

People You Know



Mrs. Loula Jones Solmon is an examiner in the Final Examining Department at the Caromount Division of Sidney Blumenthal & Co. Inc. She first came to work here July 16, 1942 as a remnant sorter and soon after was promoted to examiner.

Loula was born in Nash County May 29 1909, one of the six children of Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Strum Jones and the late Pleasant Daniel Jones. She attended Reidsville and Oak schools and graduated from the high school in 1927.

She then moved to Rocky Mount and was employed as a Cashier at McClellan's Store from 1927 to 1940. In 1940 she accepted employment with Belk Tyler Company and remained there until she came to Caromount in 1942.

She was united in marriage November 26, 1933 with Owen Baldwin Solmon, Foreman on the first shift in the Weaving Department. Owen has been employed at Caromount for twenty years.

Mr. and Mrs. Solmon built a new home at 200 West Ridge Street in 1950 and moved there in July of that year.

Loula is a member of the Marvin Methodist Church and has been singing in the choir for the past eight months. She is treasurer of the Society of Christian Service.

She usually spends her spare time playing Bridge and Canasta and occasionally goes to see a baseball game.

Loula and Sol are now helping Sol's father with his farm since his illness. Also they have a one acre garden on the farm which they tend for the family. They

Mending News

Durham

Mrs. Tellie Coley and Mrs. Janna Gupton motored to Durham recently to visit the flower gardens. The tulips, tulip trees and many other flowers and flowering trees were in bloom and all were very beautiful.

Wilmington

Mrs. Maude Ward, Misses Nina and Ora Lee Ward and Mrs. Arrah T. Knight visited Glenwood Park and Lake in Wilmington during the azalea blooming season. The flowers were beautiful and they took some color pictures.

Attended Funeral

Mrs. Maud Ward and Miss Ora Lee Ward went to Charlotte to attend the funeral of their cousin, Mrs. A. H. Gocking who died suddenly in Miami. They were accompanied by Mrs. Arrah Knight of Rocky Mount and Mr. R. R. Trevathan of Raleigh.

Congratulations

Congratulations to Mrs. Tellie Coley on the purchase of her new home at 114 East George Street. We hope she will be happy there.

Guests

Mrs. Eva Collie had as her guest recently, Mr. and Mrs. Lancaster of Oklahoma.

Medical Discharge

Elmer Lee Pridgen, son-in-law of Mrs. Gertrude Powe has received a medical discharge from the Army and has returned home to join his family.

Visited Relatives

Mrs. Annie Woodard visited relatives and friends in Charleston and Summerville, S. C. and enjoyed going through the Azalea, Dogwood, and Magnolia Gardens. All the flowers were beautiful and she had a wonderful time.

Back From New Jersey

Mrs. Geraldine Coley Batts is back from New Jersey where she went to stay with her husband as long as possible before he sailed. On her return she stopped in Washington, D. C., to pay a short visit with her sister, Jane Coley.

In Asheboro

Mrs. Rosa Vester spent a recent week end in Asheboro visiting her son, Hassell Vester, and his family. She had a very nice time.

plan to buy a home freezer locker and freeze their vegetables for later use. They have already planted potatoes, garden peas, snapbeans, corn, beets, turnip salad, tomatoes, cabbage, cucumbers, okra, and squash, and some of them are coming up.

Dyeing And Finishing

Left The Company

We regret to report that Sam Cockrell (Finishing) has left the Company, and is now working with Minges Beer Company.

Florida

Jack Rose (Dyehouse) spent a recent weekend in Florida.

Franklin, Va.

Mrs. Vivian Hodges (Dyehouse) and her husband, Dallas, went to Franklin, Va., recently to visit relatives.

Out Sick

Jack Matthews (Finishing) was out sick for several weeks.

Weaveshed News

Service Station

Melton Mercer is now in the Service Station business on East Thomas Street, and he invites everyone to drive by and fill up.

Accident

John Young's son, David, was recently struck by an automobile in front of his house. Luckily he was not seriously hurt. He is up and around now.

Flying

Charlie Johnson has been doing some flying for quite a while now and has his pilot's license. We understand he is working toward his commercial license. Good luck to you, Charlie.

Out Sick

Old man flu took his toll this month. Some of those who have been out sick are: Raleigh Evans, Jake Jones, H. J. Ezzell, Hallie Pope, Billie Ezzell, Mrs. Lula Pope, Mrs. Nannie Dickens, Ray Bass, Mrs. Mamie Campbell, Maryland Brantley, Charlie Dorsey, Amos Dail, Mrs. Rowland, J. W. Bledsoe, Coy Erye, and Mr. Britain.

Variety Show

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Hill Billy Band

The Hill Billy Band will present musical numbers especially arranged for the 1952 Variety and Minstrel Show, with vocal solos by employees. This portion of the show will be the second act.

Minstrel

The Minstrel show with its old time favorite tunes and funny stories by the end men make up the third act. Vocal solos by members of the minstrel chorus and music by the mill orchestra are also featured in this act.

Special tickets for employees are available at the Caromount and Wilson offices.

Our Service Men

From Hawaiian Islands

Gerald Frye recently spent a 3 day furlough with his parents. He returned to the west coast and on to the Hawaiian Islands and is now in Japan.

From Denver, Colorado

Atlas Nelms writes from Denver, Colorado, that he has been made a Corporal and that he likes the service much better. He wants to hear from his friends at the mill. His address is: Cpl. Atlas Nelms, 3415 Motor Vehicle Sqdn. Lowry A. F. B., Denver, Colorado.

From Albuquerque, N. M.

An Easter card came wishing a Happy Easter to their friend at the mill from S/Sgt. and Mrs. James L. Stansbury and sons formerly with the Wilson Division.

From Paris, France

Charles Sego writes that he has been visiting the perfume factories in Paris and all of the beautiful old buildings.

On Leave

Billy Mehle bounced into the office the other day on leave from his base until April 18th. Billy is stationed with the Athletic Department at the Naval Air Station Alameda, California. His address is: Billy Mehle, Athletic Dept. Naval Air Station, Alameda, Calif.

Charles Cuddington



Pfc. Charles Cuddington (above) recently arrived at Goose Bay, Labrador, with the United States Air Force. He probably will be stationed there for about eighteen months. Charles is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Cuddington (Warping). His address is: Pfc. Charles E. Cuddington, A. F. B. 14419520, Hq. Sqd. 6603rd A. B. W., A. P. O. 677, care Postmaster, New York, New York. His brother, Joe Cuddington received his discharge from the service on April 16, 1952.