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ELKIN CREEK at this point is a part of Elkin Schools and City Athletic grounds. At left are the baseball and football fields and the school gymnasium, while on an adjoining hill is the rambling high school building. Also on this side are the barns and grounds for horse and cattle shows. On the right bank are the tennis courts, playground apparatus and a pavilion, with the elementary school buildings on a hill at a distance to the right. A sharp curve in the creek makes the connecting bridge in the background appear to be entirely on land. (Staff Photo)

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Selected Quotes

By A. Clipper

The best way to break a bad habit is to drop it.

Advice to loose talkers — build a better mouth-trap.

Manners are noises you don't make when eating soup.

The best way to make a dream come true is to wake up.

Some women get rid of money like it was going out of style.

Statistics show that the general run of pedestrians is a little too slow.

A political war is one in which everyone shoots from the lip.

A young man may have more money than brains — but not for long.

The only one who should put faith in a rabbit's foot is a rabbit. No one needs a smile so much as the fellow who has none left to give.

Ideas are very much like children; your own are very wonderful.

A conservative is a man with two perfectly good legs who has never learned to walk.

Some people think they are deaf because they no longer hear themselves talked about.

So live that you wouldn't be ashamed to sell the family parrot to the town gossip.

If you believe that a woman has no mind of her own, you've never served on a mixed jury.

The older we grow the more we distrust the familiar doctrine that "age brings wisdom."

You may not be too wise, but if you keep your mouth shut you can fool a lot of people.

Senator Claghorn says "no politician is worrying about the meat so long as he's gettin' the gravy."

There is hardly anything in the world that some man cannot make a little worse and sell a little cheaper.

An old-timer is a fellow who never expected to see the day when a girl would get sun-burned where she does.

It's too bad that the only men who can solve the world's problems are too busy sitting on the front porch whittling.

Familiar Faces

By Ex-Gum

We could feel it in the air, then had our suspicions confirmed that Autumn was just around the corner when we saw "Pete" Petree from Roundabout Farm ambling into the Personnel Building with broken leaves on the seat of his pants and bits of Timothy hay sticking out from under his hat. Then in the First Aid Clinic we found Arthur Wall on one hand and Jones Wagoner on the other, and both locked too well fed, or like they should go on a diet. Across the hall Clarence Hyslup was all red in the face from being kidded, consoled and flabbergasted at being the last one to learn about a very important event that had been recently announced. He was also much concerned about a fake telephone call he received while a hotel guest in Greenville, South Carolina, over the week-end; said call proving to be true as gospel.

As we rambled on out the driveway we met A. L. Brown, Jr., whizzing along like he might be going to a fire or a fight. Up on the breezeway between the buildings Carl Hendrix seemed to be breathing great gobs of the almost fresh, bracing autumn air. In the Burling department office we found foreman Jack Freeman just preparing to go out on a little private business when a telephone call nailed him to the mast, and Ruth Norman just laughed and laughed. We watched for a bit as Cleo Woodle and Vesta Sparks nimbly nipped the burls from some very pretty dress and coat material, while Kelley Ray stirred around among the burling tables like a tourist in a 5 and 10 cent store. We stopped for a short chat with our old friend and pal "Pat" Osborne, and made a date for a little game of high jinx some time in the future. Calvin Osborne seemed to be operating one side of a shearing machine while Roy McGrady took care of the other side, and between them they were making the fur fly.

As we entered the southern exposure of the Binding department we had to notice Bessie Holcomb on one side of a table, Pauline Roberts on another and Pauline Wagoner at another, and all were breaking their necks to see who could fold and complete the most boxes per minute, or more. Louise Cleary and Lora Pendry were using their refreshment period to sit contentedly on a table drinking pop, munching sandwiches and swinging their feet, while Hallie Disher just strolled around, probably looking for some place to swing her feet also. Lee Campbell was hurrying to and fro with his hands and arms full of pretty yaller ribbon and thread and trying to dispose of his wares to some of the binding ladies. Joe Day sharpened our pocket knife while Walter Colvard told us of a real naughty telephone joke one of our lady friends played on him some time ago, joke and lady's name not for publication. Then we watched "Weenie" Powers watching Mollie Phillips stitch some velvet binding on a beautiful white "Elegance" blanket, and noticed Weenie's chin twitching with every twitch of the needles.

Down in the Cloth department we stopped for a brief conversation with Evelyn Howard and Dessere Holbrook at their cloth inspection perches, and admired the delicate touch they were giving the beautiful cloth. Carlyle Hall was checking and rechecking the stacks and stacks of cloth, and keeping the inspectors well supplied. As we strolled along we noticed Arvil Woodruff and Junior Hanes deep in a discussion, probably about the difference in temperature on the Blue Ridge and the Brushy Mountains. In the Cloth department office we were invited to make some more photos; one at least that would include a newly-wed by the name of Georgia Jolly Transou and a young lady who had spent her vacation and considerable money in Florida, named Vermelle Mitchell, and we promised to do so.

After a while we drifted over to the Carding department office and talked for a bit with Tyre Cockerham, then into the office to chat a bit with record keeper, Roby Wilcox. We found Robert Bates about as busy as two bees maneuvering an elevator in a manner to suit all demands, and around a way a bit Jack Burcham was giving the lowdown on some deep subject to Roscoe Morrison. As we descended to the Spinning department we followed John Kever with a load of roving over to where we could watch Blair Morrison, the petite redhead, prancing around her spinning frames. Girt Wilmoth was unloading a load of trucks and men from his express elevator, and down the line a bit Doyle Key was busy as could be reaching up for something or other, and he's tall enough to reach it.

