

RECENT VISITORS . . .

Facing at upper left is Harry Moger of Valhalla, N. Y. and Bob Clayton, of Lexington, N. C. Both are students at Columbia University, New York City. Bob was employed in Champagne prior to his enlistment in the Navy during World War II. He assisted Mr. Wells in publishing the first ECHO, a mimeograph sheet, in February 1940.

At upper right is Mr. Richard A. Hertzler, Technologist of the U. S. Forest Utilization Service, Asheville, N. C.; and Mr. F. A. Simmonds of the Forest Products Laboratory, U. S. Department of Agriculture, Madison, Wisconsin.

In the circle is shown Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Lacroix of Mazeres and Paris, France. Mr. Lacroix is Technical Adviser for L. Lacroix, Fils, well known cigarette manufacturers of Europe. They were very much interested in employees activities and the recreational program at Ecusta. On their trip to Europe last year, Mr. Lee Bauer, Mr. Harry Straus, Jr. and Mr. Frank Peschl visited Mr. and Mrs. Lacroix.

At the bottom, from left to right, are shown

Mr. T. H. Crowder, Liggett and Myers Tobacco Company; Mr. W. J. Alston, Industrialist of Henderson, N. C.; Mr. G. W. Macon, President, Mr. Bennett Macon, and Mr. C. E. Southerland, Vice President of Universal Leaf Tobacco Company of China, Federal, Inc.

Below, from left to right, are Bob Johnson; Mr. George W. Young, General Freight Agent, Wabash Railroad Company, St. Louis, Mo.; Mr. R. G. McClure, General Agent, Wabash Railroad Company, Winston-Salem, N. C.; Mr. Stanley L. Budd, General Agent, Chicago, Indianapolis and Louisville Railway Company, Winston-Salem, N. C.; Mr. Ferd W. Kuhn, Freight Traffic Manager, and Mr. Warren W. Brown, Vice President-Traffic, Chicago, Indianapolis and Louisville Railway Company, Chicago, Ill.

Visitors are always impressed with the cleanliness and general appearance of our plant—inside and out. This year they have been particularly impressed with the outside appearance. With the green shrubbery and bright flowers, Ecusta looked like an oasis to those who came from the land of snow and ice.

