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## MEET YOUR SUPERVISOR

Die castings require many secondary and finishing operations from the time they leave the casting machine until they are packaged in shipping cases. They go through trim presses, sanding belts, drilling and tapping, degreasing and other processes.



*D. Gooch*

Trim dies must be changed for each different order. Those dies must be properly fitted in the presses. A new fixture is required for the next order; another attachment has to be put on the lathe. These are some of the duties which require the constant attention of Darris "Doc" Gooch, supervisor of Southern Die Casting Division.

"Doc" is probably the most traveled employee of Adams-Millis. He lives in Reidsville and commutes to his job each day. Traveling to and from his job alone carries him over 32,000 miles each year.

He was born in Union County, Georgia, but has lived in Reidsville since he was 5 years of age.

Gooch attended public schools in Reidsville. His first job was as a spinner with Burlington Mills in

Ossipee. He was with the Dixie Die Casting Company in Reidsville for two years before that plant closed.

In September of 1960, "Doc" started with Southern Die Casting as an inspector. Due to his previous experience, he was later transferred to the Secondary Department as supervisor.

Gooch married the former Miss Wynell Loftis of Reidsville; they have two children, a son, Henry, who is sixteen, and a ten-year-old daughter, Christine.

## *Heart Attack Fatal To John K. Wimberly*

John K. Wimberly died February 28 after a period of declining health. Although he had worked as late as last November, John had been suffering from heart trouble for some time.

He had been employed in Plant #4 since 1952 as an order clerk. He lived in High Point most of his life.

Although he was not able to work, Wimberly had not been confined; he suffered his fatal attack while driving his car in High Point.

He is survived by a sister, Mrs. A. M. Cook of Winston-Salem, N. C.

