

ment was removed to Building Five, Badin, where the work will be continued under Mr. Fuller's direction. Mr. Feree has gone from the Falls to Badin to assist Mr. Fuller in the cement testing.

The Falls dam is nearing completion rapidly. The flood gates are complete, and the hoisting machinery erection is progressing nicely. Final closure will be undertaken this week.

The power-house is in shape for equipment. The hydraulic machinery is practically complete; the generators are being erected, and accessory equipment is being installed.

Messrs. Seabrook and Overbough, of the General Electric Company, arrived this month to superintend the erection of the generators in the Yadkin Falls Power House.

Mr. Kennedy, assistant cost accountant on the Falls work, will engage in the insurance business in Badin after April first.

Mr. Walford, of the Allis-Chalmers Company, is installing the government equipment.

Get some flower seeds at Mr. Cowart's office.

### Power-House News

On account of the rains of last week, Superintendent B. L. Gomo's walking schedule was reduced to thirty miles an hour, but this week is fair, and his speed is again normal.

Mr. E. A. Widenhouse, formerly employed by the Alabama Power Company, has accepted a position here as operator.

Mr. S. E. Corbett, civil engineer and mechanic, is off duty this week, on account of sickness.

Mr. Ralph Beckham, of Great Falls, S. C., has accepted a position here as operator.

Mr. Earl Belk has returned from the army, and resumed his position as shift foreman.

Mr. C. F. Rodgers, of Fort Mill, S. C., has accepted a position with this Company.

Mr. John Gunter, switchboard operator, has moved his family to Albemarle.

Mr. Joe Nims, of Fort Mill, S. C., has accepted a position with this Company.

Mr. J. G. Horney left a few days ago to accept a position at Alcoa, Tenn.

Mr. V. Kizer, left Saturday for his home at Lincolnton, N. C.

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### Works Office Notes

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cowles went to Lenoir for a short visit recently. They are now occupying the apartment on Maple Street formerly occupied by Dr. Coleman.

Mr. Thomas McGowan spent several days at the Club House. He and the Doctor were unable to agree as to when it was time to get up and shave.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Wharton have moved to the apartment on Henderson Avenue formerly occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Hunt.

A very clever publication has started in the office, known as "The Steno Star." Mere men are not privileged to see it, however.

Mr. Perkins and Mr. McKee, of Pittsburgh, were in the cost department during the first part of the month.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Hunt have moved to their former home, in Lexington, N. C.

Miss Lillian Cornish spent a week-end at her home in Winston recently.

Miss Julia Skinner has been transferred to the Pittsburgh office.

Harry Swindell and Thomas Ham were belated sufferers from the flu.

Plant your garden and flowers now.

### Who Comes Here?

I am more powerful than the combined armies of the world.

I have destroyed more men than all the wars of the world.

I am more deadly than bullets, and I have wrecked more homes than the mightiest of siege guns.

I steal, in the United States alone, over three hundred million dollars each year.

I spare no one, and I find my victims among the rich and poor alike—the young and old; the strong and weak; widows and orphans know me.

I loom up to such proportions that I cast my shadows over every field of labor, from the turning of the grindstone to the moving of every railroad train.

I massacre thousands upon thousands of wage-earners in a year.

I lurk in unseen places, and do most of my work silently. You are warned against me, but you heed not.

I am relentless. I am everywhere—in the home, on the streets, in the factory, at railroad crossings, and on the sea.

I am FIRE.

### Silver Threads Among the Gold

(Revised Version)

Our boys now in Europe, having accomplished the work of defeating the Hun, want to get back to "the good old U. S. A."

A recent letter to his mother from Herman Bell, who is with the Army of Occupation in Germany, contains the following poem, which in expressing a desire to be home again is probably representative of the feelings of most of the boys "over there."

Some allowance must be made for play of humor in the sentiment with which the poem closes. We know that they would be just as ready to go again, if our country should call them.

Darling, I am coming back  
Silver threads among the black;  
Now that peace in Europe nears  
I'll be home in seven years.

I'll drop in on you some night,  
With my whiskers long and white;  
Yes, the war is over, Dear,  
And we're coming home, I hear.

Home again to you once more—  
Say by nineteen-twenty-four;  
Once I thought by now I'd be  
Sailing back across the sea.

Back to where you sit and pine,  
But I'm stuck here on the Rhine;  
You can hear the gang all curse—  
War is hell; but peace is worse.

When the next war comes around,  
In the front lines I'll be found;  
I'll rush in again, pell mell,  
Yes, I will—like H—l, like H—L.

### Go-to-Church Sunday

WHEN? Next Sunday, April 13.

WHERE? The Baptist Church; The Badin Theater (Methodist Church); The Community Building (Presbyterian Church).

WHY? God wills it. The Churches wish it. The Pastors wait longingly for it.

Let everyone in Badin, old and young, go to church at least once next Sunday. Each pastor will preach at the morning service on the subject, "Why Have a Church in Badin?" In the evening, there will be an exchange of pulpits, each minister preaching in another's church. Special music will be rendered, and you will miss much if you fail to be present. Everyone else is going, why not you?

Plant your garden and flowers now.