'POSSUM TROT
HOLLOW

By Mr. Whopper

Well sir, this here is I again with the fresh and hot news of Possum Trot Hollow. Yes sir, some of it shore is hot, too.

Old man Sigh Frump shore had a streak of bad luck last week. You know he wuz a-hauling up his hay with that thar old balking mule of hizen, and too, my Martha Pearl wuz a-helpin' Sigh stack the hay thar in the barnyard. She is such a good hand to stack hay and fodder and stuff that people sends fur her fur and wide to do their stackin' fur 'um. Well sir, as I wuz a-saying they had a big load of hay on the wagon, and sir, that thar old mule balked and wouldn't pull a pound when they started up the hill that leads to the barn. Well sir, in fact, he laid down betwixt the shafts and wouldn't budge an inch. Well sir, the more Sigh beat and thrashed the old mule, the flatter he laid on the ground. Well sir, they finally decided to put a shock of hay under the mule and set fire to it to see if'n that wouldn't move him. Well sir, soon as they got it to burning the old mule got right up and pulled the wagon up a-straddle of the fire and laid down again. And sir, all that wuz saved of the wagon was the shafts. They wouldn't have been saved if'n the old mule hadn't got hot and pulled them from under the wagon. The fire singed Martha Pearl's mustache a little, but sir, I reckon it'll grow back out again.

Since feed is so scarce here in Possum Trot, Sigh bought a sawdust pile from my cousin Jake and put a pair of green sunglasses on the mule, and sir, they say the old fool is thriving on it and don't know but what it's green grass he is eating.

Good-by, and remember that what this country needs is more wagon tongues and less tongues a-waggin'.



MULE SPINNING AND WINDING

Reporter: Ann Holbrook

This is one of the many times that we don't have any news. Anything much, that is, except bad news.

Take for instance our sick list: there are Ruby Combs, Tinker Transou and Anne Nance, not to mention Boyce Hinson. But we're not sure but that Boyce Hinson has only a bad case of "sleeping" sickness.

We hear that Ruby Combs rode that mule too hard the other night. Old "Pop" said Gent should know better than to put someone on that job who isn't experienced. They always try to ride bareback!!! Maybe that's where she got her-eh-itch?? Just kidding about all this, but not kidding when we say we hope they will all be better soon and back to work.

Mr. and Mrs. Gent Walsh and children visited relatives in North Wikesboro last Sunday.

Mrs. Raymond Layell returned home last week after a visit with her son who lives in Key West, Florida.

A/A Jimmy Lee Sloop returned to Jacksonville, Florida, Sunday after spending the week-end with his mother, Ruby Sloop.

I found Worth Money taking the temperature of one of John Cheek's mules. John said he had been trying to get him to give it a "shot" because he thought it was sick.



PACKING

Reporter: Edith Henderson

Ruth and Jule Reece spent last week end with Ruth's sister, Mrs. Mary Shaw, at her home in Mount Airy.

Cleo and Herman Luffman and Noah and Betty Myers attended the automobile races at Bowman Gray stadium in Winston-Salem Saturday night.

Cecil, Jesse and Jeanette Mitchell spent last week end with Cecil's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Adams.

Lois Brooks and Lou Dorsey of Washington, D. C., spent last week end with Eva and Bill Walters. They all attended the Renegar reunion at the home of the Rev. and Mrs. George Walters.

Sarah and Bob Sizemore visited relatives and friends near Statesville and enjoyed a picnic dinner last Sunday.

Lucian Medley and family attended the Royal-Miles-Brooks family reunion at Old Woodruff Church near Camp Albert Butler last Sunday.

Marvin and Zola Sapp gave a party at their home Saturday, August 28, in honor of their son Jim on his 21st birthday anniversary. Fourteen guests enjoyed their hospitality.

Dan and Mamie Reece and children visited relatives in Winston-Salem and Hanes last Sunday.

Gladys, Claude, Bud and Deanna Stuart spent an enjoyable week end at Myrtle Beach recently. They

OUR PEOPLE



were accompanied by Kent Cranfill and Andrew Mackie of Yadkinville.

Howard and Ruby Reynolds and

children spent last week end with Ruby's sister, Mrs. Cecil Faircloth, and Mr. Faircloth at their home in High Point.



THIS ANCIENT BUILDING, in the center of Traphill, dates back almost to Colonial days. No one seems to know when it was erected, but for many years it was operated as a kind of community store by Mr. Abe Bryant, and as were most general stores in the early days was the center of exchange for merchandise, produce and news for miles around. (Staff Photo)

SAFETY HONOR ROLL . . . 1954

Department	Date of last Accident	Man-Hours Thru August 19, 1954
NAPPING	November 24, 1943	2,681,669
SHIPPING	August 17, 1951	2,414,778
CLOTH	January 15, 1941	1,777,790
WEAVE	May 13, 1953	1,059,531
PACKING	October 25, 1944	1,013,465
BINDING	February 4, 1952	888,884
DYE HOUSE	July 15, 1949	753,697
WARP	September 12, 1950	686,180
WOOL	June 15, 1950	607,978
BURLING	January 11, 1952	593,444
WASTE	December 4, 1947	580,990
WINDING	December 29, 1950	362,076
COMMISSARY	January 11, 1946	325,543
OUTSIDE	February 18, 1947	284,723
SHIPPING	October 22, 1952	282,816
POWER PLANT	September 9, 1947	260,382
WORSTED		257,886
ELECTRIC	March 22, 1944	250,617
PIECE DYE	May 22, 1952	211,612
PRINTING	January 15, 1951	168,352
WET FINISH	October 21, 1953	164,843
RECEIVING	September 2, 1941	159,399
WOOL ROOM NO. 2	April 17, 1952	106,998
SCOURING	May 6, 1952	99,821
PICKER	February 11, 1953	68,001



MRS. JON GROVER SAYLOR

(BELL-COCKERHAM PHOTO)

Saylor-Russell Vows Spoken At First Baptist Church

Frances Ann Russell became the bride of Jon Grover Saylor, Saturday evening, September 4, at 7 o'clock at the First Baptist Church in Elkin. The Rev. Howard J. Ford, pastor of the bride, performed the double ring ceremony.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond T. Russell, the former an employee of the Blending department. The bridegroom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Clint M. Saylor of Mountain Park.

