory spent Sunday afternoon at Roaring Gap and Sparta. Where were the boy friends?

Mrs. Alice Vestal spent Sunday in Winston-Salem the guest of her brother, Mr. M. E. Castevens.

Anyone wishing to buy a fine rooster, see Edith Freeman.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Davis spent the past week-end the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Parker, at Union Grove.

Mrs. Charlie Haynes is wondering why Buck Rogers was borrowing her wheel barrow the other day. Buck, did you go on your honeymoon in it?

Master Ray and Kenneth Freeman spent the past week-end with their grandmother, Mrs. E. W. Walker, near Boonville.

Clyde, don't take Uncle Tom so seriously.

Look out girls, Odell says he

has his divorce and he also likes music.

Mick, just whose baby are you?

Mrs. Ophelia Day is out sick at this writing. We wish for her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Quincey Johnson and daughter, Edith, spent Sunday in Mayodan visiting friends.

Mrs. Mary Eidson Brown and Mr. Charlie Wall spent Sunday sight-seeing in Boone and Blowing Rock.

Miss Emma Burcham was the guest of her brother, Mr. Mack Burcham, of Altavista, Virginia, the past week-end.

Miss Leona Darnell had Mrs. Edith Freeman out to dinner the other day and Leona said all she had to eat was "peas and taters." Leona, don't you know Edith is on a diet?

The employees of this department wishes to thank the Company for the lovely books they are giving away with each subscription to the Blanketeer. Let's make this department one hundred per cent.

WOOL DEPT.

Come on folks and subscribe for the Blanketeer and get you one of those nice picture books about the manufacture of Chatham blankets. Lets give the Blanketeer 100 per cent help, and keep this good paper growing.

Beach Bell has started a "tall story" club. He says anyone who can tell a bigger one than he can, he will give them 25 bales of hay and one three legged plug mule.

Clyde Eller postponed his trip to California on account of the floods out there. Clyde says he is afraid of water as he takes the cramp every time his feet get wet. We haven't seen him with the cramp in a long time.

This dept. wishes to congratulate our old friend, Chas. Calhoun of the New York office, upon the arrival of his baby girl. Best wishes Mr. and Mrs. Calhoun.

We also wish to congratulate the girls basketball team of the Winston Mill for winning the tournament at Greenville, S. C. That sure is a nice trophy. We are proud you won it and we know you deserve it for your fine playing and sportsmanship. Hope you win again next year.

Johnnie Sears received a letter from our old baseball pal, Shine Rumble of Pampa, Texas, recently. Shine says tell all his friends hello for him. We sure would like to see Shine again.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Boles announce the birth of a daughter, Georgie Lee, Feb. 22nd.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gray have moved to their farm near Ronda, we are looking forward to some nice free vegetables this summer.

Yippee!



Jimmie, 5, Marvin, 9, and Bobbie, 7, small sons of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Hayes, of Elkin. Both Mr. and Mrs. Hayes are employed in the Elkin Mill.

The reporter is very fond of watermelons, Paul. So bring a big one.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Chatham have returned from a two weeks vacation spent in Palm Beach, Fla.

Pete Holcomb has several good country hams for sale. If you don't believe they are good see Delos Jones.

Dick Lovering is back with us again after a few weeks in the Cloth Dept. Dick is now the official weigher-upper of the khaki stock.

Bug Page and Fred Wilbert are taking riding lessons secretly at Watt Cheeks farm up in Wilkes. They slip off every Sunday and go up there. The reason they are learning to ride they are getting ready for the "Elkin Rodeo" held every fall at the baseball park. Watt reports they have worn one mule out and started on his other. He says he has ordered a carload of wild mules so the boys can get plenty of practice. Ride 'em Cowboys.

SPOOLING DEPT.

Mrs. Pauline Masten Pardue had as her week-end guests, Mrs. Mary Brendle Chandler of Winston-Salem and Mr. Francis Knuckles of Galax, Virginia.

Misses Minnie and Ethel Macy spent the past week-end visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Macy of Cycle.

Misses Martha Wagoner has as her week-end guests Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pardue of Elkin.

Miss Helen Cornett visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Cornett at Elk Creek, Virginia, recently.

Clyde Shugart, Mae Vestal and Vernice Ingram spent last Thursday with Mrs. Jettie Transou.

Mrs. Evan Martin and little daughter, Bernice, spent last week

end with Mrs. Newt Seagraves at Hamptonville.

Miss Elizabeth Underwood has returned from a ten day trip to Atlanta and Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo Barber spent last week-end in Winston-Salem.

Wedding bells have been ringing in our dept. and Miss Fairy Belle Barker is now Mrs. Buck Rogers.

Misses Margaret Lyons and Lexa Cummings motored to Winston-Salem Sunday to visit the former's sister who is a patient at the Baptist Hospital.

Ila says, "Mama came home last week and now everything is alright."

Mrs. Bill Reece and children were the week-end guests of Mrs. Clyde Shugart. P. S. Clyde has been to Winston again.

Murline now has a clear field with Dewey since Fairy Belle's departure.

Junior didn't come in to work until five o'clock on Monday. When asked where or why he calmly replied: "I've been fishing." We haven't seen any fish as yet.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Hayes went to N. Wilkesboro to see the animals. You, didn't have to go that far, Lorene.

Miss Myrtle Shores is a patient at the Hugh Chatham Memorial Hospital. We wish for her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Bob Eidson has returned to her home following a short illness. She has been a patient at the local hospital.

