

# Meet the Family, Folks

In the last issue we told of the birth of our publication. Since The Mill Whistle is strictly a Marshall Field & Co. publication it seemed fitting that the editor should be someone in the organization. Because of some previous newspaper experience, J. U. Newman, Jr., of Draper Blanket, was selected. The next step was to secure a staff and art department, for a paper without pictures can be very dull. Much time and thought was given to selecting a staff and we feel that we have obtained the best one available. In this, and future issues, we are giving you pictures of our staff, together with a brief sketch of us all. Since we don't play favorites—and every member of the staff is as important to us as a couple of eyes, we will list them numerically.

1. **J. U. Newman, Jr.**, started with Marshall Field & Co. in May, 1919, as shipping clerk in Draper Mills. Worked in payroll department and Blanket

Cloth Room. Graduate of Elon college, played professional baseball for several years. Prior to coming here worked for Dupont Powder Co. for three years. Is married, has three children. Makes his home in Cary, N. C. Hobby is reading.

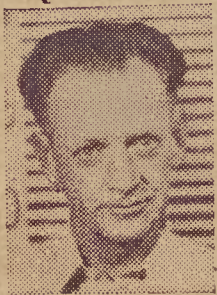
2. **Walter Gardner**, who takes the pictures you see in The Mill Whistle, came to us about a year ago from Permutit Co., where he had worked for eight years. Prior to that he worked as Engineering Consultant. Attended Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute, N. Y. Is married, has no children. Hobbies are reading, music, and Boy Scout activities. Makes his home here.

3. **Jeanette Edwards**—ain't she cute!—is the little lady who makes the pictures you are looking at. Started with Marshall Field & Co. in January 1942. Prior to that worked as stenographer in law office of Price & Osborne. Present position is fingerprinter, dark room technician and typist. Graduate

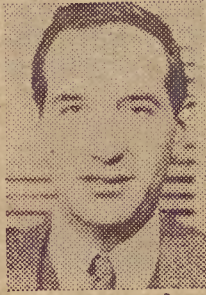
of Leaksville Hi. Is unmarried, makes her home here. Says she has no hobbies.

4. **Morell Conner**, Bedspread Reporter, started here in July, 1941, coming to us from Imperial Life Insurance Co., as helper in tying up Jacquard harness. Present position is timekeeper and Bedspread Style Schedules. Graduate Monticello Hi. Hobby is flying, which he did until C.A.A. grounded civilians. Has been farmer. Married and has two girls. Saws cord wood in spare time. Makes his home here.

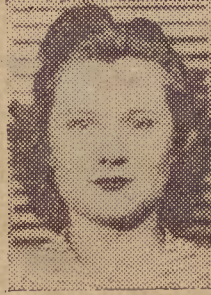
5. **Sidney Cox**, Woolen, is our latest addition, succeeding **Maggie Harris**. Came to us eight years ago from Leaksville Woolen Mill. Starting in Washer Room he is now Head Cloth Inspector. Attended Leaksville township school eight years. Hobby is moving picture shows. Is married, has no children. Makes his home here. Worked in Spinning Department while with Leaksville Woolen Mill.



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## Sheeting Mill

By Gladys Sumner

Edward Gerringier has returned to work after a week's illness. He wishes to thank all his friends who donated to the fruit shower.

Miss Mamie Link was honored by a birthday party at the home of Mrs. M. B. Jarrett, Sunday, February 14.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Hodges and Mr. and Mrs. James Curry entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hodges with a delightful hot dog and hamburger supper, Saturday night, February 13. Those present were Mrs. James Grogan and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gerringier.

Sam Henry Carver of the Sheeting Mill office is leaving for the army February 26, and also Ralph McDaniel of Carding Department.

Cpl. Albert Sumner, of Wilmington, C. I. is visiting his parents, Mr. and L. C. Sumner, for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Strader were visitors in Greensboro, Sunday.

Mrs. Iva Hill is out this week because of illness.

Mrs. Florence Bolick has returned to work after two months of sickness. We are glad you are able to be back, Florence.

Mrs. Chattie Gatewood and Beaulah Lillard visited with Thomas Edmondson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Roach had as guests Mr. and Mrs. Sam Overton and and Henry Overton, of Axton, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mayes are the proud parents of a daughter, born February 21.

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## Woolen Mill

By Sidney Cox

Among those attending the point ration meeting at Wentworth Wednesday were Bryant Hankins, Lottie Shreve, Finishing Department; Elisha Stowe, Weave Department.

We wish for Mrs. Josie Southard, who had her tonsils removed, a speedy recovery.

We wonder what "Babe" Earles, John McArthur and Webb Fulcher were doing in the country Friday.

E. E. Syms has returned home after

spending several days with his mother in Woonsocket, R. I.

C. W. Fowler attended the Lincoln birthday dinner at the Robert E. Lee hotel in Winston-Salem.

"Slick" Earles has accepted a position at the shipyard in Baltimore, Md.

Harry Sawyers has resigned his position in the store room to accept a position in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Pratt visited Mrs. H. A. Hoover who is a patient in the Greensboro hospital.

A certain young lady in the Finishing Department has been shopping out of town lately. It seems she has forgotten they are rationing gas.

We are glad to hear from one of our boys from the washer room. His address is Pvt. Sherman T. Almond, 356th Tech. School Squad, U. S. Air Corp, Ft. A, Jefferson Barracks, Mo.

Get that worried look off your face Wanda. Haven't you heard that they ain't going to draft essential farmers.

The employees of the Finishing Department are proud of the painting that has just been completed.