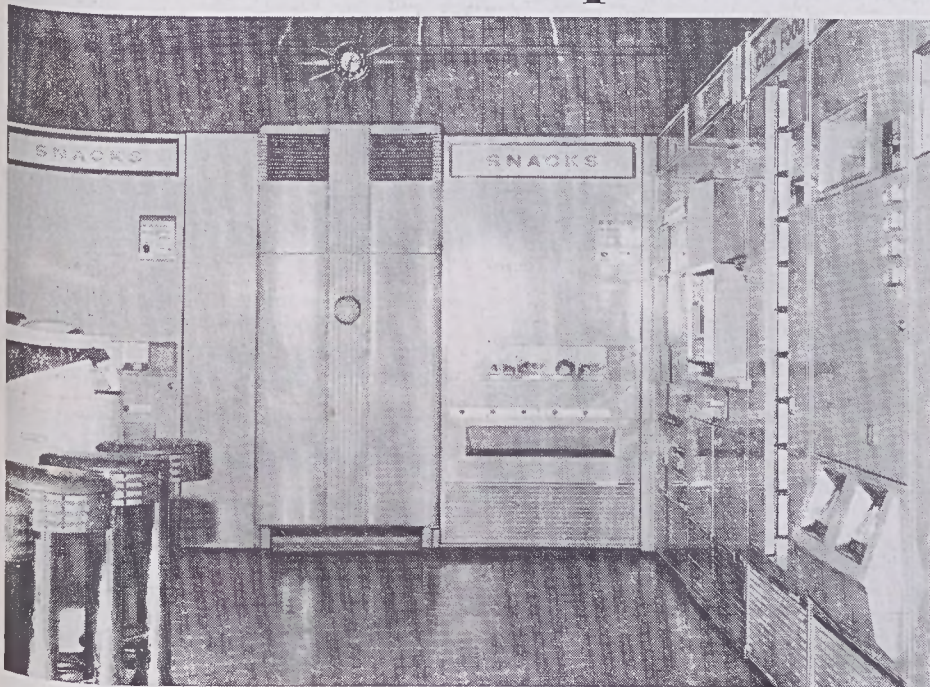


Canteens Are Improved And Modernized

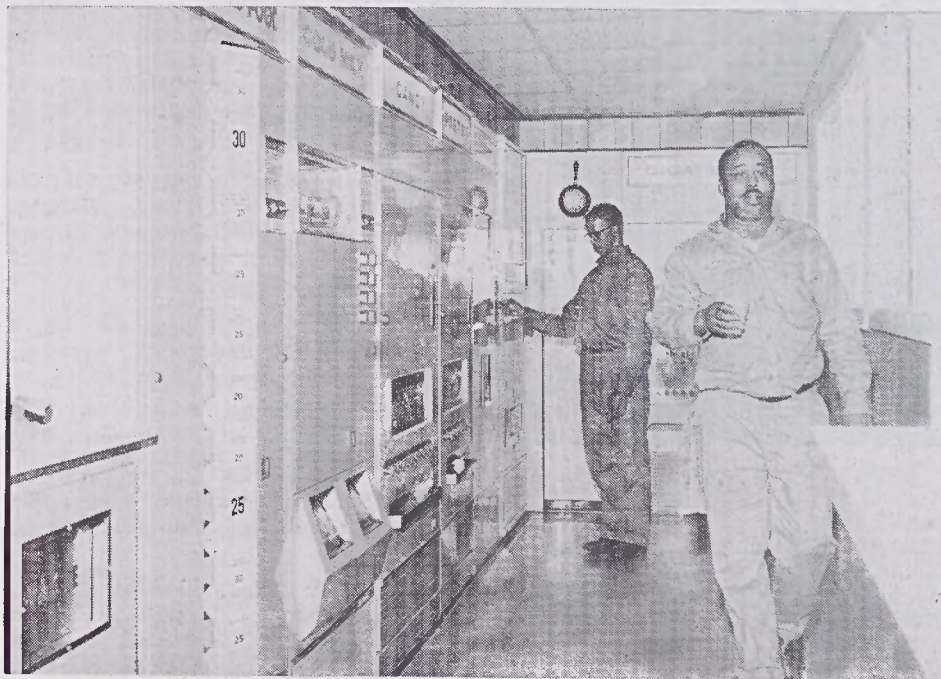


Something new has been added at the Blanket Finishing Mill, Eden. It's the new canteen for the Beck Dye Department. The canteen was recently enlarged and relocated in an enclosed, air conditioned area.

The room was paneled and a tile floor installed. The ceiling was lowered and new lighting put in. A battery of the latest-type vending machines was installed along with a dollar bill changer, an oven and a service bar and stools.

Also enlarged and remodeled was the canteen at the Non-Woven Blanket Mill. The canteen room there also is in an air conditioned, enclosed space with paneling, modern lighting, and a tile floor. All of the existing equipment was repainted and modernized and an oven and a service bar were added.

The picture at left shows a part of the new canteen in the Beck Dye Department. Shown below is the modernized canteen at the Non-Woven Blanket Mill. Employees in the lower picture are Alexander Wilson, at left, and Harold Scales.



Six Given Recognition For Service Records

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a doffer in the Spinning Department at the Bedspread Mill in 1923, but resigned to go to school. He was re-employed February 10, 1924 as a threading inspector at the Karastan Mill. He became a foreman in the Winding and Setting Department in 1936 and continues to work in that capacity. He is a native of Stuart, Va., and served in World War II from 1943 through 1945.

Mr. Cox joined the Company as a mule spinner in the Spinning Department at the Woolen Mill February 11, 1924 and worked at the Woolen Mill until 1948. During the next several years, he worked at the Rayon, Finishing and Automatic Blanket Mills. Since September, 1961, he has worked in the Weave Room at the Bedspread Mill. He is a native of Henry County, Va.

Mrs. Talbott was born at Stoneville and first worked as an inspector in the Spinning Department at the Bedspread Mill, starting February 1, 1924. In 1938, she was transferred to the Winding Department as a winder and has continued as a winder until the present time.

Mrs. Manley joined the Company February 4, 1929 as a folder in the Sample Department at the old American Warehouse (now Blanket Finishing Mill). She worked on several different jobs there until 1953 when she became a blanket stapler in the Packing Department at Central Warehouse. She continued to work in that department on various jobs until November, 1963, when she became a blanket ticketer in the Blanket Packing Department. She is a native of Floyd County, Va.

Mr. Rathburn began his career with

the Company as a temporary employee in Marshall Field & Company's Retail Advertising Department in the fall of 1928 while Mr. Rathburn was attending art school in Chicago. In February, 1929, he became a full-time member of the Art Department.

In June, 1936, he was given the responsibility of the Production Department, overseeing the purchasing of all printing supplies and the general production of all advertising. He spent 25 months in the Army during World War II.

Mr. Rathburn was transferred to New York in March, 1946, as assistant to the sales promotion manager of Marshall Field & Company's Manufacturing Division. In 1948, he was named advertis-

ing manager and continues to serve in that capacity.

Mr. Thompson, whose service record was reported in the last issue of The Mill Whistle but whose picture was not available at the time, is a native of Franklin County, Va. He completed 40 years of continuous service with the Company January 28. He has worked as a doffer at the old Lily Mill, Nantucket, Rhode Island, Blanket and Bedspread Mills.

He became a shuttle filler at the Rayon Mill in 1940 and later worked as a weaver and as a warp hanger. He was employed in the Karastan Mill in 1957 and was a floor worker until he became a weaver in 1962. He continues to work in the weaver classification.