CARD ROOM

Boy, oh boy, it's just like squeezing blood out of a turnip to get a quarter from some of the men up here. There are some in the Card Room very nice about cooperating in the subscription drive, others, just won't, that's all. Some say, "wait until we work five days." One man said he didn't have time to read the paper. It interfered with his bear hunting. Joking aside, come on folks, lets make our department one hundred per cent.

The Card Room harbors a few great men. Mr. Maynard Norman became the proud papa of twins last week. Maynard is the only son of Barney Norman that is married. Barney says that the twins broke up the whole family, because he now has to sleep with Grandma.

A big boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Thad Carter the other day. Thad says he weighed 10 1/2 lbs. and that the scales would just weigh half of the full weight. That's about the largest baby we have ever heard of.

Quince Rhodes and family attended a dinner party at J. W. Wagoner's home last Saturday evening. The main dish was mountain bear.

Miss Virginia Ray, only daughter,

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HOW MANY CAN YOU ANSWER?

- 1—When is St. Patrick Day?
- 2—From whom was Alaska purchased?
- 3—What gas is formed when a car is running?
- 4—What is known as the "smoky city?"
- 5—Acids are antidotes for alkalis and vice versa, is this true?
- 6—When is a payment on a note payable if not inserted?
- 7—How hot should one have the water when washing a blanket?
- 8—What year was Knute Rockne killed?
- 9—How old is the Blanketeer?
- 10—What is known as a Blood Bank?
- 11—What River passes through Asheville?
- 12—How often is a sheep shorn?
- 13—What team did the Chatham Girls defeat in the Greenville finals?
- 14—Where is the word Exmoor used?
- 15—What is known as the Quaker City?
- 16—Great Britain has 4 per cent of the world's wool supply. What type of sheep are found there?
- 17—From what county in Virginia do we get most of our wool?
- 18—Where did the expression "heave the lead" come from?

(Answers on back page)

Opportunity Today As Never Before

It is always instructive to glance at the records of men who have risen from humble beginnings to commanding positions in American industry.

To remember that Benjamin Fairless, head of United States Steel, began his career as an office boy, or that William C. Knudsen, President of General Motors, came here from Denmark at the age of twenty and began work in a shipyard, is to remember that this is still the land of opportunity, just as it always has been.

But there is a much greater lesson to be learned in considering the lives of men who have risen to the heights. It is this:

There are thousands and thousands of businesses in this country, hundreds and hundreds of major industries. In these myriad enterprises are hundreds of thousands of men in key jobs, men who have risen, less spectacularly perhaps, to positions of importance and responsibility.

The fact that they have risen

and will continue to rise, coupled with the fact that new industries will mean additional new opportunities for many more men, points to the fact that new places at the top are always open.

These places must be filled from the rank and file of American workmen. Tomorrow's leaders will come from the mill and the bench and the factory.

And as new industries develop and old ones expand there is more opportunity than ever in the form of key jobs directing business enterprises.

That is the lesson which the careers of "exceptions" really teach us—that their histories are constantly being repeated to a smaller degree day in and day out, week after week.

HIDDEN TAXES TAKE BIG TOLL

Average Citizen Who Thinks He Pays Little or No Taxes is Badly Fooled

There has been considerable talk of taxes lately, but usually the average citizen has been inclined to sit back and say that it doesn't affect him. He pays little or no income tax, and he lets it go at that.

He may have heard "hidden taxes" mentioned. He isn't sure what they are, and he claims they don't bother him.

A recent study by a prominent life insurance company should help this average man to understand the real nature of this problem. For instance, one page of the report takes him through a year of car ownership and shows him how much taxes slice out of his income in that case.

The annual cost of his car, exclusive of repairs, is estimated at \$225.50. Taxes account for a high percentage of this figure, the report shows.

In the first place, \$63.81 comes out of the total in taxes contained in the car's original cost.

Then the tax collector goes to work during the year. He has his finger in the gas and oil; he writes the driver's license; he collects on the depreciation of the car.

He gets \$23.22 on the fuel bought by the average driver. He collects an average of about \$14.50 for the license privilege. His profit out of the annual depreciation is about \$10.42.

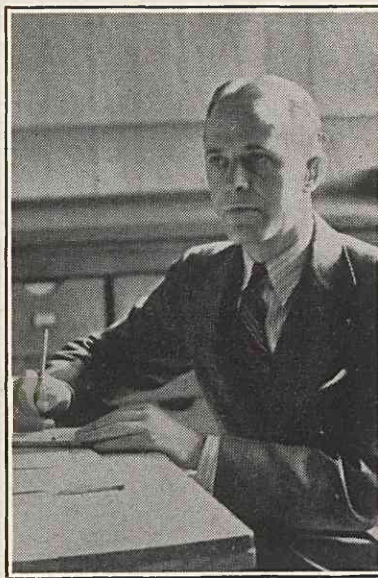
You think you do not feel these taxes. They are hidden. But you pay higher prices for your car, for your gas and oil.

And this same process applies to every necessity and luxury you buy.

That's why the average citizen shouldn't feel too comfortable about the cost of government, claiming that he doesn't pay the taxes.

Stop and ask yourself occasion-

Meet the Foreman



Ezra Shamel, foreman of the shipping department of the Winston Mill. "Ez" has been with the company for a number of years, and he can tell you most anything you want to know about the stock.

ally why the products you are buying cost so much. You'll find that the high costs of state and national government are an important factor in the prices you pay.