The nuptial setting was arranged with a background of Oregon fern interspersed with floor baskets of white gladioli and cathedral tapers in branched candelabra.

Mamie Blackwood, cousin of the bride, organist, and Janet Walker, vocalist, presented a prelude of wedding music.

The bride was escorted and given in marriage by her father. She wore a wedding gown of white marquisette designed with off-shoulder yoke of Chantilly lace and snug fitting waist fastened down the back with tiny covered

buttons. The bouffant skirt, outlined in scalloped Chantilly lace, fell into an aisle-wide train. She wore a finger-tip veil of illusion caught to a tiara of imported lace ornamented with pearlized orange blossoms and pleated illusion. She carried a Bible with a white orchid showered with baby's breath and satin ribbons.

Lucy Anne Ball of Elkin was maid of honor. She wore a shrug bolero dress of shrimp nylon tulle fashioned with a strapless bodice and ballerina skirt. Her head-dress was a bandeau of matching pleated tulle and she carried an arm bouquet of white asters and pompoms.

Sara Jane Sheppard of Petersburg, Virginia, and Ann Carter of Elkin were bridesmaids. Their gowns and headdresses were identical to the honor attendant's and each carried an arm bouquet of white asters and pompoms.

The bridegroom's father was best man. Ushers were Bennie Shumate, cousin of the bride, John

Tolleson-McKnight Troth Announced

Mr. and Mrs. John A. McKnight of Sumter, South Carolina, announce the engagement of their sister, Lois Catherine McKnight, to Louis Cree Tolleson of Greenville, South Carolina. The wedding will be solemnized in the fall.

Miss McKnight is a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. C. P. McKnight of Blythewood, South Carolina. She is employed in the Personnel department as Woman's Counselor.

Mr. Tolleson is a son of Mrs. John R. Tolleson of Elkin and the late Mr. Tolleson. He is Plant Engineer at Union Bleachery in Greenville.

Employee's Son To Wed Greensboro Girl

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin E. Kornegay of Greensboro announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary Jane, to R. Brady Osborne, son of R. C. Osborne, Spinning department, and Mrs. Osborne. The wedding will take place in November.

Miss Kornegay is a graduate of Senior high school, Greensboro, and attended Brevard college. She is a member of the Greensboro Oratorio Society and is soloist in the choir of Muir's Chapel Methodist Church. She is employed by the Greensboro Merchants Association.

Mr. Osborne is a graduate of Elkin high school and attended Davidson College. He was a member of the Monogram club and of Pi Kappa Alpha. He is now manager of the Kirby Company in Greensboro.

Hunter of Clemmons, uncle of the bridegroom, Norman Foster of Winston-Salem and Robert Carter of Winston-Salem, cousin of the bridegroom.

Immediately after the ceremony the couple left for a wedding trip through Western North Carolina. For travel the bride changed to a navy fall suit with cerise and navy accessories. Her corsage was her wedding orchid. Upon their return they will live at 1532 South Hawthorne Road, Winston-Salem.

Mrs. Saylor is a graduate of Elkin high school and is now attending Draughon Business college in Winston-Salem. Mr. Saylor is a graduate of Mountain Park high school and is now employed at Western Electric in Winston-Salem.

CARD OF THANKS

Garland Mathis and family acknowledge with sincere appreciation the many kindnesses extended to them during the illness and at the death of their wife and mother.

Wilmoth-Alexander Vows Exchanged

Cora Alexander, daughter of Jesse F. Alexander, Weave, and Mrs. Alexander, was married to S/Sgt. Richard D. Wilmoth, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wilmoth of Elkin, Saturday, August 21, in Lancaster, South Carolina.

The bride wore a blue street-length dress with white accessories.

Mrs. Wilmoth is employed at Royall Drug Store, Elkin. Mr. Wilmoth is a graduate of Elkin High School and is now serving in the U. S. Air Force at Shaw Field, Sumter, South Carolina.

Binding Club Has Picnic August 24

Members of the Binding Club and their families went to Camp Albert Butler Tuesday, August 24, for a picnic. The invocation was given by Sam Austin and Ethel Myers conducted the devotionals.

After the business session, games, songs, and square dancing were featured. Birthday gifts were presented by Alma Porter, birthday chairman, to Jane Wooten, Marjorie Cockerham and Emma Sue Holcomb.

Hostesses were Sue Barnette, Ina Bryant and Lois McKnight.

Camp Butler Is Site For Burling Outing

Burling club members and their families met at Camp Albert Butler Monday evening, August 23, for the annual summer outing of the group.

Supper was served buffet style in the camp dining hall. The evening's festivities concluded with games and fellowship singing in the recreation building.

There are better ways of getting up in the world than hitting the ceiling.



