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Draper To Have Waste Paper Drive

On March 11, 1945, Boy Scout Troops 27, 85, and 87 will call at every home in Draper to collect waste paper. Starting at one o'clock the Scouts will begin work in the zones assigned to them and everyone is asked to help in this drive.

Starting immediately every person in Draper is requested to save waste paper. When a quantity—any quantity—has been accumulated it should be tied as compactly as possible and left on the front porch or in the front yard, so the Scouts can make quick work of collection.

No matter how much or how little waste paper you have on hand it will help, for waste paper is very vitally needed for the war effort. Newspapers, paper boxes and cartons—anything made of paper will help.

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H. B. Leavitt Receives Promotion

Halsey B. Leavitt, who was appointed Acting Superintendent of the Woolen Mill on June 20, 1944, was on February 12, 1945, made Superintendent of that mill, according to an announcement from the office of the Management.

Mr. Leavitt, like so many other Marshall Field & Company men, is a real outdoor man, being particularly fond of fishing. It is recalled that he was one of the winning contestants to select the name for our paper, The Mill Whistle. Congratulations, Hal, from us all.

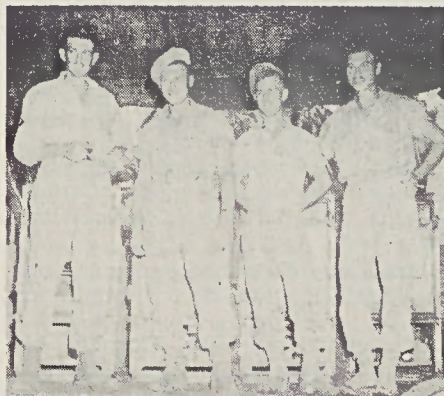
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FAMILY DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Meeks were a very happy family over the week-end, because all of their children were dinner guests at Sunday dinner. Those present were: Pvt. Floyd A. Meeks, stationed at Camp Croft, S. C.; E. Haywood Meeks, RM 2/C, of Norfolk, Va.; Mrs. Margaret Trent and daughter, Shellie Ann, of Reinstertown, Md.; Mr. and Mrs. David Meeks and two children; also Mrs. Rachel Reed and son, Harley. They report having a delightful time.

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The Red Cross is at his side and the Red Cross is yours!



Here are four men from four corners of the United States pictured in a remote corner of the earth. We don't know exactly where the picture was made but any guess is good. The second from the right is a Leaksville boy whom you should know. From left to right they are: S. R. "Chuck" Ganigan, San Francisco, Calif., Mike Kalwoda, Hamilton, Ohio, Charlie Wood, Leaksville, and Bob Linzey, Lameda, Texas.



Pvt. and Mrs. Jasper L. Slaughter. Pvt. Slaughter is now stationed at New Cumberland, Pa. Before entering the service he was employed at the Woolen Mill. Mrs. Slaughter formerly worked at the Sheeting Mill.

Red Cross Drive Starts March 5th

The Red Cross Drive in the Tri-Cities will be held the week beginning March 5. Our quota is \$13,500. We have always met our quota and we are sure it will be met this time. I have been appointed as Chairman of the Industrial Section. The quotas for the mills are based on the number of employees and manhours worked and are as follows:

General Office	.....\$ 300.00
Finishing Mill	..... 600.00
Bleachery	..... 250.00
Central Warehouse	..... 225.00
Rayon Mill	..... 550.00
Woolen Mill	..... 900.00
Karastan Mill	..... 800.00
Engineering, Personnel, Filter Plant and Wage Bureau	150.00
Bedsread Mill	..... 400.00
Blanket Mill	..... 1,900.00
Sheeting Mill	..... 900.00
Spray Cotton Mill	..... 600.00
Leaksville Woolen Mill	.. 375.00
Morehead Cotton Mill	.. 300.00

\$ 8,250.00

Every employee will be asked to give the equivalent of four hours' work. This is a small amount to give when one considers the comfort and relief it will bring to our fighting forces.

We are asking the loyal support and co-operation of everyone.

J. FRANK WILSON, Chairman
Tri-Cities Red Cross Drive
Industrial Section

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Don't Tell Me

Don't tell me what you will do
When you have time to spare;
Tell me what you did today
To ease a load of care,
Don't tell me what you will give,
When your ship comes in from sea;
Tell me what you gave today
A fettered soul to free.
Don't tell me the dream you have
Of conquest still afar;
Don't say what you hope to be,
But tell me what you are.

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I want to thank you all for the nice gift I received while I was out sick and for the many cards and letters that were sent to me.

HENRIETTA COLEMAN.
Bedsread Mill