MENTION AROUND THE MILLS

Bleachery

Mrs. Ruby Lovell was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James Leonard of Winston-Salem, the past weekend.

Mrs. Annie Meeks spent the weekend in Ridgeway, Va., with Mrs. Lillie Trent. While there she attended the Primitive Baptist Association.

Mrs. Ruth Burroughs was the weekend guest of her aunt, Mrs. C. W. Glidewell of Winston-Salem, N. C.

Renfrae Atkins of Burlington spent the weekend with his family at the Carolina Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Fitz and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Faries of Reidsville were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Flynn, Saturday.

Joe T. Austin, former employee of the Bleachery, is now employed by The Glenn L. Martin Co of Baltimore, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. Felton Parker and friends from Third Avenue Christian Church, Schoolfield, Va., visited and conducted prayer meeting in the home of Mr .and Mrs. Haywood D. Parker, Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dodd of Schoolfield, Va., were visitors in town last week.

We wish to extend our sympathy to Mrs. Ella Waters whose mother, Mrs. Susie Vestal Messic, died Sunday, September 27th.

M. C. Thomas of Portsmouth, Va., spent last weekend here with his family.

Miss Elice Smith, who has been on the sick list for the past week, is some beter now.

Karastan Mill

We all extend sincerest sympathy to Paul Hall in the death of his mother, Mrs. Ellen Hall, who died Friday a week ago. Mrs. Hall had been in ill health for a number of years, and was dearly loved by all who knew her. Funeral was on Sunday from King Memorial church and burial followed in the family burial ground at Shiloh Baptist church, on the Leaksville-Madison highway. Four sons, three daughters, three brothers and three sisters survive, also twenty grandchildren.

Miss Margaret Kelly spent the weekend in Hopewell, Va.

Charles Irving, of Youngstown, Ohio, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wilkins.

Miss Polly Brauch spent the weekend in Norfolk, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Arch Manuel spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Nick Stephens in Lawsonville, N. C.

We are glad to have Mrs. Rose Nance back at work after a long seige of sickness.

Oldest Employee



Born in Rockingham county, April 8, 1871, P. F. Grogan spent his boyhood on a farm. In 1898, he moved to Spray where he did

P. F. Grogan his first public work with the contractor who built Nantucket Mills,

He helped install the first machinery in the dye house and to put up the shafting. In 1899 he took charge of the steam plant and continued as engineer until electric power was installed. He then began work with the shop crew, being in charge of the humidifying system and motors.

On May 31, 1942, Mr. Grogan completed his 44th year with Marshall Field & Co., and during all these years he missed very few days from his work.

In 1901 he was married to Miss Lucy Hayden. Their home has been blessed by the presence of three children, Mrs. Walter Hudnall, Mrs. James Curry and James Grogan.

Appropriately enough, Mr. Grogan is now watchman in the plant (formerly known as Nantucket Mills) he himself helped to build. Speaking of his work and long service to the company, Mr. Grogan remarked: "I never cared to rove about like some people." And he feels that he has lost nothing by following this inclination.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Weaver have moved to their new home on Cedar St. Miss Julia Austin was in Raleigh last week.

Sgt. Fred H. Hayden, who is at home on furlough, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Turner Hatden.

Junior Craddock spent the weekend with his parents.

Miss Nancy Price is out sick this week.
Miss Polly Lovick spent the weekend
in Fayetteville, N. C.

Mrs. Viola Vernon spent Sunday with Mrs. Jimmie Darnell.

Loyd, Clovis and Odis Turner have accepted positions at Radford, Va.

Bob Swinney spent his vacation last week in West Virginia.

Ida Pickelsimer spent the weekend with relatives in Washington, D. C.

Willie Gatewood has returned to work after being sick for some time.

Mrs. Margaret Hudson spent the past week with her brother at New River Marine Barracks.

Mrs. Davis Odell spent the past weekend at Woolwine, Va. Miss Clarice Gilley and Mrs. Virginia Richardson attended a weiner roast at Roberts cabin on the Reidsville road with the First Baptist B. Y. P. U.

Misses Carmen Nelson, Pauline Belton and Beadie Wright spent last Saturday in Greensboro.

Miss Maggie Cox is back at work after having her tonsils removed.

Finishing Mill

Born:To. Mr. and Mrs. Harvey S. Burroughs, Leaksville, a son, Howard Douglas. Mr. Burroughs is staff sergeant, U. S. Army at Fort Jackson, S. C.

Ernest Wood, Bedspread Cut & Sew Dept., has been inducted into the Army.

Designing Department has started up complete again. Three designers have been called back to work.

Louise Burnett, Bedspread Cut & Sew department, is out sick.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Strader visited their 2 daughters, Doris and Gloria, over the weekend. They are spending some time in Chatham, Va.

Mrs. Gaynell Warf and son, Bobby, Mrs. Myrtle Alderman, Mrs. Flossie Strader and Miss Nettie Dillon visited in Reidsville, Saturday.

Mrs. Mary T. Ray, Folding Dept., visited her son in Monroe over the weekend.

Lucile Hylton, Folding Dept., who has been out of work since last June, is back again.

J. D. Glasgow, U.S. Navy, has returned to New York after spending several days with his mother, Mrs. Myrtle Glasgow.

Mrs. Maude Hopper, Folding Dept., spent the weekend with her husband in Portsmouth, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Shumate spent the week with Rev. and Mrs. Paul Roberts of Reidsville.

Corp. Fred Martin, former employee of Sample Room, now of Camp Wheeler, Ga., visited his family and friends over the weekend.

Mrs. Elsie Mae Carter spent the weekend in Wilmington with her husband.

Mrs. C. O. Peters and son, Herman, visited her daughter, Mrs. Fred Harris, in Roanoke, Va., over the weekend.

Mrs. Elmer Hayden of Newport News spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Bertie Motley.

Mrs. Edna Hoover ate birthday dinner with her mother, Mrs. Dan Holland, Sunday.

H. L. Laws, former employee of Machine Shop, was a visitor in town last week. Mr. Laws is now employed in Newport News.

Employees of the Machine Shop, Finishing Mill, have been attending First Aid classes.

J. B. Lamar and J. H. Lindsay were in New York last week on business.