

## Heard This One?

The Senate Preparedness Investigating Subcommittee made the following summary in its 40th report on the Armed Services: "We cannot consider an organization efficient when it requires 1600 men to put 75 single-seated aircraft into the air; we cannot consider a training base efficient when it requires one man to feed, house, and train two and one-half men; we cannot consider a ship efficiently run when it is manned by three and one-half times the number of seamen required to conduct a similar operation in private commerce."—Tax Outlook, August 1952.

## SEARS' VISITORS (Continued from Page One)

Dorothy Marston, Bangor, Me.; Mrs. Bessie Ruth Terry, Shawnee, Okla.; Mrs. Florence Craytor, Garden City, Kan.; Mrs. Hazel Clymer, Moline, Ill.

Gordon Doak, assistant retail sales manager for Sears', and A. A. Sachs, buyer, plastics, both of Chicago, accompanied the first group. J. D. Power, blanket buyer for Sears' was at the mills and met the visitors.

Sears' officials from Chicago accompanying the latter group were W. J. Troost, retail sales manager; Miss Frances Hewitt, C. H. Kettinger and Jim McCarthy.

## War Hero Welcomed



Two young bond-buyers gave Cpl. Jerry Crump a hero's welcome when the soldier visited Fieldcrest Mills September 25 in the interest of the Payroll Savings Plan. The 19-year-old corporal is the only North Carolina boy to be awarded the congressional medal of honor in the Korean fighting. Members of the "welcoming committee" above are Jean Gray, left and Gail Janney, both of the Service Dept. at the General Office.

An Army infantryman from Forest City, Cpl. Crump culminated a series of heroic exploits by smothering an enemy hand grenade with his body. By rifle fire and single-handed bayonet charges he killed 17 of the enemy in night fighting at Hill 264 near Chorwan, Korea. When the battle was over there were indications that he may have been responsible for an additional 21 of the enemy dead.

Cpl. Crump is making a tour of industrial areas of the State with representatives of the U. S. Savings Bonds Division. Accompanying him during his visit to the Tri-Cities were Douglas L. Craddock, county Defense Bonds chairman and Kenneth Wible of Treasury Dept.'s defense bonds office in Greensboro.

## How Industrial Fires Start



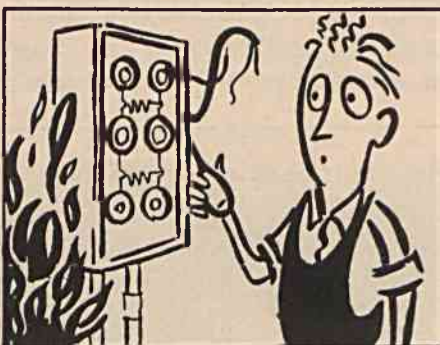
**CARELESS WORKER** smokes where he shouldn't. He fails to clear away combustible trash.



**FLAMMABLE LIQUIDS** shouldn't be stored in open. Take care with tools that produce fire.



**SPRINKLERS WON'T** work if they're obstructed. Don't pile stock high up to the ceiling.



**ONE FAULTY WIRE** is enough to burn down a plant. Check electrical equipment regularly.



**A BLOCKED** fire door is useless. Fire doors must be free to be closed in seconds' time.



**FIRE ALARMS** mean what they say. Know what to do when one sounds. Always call the firemen.

## BUY...SELL...SWAP

FOR SALE: Mahogany cedar chest. Good condition. Telephone 372-W.

FOR SALE: 10 x 14 Karastan Rug, with mat, single bedroom suite. Tel. 97-W.

FOR SALE: Warm Morning Stove, Electric Churn. Phone 355-R.

FOUND: Change Purse containing currency. Owner should call at Mill Whistle Office.