

# Employees Complete 40-Year Records

H. A. Byrd, Cynthia Sherwood  
 et Service Awards; Ripple  
 Anniversary Is This Week

June is a month of important service anniversaries for three Fieldcresters in three different locations.

H. A. Byrd, quality follow-up man at the Towel Mill, Cynthia Sherwood, head of the Office Service Department at the General Offices, and J. H. Ripple, manager of the Blanket and Sheeting Mills, complete 40-year records during this month.

Mr. Byrd and Mrs. Sherwood attained 40 years on June 1, and each was presented with the Fieldcrest diamond-and-gold 40-year service emblem, a gift, and a letter of commendation from President Harold W. Whitcomb.

Mr. Ripple is to complete his 40 years of service on Wednesday, June 14, and will receive awards at that time.

Mr. Byrd was born in Henry County, Virginia and first joined the Towel Mill June 1, 1921. He has never been off the payroll during his entire 40 years of service. He was a weaver for many years and later worked as a re-inspector and spot inspector in the Cloth Room. Since November, 1957 he has worked in the Weave Room as a quality follow-up man.

Mrs. Sherwood, a native of Spray, worked at the Bleachery as a pillow case folder during the summers while attending Mars Hill Junior College and Salem College. She was employed June 1, 1921 as secretary to L. W. Clark, general manager of the mills, and W. J. Carter, manager of the Nantucket and Lily Mills. Following Mr. Clark's death, she was secretary to Luther H. Bridges and Mr. Carter. She was placed in charge of the Office Service Department when it was organized in 1936 and has served in that capacity since that time.

Mr. Ripple is a native of Davidson County and received his B. S. degree in Textile Engineering from North Carolina State College. He was employed at the Towel Mill June 14, 1921 and has

# Gardner, Moore Get New Assignments



**JAMES E. GARDNER**

... Training Manager ...

The following organization changes have been announced, effective June 1.

James E. Gardner, assistant director of personnel research, was appointed training manager in the Industrial Relations Department.

Robert L. Moore, industrial relations supervisor, Spray area, was appointed employment manager for all mills and staff departments in the Leaksville-Spray-Draper area.

He succeeds J. O. Thomas, employment manager, who retired under the Fieldcrest Pension Plan effective June 1.

Mr. Gardner first joined Fieldcrest Mills in July, 1947, just after receiving

not been off of the payroll since that time. He worked through the mill as a student trainee and in 1924 was appointed assistant foreman.

He became assistant superintendent in June, 1929 and shortly afterwards was promoted to superintendent of the Towel Mill. He was promoted to manager of the Towel Mill in 1940, and continued in that capacity until he was transferred to Draper in 1949 as manager of the Blanket and Sheeting Mills.



**ROBERT L. MOORE**

... Employment Manager ...

his master's degree in psychology from the University of Maryland. He served in the army from 1942 until 1946, and was principally engaged in assigning army personnel to military occupations.

Prior to his army service, he worked as a newspaperman and later as a training advisor to a federal government agency in Washington. A native of Pennsylvania, he received his undergraduate degree in education and a master's degree in English, both from the University of Michigan.

Mr. Moore is a native of Statesville and received his B.S. degree in industrial engineering from North Carolina State College in 1953.

He served in the army for two years as a member of the Counterintelligence Corps and later was associated with a furniture manufacturing firm in Statesville.

He then enrolled in the School of Business Administration at the University of North Carolina, where he completed graduate work in personnel administration. He joined the Industrial Relations Department at Fieldcrest in June, 1958.

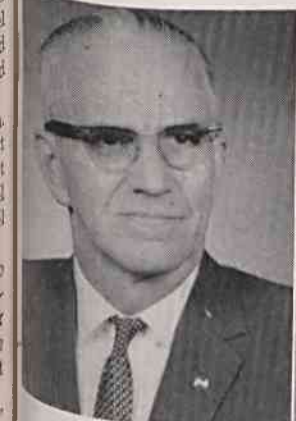
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**H. A. Byrd**



**Cynthia Sherwood**



**J. H. Ripple**