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# THE MILL WHISTLE Four Complete Long Records Of Service

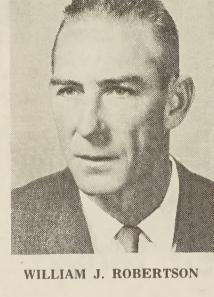
Four Fieldcrest employees recently completed outstanding records of 45 years of continuous service with the company. They are Louise G. Suttenfield, Karastan; William J. Robertson, Grounds Maintenance, Eden; Gladys D. Holland, Business Information; and David A. Brady, N.C. Finishing.

Each long service employee has received the Fieldcrest 45year service emblem, a \$45 gift certificate for company merchandise, and a letter of commendation from president William C. Battle.

Louise Suttenfield, a grader at the Karastan Rug Mill, began continuous service September 30, 1929, as a burler. She has worked her entire 45 years at the Karastan Rug Mill. Before becoming a grader in 1943, she worked as a repairer and also as a yarn server.
William J. Robertson,

of grounds supervisor maintenance and soil conservationist, began employment with Fieldcrest on September 30, 1929, as a slat filler at the old Woolen Mill. He worked at the Woolen Mill until 1949, when he went to the old Synthetic Fabrics Mill as a utility man. He became supervisor of yard maintenance in 1951, and was given added duties as land conservationist in 1973. He has responsibility for the guidance, supervision and, as needed, in the maintenance and conservation of all Fieldcrest land outside the mills in Virginia, North Carolina, Georgia and Alabama, as well as advice on grounds maintenance of all mill property.

Gladys D. Holland, a cost clerk in the Business Information Department at the General Offices, began continuous service on October 2, 1929, as an order checker at the

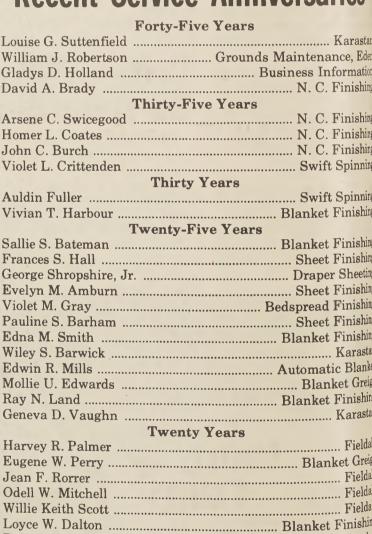


DAVID A. BRADY operator-truck driver in the D No. 1 Department at the Nor Carolina Finishing Compa began continuous service October 7, 1929, as an operator the Dye No. 1 Department. has worked his entire 45 years that department. He became truck driver in 1946, and beamer operator-truck driver

Sheet Finishing Mill . . . She later worked in the General Accounting and Tax Department and at the Blanket Warehouse before going to the Business Information Department as a keypunch operator. She became a head keypunch operator in 1958, and a cost clerk in 1966.

David A. Brady, a beamer

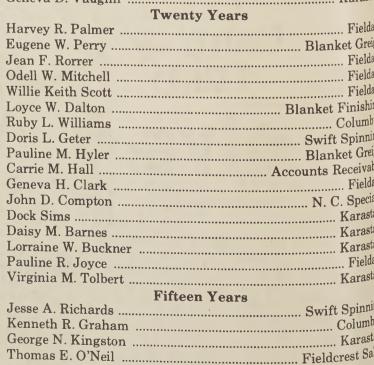
# **Recent Service Anniversaries**



Ten Years

Artice Robinson ...... Swift Spinni

Marian T. Watford ..... Bedspre





### A 'Safety Break'

W. C. Flake, plant manager, congratulates Laurelcrest Carpet Mill employees for achieving 1,000 man-hours without a lost time accident. Coffee and doughnuts were served to employees in the canteen. Congratulations were also given to Laurelcrest Service Center employees for attaining 1,000 accident-free man-hours. They, too, received coffee and doughnuts.

## 9-Year-Old Baseball Fan Sees His Idol Play At Last

Robin Gurley is shown following a trip to Atlanta in July to see the Atlanta Braves play. Hank Aaron is Robin's idol and this trip was to celebrate his 9th birthday which was July 4.

He is shown wearing an Atlanta Brave helmet which was purchased for him as a souvenir.

Robin is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel B. Gurley of Kenly, N.C. His mother, Gladys, who accompanied him to Atlanta, is employed as a circuit inspector in the Wiring Department at the Automatic Blanket Plant. She has been employed at the Automatic Blanket Plant since April of 1961.



ROBIN GURLEY ... A real fan ...