



KEEPS TABS ON TUBES — Peltier's job as Thread Carrier and Distributor in American Thread's Shuttle Bobbin Department keeps him on his toes furnishing winding tubes and other materials to the operators of the winding machines. He has been on the job steadily for the past six years.



ON THE JOB OFF THE JOB — After hours at the plant, Peltier often puts on his uniform and goes to work for the city of Willimantic as an Auxiliary Policeman. He has been an auxiliary policeman for the past 6 years, was an air raid warden for four.

THE PEOPLE BEHIND the PRODUCTS *At American Thread*

A Company's success is largely determined by the ability of the men and women who make up the organization. American Thread has been a successful member of the Willimantic Community for 58 years, which is certainly a testimonial both to our employees and the products they make.

During this time the Company and the people on its payroll have made every effort to be good citizens—contributing to and participating in the city's growth. This series introduces some of the Willimantic citizens who help make the thread and yarn products which are among the finest made anywhere in the world.

DID YOU KNOW? *American Thread employees put more than \$5,677,000 in circulation last year at Willimantic and neighboring communities. This payroll at the Company's Willimantic Plant is almost 25 per cent of all wages paid in the community during 1955, exclusive of government and non-profit organizations.*



EDMUND P. PELTIER — Fifty-one years old, Peltier is the son of Elizabeth and Edmund Peltier, Sr. His father worked for American Thread as a spinner in the Cotton Spinning Department between 1919 and 1925.



PELTIER AND NEPHEWS — Peltier and his two nephews, Rickie and Mickie, in the living room of his home. Peltier lives with his Mother at 920 Rear Main Street in Willimantic.

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