Have You Ever Saved A Life?

Years of training and years of experience lie behind the deft strokes of the great surgeon's knife, as he performs a delicate operation. Life and death are in the balance. Loved ones tremble in apprehension. Finally, after anxious hours,—success! The supreme ability of one man in a million has saved another life.

Most of us can never save a life that way. The surgeon's skill is not ours. But, by preventing accidents, everyone of us can just as surely save lives and safeguard our fellow men against crippling injuries.

We can teach our children the enduring principles of safe living. We can correct unsafe practices in the places where we work. We can uphold the authority of our public officials in scientific engineering and impartial law enforcement. We can help in organized efforts to spread the gospel of safety to everybody. And, most of all, we can resolve in our own minds to perform no act dangerous to others or ourselves.

Great skill and long training are not needed for this kind of life saving. What we do need — all of us — is a new realization that "I AM my brother's keeper."



What Health Means

The health of people is the foundation upon which all their individual happiness and also the power of the nation depends. "Without health, life is not life" said Ariphon, the Sicyonian, who lived about 550 B. C., and our own Ben Franklin, in his Poor Richards Almanac, wrote in 1764 that, "a good wife and good health should make any man contented with the world."

We Americans have the bad habit of straining at a gnat and swallowing a camel. Let some such catastrophe as the burning of the steamship Morro Castle happen in which 135 lives were lost, and the nation becomes almost hysterical. The press demands an immediate investigation and the Federal and state authorities start lengthy, expensive proceedings and as a rule nothing more happens. Soon the tragedy is forgotten, except of course by those who lost relatives.

Tuberculosis Can Be Cured

Four such accidents—one a week—with a loss of 135 lives each time, would fall more than one hundred short of the actual deaths in New York City alone from consumption during one average month—yet the great American public remains indifferent to the havoc this disease alone works among the people of the nation. While medical science has reduced the death rate of tuberculosis approximately 66 per cent in the past twenty-five years, still much more is to be done before this disease, which haunts old and young, rich and poor can be done away with. Tuberculosis can be eliminated and the yet greater portion of our city, county and state government seem to be actually indifferent on this vital subject.

Civic Action Can Reduce Disease

And the same statement applies equally well regarding governmental indifference to numerous other dangerous diseases. Of the 200 who died in New York City in 1932 of diphtheria, most of them might have been saved by preventative inoculation. If active, intelligent campaigns were conducted against such maladies, death rates would be materially reduced. If our state and national governments permit quacks and charlatans to practice medicine and allow fake medical preparations to be sold, as a result of which thousands die yearly.

Will you accept your personal share of this national responsibility? Will you save a life?

WINSTON MILL

CLOTH DEPT.

Anyone knowing the definite plans of a certain party please let Mrs. Brown know. She is rather worried for it seems that she has been making some plans of her own.

Since Annie Pearl Dinkins has been working on the power perch, she has run out of anything to say. So she's got her a new boy friend from Iowa to teach her some western phrases. Listen folks she has already starting practicing.

Miss Lucille Shermer spent Sunday, Feb. 27th with her mother at Advance.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Hanks visited relatives near Roaring Gap, Sunday, Feb. 27th.

By the looks of Roy Kane's swollen jaw, the Missus is very handy with the rolling pin, or did you get in the way of flying fists, Roy?

Birthday Greetings to Fleet Mathis, March 6th.

Mrs. Jetta Petree spent last week-end in Elkin the guests of Mrs. Guy Stinson.

Misses Lucile and Frances Shermer had as their supper guests Thursday, Mesdames Tommy and Cecil Snow.

Miss Lorene Dunlap is in a mood for excitement. She is planning to attend the wrestling matches at the Carolina Arena Friday night.

We wonder why Joe Dows looks so gloomy these days. Cheer up, Joe, maybe she is only kidding.

We are glad to have Jim Merrill back with us following a two weeks absence spent at his home in Newport, Tenn. His mother has been seriously ill, but is much improved at this writing.

We are rather proud of our basketball girls. Congratulations, girls.

Julia Florence "Punch" Jones announces that due to conditions beyond her control she will be unable to take that long planned trip to Florida. Maybe conditions will be better next year, "Punch."

Laura Lee Hutchins says she is going to get married and surprise everybody. Is it soon, Laura Lee?

Elsie Gatewood, Lorene Dunlap and Eva Davis attended the Stokes County basketball tournament at King last week.

Mattie Davis is on the shrinking list now. She eats only grapefruit for breakfast.

Josie Long, of late, is never in a hurry. Treva, her working partner, hopes that she will soon be her old self again.

Versa Hamby spent the week-end recently visiting her parents near North Wilkesboro.

Mr. Henry Meinung, Jr., and Tommy Steelman were among those from this department going

to Greenville for the finals in the Southern Textile Tournament Saturday.

Notice to Car Owners

If Oakland automobiles were still being made, we feel sure that Joe Dows' testimony regarding the life span of his father's Oakland would be unprecedented in the annals of automobile advertising.

His statement: "Dad's old Oakland was driven 75,000 miles over a period of seven years, without the motor having been looked at."

NIGHT NAPPING

We are starting this week off right by contributing generously to the annual Community Chest drive. The night force responded 100 per cent for which we thank each and everyone. Who knows in the years to come we may be permitted to see the great good accomplished by the small pieces so generously contributed by us.

