## AMBLING THROUGH THE DEPARTMENTS



Cutting at Sherrod By Carol Penn Welborn

Well, folks, Christmas is gone and old Santa stopped here and there. The things he left most of all were a few pounds around the middle. I bet the diet scales really are booming!

Frank Starret went home to Georgia. He went bird hunting while down there and he says the feathers really flew. The only thing, they're still on the birds.

Dallas Crouch went home to Alabama. He must have had himself a time; he was two days late for work.

Red Ingram went to Florida with his wife and friends. They retlly liked the weather down there, so he says. Tommy Kemp has found himself a new home, at the bowling alley. (Since his BEST GAL gave him bowling balls, bag, shoes and all.) . . . Louise Welch won't say what she got but we think it was a Buick, ha! ha!

We all were sorry to hear that Earl Ward passed away. Our sympathy goes to his family.

By the way, your reporter got himself a suede jacket from old Santa "herself."

That's all for now, see you next month.



By Olive Overby

Opal Myers' grandfather has returned home after several weeks in the hospital... Geraldine McGaha spent the Christmas holidays at her home in Hartford, Tenn... Ina Holland's sisters from Baltimore and Philadelphia visited her, also her son and his family from Wilson.

Judy and Howard Hendren visited her sister in Columbia, S. C. . . . Judy says "Thanks for the lovely gifts and Christmas cards."

Ruby Haney is eagerly awaiting the arrival of her son, Sgt.
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Pants
By
Louise
Overman

Here's hoping each of you have a very happy New Year!

We all wish to thank the company for the beautiful bedspreads we received at Christmas.

Hazel Ward spent Christmas with her grandchildren in Asheville . . . Frances and Chip Workman wish to announce the marriage of their daughter, Jancy, to Jessie Cecil. The vows were spoken Thursday, Dec. 22, in Chesterfield, S. C.

Virginia Thornton, Esther Hughes' daughter, is in Duke Hosital. She would appreciate your prayers. Supervisors of the Pants Department wish to thank each of you for all the very nice Christmas gifts and cards we received. They said it was very thoughtful to be remembered in such a way.

Best wishes to Margie McGhee who became Mrs. Robert E. Stroud December 23.

We are sorry that Mary Mc-Mahan has been sick . . . Patricia Lambeth, Marie McDowell and Della Pierce are back with us after being on leave. They each had a visit from the stork. Welcome back, girls.

Louise Overman and family spent Christmas Day with her mother-in-law, Mrs. Beulah Overman in Liberty... Best wishes to Shelby Hankins, who became Mrs. Paul Livengood Monday, Jan. 9 in Chesterfield, S. C... Gertrude Spainhour's mother-in-law, Mrs. R. J. Spainhour, came to visit her last weekend

We wish to express our sympathy to Mattie Montgomery whose brother, A. O. D a v i s, passed away recently.

Overalls

By

Hattie Bray

Your reporter wishes for everyone a Happy and Prosperous New Year!

First, we want to thank the company for the beautiful bedspreads given us for Christmas.

We have a new bride in our department, Margaret Pilcher, who was married to Frank Phillips December 24. They are living at 226 Montlieu Ave.

Artie and Howard O a k l e y, along with friends, enjoyed a trip to Florida during Christmas . . . Eltis Morgon visited her mother in Albemarle Christmas Day . . . Jessie and Bill Lehmon spent the weekend in Taylorsville visiting relatives and friends . . . Edna Suits and family spent Christmas day with her parents in Jacksonville.

Carrie Payne wishes to thank everyone for the lovely gifts and cards received at Christmas . . . Millie Sawyer enjoyed having her grandson with her for Christmas . . . Mae Rumsey's daughter and family left for Germany December 28. They will be there for three years.

Stella Hudspeth is the proud owner of a new home on Friddle Street . . . Rosa Wilkerson spent Christmas day with her in-laws in South Carolina. Mabel Johnson said she had the best Christmas ever — she had all her children home at one time . . . Annie Epps had as her guests over the weekend, her brother and daughter.

Polly visited friends in Greensboro Sunday... Corinna Goodale spent Christmas with her children in Oxford... Your reporter is a proud grandmother again. It's a little girl — born December 19 in Thomasville to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Whitehead. Her name is Joyce Lynn.

Donald Farlow became uncle January 8. It's a niece and the parents are Louise and Ronald Gauldin of Archdale.

Diane Williams, daughter of Sadie Hedgecock, is a patient at the local hospital. She is undergoing treatment and observation and is not allowed visitors at present.

## February Birthdays – Anvil Brand Family

- 1 Avery Taylor James H. Wall, Jr. Pearl E. Moseley
- 2 Norma Sullivan Shirley Adams
- 3 Grace Sutton Getha Cox Edna White
- 4 William F. Lehman Mabel Elizabeth Sorrell Imogene Owens
- 5 Q. A. Duncan Gladys Kennedy Janet Starnes
- 6 Mae Flowers
- 7 Ernestine Millikan Opal Johnson
- 8 Edith Barger Edward Peyton Sara Frances Stevenson
- 9 Grace Rumsey
  Gladys Dillard
  Clyde Nelson
  Opal Jane McDonald
  Zylpha Ingram
- 10 Rose Kidd
  Bill Burrow
  Donald Ray Farlow
- 12 Sadie Ray Hedgecock Elizabeth Ann Bray Margaret Torrence Pauline Davis
- 13 Onie Isabelle Hayes Frank Lamberth
- 14 Louise Johnson Mary Jane Freeman Ila Whicker
- 15 Mary Jane Freeman Robert H. Smith, Jr.
- 16 Ruth Newton

- 17 Mattie White Louise N. Davis Betty Jean Baggett Opal Carter
- 18 Viola Draper Lillie Thompson Alma Irene Linthicum
- 19 Katie Lee Sellers Margaret Esther Reddick Frances Wells Geraldine Baird
- 20 Hazel Drummond Lucille Carver Robert Whitaker
- 22 Hugh Webster, Jr.
  Lucille Kinsey
  George Goings
  Bertha Lee Prince
  Jessie Mae Feemster
- 23 Annie Hughes Peggy Stewart Elitis Morgan
- 24 Nannie Lee Capel25 Bobby Alexander
- Jean Sweat 26 Peggy Jo Anne Weaver 27 Velma Shirley Blair

Ida Brame

James LeGrand 28 Ina Duncan Annie Mildred Wiseman

## INDEPENDENCE

- 16 Ruby Paisley Eloise Virginia Pierce
- 17 Mildred Ione Plummer
- 19 Evelyn Roberts
- 22 Viola Edwards
- 25 Elizabeth Wingate
- 28 Alberta Isaacs