Employees Receive Training In First Aid

A number of employees of the Blanket Mill and Sheeting Mills participated in a first aid course, sponsored by Field-crest Mills and the Leaksville-Spray-Draper Red Cross chapter the week of September 24.

The standard first aid course was arranged primarily for first aid attendants at the Blanket and Sheeting Mills to provide them with an opportunity to review first aid principles and to become familiar with new procedures.

Classes met for two hours each evening, Monday through Friday, at the Draper Y.M.C.A. Instruction was provided by the Tri-City Rescue Squad under the leadership of Grief Jones, captain of the Rescue Squad.

Instructors in addition to Captain Jones were Buford Bateman, of the Blanket Mill Weave Room, chaplain of the Rescue Squad, and Swanson Via, a lieutenant.

Certificates for those successfully completing the course will be awarded by the American Red Cross and will be Presented as soon as they are received by the local Red Cross chapter.



In first aid course for Draper employees, Edith Sparks adjusts chest bandage on Mary Shelton while observing the demonstration are Jack Rierson (left) and M. B. Newman.



Grief Jones, captain, Tri-City Rescue Squad, instructs group in pressure point method of controlling bleeding. From left are Bertha Bateman, Irene Hall, Myrtle Harris, Ruby Riddle and Gladys Robertson.



Nancy Fulcher is "patient" in demonstration of blanket lift for moving an injured person. Clockwise from left are Nora Chambers, Eugene Perry, Augusta Hill, Larry Benson, Alvin Maness and Tommy Jefferson.



Mary Meeks arranges triangular head bandage on Nora Chambers. Looking on, from left, are Boyd Fisher, Ralph Boyles and Alice Trent.



William Cochran prepares arm sling for "victim" Eugene Earles while Billy Hyler, at left, and Ernest Walker watch demonstration.