It has been reported that Mr. and Mrs. Dawson Cozart and Miss Pauline Gentry saw a real "Mae West" picture last Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Cundiff spent the week-end recently with Mr. and Mrs. Zeb Cash.

On our sick list this week are the following: Mrs. Charlie Butler, Mrs. Jack Shoaf and Mrs. Zeb Cash.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Shoaf have recently returned from a visit to Indiana.

They were the guests of relatives. Mae brought each of the girls on the night shift a tiny wooden sheep carved by her brother-in-law. Thank you so much Mae. We appreciate the thoughtfulness.

Mr. and Mrs. Zeb Cash, Pauline Gentry, Mr. T. B. Transou and your reporter were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Coy Hanks of Benham Sunday. The dinner was delicious. Collie used to be "one of us" and still is, in spirit.

Mr. Thurmond Osborne spent the past week-end at his home near Elkin.

Mr. Martin says he gets tired so often. The trouble with you, Mr. Martin, is that you have had too much rest recently.

We extend our sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Amos Hege due to the death of their small daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Sapp have our congratulations and best wishes for a long and happy married life.

3RD SHIFT

Tom Simmons, who has been absent several days due to illness is back with us.

"Ike" Disher's raven hair, is the kind that starts the blondes to raving.

If our boys have been doing any exciting things lately, which

Cute Youngster



Oma Marie Tilley, 4-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Tilley of the Wool Department.

should make interesting news to the readers of the "Blanketeer" they are keeping it from ye news gatherer.

Anyone who wishes to learn just how to take life calmly while the world at large is in such turmoil, should make a study of "Kirk" Ketner.

"Shorty" Gough is that type of fellow who can get "right into your hair" and then can smooth it back before your blood boils.

It would be a fine thing if Easter could slip up on us right now, while eggs are only twelve cents per dozen.

NAPPING ROOM

Who was it said that everyone was subscribing to the Blanketeer now that we get a funny paper with it? That person must have been fortunate enough to get her picture in the nice book we are giving away.

Granny has had a recent letter from Wyatt, and he sent a big "hello" to everybody.

Mrs. Margaret Sprinkle had Miss Martha Moses for her dinner guest on Sunday, March 6th.

The only remark we could get from Mr. Irl concerning his trip to Greenville was, "I had the time of my life." That sufficiently covers everything we guess.

Mr. and Mrs. John McPhail and Sonny McPhail spent Sunday March 6th in Durham.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Wilburn and family and Mrs. Roxie Bullis of High Point spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Will Pinnix on Sunday, Feb. 27th.

We wish to extend our most heartfelt sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Amos Hege for the loss of their baby daughter, Jacqueline.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Conrad

and little daughter, Shirley spent March 6th in Mount Airy.

Lelia Swaim is one of our Napping Room enthusiasts over her trip to Greenville. See her for all details.

Mr. and Mrs. "Preacher" Murray motored to Mt. Airy recently to see their nephew, L. B. Murray, who is a patient in the hospital there.

A young man's fancy may turn to love in the Spring, but here are a few snatches gleaned from the evident thoughts of the girls. "A new yellow coat with stitched pockets" — "Off face with a veil" — "I'm tired of blue; mine's saddle tan" — "I'm already wearing my blue straw" — "A tailored suit of homespun" — Blue silk with Bolero jacket" — "Flower right on top of it."

A friend asked us to please insert the following in our column. There is Sunday school and a church service every Sunday morning at Chatham Baptist church and if you aren't attending church anywhere else, you are cordially invited to worship with us.

Anyone wishing to buy a little dog, see Dwight Phillips. Molly might give you a lower price on it though.

Dot, you mustn't let your first trip to Greenville "get you," for we'll need you down there for several years to come. Here's wishing you a speedy recovery.

SHIPPING DEPT.

Seems that nearly every one we meet lately is buying or planning to buy something. We heard Ada say she would like to have Lee Ketner's bed springs and mattress. Mr. Leary wanted to know if he had a baby buggy for sale, and "Chick" Thompson is buying a house. We don't know what their ambitions or aspirations are, but your guess is good as ours.

Harvey Wishon has traded cars and announces that he now has a Buick.

Chris Bell and her husband have returned from a trip to Florida. "Chris" says they brought back a load of cabbage.

Says one of the boys in this department: "Is a what-not what sits on a what-not or is a what-not what a what-not sits on?"

Margaret Huffman and Mildred Edwards spent a recent week-end in Florence, S. C.

We continue in detail the story of "Shorty" White and the dime. "Shorty loses dime to Ada while matching for Coca-Colas — won't pay dime — story carried in Blanketeer — Shorty decides to pay — "Mama" White checks up on Shorty — Shorty short 10c — Shorty in dire trouble there with "Mama" White — when Baby White comes to his rescue — rushes to telephone — a small voice comes over the wire — Miss Ada, did my Daddy owe you a dime."

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RESERVES WIN IN INDUSTRIAL LOOP

Season's Record Shows a Total of Fourteen Wins Against Only Three Losses

Last week the Reserves, a team composed of boys who were not included in "Skipper" Plaster's first spring aggregation, won the Industrial League championship at the Y. M. C. A. The record for the season shows a total of fourteen wins against three losses, and in the post-season play-off with the "Y" Juniors they won in two straight games.

