People You Know



Cleveland Edmon Walker first came to work at Caromount in November, 1938 in the Weaving Department. After working in this department for one year he left to work elsewhere. He worked with the Standard Coffee Company, J. D. Price Grocery, and Rocky Mount Mills before he returned to Caromount in 1945 to work in the Shipping Department where he is presently employed.

Cleveland is a native of Nash County. He was born May 25, 1922 at Castalia, North Carolina, the second of five children of Mrs. Lena Brown Walker and Harry Walker. He attended school in Rocky Mount where his parents moved when he was about three years old.

In 1942 Cleveland went four months to the Greensboro School of Watchmaking, Greensboro, N. C. In 1943 he was married to the former Miss Lillie Eason. Their wedding took place on the 28th Wedding Anniversary of Cleveland's parents. Mrs. Lillie Walker works in the Caromount Final Examining Department. They have one child, little Miss Lillie Mae Walker. She is six years old, and attends the first grade at Glenwood Hall.

Cleveland is a member of the North Rocky Mount Baptist Church where he has been very active in church work. At present he teaches the Young Married Men's Sunday School Class.

Cleveland is a real sports fan. He is fond of baseball, football, and basketball. In 1950 he helped to manage the Converting Softball team at Caromount. He likes all kinds of fishing, and usually goes to Hoboken.

The Walkers own a home at 8 McDurmon Street.

Weaving Dept

Weaveshed Party

On December 21, 1950, a group of the Weaveshed people gathered in the Field House for a delicious barbecued chicken supper served by Medie Lindsey. Later the group sang Christmas Carols, and danced with Mr. E. H. Suessmuth accompanying them at the piano. A very enjoyable time was had by those present: Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Sutton, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Solomon, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Sutton, Mr. and Mrs. Medie Lindsey, Mr. and Mrs. John Dickens, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Langley, Mr. and Mrs. George Harper, Quillen Ward, Mr. and Mrs. Milford Harrison, Miss Johnnie Bell Harris, Mrs. Reid Satterfield, Mrs. Willis Batton, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Winbon, and E. H. Suessmuth.

Sick At Home

Eddie Wright Denton has been out sick for a long while now. We hope that he will soon get straight and come back to work. Mr. Denton lives at Lamm's Coffee Shoppe in South Rocky Mount, and would appreciate company at any time.

We extend our deepest sympathy to Dave Nelms who lost his mother, Mrs. Maggie Nelms, January 11, 1951; and to Mrs. Nellie Robbins whose brother, Clifton Eason, died on January 11, 1951.

Come And Gone
Ole Santa Claus has come and gone and he made many people happy this year. Wrist watches, rings, new shirts, etc., were very much in evidence following the old boy's visit. Among the lucky ones was Owen Solmon. Santa brought him a new Shakespeare fibre glass fly rod. The neighbors say that it is dangerous to get within a hundred yards of his house these days.

Good Old Santa Claus

The first shift weaveshed drew names to exchange Christmas gifts and it turned out to be quite an enjoyable thing for everyone concerned. When all the gifts were wrapped and delivered to the foreman's office, a real Santa Claus was called in to distribute the presents. Everyone had a grand time, and John Amos Dail, dressed in his Santa Claus suit was perfect.

Tough Luck

Gus Riley had some tough luck recently. When he was helping a friend build a house he met with an accident and injured his hand pretty badly. He has been walking around with his hand in a cast ever since. We hope he will soon be alright. Our Service Men



Gerald "Jerry" Richardson Frye, (above), left Caromount January 8, 1951 to enlist in the United States Army Air Force. He is stationed at San Antonio, Texas for training.

Jerry came to work at Caromount August 23, 1950 in the Warping Department as a material handler and was employed there until he joined the service. He is the son of Aubrey Green Frye (Warping) and Mrs. Mildred K. Frye (formerly of Warping).

Jerry's address is: Pvt. Gerald R. Frye AF 14373968

Flight #1 Training Sq. 3706 Lackland A. F. B. San Antonio, Texas

Herman B. Roberson (formerly in Engineering, now in the U. S. Army) has been moved from his original station in Korea to another town (name unknown) where he is guarding prisoners. Herman says they use the helmet for everything from something to eat from to a bath tub. He said he walked five miles one day to get a chance to take a shower. On the whole, life in Korea sounds pretty rough. They say the prisoners are mean and hard to handle.

There isn't much that we can do for an individual in the service; but we can always keep those letters going to them. If you haven't written to the boys you know in the service, do so now. Mail call is one of the bright spots in their life when they are far from home.

New address: Cpl. Herman B. Roberson ER 33859376

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c/o Postmaster, San Francisco California

Lester Vick writes "I'm back in the old routine" after he returned to the Naval Air Station at Jacksonville, Florida. Lester was stationed at Jacksonville for

Finishing Dept

Attends Air Show

George W. Leonard of the second shift has been taking a G. I. Pilot Training course at the Rocky Mount Air Service.

On January 5, 1951, George made an air flight to Miami to see the annual air show. On the way down the plane contracted magneto trouble and had to land at Daytona Beach for repairs.

What A Hunter

Lancey Winstead went bird hunting recently. While attempting to shoot a quail in flight, Lancey peppered his car with 105 buckshot at 40 yards. He missed the quail too. What a hunter!

Bridal Shower Given For Mrs. A. J. English

Mrs. Ray Barnhill (Finishing) entertained recently at a bridal shower given at her home on Country Club Drive to pay courtesy to Mrs. A. J. English, (Finishing), formerly Miss Ruth Cockrell. For the occasion the bride wore a navy suit with matching navy accessories and a corsage of pink and white carnations.

After many games were played the guests presented Mrs. English with gifts of linen. They were then invited into the dinette by the hostess where the table was spread with a white linen cloth and centered with a bridal arrangement of pink and white roses flanked by a miniature bride and burning white candles. Ice cream, cakes, mints and nuts were served.

Those attending to honor Mrs. English were Mesdames Rachel Cartee, Mavis Parker, Estelle Driver, Ann Phillips, Eloise Collier, Elsie Suggs, Annie Turner, of the Finishing Department; Mrs. Evelyn Hudson, former Payroll Department employee; Mrs. Lossie Wade, Final Examining; Mrs. Mose Ezzelle; Miss Bessie Cockrell, Final Examining; Miss Mabel Cockrell and Miss Esther Cockrell, sisters of the bride.

Finishing Department Party
The Finishing Department employees had their annual Christmas party December 22. Mr. Greenman said that Santa was mighty good to everybody and that they all had lots of fun.

part of his former service in the Navy.

Lester also stated "I'd like to say again that I appreciate the Christmas bonus the company awarded me and also the Christmas package from the Caromount Athletic Association. It's nice to be remembered." Vick's present address is Lester G. Vick, Ade/2, Up-861, N. A. S., Jacksonville, Florida.

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