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# Just a Thought

## (By W. B. Underwood)

Several years ago we all applied ourselves to our work with no thought given to our own welfare, but through the years we have begun to think more on terms of our future health and happiness. Let us stop and think what we must do in order to be well and happy in the future. If, through some carelessness on our part, we might prevent this happiness, woudn't we think twice before plunging headlong into some of the things we do?

Why not start now to preserve our health. No one wants to be a cripple for life and be dependent on someone else for their support.

It is our understanding that during the month of July Chatham Mills are putting on a "No Accident Campaign." Let's make this a perfect month and see what a pleasant sensation it will be for both yourself and your fellow workman. After this short length of time, you will see how easy it is to prevent injury. Do you know that when you are careless, it not only makes you liable to injury, but puts every one around you in the same boat.

Let's see what we must do in order to keep out of an accident. First of all, just use your head

and be careful; this is the basic thing for all of us to do.

Second, we must not let this one idea leave us when we leave our work, but must carry it into our homes, and everywhere we go.

Do you realize that a strong healthy body and mind are our earning power? Why not make a resolution that will start in our own home in carrying out this safety idea. Get that home in see the results.

# **ELKIN MILL**

#### SHOP AND DYE HOUSE

Russell Burcham spent last week at Shady Shack, near Mouth of Wilson, Va.

Mrs. Lewyer Pennell has returned home after spending two weeks with her parents at their home in Asheville.

If you want to know how hot it is, just ask Thad Reece. I am sure he can tell you.

Dave Woodruff and Henry Dobson are spending this week at Morehead City, fishing.

#### WOOL DEPARTMENT

Quite a number from this department attended the games at Hickory Friday night. Among them were the following: Mr. and Mrs. James Burcham, Russell Burcham, Pauline Masten, Roette Cockerham, Leona Darnell, Herm an Laffoon, Sam Brannon, Charlie Munday and Bobby Robbins.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Buelin attended a very enjoyable birthday dinner which was held at the home of Mr. Parks Younger in Wilkes County, honoring Mrs. Buelin's mother, Mrs. Macey, recently.

Mrs. Emma Gross had as her house guest last week Mrs. Risdon Long and small son, Bobby, of Winston-Salem. Other recent guests were Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Gentry, of California.

Mrs. Blanche Holcomb is out sick at this writing.

Miss Pauline Masten spent Saturday in Statesville shopping. Dick Minnish "sho" does strut

now that he is grandpa.

Pete Holcomb got so (cuss cuss)

spic and span condition, both in the house and in the yard, so that we feel proud of it, and are not ashamed for anyone to come into it. Then let's keep our own selves clean and healthful. Why not buy things that will help to build up your health and not throw it away on frivolous things, which in fact, tend to tear down that healthful, pleasant feeling?

After we do these things, you will be surprised at the different attitude you will have toward your work. You will really enjoy it, and that grouchy feeling will disappear.

Now, if everyone will do these small things, we will all benefit; we will see nothing but smiles and pleasantness about us, and best of all, accidents will be a thing of the past, and, oh, how happy we will all be.

Let's everyone pull together and show our appreciation to Chatham Mills that we are with them. Keep smiling, and above all, be careful. You yourself will see the results. mad yesterday. No, we didn't wait to see what he got mad about.

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Notice: Anyone having any cows they wish hauled will please see Web Hayes.

Ruby, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Barker, was painfully tho not seriously injured Sunday evening when struck by an automobile driven by Noah Chappell, of Boonville.

## WEAVING DEPARTMENT

Sunday was a very warm day in Elkin. We just can't understand how John Holcomb walked across the hot street without burning his feet. How about it John?

Mr. and Mrs. Brannon Day spent the past week-end at the seashore.

East Elkin Baptist church closed their revival on last Sunday night with five additions to the church. Mr. Powers will help in a revival at the Chatham Hyts Baptist church beginning Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. David Day and children will leave Friday, June 29th for Carolina Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Swaim, of Ronda, and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Couch were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gwyn Bauguss.

Charlie Collons is ill at the Hugh Chatham Hospital at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Osborne announce the birth of a daughter June 21st. Mr. and Mrs. Osborne are the relatives of Mrs. Annie Swaim and Mrs. G. E. Stinson.

A family runion will be held at the home of Mr. John Pardue Sunday, July 8th. Everyone is invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Gilliam spent Sunday in Cycle the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Gross.

Mr. Sam Mathis is ill at the Hugh Chatham hospital.

Mrs. G. R. Stinson and children Bobby and Jimmie, are spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Stinson.

Mr. Sam Martin and son Bobbie had their tonsils removed last week.

Mr. Millard Darnell, our foreman, is improving at his home in North Elkin.

Raymond Dowell says his ball park is attracting large crowds now. A lady passing by the other day, asked who had the wreck?

Of all animals in the land,

I had rather be a squirrel,

So I could climb the tallest tree And look all over the world.

-Vernon Holcomb.

SPOOLING AND BURLING Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McBride spent last week-end with Mrs. an accident."

McBride's mother, Mrs. Mabe, of Stoneville.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Eidson were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Eidson.

We are sorry to hear the Mrs. Mattie Smith is very sick at her home in Arlington.

Miss Nannie Parks went to Crystal Springs on a weiner roast last Saturday night. She reported a nice time.

Miss Elsie Pinnix attended the funeral of her nephew last Friday at Pleasant Hill.

Miss Ruth Willey went to Ronda last Saturday night to a fish fry.

We are glad to welcome Mrs. Alice Vestal back to this department after several months' vacation.

Mrs. Ina Holcomb is ill at her home in Jonesville. We wish you a speedy recovery Ina.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Francis and children spent last week-end with the latter's mother, Mrs. Lou Atkins.

We are glad to report that Mrs. Fai Reavis is back to work after a few days illness.

Miss Opal Pinnix had as her guest last week Mr. Odell Pardue, of California.

Miss Pansy Hemric and Mr. Page Gregory spent last week-end at Stoneville.

Mrs. I. N. Church and daughter Hazel, of Roxboro spent last Sunlay with Mrs. John Church.

# L. H. C. Club of Winston

Mrs. Annie Sutton and Mrs. Crystal Bell entertained the members and friends of the L. H. C. Club Monday night, June 11th at a weiner roast at Washington Park. Games and contests were enjoyed throughout the evening with Miss Vera Austin and Mrs. Margaret Taylor winning attractive prizes for their skill in the contest.

Those enjoying this delightful outing were the following: Misses Agnes McDaniel, Irene Brendle, Margaret Hilton, Madie and Vera Austin, Gypsy Smitherman, Linda and Gladys Fishel, Ada Pope, Mae Whitner, Mildred Whitner, Addie Pope, Annie Sutton, Crystal Bell, Margaret Taylor, Versa Whitlock and Jene Foltz. Messrs. Pete Lefkowitz, Bob Potterfield, Morris Brenner, Abe Brenner, Pluto Sprinkle, and Miss Austin, our Club leader.

Our meetings are held every two weeks during the summer months so watch the bulletin board for the announcement of the place of meeting.

Misses Agnes McDaniel and Gladys Fishel will entertain the Club July 2nd at Anderson Riding Academy.

"Carelessness is the cause of an accident."