



Mention Around the Mills

Karastan Mill

By Doris N. Stultz

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Fair received a telegram from their son, Pfc. Homer Fair, with the news that he has reached the States and soon will be home.

Hilda Joyce visited her sister, Mrs. John Hartman of Winston-Salem.

Pfc. Elwood Evans has returned from overseas to the Navy hospital at Portsmouth. His wife and daughter are visiting his mother, Mrs. Lula Evans.

S2/c James Smith is spending a 10-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Smith.

Sgt. Thomas W. Crowder is home after 27 months in the Southwest Pacific. Pauline, don't forget us entirely, now.

Pfc. Colonel Evans has returned home with an honorable discharge after 19 months service overseas.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Gunn recently visited the former's sister, Mrs. D. E. Wall, who is in the sanitorium.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Reynolds and Ronnie were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Tilley in Winston-Salem for Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Taylor spent the Christmas season at Statesville, N. C., as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Burt Chastain.

The Billy Turners' spent the holidays at Woolwine, Va.

S/Sgt. John A. Cox has received his honorable discharge on December 7, after four and half years in service.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Macy visited the former's parents during the holiday season.

Douglas Turner was home from Wake Forest for the week-end.

William C. Snead, CPO, of Jacksonville, Fla., was at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Snead over the holidays.

New faces in the Setting department are those of Ann Kerley, Dorothy Harris and Patsy Corning.

The Carvers regret to learn that Margaret Hutcherson is leaving us. Margaret, our best wishes go with you to High Point, but do come back to see us.

Ruth Crowder, formerly employed in Karastan office before entering the WAC is now working on the second shift in the Setting department. It's like old times to have you back with us, Ruth.

Mr. and Mrs. John Martin and Della Nichols were guests of Mrs. Ila Alverson in Reidsville for New Year's Day.

Katharine Jefferson's sister Sgt. Doris Jefferson, had another 3-day pass home with the news that she is moving to Louisiana.

Stella and Judy Martin received a nice gift from Santa—a telegram from husband and father "Crib" Martin in Nurnburg, Germany.

Posey and China Priddy received their Christmas joy in the returning of their son, Spencer Priddy, with a medical discharge from Camp Stoneman, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gunn and Rebecca were dinner guests of Elmo and Abalene Gunn during the holidays.

We really would like to know how Pauline Belton makes apple pies with a can of peaches!

Rayon Mill

By Mildred Saunders and Ray Warner

Time has rolled around for news again. First of all, it's Wedding Bells for Darlene Harris and Pvt. Gordon Overby. Gordon was an employee of the Rayon before going into the service. We wish you much happiness.

We welcome home another group of our servicemen. Herman Black and James Alcorn, Weave room, Marvin Brammer and Louis Amos, Preparation department and Jack Washburn as shift foreman for the Preparation department.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Willie Bailey who announce the birth of a daughter, Judith Faye, December 14.

GM 3/c Jimmie V. Hall is home on a 10-day leave.

Mr. and Mrs. Irva Hopkins, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Turner, H. D. Hopkins and Clifford Elliott were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Reynolds.

We wish a speedy recovery for Mrs. Inez Burgart, who is a patient at the Winston Baptist hospital.

Peggy and Johnnie Purdy spent Sunday night with their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Fagge, Carolina Heights.

Sgt. Jack Dillon is on his way home from the Pacific.

S1/c Bethel Carter spent a 5-day leave with his wife and son.

M/Sgt. and Mrs. Irvin Vollrath and children spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Brown. M/Sgt. Vollrath has been in service 29 years and reports back to Atlanta, Ga., where he will be stationed until he retires.

Chatter vs. Jabber

By Glennice Jones

Santa Claus really arrived at the homes of our fellow-workers. Everyone seemed to get what they had been wishing for, even Nancy Matlock, who got her beautiful Kewpie doll.

Santa and Jimmy Perry arrived together at Marjorie Perry's home. He had

been overseas about two years, so he was certainly good to see. Lucy Connor says that her brother has come home too. Then, Ernestine Cox has just found out that Everette (Quaker) Cox has at last arrived in the States. They are keeping their Christmas tree for him. Isn't that nice? Most of the fun during Christmas anyway was seeing so many of our boys back again.

Most of us saw the dance that Otis Koontz performed at the Council banquet. It was so good that he states that he has had several offers from Hollywood and New York. We heard there was a shortage of men's clothing. We wonder what the offer was?

John Eggleston, Nancy Matlock, and J. H. Lindsay have been ill during Christmas.

Jesse Burton has been in two weddings recently. Not bigamy, we understand, but he must be practicing that walking down the aisle. Then he must like to usher the good-looking girls into the church. It is a good thing Frances was there to see how it was done, of course!

Most of us noticed a blaze from the Scheduling Department. It was much later that we found that it came from the significant diamond on Mildred Hodges' "third finger, left hand."

Was Minnie on that trip to Cascade, Robert (Joyce)?

Have you heard that Iva Pendleton finally did get to Draper to do her Christmas shopping?

We all enjoyed the visit of Captain D. C. Williams, whom it was really good to see again after his being overseas for almost two years.

And to our many friends we wish a very Happy and Prosperous NEW YEAR.

P. S. We heard that that smile on Glennice's face was caused by some beautiful roses. (M. G.)

Two shop-keepers in the same district had been competitors for years. One day they met on the street and one proprietor said to the other, "I hope you're doing a good business."

"Thanks very much," said the other, "but may I ask why you say it so heartily?"

"Well," said the first proprietor, "I've been keeping my ears open around this town. As far as I've been able to gather, as soon as everything is on the market again, all your customers are coming to me, and all my customers are going to you."

A REASONABLE FACSIMILE

A gum chewing girl and a cud chewing cow

Are alike, and yet they're different some how.

The difference? Oh, yes, I have it now: There's a sensible look on the face of the cow!