BURLING

A SHIFT

Reporter: Ruby Pardue

Mrs. Leonard Lineberry and children of Newport News, Virginia, are visiting Mrs. Lineberry's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Fisher.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Ray and children of Norfolk, Va., were recent guests of Cleo and Garfield Woodle.

Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Billings and children of Bridgeville, Delaware, were week-end guests of Pansy Pruitt and children.

A3/C Kenneth Dockery of March Air Force Base, California, is spending a furlough with his wife and his mother, Mrs. Carl York. He will report to Camp Kilmer, N. J., September 24 for an overseas assignment in England.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Studzenskia of Chicago, Illinois, are visiting Mrs. Studzenskia's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Evan Sparks.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Fisher, Mrs. Leonard Lineberry and children, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Fisher and children, Mrs. Bud Howard and daughter visited relatives in Charlotte Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Teague and children of Gaffney, South Carolina, Mrs. R. Lee Teague and Mr. and Mrs. Whitaker and son were guests during the week-end of Ruth and Lois Teague.

Mr. and Mrs. Evan Sparks and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Steve Studzenskia spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Page Sparks in Sumter, South Carolina.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Hayes and son attended the Pruitt reunion Sunday in Bassett, Virginia.

A group of Burling department employees and their families enjoyed a picnic supper at Camp Butler Monday night.

If you see any pheasants roaming around over in Yadkin County, we hear that they belong to Mick Brown.

Ina Holcomb and Daisy Vestal paid us a visit recently. We are always glad to have the retired folks come back to see us.

B SHIFT

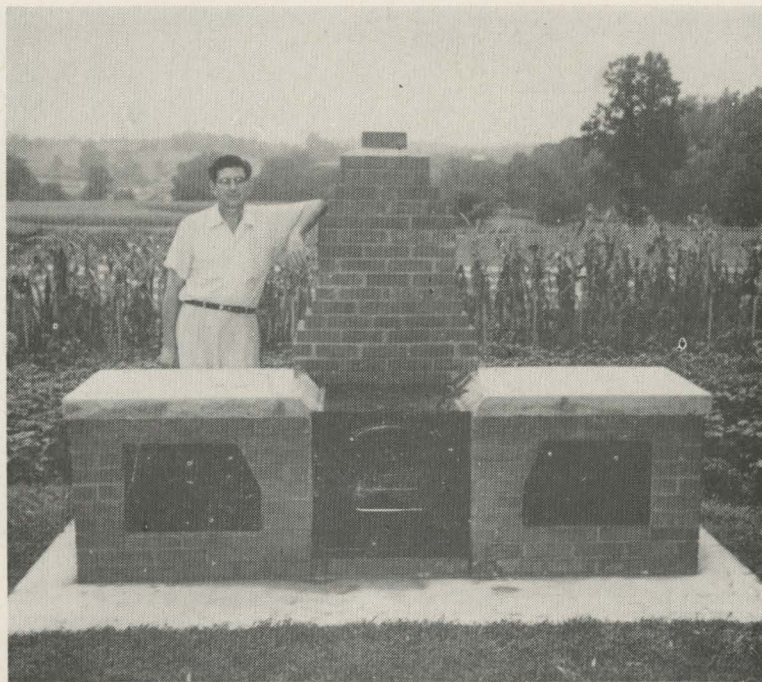
Reporter: Mae Dockery

Verlie Richardson had as her week-end guest her son Lester of Baltimore, Maryland.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Church of Traphill and Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Mitchell of Virginia were Sunday guests of Ina McBride.

Pauline Bell and Betty Pennell are happy to be working together again so they can "grunt" to each other.

Emma Groce had as her Sunday guests Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Hughes,



CLYDE DAY, Weaving department, is standing alongside the handsome outdoor furnace he built in his own backyard at his home on Highway 67 just east of Jonesville. Plenty of shade trees, seats and a well-constructed swing make this an ideal place to entertain hungry friends and neighbors. (Staff Photo)



FRANK COLLINS, retired, and Mrs. Collins, are seen taking it easy on the lawn of their attractive home on Mineral Springs Drive in West Jonesville. (Staff Photo)

Jr., of High Point, Mr. and Mrs. James Teague of South Carolina and Benny Groce of Winston-Salem.

Ettie Stanley had as her Sunday guests Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Stanley, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hall and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Watson of Lenoir.

Pauline, Harold and Stevie Bell spent Sunday in Burlington visiting Mr. and Mrs. Avis Layell. Pauline's mother, Mrs. Bessie Blackburn, returned home with them.

Marshall Weatherman had as her guests for lunch Monday Mr. and Mrs. Billy Atkinson.

Mae Dockery had as her guests last week her sister, Mrs. James Fargason, Mr. Fargason and children of Houston, Texas, Frank Young of the U. S. Navy, Quanti-

Six Mistakes Of Man

The Roman philosopher and statesman, Cicero, said it 2,000 years ago, and it's still true today. The "six mistakes of man" are:

1. The delusion that individual advancement is made by crushing others;
2. The tendency to worry about things that cannot be changed or corrected;
3. Insisting that a thing is impossible because we cannot accomplish it;
4. Refusing to set aside trivial preferences;
5. Neglecting development and refinement of the mind, and not acquiring the habit of reading and study;
6. Attempting to compel others to believe and live as we do.

co, Virginia, was also a guest in her home.

Irene Holbrook Is Wed To W. J. Collins

Irene Holbrook, daughter of Luther E. Holbrook, Napping department, and Mrs. Holbrook, was married to William Junior Collins, son of Mrs. Nannie Collins Wood and the late Efid Collins, at 2 o'clock Saturday, August 21, at Maple Springs Baptist Church. The Rev. Martin Luffman officiated.