The games played by the Reserves saw several of the old Chatham players in action, while there were games where some newcomers were the stars. In one game when the "Y" Juniors were beaten 61 to 30, "Shorty" Long, Bill Lineback and "Freck" Tuttle were back in their old form. Another game found newcomer Joe Dows fighting hard and leading the team from down under to a scant one-point win. Another time Ed Flynt dropped in a long shot in the last few seconds of play for a two-point victory. Charlie Weaver could always be depended upon for a good game—whenever he could be found, and if there were no girls in the balcony.

Other credit for the team's winnings goes to dependable "Wimpy" Kates, "flashy" Hal Briggs, and "tall-boy" Ray Cornelius. Ed Flynt captained the team and was the high scorer for the season—in only four games did he fail to lead in pointers. The Reserves were managed by Tom Redmon, who occasionally put on a uniform and insisted on playing some—he did get in two field goals.

There is supposed to be a trophy presented to the team at the Athletic Banquet at the Y. M. C. A. next week. No doubt T. A. and "Shorty" will be there to receive it.

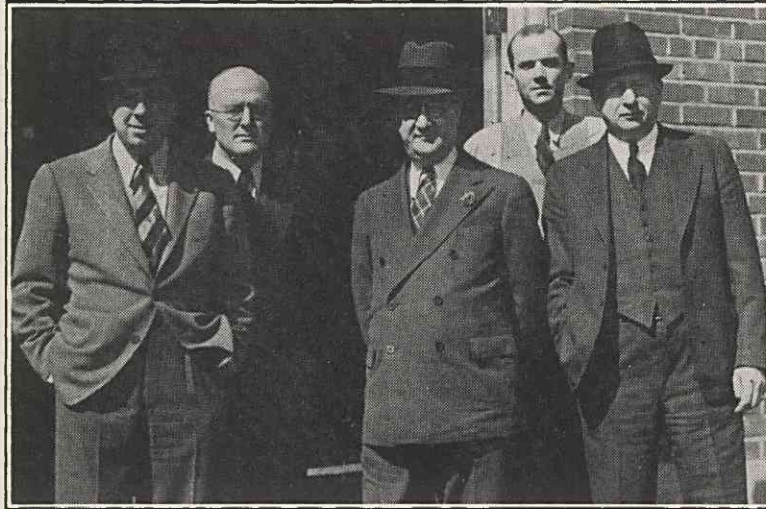
America Leads In Auto Figures

The United States has about one-third of the world's highway mileage within its borders and more than two-thirds of all the world's automobiles, according to Department of Commerce figures. America has about 3,065,000 miles of highway, while the total for the world is about 9,687,000 miles.

Americans own 28,520,500 automobiles as compared to only about 12,000,000 owned by motorists in the rest of the world, the report reveals.

Another source of statistics shows that in America there is one car for every 5 persons; in France, one for every 22 persons; in England, one for every 23; in Italy, one for every 109; and in Poland, one for every 1,284.

Officials Visit Elkin Plant



Among recent visitors at the Elkin and Winston-Salem Plants were two of the Gimbel Brothers officials from the New York City store of that firm. Your photographer snapped this photo of them at the Elkin Plant as they paused for a moment on an inspection tour of the Mill. Left to right: Mr. Thurmond Chatham, our president; Mr. E. M. Hodel, Mr. Barney Marks, of New York; Mr. Henry Dobson (in rear), and Mr. Sam Goldstone, of New York.

ELKIN MILL

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ter of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Ray was operated on March 11th for appendicitis. We all wish for her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. John S. Adams attended the funeral of one of their close relatives in Winston-Salem, last Sunday.

Woodie Holcomb is an uncle now. Just call him "Uncle Woodie," he likes it.

Miss Pauline Morrison and Mrs. Dorothy Penfield Hudson spent the past week-end with Mrs. Hudson's aunt in Burlington.

WEAVING DEPT.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Wall had as their supper guest Friday night Rev. Garn West.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rose had as their Sunday guests Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Rose and the Chambers Quartet of Winston-Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Couch spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Walls.

Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong Gray spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Burrus Gray.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Lane and children and Miss Thelma Dobbins spent the past week-end in Siler City visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hayes attended the singing at Arlington church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Murray had as their week-end guests Mrs. H. H. Wall and daughter, Ethel.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Burcham spent the week-end in Maryland visiting Mrs. Burcham's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Poplin.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Holcomb

and Mrs. Ina Holcomb were the Sunday guests of Miss Eva Holcomb.

Mr. and Mrs. James Burcham and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Young spent Saturday in Winston-Salem.

Lost: A stray mule. If anyone finds it please see Woodson Newman. He borrowed the mule from Dorothy Tucker.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Tucker gave their daughter, Bertha Mae, a surprise birthday party Wednesday night. Games and contests were enjoyed throughout the evening. Refreshments were served to twenty-one guests.

Bob Hall has suddenly gone into the chicken business. We suppose he is trying to raise enough chickens to serve at the next Loom Fixers banquet.

Leonard Shepherd spent the past week-end with his parents at Crumpler, N. C.

SCOURING AND CARBONIZING DEPT.

Mr. Russell Burcham of State College was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. James Burcham.

Pleas Haynes and family spent last Sunday in Dobson visiting friends.

"Pop" Wilkins is now back on the job after a brief illness.

Duprinter spent last Saturday and Sunday in Mount Airy.

Wilbert and Page are quite experts at handling mules.

Loyd Porter was a business visitor to Dobson recently.

Barnette and Hayes have gone into the lime business in Virginia. Jim Hemric is the proud father of a five pound daughter.

We have just received a report

that several are yet to subscribe to the paper. Get your subscription in.

