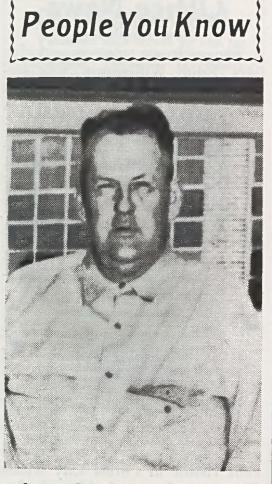
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James L. Jenkins of the Caromount Shipping Department began his work there in December, 1945. Jim, who is 56 years of age, was born and reared in Nash County and worked on the farm before beginning his work at Caromount.

In 1918 he was married to the former Miss Sally Rose of Nash County. They have four children. James Edward of Baltimore, Md., Lillian of Newport News, Va., William Henry of the Rocky Mount Police Department for the past eight years and Joyce who is employed in Rocky Mount as a beauty operator and lives at home.

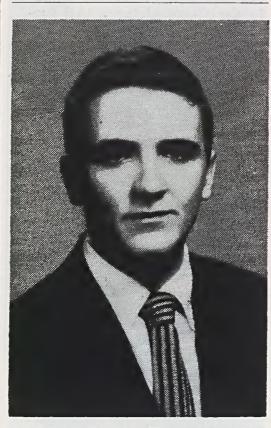
The Jenkins have six grandchildren.

Jim. who stands six feet and six inches tall, will be remembered for his performance in the Caromount Variety and Ministrel Show where he teamed up with "Shorty" Hamrick of the storeroom for the act, "The Long and Short of It". Jim presented quite a picture with a special built top hat which added some two feet to his already six and one half feet of height. Naturally one with this height couldn't get by without playing some basketball and Jim did his playing for the Nashville School. Jim has a small garden which he tends. He states that he used to hunt and fish but does not do much now. As a child he could be found fishing up and down Stoney Creek and Pig Basket Creek.

## Xray For Cancer Patients

O. B. Solmon, member of the Scottish Rite Masonic Lodge in New Bern, has been advised that his organization has voted to purchase a General Electric X-Ray Therapy machine for treatment of patients with cancer. The machine will be placed in Kafer Memorial Hospital, New Bern, and will be made available to all patients suffering from cancer regardless of race, creed or color.

The New Bern Scottish Rite Bodies feel that this machine will be of inestimable benefit to many sufferers of the dread disease and are anxious that the information concerning the availability of this machine be spread throughout every community in Eastern North Carolina.



James Leslie Thompson, Jr. is the son of Mr. and Mrs. (Pete) Thompson of the Wilson Division. He will graduate from Charles L. Coon High School this spring. James was very active in football, basketball and baseball throughout his high school career.

## **Plant Housekeeping**

## Wilson Division News

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Langley had as their guests recently Mr. and Mrs. Joe Langley and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Rhew had as their guests recently Mrs. Rhew's sister and two children and Clyde Gentry, Jr., of Roxboro.

Mrs. Charlie Ward is a patient at Woodard-Herring Hospital and is able to receive visitors. We hope her a speedy recovery.

J. P. Stallings' brother, Edward, from Camp Butner, visited him and his family for a few days recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert (Bob) Godwin have been attending the Oral Roberts meeting in Rocky Mount. Mr. Godwin, assistant minister of the Vick's Chapel Pentecostal Holiness Church, was an usher at the tent meeting.

Mrs. Nona Rucker entertained her daughter, Carolyn, in honor of her twelfth birthday on April 9. Carolyn received many nice gifts and attractive refreshments were served to the following guests: Betsy Brannon, Dotty Glover, Pat Overman, Mariana Davis, Ann Hardison, Emily Hardison, Joanie Faustini, Molly Rucker, Lorraine Rucker, Jean Swain, Charles Davis, Whittie Bass and Elaude Thompson.

We wish to welcome Harvey Benoit who has begun work at the Wilson plant. Mr. Benoit was originally from Shelton, Connecticut, and we hope he will be able to have his family join him in Wilson very soon.





Miss Jean Stith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Stith of the Wilson Division will graduate from Charles L. Coon High School in June. Jean has been active in sports, dramatics and has also played in the band during her high school career.



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Miss Gwendolyn Marie Cher<sup>S</sup>cotlan ry, daughter of Mr. and Mr<sup>s</sup>threater C. T. Cherry, will graduate from Charles L. Coon High<sup>mony</sup> of School in June. She served at P. E dean's assistant, office assistant ford at on the prom committee, and bers of was a member of the Booster bers of Club. Gwendolyn's mother, Mr<sup>sthe</sup> Sc Mary H. Cherry was employedreau j at the Wilson Division. Blumer

Cancer Strikes One In Five — Strike Back — Give Today To The American Cancer Drive Housekeeping is involved in every phase of plant operations. Good Housekeeping brings benefits in better production, sanitation, health, control of accident and fire hazards, and employee morale as well as an improved appearance.

The housekeeping program includes the entire plant area, indoors and out.

Maintaining order and cleanliness is the combined responsibility of management, supervision, and workers. The best program cannot succeed without the support of everyone.

Good Housekeeping means keep it clean and keep it orderly. Shown above is Connie Louise Jones, daughter of Mrs. Doris Jones of the Wilson Division. Connie is seven years old and attends Lee Woodard School in Black Creek. In this picture she is all dressed up in the dress she will wear when she is presented in a music recital by Mrs. Fred Lingbergers piano class.

## Whitehurst Holds Officant dan earl

Julian Whitehurst, employed May the Shipping Department, widelight nominated and elected to the chathe cer of Esteemed Leading Knight, seSchell, ond highest office in the RockPreside Mount Elks Lodge.

Election to this office is by tlent for uanimous vote of the entire LodgT. Clar Whitehurst has held the office T. Gre Tiler until his recent election fax Co the higher office.

Mr. Whitehurst, along with the oming other new officers, was installe Compa at a special meeting held at the Bull Elk Home on April 6, with visio. Bu ing Elks assisting with the instafter to lation.