Mrs. L. H. Petree of Ronda, pianist, presented a program of wedding music.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a waltz length gown of Chantilly lace over satin fashioned with fitted waist with Peter Pan collar and long sleeves tapering into points, and full skirt of scalloped lace over net. Her finger-tip veil of illusion was caught to a crown of lace edged with seed pearls. She carried a white orchid tied with satin ribbon and showered with orange blossoms.

Geraldine Collins, sister of the bridegroom, was maid of honor. She wore a ballerina dress of pastel blue organdy made with snug waist with sweetheart neckline and bouffant skirt. She wore a matching headdress of pleated net caught at either side with bows. She carried a nosegay of pink asters.

Bridesmaids were Mary Ann Greene of Ronda, Mary Lyon of Joanna, S. C., and Zeola Shore of Cycle. Their attire was identical to that of the honor attendant.

Janice Holbrook of Ronda, cousin of the bride, was flower girl. She wore a yellow organdy dress and carried a miniature basket filled with rose petals.

Sherman Collins, brother of the bridegroom, was best man. Ushers were Albert Howell, Ray Ireland of Clingman and Ray Settle of Elkin.

After the ceremony the couple left for a wedding trip through Western North Carolina. For travel the bride wore a navy blue silk shantung with lace trim. Her accessories were white and her corsage was her wedding orchid.

Mrs. Collins is a graduate of Ronda high school. Mr. Collins attended West Yadkin schools and is employed at the Worsted Plant. They will make their home at Ronda.

Do not stop with doing the necessary kindnesses; the unnecessary ones are of far greater importance.

Persons hardest to convince they're of retirement age are children at bedtime.

The real tragedy in life is not in being limited to one talent, but in the failure to use the one talent.

FOUND — diamond engagement ring. See Bob Darnell, Weave Room.



BINDING

Reporter: Odessa Vestal

Everyone reported having had a grand time family night at Camp Albert Butler. Verna Gentry was admiring the view over Stone Mountain when she suddenly developed a romantic mood and decided that sometime she would like to watch the moon come over the mountain. Soon she saw the sun setting in the west and thought it was the moon in the east. She was informed by her companion, Lois McKnight, how badly she was turned around. On second thought, we don't know who was turned around because from all evidence Lois has let the stars get in her eyes and the world has a twinkle every way she looks.

Minnie Martin is happy to report that her son-in-law has returned home from Georgetown University hospital, Washington, D. C., where he underwent a heart operation. His doctors say his condition is perfect.

Etta and Lewis Latham and James Brown spent the week-end at Myrtle Beach, S. C., with Etta's sister, Mrs. Peggy Shirley.

Mac and Rose Lee White were Saturday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Tharpe.

Dewey and Mellon Wall and daughter Catherine and Louise Bunton and children attended the wedding of Louise's niece, Shirley Ann Conrad, and William Eugene Pierce Saturday night at Calvary Moravian Church in Winston-Salem.

Evela and Melvin Shore and daughter Lorene attended a birthday dinner Sunday in honor of Mr. Gray Norman on his eighty-first birthday anniversary.

Clara Finley and Mason Miller attended the play "Horn in the West" Saturday night in Boone.

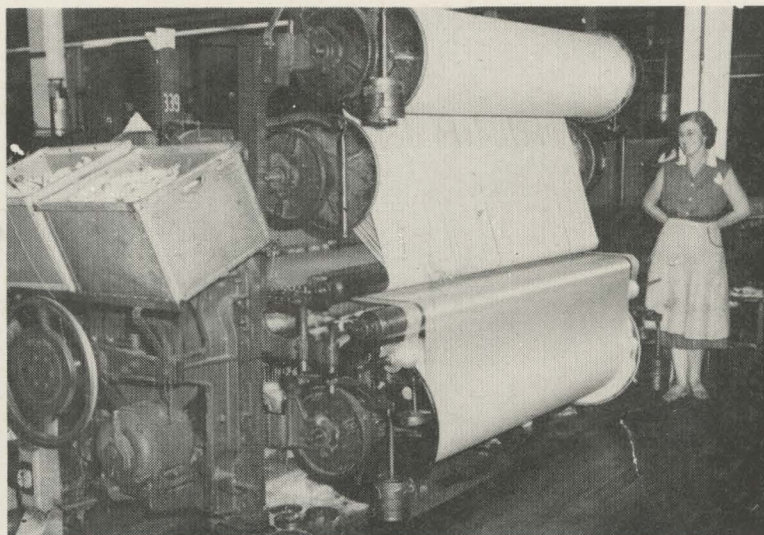
Lucy and Carl Armstrong and children and Carl's sister, Daisy Tidline, spent the week-end at Atlantic Beach, South Carolina.

Mac Simpson spent the week-end at Myrtle Beach, South Carolina.

Each year about two million young Americans become available for employment, while roughly one and a half million workers die or retire because of age or disability.

Working is more than a way of earning a livelihood; it is a way of keeping one's self-respect.

