



Mention Around the Mills

Central Warehouse By Maybud Stanley

Mrs. Lillie Odell, of Bassett, Va., and Mrs. Sarah Hancock, of Ridgeway, Va., spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Chaney, of Oakland Heights.

S. Sgt. Moir Boone, of Ft. McClellan, Ala., spent a short leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Boone, Walnut street, recently.

Mesdames Clifford Shipton, Roy Pratt, Boots Bateman and Mr. and Mrs. George Fagge were shopping in Martinsville Saturday.

Herman D. Hopkins, A. M. M. 2/c, of the Southwest Pacific, is home on a thirty-day leave, visiting his wife and mother.

Miss Earsley Dillon attended the funeral of her cousin, Mr. Harmon Wade, Monday, at Floyd, Va.

Don't be surprised if you happen to see Miss Lora Burroughs and Mrs. Beulah McBride flying around as they purchased themselves new bonnets with mocking birds on them.

T. Sgt. James Cox, of Miami, Fla., is home on a ten-day leave. He and his wife, the former Miss Fay Harris, are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Harris, Railroad street.

Mrs. Irva Hopkins and Mrs. Ray Turner were in Martinsville, Va., Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Emerson and children were visiting in Martinsville, Va., Sunday.

Misses Lora Burroughs, Ellie Sykes, Cornelia Austin and Mesdames Nannie Vipperman, Beulah McBride, May Austin and Dovie Hylton were in Greensboro Saturday.

Miss Onnie Kellam visited Mrs. Katherine Leonard Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Shipton and son, Bobby, Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Brown, Mrs. Roy Pratt and Mr. Pet Heath were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Nelson on Thanksgiving day.

V . . . — Rayon Mill

By Ray Warner

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Cox, of Leaks-ville, announce the marriage of their youngest daughter, Lilia, to Pvt. John H. Owens, of Stoneville. The vows were spoken at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Barton, Spray. Rev. John P. Laforte officiated. The bride will make her home with her mother at present, but later will join her husband who is stationed at Camp Ellis, Ill.

We were very glad to have Miss Christine Dodson of the Hosiery Mill visit our mill recently. She was the week-end guest of Treva Thompson and

Lizorra Grogan.

William (Bill) Pittendreigh, formerly second hand in the Preparation Department, now with Laurens Cotton Mill, Laurens, S. C., visited the mill last week. The employees were very glad to see him again.

Misses Irene Sharpe and Glaydas Harris spent the week-end in Lexington, N. C.

Mrs. Ocie Lovick, of the cloth room, is spending the week with her husband, Pvt. William Lovick, who has returned from overseas. He is now in the hospital in Asheville, N. C.

Rev. and Mrs. Joe Griggs, pastor of Presbyterian Church, Charlotte, were dinner guests of the former's brother, Jessie W. Griggs.

We welcome Herman Hodges, a new employee to the weave room.

J. E. Vause, Jr., and family, of Newport News, Va., spent the week-end with their parents, Mrs. Maude Ballard, and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Vause, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Shropshire and Mr. and Mrs. Shirl Craddock spent the week-end in Winston-Salem.

News of Our People With the Armed Forces

Pvt. Tommy Warren, Greiner Field, Manchester, New Hampshire, arrived home in time for Thanksgiving on a delay en route to an Army Air Base on the West Coast.

Barney J. Warren, S 1/c, U. S. S. L. S. M., somewhere in the Atlantic, was recently home on furlough.

We are glad to know that Fireman 2/c W. Oscar Thompson, stationed in South America, is back on duty after undergoing a leg operation.

We enjoyed the letter and Christmas card from Roy Martin, who is still in the hospital in England.

Cpl. Harold Carter of Avon Park, Florida, and his wife, from Newport News, Va., spent a few days with their parents, Mrs. A. B. Land and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Blackburn.

S. 1/c Jack Alley is here on a short leave after a trip to Bermuda.

S. 2/c Ray Jeffries is now at Naval Training School, Seattle, Washington.

Mrs. Frank Hopkins has received word that her husband, M. Sgt. Frank Hopkins, has been sent overseas.

S. Sgt. George Garland and Mrs. Saunders of Warner Robins, Ga., are spending a week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Saunders, Riverside Drive.

Pvt. Coy Ferguson, who formerly worked in the weave room, is now stationed at Fort Lewis, Wash.

BLASTS

From the Draper Office
Carrie Hill and Evelyn Lewis

Well, after feasting on all that turkey, cranberry sauce, dressing, and the fixings, plus pumpkin pie (and who had all that?), guess we can settle down for another siege, or at least until the Christmas holiday. We'uns surely do hope that you'uns had a nice Thanksgiving.

Agnes Foster and Gladys Barber took off last Wednesday afternoon and went to the fair city shopping. Here's hoping that they bought my Christmas present! How about the rest of you girls?

Everlena Cannaday and Selma Stone visited Camp Lejeune over the Thanksgiving holidays. Everlena went to visit her husband and Selma said she visited her sister. How about that, Selma?

Virginia "Speedy" Giles spent the week-end in Burlington last week, again! While there she lost her big pocketbook. Monday morning, after returning, she lost her small change purse (she found that), all due to a serious love affair. We hear wedding bells, don't we, "Speedy"? Inform us, gal, inform us!

Lots of people have stopped me on the streets and asked me to send a copy of the Mill Whistle to their boy in service. I'd love to send it to every single boy and girl, but I can't—but if your son or daughter is in service and does not receive his or her copy, give us their address and we'll be glad to pass it on to Mr. Newman. I'm sure he'll see they get it.

The "Chin Up Girls" met with Everlena Cannady on Thursday evening, with Selma Stone as joint hostess.

A Thought: Whoever, therefore, shall confess me before men, him will I confess before My Father, which is in heaven; but whosoever shall deny me before men, him will I also deny before my Father which is in heaven.—Matthew 10:32, 33.

V . . . — Finishing Mill By Beulah McBride

Chef Grissom Manley, we are told, is quite an expert at frying rabbit. Avis was his guest last night and they feasted upon delicious rabbit (Grissom had talked down), gravy, potato salad, etc. He did let Katherine bake the biscuits—it was some grand meal Avis tells us.

The Bedspread Finishing is very happy to have Kate Ross back after being out for 2 weeks with a broken rib received in an automobile accident.

We are very happy for Ruth and Jack Alley. Jack has just returned after spending months in Bermuda. Jack is a Seaman 2/c in the Navy and it was

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