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-LYDIA'S TWO MILLION SAFE MAN HOURS BARBEQUE, JUNE 1-

The management of Lydia Cotton Mills will be host to all Lydia employees and members of their immediate families at a Barbecue to be held in their honor on Wednesday, June 1st. The gala event is being held in recognition and honor of Lydia employees who recently worked over 2,000,000 man-hours without a disabling injury. The dinner will be prepared by Mr. Walter T. Lynch of Mountville.

Two programs and servings are planned since the mill will be in operation on this day. The first program and serving will be from 11:30 A.M. to 2:00 P.M. The second program and serving will be from 5:00 P.M. to 7:30 P.M. Third shift employees may attend either event they prefer.

Mr. William Fred Ponder, South Carolina Department of Labor Commissioner, will present an all engraved certificate award to the management and employees of Lydia in recognition of their 1959 zero accident frequency record.

"Cousin Bud" To Entertain

"Cousin Bud" and his Country Cousins of WSPA-TV will present their "Sitting Room" country musical program for the guests' listening pleasure before each platform program. Other pre-program activities include pony rides, merry-go-rounds, etc. Door prize drawings of identical gifts will be held at the conclusion of each event.

Lydia Scouts Feted

Superintendent D. H. Roberts was host to the boys of Lydia Boy Scout Troop #90 at a Wiener Roast on April 25th on the grounds outside the Lydia Community Building. Mr. Roberts, as did his predecessor, Vice President, J. B. Templeton, has honored the troop with an annual wiener roast beginning with his first year at Lydia in 1953. The boys look forward to the annual feed of "Hot Dogs and Pepsis". Scoutmaster Ellis Huffstetler said at the event, "Management's interest and active support, both in equipment and time, makes possible the training these boys are receiving which is helping to prepare them to be more useful citizens in adult life."

SNELGROVE AND GLENN AWARDED 1960 BAILEY SCHOLARSHIPS



Myra Ann Snelgrove



William Leon Glenn

Lydia Lions In Laurens County League

The "Lydia Lions" Softball team is an entry in the fast four team Laurens County Commercial Softball League this year. The league comprised of Laurens Shirt Plant, Watts Mills, City of Laurens and Lydia Mills will play an 18 game schedule. Games beginning at 7:30 will be played on lighted McMillian and Watts Mill fields in Laurens each Wednesday and Saturday night. Regular league play began on May 11 and will continue thru July 20.

Lydia victorious in three pre season exhibition games is headed by player-manager Jim Hairston. The 12 member all-employee team has Jim Hairston, Wilford Harris, Maxie Davis, Wallace Patterson, Wayne Templeton, J. B. Vanderford, Bill Fennell, Doyle Templeton, Charles Marler, Paul Ward, Leland Hazel and Claude McElhannon on its active player roster.

The team is sponsored and supported by Lydia Cotton Mills.

Myra Ann Snelgrove and William Leon Glenn, Jr. were awarded M. S. Bailey Memorial Scholarships in recent chapel exercises at Clinton High School by Clinton-Lydia Mills Vice President George H. Cornelson. The scholarships awarded annually by the Bailey Foundation have a maximum value of \$3,000 each. Myra and William will receive up to \$750 per year for four years. They may attend the accredited South Carolina college or university of their choice to pursue any course of study they wish, provided it leads to a recognized degree.

Myra is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Snelgrove, both Clinton Mill employees. William is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Glenn of Clinton. Mrs. Glenn is a long service Clinton employee.

The winners were chosen objectionably on the basis of character, high school scholastic records, qualities of leadership, participation in student, church and community activities, their goals in life and financial needs.

Joel Cox Chosen On All-Star Team

Joel Cox, Clinton High School senior, has recently been notified that he has been chosen to play in the North-South All-Star game in Columbia on August 5. The game is sponsored annually by the Shriners.

Joel, a tackle on the North team, plans to go to Columbia a week and a half before the game. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joel R. Cox, Clinton Mills.

Pools to Open May 30

Swimming Pools at both Clinton and Lydia Mills will again open for the summer season May 30 with the usual full staff of registered and trained life guards.

Swimming classes will be conducted at the early part of the season at hours to be posted at the swimming pools. During these hours, only those taking lessons will be allowed in the pools. These hours, however, will be scheduled so as to interfere very little, if any, with qualified swimmers.

During the past seasons, hundreds of youngsters have been taught to swim at the Clinton and Lydia Pools.

"It is the sincere desire of Clinton and Lydia Mills to teach every child in our communities to swim," says Claude Crocker, Industrial Relations Director of the Mills. "The same is true for any adults who cannot swim. Becoming an adept swimmer may at some time result in saving a life, perhaps your own. Certainly no fisherman or woman, and we have many at both mills, should refuse this wonderful opportunity to learn to swim."

Pools will be open throughout the week except Wednesday nights and Sunday. Daily pool hours are from 9 to 12, 3 to 6, and 7 to 9. Admission is 15 cents for children and 35 cents for adults. Season tickets may be purchased for \$4.00 for children and \$7.00 for adults from the life guards.



Carlisle Neely

Neely Named Clinton Citizen of Year

W. Carlisle Neely, Secretary of Clinton Mills and Assistant Secretary of Lydia Mills has been selected by members of the Lions Club to receive the annual "Citizen of the Year" award.

He is to be honored at an early meeting of the club when a plaque will be presented attesting the honor.

Neely, a long service Clinton-Lydia Official, was selected for his outstanding efforts in doing preliminary work in connection with the Bailey Memorial Hospital, soon to be constructed and making the necessary financial arrangements. He serves as Chairman of the board of directors of the hospital.

He is a member of the Lions Club, immediate past chairman board of deacons First Presbyterian Church and a director of the Greater Clinton Chamber of Commerce.

VACATION PLANS ANNOUNCED

Plans for Clinton-Lydia Vacation closing were announced in the plants May 12th in order to give employees and their families ample time to make their own individual vacation plans.

According to the announcement by President Vance, operations in the plants will cease at 8:00 A.M., Saturday, July 2, and will resume Monday morning July 11th at 8:00 A.M.

The requirements for earning vacation pay are the same as last year and the amount of vacation pay will be calculated at the same percentage as last year.

CLINTON SCOUTS WIN CAMPOREE TROPHY



Clinton Mills Boy Scout Troop #138 won first place in the 1960 Laurens District Spring Camporee held in Joanna May 13, 14 and 15. Scouts Ansel Gilliam, Senior Patrol Leader and Assistant Scoutmaster, and Wayne Johnson are shown proudly presenting the trophy to Superintendent George M. Huguley, Clinton Mill Troop's institutional representative, last week. Truman Owens is Troop Scoutmaster of the 25 member unit.