Back on March 8th, 1868, Dave Woodruff was introduced to the world. He has been with Chatham 45 years. It was Uncle Dave who installed the first steam turbine in Elkin. He is known as a master mechanic. He has witnessed all improvements in the machinery around the mill since that time. We wish for him many more happy birthdays. "Uncle Dave" was seventy years young on March 8th.

Fred Wilbert visited in Winston-Salem over the past week-end.

A Little Bit of Heaven

Have you ever heard the story Of how Ireland got its name? I'll tell you, so you'll understand From whence old Ireland came. No wonder that we're proud of That dear land across the sea, For here's the way my dear old mother

Told the tale to me.

"Sure, a little bit of Heaven Fell from out the sky one day, And nestled in the ocean In a spot so far away, And when the angel found it, Sure, it looked so sweet and fair, They said, "Suppose we leave it be, For it looks so peaceful there."

"So they sprinkled it with star dust Just to make the shamrocks grow, (Tis the only place you'll find them, No matter where you go.) Then they dotted it with silver, To make its lakes so grand Sure they called it 'Ireland.'

'Tis a dear old land of fairies, And of wondrous wishing wells; And nowhere else on God's green earth

Have they such lakes and dells: No wonder that the angels loved Its shamrock-bordered shore— 'Tis a little bit of Heaven, And I love it more and more."

—Author Unknown.

BIRTHS

The following announcement was received by the editor the past week:

Place: Lying-in Hospital, New York, N. Y.

Weight: 8 1-2 lbs.

Condition: Perfect.

Tensile strength: Plenty.

Binding: Birdseye.

Name: ?

A little girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Calhoun. Congratulations are in order for the mother and father of such a fine young lady.

America's climate hasn't changed. The States have just got the habit of sending one another guest weather.

WINSTON MILL

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We hear a lot about shop-lifting recently, but who would dare to think a thing like that about our fair young lady here. If your reporter had not been there, she would not have believed it herself, but it's true. Right there in the street before my eyes stood Ada Smitherman, with a brand new ladies slip hanging across her arm, while in the package was the one she had bought. "Buy one—take one." We happened to get the slip back into the store and ourselves safely away, but we yet have chills thinking of what might have been.

1. What has feathers but cannot fly?
2. Which bird can lift the heaviest weights?
3. What is that which is put on a table and cut, but never eaten?
4. What is that which everybody has seen but will never see again?
5. What is that which never uses its teeth for eating purposes?
 1. A pillow.
 2. The crane.
 3. Cards.
 4. Yesterday.
 5. A Comb.

WASH ROOM

Some of the boys are having a tough time keeping their hair down. Everytime the "tough" guy of the department appears they scam. "Goober" you shouldn't be so hard on the boys.

The subscription deadline for the "Blanketeer" is coming soon, so you fellows had better hurry and get in the fold.

Chatham No. 2, basketball team won the championship in the "Y" league. Since we have so many from the Wash Room on the team we almost feel as though it belongs to us. Good work team. I knew you could play.

When referring to the assistant in the Dept. of Records always be sure to say "Mr." J. W. Ambrose. Sorry we have overlooked this matter, but it won't happen again.

It takes a thousand nuts to hold a car together but only one to scatter it all over the land scape.

FINISHING DEPT.

Attention folks: Yours truly is very proud of herself as well as of the help she had in selling a subscription to the Blanketeer to Mr. Ellis Hall. Here's hoping he enjoys reading it and I am sure he will get his moneys worth.

If someone's black cat is missing, I bet it can be found at Betty Gentry's house. Her's died last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Day and family visited relatives in Elkin Sunday.

And talking about dead dogs and cats, Peanut is still mourning

over the death of her pet dog. Cheer up, Peanut, maybe the loss can be refilled. Why don't you try advertising for another?

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Boyles were the Sunday guests of the latter's mother in King.

We are very glad to hear of the improvement of Mrs. Ashe, mother of Mrs. Monk Morris and Mrs. Blanche Miller. Mrs. Morris returned to work this week after spending sometime at the bedside of her mother at her home near Franklin.

It seems to me that there is a lot of courting going on in this department. How about it Mamie?

Nannie Lee came to work Monday wearing a wedding band. Is it true Red, o. are you fooling us?

Dame fortune visited Sue Barnett in the form of gasoline recently. Sue says, every can, pot, vase and tub is filled with gas. You see a gasoline truck turned over near her home.

"Is it true what they say about Augusta?" She doesn't deny it—but we will tell you more about it next time.

Poor little Gladys, "Her don't smile almost none a-tall." 'Cause her husband has gone way to Denver to play basketball. Maybe he will be back soon and Unique will win the honors.

We are very proud of our All-Southern basketball player in this department. Hats off, to Mildred Poole. She has been picked for All-Southern two years in succession.

Come on team, lets win the City Championship. We're betting on you.

Elva says she wishes we would go home. The shorter the hours, the better she likes them.

Miss Virginia Ray is improving from a recent operation in the Elkin Hospital.

WINSTON OFFICE

It has been our pleasure to have the following guests at the mill during the past two weeks and we hope they will come again:

Mr. and Mrs. Henry VonElm and daughter, Dotty, of New York; Messrs. Marks and Goldstone of Gimbel Bros., New York; Mr. C. L. Snidow of Quinn-Marshall Company, Lynchburg, Va.; Mr. J. D. Clark of the Chicago office; Mr. T. J. Sheehy of the New York office; Mr. R. M. Hanes of Winston-Salem; Mr. John C. Whitaker of Winston-Salem; Dr. J. B. Whittington of Winston-Salem.

