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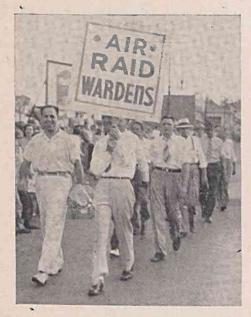


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Shown above are part of the huge Labor Day parade here on September 6th. It was viewed by crowds that lined both sides of the streets and overflowed from buildings. In the picture on left is seen the Air Raid Wardens and on the right is a detachment of the State Guards.—Pictures by Walter Gardner, Staff Photographer.

Bill Clarke Promoted

We are in receipt of a letter from Lt. M. E. Hyler, Public Relations Officer at U. S. Naval Air Station, Ft. Lauderdale, Fla., informing us that William Edwin Clarke, of Draper, was recently promoted to Radioman Third Class, at that Air Station. Bill, as many of our readers will recall, received a \$25 War Bond last summer for submitting what was considered the best name for our paper, "The Mill Whistle". This name was also submitted by Hal Leavitt, of the Woolen Mill, and both men were awarded a Bond.

Bill enlisted in September, 1942, and is now attached to the Communications Department at the Ft. Lauderdale Air Station. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Clarke, of Draper, and graduated from Draper graded and Leaksville high school. At the time of his enlistment he was employed in the Blanket Mill.

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Contributors—Note!

From time to time we receive contributions from persons other than our regular correspondents. These contributions are often timely bits of news that we really want. But please remember that we have a deadline which must be observed. Like many other firms the one that publishes our paper is short of help and The Mill Whistle material must be in the publisher's office by noon on the Wednesday before publication. Pictures must be in that office by noon of the Monday before publication.

For instance, this paper comes out on Monday, September 27th. The pictures in these pages were delivered to the publisher at 10 o'clock Monday, September 20th; the printed material at noon on Wednesday, September 22. Anything received later than that is carried over until the next issue, October 11th.

While it is possible to make a few changes as late as Thursday afternoon before publication it means a good deal of work on the part of both editor and publisher. We would greatly ap-

Write That Boy!

For the eleventeenth time we're reminding you to write your men and women in the service, and when you write them tell them everything that is going on back home. And above all, tell them the addresses of their former pals. If you don't know the address perhaps we can furnish it for you.

For example, Corp. F. H. Hayden, better known to most of us as "Doody", wrote all the way from Africa to get the address of his old friend, Jesse Burcham. While it is not possible for any of us to know just which of their old friends the boys and girls in service would like to contact, it might be helpful to send them an address or two every time we write them. The Mill Whistle is always glad to furnish you any address we have on file.

We've got the Axis on the run . . let's catch 'em and whip 'em wi' more War Bonds!

preciate it if our contributors will bear this in mind when sending in articles and pictures.