

# Group Completes 50-Hour Loomfixing Course

Ten employees of the Sheeting Weave Room completed a course in loomfixing February 7. The class had met for two hours two evenings a week since November 13. The program was set up by our Training Dept. with the cooperation of the Leaksville Township Vocational School. Cecil J. Squires, foreman of the Bedspread Weave Room, was the instructor.

The group held a dinner at Moore's Grill signalling successful completion of the course. R. C. Going was toastmaster. J. E. Gardner of the Training Dept. and Mr. Squires made brief remarks. Invited guests were: J. H. Ripple, H. T. Bundy, and T. B. Hamrick.

Members of the class, left to right (seated) are: Henry C. Jeffries, Gilmer Underwood, Ray Craig, Kermit Minter, Curtis Cochran; standing, Daniel Smith, Ivan Wray, Otis Robertson, Sandy Woods, and Cecil J. Squires, instructor. Peachy Haynes was not present for picture.

Pictures at right show scenes during the course.

#### "THE THING???"

Be sure to see "The Thing," mystery entertainment, in the Draper Graded school auditorium Friday evening, March 2, at 7:30 o'clock, sponsored by the Draper Graded P.-T. A. with proceeds for school improvements.



## Appointments Are Announced In Civil Defense Organization

Macon P. Miller, director of Civil Defense, has announced several appointments in the local defense set-up. With J. F. Kemp and Jones W. Norman named assistant directors for Leaksville and Spray, respectively. Mr. Miller this week released names of local citizens who will serve as key figures in the air raid warning system.

Bennet Nooe was appointed chief air raid warden for Leaksville. The following were named district wardens: Leroy E. Sweeney, Sr., John Dyer, L. M. Barksdale, R. A. Turner, George Johnson, Phil Wall, and Claude Robertson.

C. E. Hubbard, Jr., was appointed chief air raid warden for Spray. District wardens to serve with him are: J. W. Saunders, William Dix, Ashley Greer, Norman Woodlieff, Rev. William Price, Robert Turner, and L. C. Lawson. Mr. Willow said that within the next

Mr. Miller said that within the next few days the district wardens would be calling on their neighbors to request their services as block wardens, thus completing the air raid warning organization.



### Soldier Writes

Dear Sir:

Just a line or two to let you know I received The Mill Whistle a few days ago and was more than glad to know the people at home haven't forgotten me. It was a little difficult for me to get it because I had changed addresses but I received it. I want to thank you one and all at Fieldcrest Mills for sending it to me. I would like to receive it as long as I am in service.

Best wishes to all.

Pvt. John D. Staples US-52044949 C-Btry. 593rd F. A. Bn. North Camp Polk, La.

### Buy...Sell...Swap

- FOUND: Man's wristwatch. Owner can get it by describing it. See Clarence Law—Blanket Spinning.
- FOR SALE: Oil Circulator, will heat 3-4 rooms. In A-1 condition. A real bargain.—J. E. Berry, Phone 1194-J, Carolina Heights, Spray.
- FOR SALE: Good Mule, young, large and able. Will work anywhere. Also harness and wagon.—Tom Barker— Bleachery Sewing.

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