Messrs. Thurmond Chatham and A. L. Butler and Hugh Butler flew to Greenville, S. C. week before last for the Basketball Tournament, at which tournament the Chatham girls won the championship. Hugh reports a most glorious trip and the flying good until just before they landed back in Winston-Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Harris and

Bride



Mrs. Allen Ester Sapp, of Mount Tabor. Mrs. Sapp was formerly Miss Mildred Louise Thomas, of the Country Club Road, Winston-Salem.

Mrs. Addie Pope motored to Greenville, S. C., to attend the Basketball tournament.

The new sample room which has been built in the basement will soon be completed and ready for use. This room is a most attractive addition to the new office. It is paneled in chestnut, the light effect is good, and just such a room as we have always needed and will, we are sure, use to great advantage.

CHICAGO OFFICE

Thank you for the honor of reporting the happenings from this part of the organization. When we returned from our sales meeting in New York, we found thirty-five cartons of samples here of our new line. Since that time the office has been in quite a turmoil with all of us choosing the samples which we will take on the road beginning Feb. 27th. The mill has done a grand job this year and the samples seem to be very well standardized. It is not much trouble choosing the ones to take on the road.

Mr. Butler or Mr. Chatham will give you the news about Mr. Jack Clark. (?)

Mr. Jim O'Conner's (a new comer to the sales force) little girl is one of the several thousand here in Chicago, who have measles, but she has a mild case and is getting along all right.

During the next three months Hugo Bluege will be covering the best cities in Indiana, Ohio, Michigan, Kentucky, and West Virginia. Jim O'Conner to Wisconsin, Minnesota, Illinois, North and South Dakota; and Bob Walker will be going to Kansas, Missouri,

Iowa, Nebraska, Arkansas, Oklahoma and Texas. This office is responsible for a good portion of the United States. News of the Chicago Office will get to the mill during these few months by way of orders.

(Editor's note: Thanks so much for the news. Now let's hear from the New York office.)

HAVE YOU WRITTEN YOUR ESSAY

Fifteen days remain in the Essay contest. Have you started yours? "My Ideas of Improving Chatham Products." Several are working on theirs. Turn yours in to your editor or reporter.

Help At Hand

A man slipped on a banana peel and executed a very funny fall, not being hurt, as it turned out, but having his dignity somewhat ruffled. When he recovered a moment later a friend was holding his hat and a number of people had formed a circle.

"What do these idlers want?" he snarled.

"They are not idlers," explained his friend, soothingly. "Here's a doctor who wants to look you over, a lawyer ready to bring suit for you, and a producer of comic films who would like to sign you up."

Surprise Party

Harold: "Can't I go, too — and mama?"

Mother: "Papa and I are going to a surprise party."

Harold: "Can't I go, too—and can't we take Bobby and Susie along?"

Mother: "No, you weren't invited."

Harold: "Well, don't you think they'd be lots more surprised if you took us all?"

His Mother's Son

At the annual prize-day of a certain school the head boy rose to give his recitation.

"Friends, Romans, countrymen," he vociferated, "lend me your ears!"

"There," commented the mother of a defeated pupil sneeringly, "that's Mrs. Briggs' boy; he wouldn't be his mother's son if he didn't want to borrow something."

Pilot

Smith: "My wife asked me to take our old cat off somewhere and lose it. So I put it in a basket and tramped out into the country for about eight miles."

Jones: "Did you lose the cat?"

Smith: "Lose it? If I hadn't followed it I'd never have gotten back home."

FOR SALE

New umbrella tent, size 11-1-2 by 14-1-2. Never been set up. Will sell for half cost. \$20.00 takes it. Has porch roof, rear window, screen door. Just the thing for girl campers or boy scouts. Apply: Jack Smith, Winston Mill.

SOCIETY.

L. H. C. Club of Elkin

The L. H. C. Club No. 1, was entertained at a very interesting St. Patrick's Day program, March 10th. Mesdames Ruth Johnson and Reba Newman were in charge of the program.

Reba Newman told the story of St. Patrick's Day. Miss Emma Burcham read a poem, "A Little Bit of Heaven," and Miss Dorothy Hudson, accompanied by Miss Dorothy Colhard sang, "When Irish Eyes Are Smiling." Little Miss Kathleen Burcham was present and gave an interesting reading, "Ain't Life Hard on a Gal."

The meeting closed with the club benediction.

L. H. C. Club No. 2

Members of the L. H. C. Club No. 2, were hostesses to members of the L. H. C. Club No. 2 of Winston-Salem at a luncheon, at the club house, March 17th. The St. Patrick's Day motif was carried out in detail. Following the luncheon games were enjoyed.

L. H. C. Club of Winston

Tuesday evening, March 14th, members of the Lucy Hanes Chatham Club enjoyed an interesting St. Patrick's Day program. Members of the club met in the dining room of Centenary church where they were served the evening meal. The table was attractively decorated in the St. Patrick motif. A program of Irish songs, readings and jokes were enjoyed during the meal. At the business meeting a banquet committee was appointed, consisting of Misses Kathryn Whitener, Versa Whitlock and Mrs. Arnisha Rothrock. The banquet will be held the latter part of April.