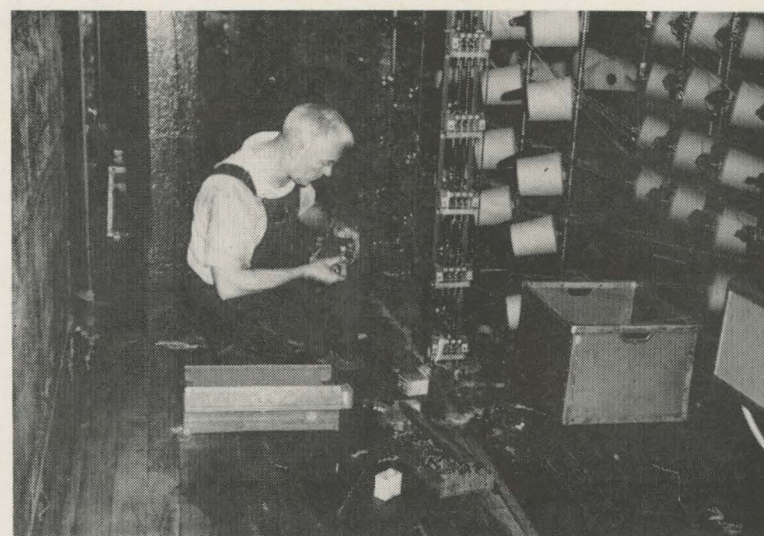
True statesmanship consists in changing a nation from what it is to what it ought to be.



A THREE-DECKER WARP prepared for weaving a complicated pattern in automobile upholstery almost completely hides the loom, but not the operator, Mozelle Francis, who is seen supporting the post at right. (Staff Photo)



CECIL HANES, left, and MARTHA HEMRIC, long-time members of the Burling department force, are seen "burling" a length of upholstery cloth. Martha has a record of approximately 22 years' service. (Staff Photo)



CHARLIE HAYNES, watchful wizard of the Warping department, is seen puzzling over a complicated gadget from the warping machine in front of him. His kneeling position is caused by his concentration on the job. (Staff Photo)

● **WORSTED DIVISION**

A SHIFT

Reporter: Louisine Simmons

Rose and Otis Key spent the week-end of August 21 at Carolina Beach. They were celebrating their wedding anniversary, but Rose didn't say which one.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hunter and children spent two days last week with Mrs. Hunter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nux Harris. They were on their way to California where they will make their home for some time.

Lucille Freeman attended the Fifth Sunday singing at the County courthouse in Dobson.

Charlie Wheeler is back on the day shift again. We are glad to have you back, Charlie. We missed a lot.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gambill and children visited Mrs. Gambill's brother, Roby Cockerham Sunday in Roanoke. Roby is a patient at the veterans hospital there.

Mary Sparks went to an auction sale in Wilkesboro Saturday. We hear that she tried to carry off all their antiques.

We are still wondering who the lucky couple is that found time to wander off to Traphill to enjoy a wiener roast and play on the rocks and feed the little fishes. Sounds like a wonderful spot. Tell us where it is and maybe we will join you some time.

Mattie Blackburn is kinda blue these days. Her son is getting married. Cheer up, Mattie. After all, you are gaining a daughter instead of losing a son.

The Rev. David Cockerham and family visited the orphanage in Thomasville Sunday. David also took his first plane ride Sunday. He says flying is all right, but his stomach just wouldn't stay in place.

B SHIFT

Reporter: Alta McCann

Wonder who the fellow is who stole a certain fellow's girl? Better luck next time, Max.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Holleman and son James motored to Greensboro Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Southard visited in Radford during the week-end.

Doris Rogers had as her visitor the last two weeks her husband, Pvt. Grady Rogers of Fort Jackson, South Carolina. Doris accompanied Grady back to camp and spent the week-end with him.

Vanice Yarboro spent Sunday night with her sister Magdalene in Jonesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Osborne and son Tommy spent their vacation traveling through the mountains of Tennessee, Kentucky and West Virginia.

Ann and Bill Calloway and Aline and Bill Sparks attended the races in Winston-Salem Saturday night.



BURLING NO. 2

Reporter: Mildred Luffman

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Combs and children spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Gregory at their home in Greensboro.

Zeb and Ralph Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. Lytle Alexander and Mrs. John Trivette spent the week-end at Carolina Beach.

Norma Reece and Hazel Kelly spent the week-end in Greensboro.

Robert Crater has a new secretary now to do his book work.

Wilma Mounce and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mounce and son spent several days at Cherry Grove Beach, South Carolina.

Lizzie Wright had as her guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Jim Byrd and children of Greensboro and Mr. and Mrs. Sid Hutchens and son, Tommy of Yadkinville.

Mildred Luffman attended the Conrad-Pierce wedding at the Calvary Moravian Church Saturday night in Winston-Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Blackburn and Mr. and Mrs. Bud Welborn attended camp meeting in Greensboro Saturday night.

We are glad to have "Mud" Sebastian back to work after a week's illness.

