

DEPARTMENTAL NEWS

The Electrical Department

The summer, thunder-storm period, and fireworks in the power house and substations will soon be over. Are we glad? Ask Rhea and Gomo.

The transmission line from Badin to Yadkin Falls is nearly finished. Farmer Scott says that the hills and rocks along the line would be fine for raising goats.

Ask Graham how to turn a machine, ten feet long, around in a building only seven feet wide.

Mr. J. R. Ivey, formerly telephone engineer with the Coast Line Railroad, arrived on September 10, to take up telephone and lighting work in Badin.

The negro town will soon have the streets lighted the same as in the white town. The negroes complained that they could not find the pot rooms at night, and consequently could not get to work.

The lake is now nearly at maximum elevation, and we are ready for a long period of dry weather.

Mr. R. F. Giersch writes that he is having plenty of exercise, learning to dig trenches, in Camp Hancock.

Mr. McNeely DuBose is hardening his muscles and making fit by taking long hikes in the hot sun around Washington, carrying full machine-gun equipment (a load of fifty or sixty pounds).

Pot Room Notes

F. L. Greenlee has returned to Badin, and is now holding down the lid on the night shift in the pot rooms. We are all glad to see Lee back again.

The new scales have now been placed in the metal room, and metal will be hauled from pot rooms by motor trucks.

Mr. R. D. Smith is visiting his family in Troy, for a few days.

Mr. Marshall Davis has been employed as assistant Weighmaster in metal department.

The Unloading Department is doing some good work. We have nothing on demurrage.

Many are the ups and downs of the inventor. Ask Mr. F. K. Hawkins, if you don't believe it.

Mr. T. S. Maynard has joined Mr. Brooks' forces in the main office. We are all sorry to see Maynard leave, and

wish him the best of success in his new position. Hereafter, Mr. J. C. Ellis will take the "kicks" from all comers, and buy the lunches for the doublers.

The carbon rodding department expects to have some women on its payroll soon. Let's all help to make their work a success.

Mr. D. T. Swaggerty has taken over the position of General Pot Room Foreman. Dave's slogan seems to be "Now let's all get together." Let's make it our slogan, too!

Five potrooms in operation! That fifth room may make the aluminum for the airplane that gets the Kaiser. Here's hoping!

The Works Office

We are pleased to welcome among us Miss Lois Welborn, High Point, N. C.; Miss Gladys Mason, Troy, N. C.; Mrs. N. N. McClellan, Jackson, Miss.; Mr. T. S. Maynard, transferred from Pot Room Office.

At the Time Office, we have the following additions to our staff: Mr. J. A. Liddell, Cedartown, Ga.; Mr. J. A. Johnson, Asheville, N. C.; Mr. J. R. Gardner, Warrenton, N. C.; Mr. W. P. Harris, Waxhaw, N. C.; Mr. J. S. Massey, Asheville, N. C.

Among those who took vacation trips during the month were Mr. J. H. Brooks, Mr. J. W. Tilley, and Miss Gladys Allbrook.

We were sorry to lose Miss Gladys Emerson, Miss Margaret Strange, Miss Grace White, Miss Mary E. Glass, who have accepted positions elsewhere; and Miss Juanita Arnette, who has resumed her studies at Meredith College, Raleigh, N. C.

Mr. J. H. Leonard and Mr. J. A. Dennis have gone back to College.

Mr. W. B. Pannill has accepted a position with The Badin Supply Company.

Mr. C. H. Jones is another Badinite to join the colors. He is located at Camp Greene, Charlotte, N. C.

Miss Bobbie Lee Fulton and Mr. E. Gordon Hayes are receiving congratulations from their friends on their marriage, which was performed at the Presbyterian Manse, Albemarle, N. C., on Monday evening, September 8. They

are at home to their friends at No. 8 Tallassee Avenue.

Mr. W. T. Kinsey, of the Employment Department, has returned from a two weeks' vacation among relatives and friends in Roanoke, Va.

Fall News

Progress on the Falls Dam is being made not far behind schedule. The absence of the usual summer flood to delay, together with prospects of no future delays, promises a speedy completion of the concrete work on the Dam and Power House.

Mr. F. E. Callahan, of Pittsburg, has been placed in charge of the Cement Laboratory and miscellaneous engineering work connected therewith. He succeeds Mr. B. R. Fuller, who has been transferred to work in Badin.

Mr. A. B. Waddell, who has been on office and field work with the engineering force at the Falls, has returned to Raleigh to re-enter the North Carolina State College.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Sloan have returned from a vacation trip to Statesville.

Mr. L. E. Davis, who has been stationed at Hamlet, in charge of sand shipments for the Falls Development, has returned, and is leaving the Company to re-enter college.

Mr. J. W. Rickey, of Pittsburg, accompanied by Mr. J. E. S. Thorpe, visited the Falls on the twelfth, going over the work with Mr. Justin.

Machine Shop Items

Mr. S. M. McAnulty, shop foreman for the last year or more, left recently for Texas, to take a position as Electrical Engineer for a large cotton mill. The men in this department presented Mr. McAnulty with a very handsome gold watch-chain and charm, as a token of their friendship.

Mr. E. D. Finck, of Atlanta, Ga., was expected to arrive here Monday, to succeed Mr. McAnulty; but has been delayed on account of the illness of his father.

Mr. F. M. Sterling, our popular tool boy, left Saturday afternoon for Knoxville, Tenn., to enter military service. We are sure that the Badin girls will miss Mr. Sterling, for he is a great