It was announced that tickets for the play tournament are on sale. The club will present "A Maid Goes Forth to War," with the following girls taking part, Mamie Dyer, Aldie Biddix, Frances Conrad, and Erline Mayberry. Prompter, Mrs. Ed Early, Costumes, Miss Asalee Ferguson; and stage manager, Miss Claudia Austin.

L. H. C. Club No. 2

Members of the L. H. C. Club No. 2, enjoyed a trip to Elkin March 17th, at which time they were the luncheon guests of the L. H. C. Club No. 2, of the Elkin mill. Following a trip through the plant, the group went to the club house where a lunch was served. Following the meal games and contests were enjoyed.

Sapp-Thomas

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Mildred Louise Thomas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Thomas, Country Club

Club Officers



Pictured above are the officers of the Lucy Hanes Chatham Club, of Winston-Salem. Reading from left to right they are: Mrs. Addie Pope, president; Aldie Biddix, vice-president and chairman of the program committee; Frances Conrad, secretary; Kathryn Whitener, assistant secretary; Erline Mayberry, treasurer; Ann Lineback, assistant treasurer; Mae Whitener, chairman of social service committee.

Road, Winston-Salem, to Mr. Allen Sapp, February 25th.

The ceremony was performed at the Methodist Parsonage of the Mount Tabor Methodist church with the Rev. C. W. Kirby officiating and using the ring ceremony. The nuptials was witnessed by relatives and a few close friends.

Mr. Sapp is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Sapp of Winston-Salem and is employed in the Napping Dept. of the Winston plant.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Ester Sapp are at home to their friends near Mt. Tabor.

ANSWERS

- 1—March 17th.
- 2—Russia.
- 3—Carbon Monoxide.
- 4—Pittsburgh.
- 5—Yes, this is true.
- 6—On demand.
- 7—Luke-warm.
- 8—1931.
- 9—Four years old.
- 10—Place where all types of blood are kept for transfusions.
- 11—French Broad.
- 12—Once a year.
- 13—Drayton.
- 14—In speaking of a type of sheep.
- 15—Philadelphia.
- 16—Scotch blackface.
- 17—Grayson.
- 18—In measuring the depth of water where a ship stands.

Off To Greenville

By—A. B.

March 4th, at seven-thirty p. m. found the depot crowded with joyful, expectant faces. Everyone was trying to talk at once—and luggage: you should have seen it. Quite a bit of this luggage was made up of "zipper bags"—So you know by now what I am going to tell you. Yes, its the Chatham girls on their way to the Southern Textile Tournament in Greenville, S. C.

Oh, what's that? "Sure we're ready, Conductor." Come along friends our train is waiting. A pleasant treat was in store for us when we reached the train. Among our friends to see us off were Mr. and Mrs. Thurmond Chatham and son Dick, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Harris and Clifton Leary.

"All aboard," shouts the conductor. In we all filed, or shall I say piled? Wait a minute—make yourself beautiful. I think I see a Journal & Sentinel photographer. Where's Mr. Chatham and Mr. Harris? You will find the results elsewhere in this paper.

At last all goodbyes were said and the train was moving slowly on its way—Wait we've left something—Come on Cleo, after all it is only for a few days.

A very pleasant and enjoyable trip was made going down. Cards

and Skipper Plaster's favorite game were played. (Ask him who won.)

Let us skip the routine of our days at the hotel as they were mostly spent resting. The first game on Thursday was easily won. Final score, Whitmire (S. C.) 17; Chatham 53.

Now for the semi-finals—Our opponents were the Judson girls of Greenville. This game wasn't as easy as the first but it was in our favor. Star player of the game was Anne Lineback. Score 27-19. We're in the finals.

Saturday has arrived: Very strict training today—which was very hard to keep. Some of the folks from home had arrived. Let's name them so they will know how much we appreciated their loyalty: Messrs. Chatham, Butler, Hugh Butler, Lewis McGinnis, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Bell, Bobby Harris, Henry Meinung, Erl Shamel, Ezra Shamel, Tom Steelman, Mesdames Addie Pope, Lillian Myers, Mike Atkinson, Miss Lelia Swaim, and two former basketball players on the boys' team, Floyd Patton of Asheville and Ed Maxwell of Gastonia.

Before a crowd of more than 8,000 people our team battled against Drayton, of Spartanburg, S. C. for the championship. Jennie Sherrill, a guard, scored our first five points. At no time during the game did the Drayton team tie the score. Brilliant exhibitions of basketball was given by all the players. Drayton 13, Chatham 23. Special attention and congratulations are due the three players who were put on the All-Southern team. They are Misses Mildred Poole, Dot Samuel and Mrs. Cleo Dunn Petree.

With these honors and a beautiful trophy our party paraded down the middle of the street to the hotel and up to Mr. Chatham's room where delicious sandwiches and drinks were enjoyed.

And last but not least three cheers for the one who can handle the Skipper and keep him smiling—none other than Mrs. Russell Plaster. Joking aside thanks are due to Skipper Plaster and Claudia (Sister) Austin for their part in making the trip a real pleasure. Each and every basketball player wishes to thank those who were responsible for making this trip possible — Mr. Thurmond Chatham, Mr. Albert Butler and Mr. Raymond Harris.

MAKING GASOLINE

In the course of crude oil's transformation into gasoline and its retail sale, more than 500 manufacturers of as many different kinds of products contribute something in the way of equipment, supplies and facilities necessary to the eventual marketing of the gasoline.

Did you get your Picture Book? Only a few remain.