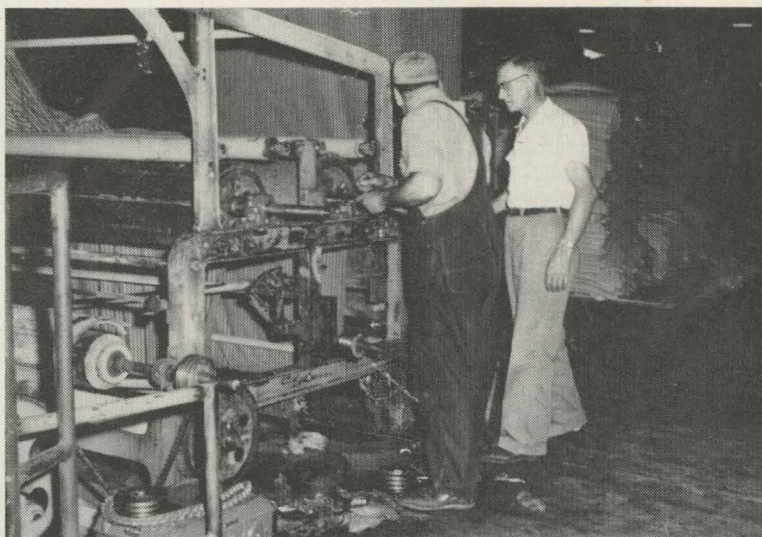
A Business Man's Prayer

Help me, Oh Lord, to remember that three feet make one yard, sixteen ounces one pound, four quarts one gallon and sixty minutes one hour. Help me to do business on the square. Make me sympathetic with the fellow who has broken in the struggle. Keep me from taking an unfair advantage of the weak, or from selling my self-respect for a profit. Blind my eyes to the petty faults of others, but reveal to me my own. Deafen my ears to the rustle of unholy skirts, and help me to live, day by day, in such a way that I shall be able to look across the table at my wife, who has been such a blessing to me, and have nothing to conceal.

And when comes the sound of low music, the scent of sweet flowers, and the crunch of footsteps on the gravel, make the ceremony short, and the epitaph simple—"Here lies a man . . . one who was of service to others."

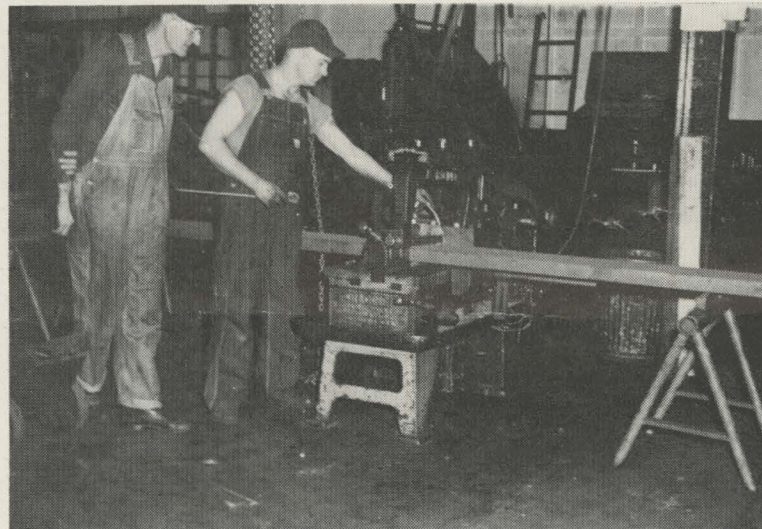
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Some people act like they are worth a lot of money, just because they happen to have it.



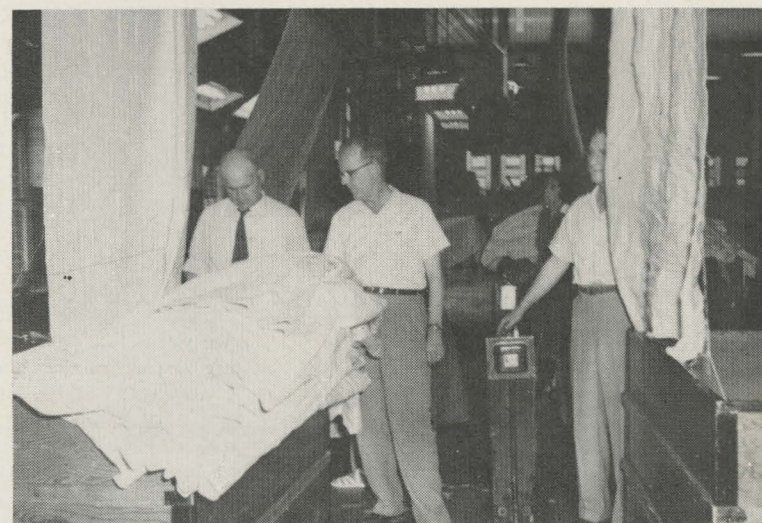
ARTHUR HUTCHINS of the Shop force, back to camera, is showing Clyde Moncus of the Burling department how to fix a machine in the Cloth department, and the machine actually worked.

(Staff Photo)



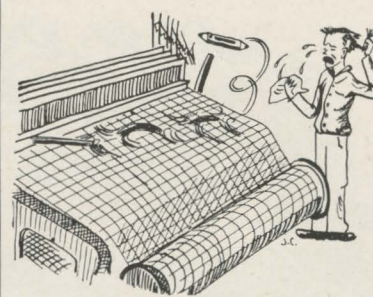
TOM DeBORDE, a Chatham employee for 43 years, is apparently giving his approval to Olin Bryant as his power hacksaw zips quickly through a steel beam in the Machine Shop.

(Staff Photo)



IN THE BURLING DEPARTMENT, foreman Jack Freeman is seen in consultation with Weave Room foreman Noah Darnell while Rev. Floyd Stanley, at right, stands ready to give his blessing if needed. Pauline Holbrook in the background seems to be listening in.

(Staff Photo)



WEAVING

B SHIFT

Reporter: Mae Macemore

Ruth Sparks recently had as her guest her aunt, Mrs. Sarah Anne Haynes of Jonesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Sprinkle recently spent the week-end in Thomasville with Wayne's sister, Mrs. Robert Colbert, Mr. Colbert and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Morrison (Slim) Snow, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Royall and Burley and Minnie Day and sons got together Sunday night and enjoyed a fish fry out at Minnie's house.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Clem and family of Arlington, Texas, and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Black of Fayetteville were guests recently of Wilma and David Gilliam. Mrs. Clem and Mrs. Black are sisters of Wilma.

