

## Safety Glasses Save Eye Of Alexander Employee

Ray Pittman (shown at left) is a "wise owl", who still has his eyesight because he was wearing safety glasses on his job in the Weave Room at the Alexander Sheeting Mill, Forest City.

He was cutting off a piece of head gear hub when a particle of steel hit the right lens of his safety glasses. He feels sure that, had he not been wearing safety glasses, his vision would have been lost in his right eye.

Mr. Pittman, a loom fixer instructor, recently received his membership certificate in the "Wise Owl Club" given by the National Association for the Prevention of Blindness. Membership in the club is comprised of industrial workers whose eyesight has been saved by the use of various types of eye protection.

## Layne Twins



Keith and Kevin, 10 months old when the picture was made, are twin sons of Mr. and Mrs. Rick Layne of Norfolk, Va., and nephews of Pam Layne of the Accounts Payable Department at the General Offices. The twins' grandmother, Mrs. Ozella Layne, formerly worked as a sample clerk at the Karastan Mill

## **Alexander Team Wins Sportsmanship Trophy**

The Alexander Sheeting Mill slow pitch softball team won the sportsmanship award in the Industrial League sponsored by the Forest City Recreation Department.

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In the picture at right C. S. (Strut) Atchley, manager of the Alexander team, shows the handsome trophy that was received. Picture at lower right shows L. C. Boykin, who was an outstanding player on the team.

Although the team won second place in the tournament, the players said they felt more honored at winning the sportsmanship trophy than they would have at winning the championship.

"Of course, all of our boys wanted to win, but most of them played for the exercise and because they really enjoyed playing ball," Manager Atchley commented.

Members of the team were: "Strut" Atchley, manager; Nick Goode, coach; Clay Barrow, Bill Lancaster, Charles Lancaster, Lonnie Hill, Gerald Revels, Joe Kimbrell, "Babe" Kimbrell, James Kimbrell, Tommy Kimbrell, John Bishop, Ray Bishop, Nyle Holland, Cecil Bartles, Tim Hardin, T. C. White, Joe Smith, L. C. Boykin, and James White.



C. S. (STRUT) ATCHLEY

## College Will Provide Course In County History

Rockingham Community College will offer an Adult Education course in Rockingham County history during the fall quarter. This course will feature a chronological survey of Rockingham County history and an in-depth study of major historical topics, such as, industrialization, education, and agriculture

Speakers during the course will include a number of local citizens including, Harold Whitcomb, Earl Vaughn, Allan D. Ivie, Jr., Henry Anderson, and Mott Price, Jr. Those from outside our community will include, Dr. Hugh T.

Lefler, Kenan professor of history, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill; and Dr. Hugh Frank Rankin, professor of history, Tulane University.

With the exception of the first class meeting on Sunday, September 17, and two tours, all classes will meet on Monday evenings from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m.

Interested adults should register for Rockingham County history on September 7, between 8 a.m. and 10 p.m.; September 8, between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m.; or September 11, between 8 a.m. and 10 p.m. The total cost for this 40-hour course will be \$4.00.



L. C. BOYKIN

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