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# Four Join Office Staff At Karastan Spinning, Worsted

Four attractive young ladies have joined the office staff of the Karastan Spinning and Worsted Plants at Greenville. They are Linda Kay Goodman, Terry Carraway, Sherry Sullivan, and Mary Jo Higson.

Linda Goodman is personnel secretary for the Karastan Spinning and Worsted Plants. She will also serve as the Mill Whistle reporter for both plants. Terry Carraway is secretary

to Jan Vincent, plant manager, Karastan Spinning Mill. Sherry Sullivan is a payroll

Sherry Sullivan is a payroll clerk at the Karastan Worsted Plant.

Mary Jo Higson is a production clerk at the Karastan Worsted Plant.

### How To Use Jumper Cables

According to automotive service experts, most people do not know how to properly use jumper cables when charging a weak battery. Improper use could damage your car's electrical system or cause you personal harm.

Experts suggest that you first make certain that your car and the one from which you are taking a booster charge are not touching.

Next, be certain that you've turned off all battery-operated accessories in your car, if yours is the one with the dead battery.

A very important step follows. Remove the vent caps from the battery in your car and the battery in the car that's giving you a boost. Cover the holes with a folded cloth. If the caps are not removed there is the danger of an explosion. The cloth will help keep you from being spattered by acid.

With the engine turned off, connect one end of either of the booster cables to the positive

terminal of the booster battery. Then attach the other end of the same cable to the positive terminal of your dead battery. This terminal is the one with the plus mark on it.

Next you should connect one end of the second cable to the negative pole of the booster battery. Then attach the other end of that cable to a ground connection on the disabled vehicle. We suggest the engine block. It makes a good ground connection.

Note that you do not connect this cable to the negative pole of the disabled battery. The ground connection is to safeguard your car against damage to its electrical system.

Now you first start the engine of the car with the booster battery. Then start the car with the disabled battery. Once the disabled car is running, dismantle the booster cable arrangement by first disconnecting the positive cable lines. Replace the battery caps and you're ready to run.

## Four Complete Long Records Of Service

Four Fieldcrest employees recently completed outstanding records of 40 years of continuous service with the company. They are Alvin T. Maness, Blanket Greige Mill; Evelyn D. Patterson, Fieldale Towel Mill; J. Rudolph Griggs, Fieldale Towel Mill; and Bruce Powell, Blanket Greige Mill.

Each long-service employee has received the Fieldcrest diamond-and-gold 40-year service emblem, a gift certificate for \$40 in company merchandise, and a letter of commendation from President William C. Battle.

Mr. Maness, a shift foreman in the Inspecting Department at the Blanket Greige Mill, began continuous service at that mill on May 9, 1933, as a filling carrier. He later worked as a chain builder and humidifier man, pattern man and assistant foreman before becoming a shift foreman in 1970.

Mrs. Patterson, a weaver, began employment on May 14, 1934, as a clipper at the Fieldale Towel Mill. She worked as a labeler and battery hand before becoming a weaver in 1943.

Mr. Griggs, a drawing tender, began employment at the Fieldale Towel Mill on May 16, 1934, as a sweeper. He became a drawing tender in 1940.

Mr. Powell, an overhauler in



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