



Left to right, Messrs. McConnell, Reinert, Grimes, Watkins; T. B. Hamrick, foreman of the Sheeting Mill weave room; and Mr. Creer.

Missionaries Make Tour Of Draper Mills

Interesting visitors at Fieldcrest recently were a number of missionaries from foreign fields, who toured the Blanket and Sheeting mills. The men were in Draper as speakers at the 7th annual missionary conference at Draper Baptist Church.

The visit to the mills was arranged by the Rev. John H. Reinert, pastor of the Draper Baptist Church. The Rev. J. K. McConnell, Fieldcrest industrial chaplain, accompanied the

group through the mills.

The missionaries, who have been on furlough in the United States, will soon return to their respective fields. The Rev. Raymond Creer, who has been living at the missionary home at Draper maintained by the Draper Baptist church, will return to Japan August 1.

All of the missionaries are connected with Baptist Mid-Missions, Cleveland, Ohio, with which the Draper church is associated.

Fieldale To Get New Post Office Building

The Post Office Department has accepted a proposal by S. S. Flythe, president, First National Bank of Martinsville and Henry County, to erect new quarters for the Fieldale, Va., post office, postmaster Grover C. Overby has announced.

The new building will be located on the northeast corner of Marshall Way and Mill Street and will be completed late in 1957. In supporting the project, Fieldcrest Mills, Inc. made the property available for the site.

Specifications call for the construction of a one-story masonry building providing 1,683 square feet of floor space, a loading platform and a paved driveway and maneuvering area. The new postal facility will be furnished with the latest equipment, a modern bank-type screenline and a separate lobby which will permit mailing and access to lock-boxes after the regular service hours.

Postmaster Overby said the newly constructed quarters will furnish the additional floor space needed to meet the growing postal needs of the expanding residential and industrial community. He stated that the present quarters, rented by the Department on a month-to-month basis, furnish only 970 square feet of floor space for postal operations and are entirely inadequate.

It is understood that Frith Construction Company will be the contractor.

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The Lighter Side

Bank Teller: "You forgot to dot an 'i' in your signature."

Patron: "Would you mind dotting it for me?"

Teller: "I'm sorry, but it has to be in the same handwriting."

Employer: "We can pay you \$70 a week now, and \$75 a week in six months."

Applicant: "Thank you. I'll drop back in six months."

—Mark Twain.

Doctor Shirtsleeve: "I've examined you thoroughly, but I can't seem to find the cause of your trouble. However, it's probably due to drinking."

Patient: "Oh, that's O. K., Doc. I'll come back sometime when you're sober."



10 MONTHS OLD

Robert Wayne McDaniel, 10 months old when the picture was taken, is the son of Bobby and Daisy McDaniel. Grandfather, Clyde McDaniel, works in the Sheeting Card Room and grandmother, Estelle McDaniel, is in the Wool Spinning Department at the Blanket Mill. Maternal grandmother, Ida Holt, is employed in the Blanket Cotton Spinning Department.

Help prevent accidents.



KING SIZE CUCUMBERS

Dan Aheron, mechanic at the Finishing Mill, holds a 17-inch Chinese cucumber grown in his garden. On the table are other king-size specimens. Mr. Aheron grew these from seeds obtained from Troy Ellington, an associate in the Finishing Mill Plant Service Department. Mr. Aheron plans to use the seeds from the cucumbers shown in trying for even longer ones.