Phillip Ray and daughter Regina spent last Sunday and Monday with Mrs. Ray at the Baptist Assembly at Ridgecrest. Mrs. Ray is attending the church music conference.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Medley visited friends in Baywood, Virginia, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Shores and daughter spent Sunday in Winston-Salem visiting their daughter and sister, Mrs. Calvin Hodge, and Mr. Hodge.

Iva Lee and Bert Phillips had as their Sunday guests Mr. and Mrs. Dan Johnson of Thurmond and Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Stanley and sons of Little Richmond.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Brown of Winston-Salem were week-end guests of Laura Salley and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Brock Owens were Sunday guests of Ella and Dan Thompson.

Melvin McBride, son of Geneva and Tom McBride, spent the week-end at Myrtle Beach, S. C.

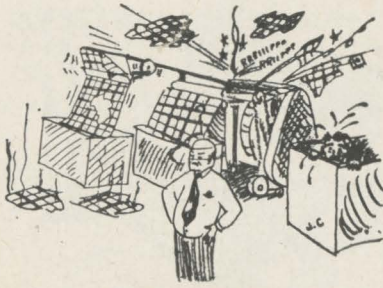
Seabon and Florence West had as their guests Sunday Florence's brother, Walter Sidden, and Mrs. Sidden of Winston-Salem.

Floyd and Mae Macemore attended the Sunday night singing at Union Hill Baptist Church where Rev. Cecil Hooper is pastor.

You can always find people who will give three cheers for something they wouldn't give anything else for.

A bargain is something you cannot use at a price you cannot resist.

Nothing is as easy as it looks, except spending money.



NAPPING

Reporter: Ruth Overcash

Burton Brown and family spent Sunday in Statesville visiting Mr. and Mrs. Sam Barker.

Lawrence Gough and family and a "dozen or more" friends enjoyed a picnic at Wildcat Rock Sunday.

Walter Nations and family visited his mother, Mrs. Etta Nations, in High Point Sunday.

The week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Pinnix was Lee's sister, Mrs. Lilly Walker of Winston-Salem.

Floyd Shoaf and family motored to Galax, Virginia, Sunday.

Alta and Robert McCann attended the camp meeting at the Pentecostal Holiness Church in Greensboro over the week end.

Ola and Paul Dobbins attended the car races in Winston-Salem Saturday night. Sunday they visited Ola's brother, Jack Pinnix, who

Mr. and Mrs. Poor Honored On 63rd Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Poor were honored on their sixty-third wedding anniversary last Thursday evening, September 2, when Mr. and Mrs. Thomas F. Cooley entertained at dinner at Hotel Elkin.

Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Leary and daughter Julia Anne and Mr. and Mrs. Poor's son, C. Wyman Poor of the New York Office.

Mr. Poor, fondly known as "Pop" Poor to his many friends at Chatham, was associated with the Accounting department force before he retired a few years ago.

is a patient at City Memorial Hospital, Winston-Salem.

O'Brien Hayes and family spent Sunday in Winston-Salem visiting Mr. and Mrs. Levi Bargoil.

Harvey Sparks lost so much weight last week that we thought he was on a diet, but found that his wife and son Phillip were spending the week in High Point visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Green. Harvey claims he's "a good cook." Sometimes we wonder!



FOLGER WEST became book-keeper and office manager at the Gilvin Roth YMCA August 1, succeeding John Cockerham who recently resigned to accept a position in Florida. Folger graduated from Benham high school, attended High Point College, and has recently completed a tour of duty with the U. S. Coast Guard. He is the son of Garn West of the Weaving department, is married and has one child. (Staff Photo)

Warning: If your wife wants to learn to drive, don't stand in her way.

YMCA Announces Movie Schedule

Wednesday afternoons will be movie time at the Gilvin Roth YMCA beginning this Wednesday, September 8, and continuing throughout the fall, winter and spring.

Max Cooke, general secretary, has announced that regular feature-length Hollywood films, each with a cartoon, will be shown in the basement floor of the YMCA building each Wednesday at 1:30 and 3:30 p. m. All Chatham employees and members of their families are cordially invited to attend these free movies each week. Movies scheduled include westerns, mysteries, comedies and other types of entertainment.

The program for the next two months is as follows:

September 8 — **CALL OF THE FOREST**, Ken Curtis and Chief Thundercloud.

September 15 — **DOUBLE CROSSBONES**, Donald O'Connor.

September 22 — **HERE COME THE NELSONS**, Ozzie and Harriet Nelson.

September 29 — **TUNDRA**, Alaskan Animal Adventure.

October 6 — **MICKEY**, Lois Butler and Bill Goodwin.

October 13 — **RANCHLAND EMPIRE**, Russell Hayden and James Ellison.

October 20 — **SABU — SAVAGE DRUMS**, Lita Barron.

October 27 — **IN THE NAVY**, Abott and Costello.

"This time, like all other times, is a very good one, if we but know what to do with it."—Emerson.



PRIZE WINNING photos in the TCU Club contest are shown in this group. Top left was judged the best photograph of a vacation at the seashore and won first place in this division for Betty Stockton, Personnel department. Shown in the picture are Frances and Tige Harris with their son David and Betty's daughter Debra. Top right, another of Betty's entries, won first place as the best of all photographs submitted. The subject is Betty's little daughter on the beach at Cherry Grove, South Carolina. Lower left won first place in the vacation in the mountains division. Edwin DeJournette, Warp department, made this shot of a grizzly bear in the Smoky Mountain national park. Lower right, Niagara Falls, won first place in the miscellaneous division for Paul Luffman, Weave.