

## Buy-Sell-Swap

**FOR SALE:** 1975 Aria Pro II five-string banjo, excellent condition, with hardshell case, \$450. Call 939-2393 after 5:30 p. m.

**FOR SALE:** Gas range, in good condition, inexpensively priced. Call 627-7156.

**WANTED TO BUY:** Two quilts — fan quilted— for regular size bed. Call 623-8293 after 3:30 p. m.

**FOR SALE:** Five-room Durotherm oil circulator, needs minor electrical repairs, \$20. Call (703) 956-2023 after 5 p. m.

**FOR SALE:** Small gas heater, \$50; oil circulator, \$25; gas cookstove, \$50; nine storm windows, 28" X 59". Call 635-4903 before 2 p. m.

**AVAILABLE** Professional seamstress will do sewing and alteration needs, reasonable rates. Call 623-6651.

**FOR SALE:** Two used safes, in excellent condition, priced to sell. Call 635-1470.

## Columbus

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"I've always thought we were the best. We had the potential all the time, and we can do anything we set out to do" — Mary Cannon, third shift supervisor, Weave Room.

"We were able to do it because everybody worked together. Everybody did a real good job" — Doc Jones, first shift fixer.

"It took all of us working together to do it. I feel real good about it" — Bonita Davis, second shift weaver.

"Everybody put out their best. It was the overall effort of every single person. No one person can take credit for this" — Dave Richardson, first shift weaver.

Dave, however was rather modest in his comments. He has set his own record in addition to the one set by the plant. He ran 14 looms at 99.2 percent for one shift and invited all the other weavers to challenge his record. When no one could break his record, he decided to break it himself. He then ran his looms at 99.3 percent.

When asked what he thought when he first found out that the plant had surpassed the 9-90 goal, he said, "Barbecue!"

## 50-Year Club Meets

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Year Club members attending the luncheon: A. D. Weaver, Hugh T. Lee, J. Thomas Patterson, Betty H. Ratliff, G. Josie Taylor, Jesse W. Griggs.

Also, John T. Tolbert, Glenn H. Simpson, Allie M. Houchins, Earl Bondurant, John W. Page, Bunyan L. Thompson, Lonnie T. Hankins, and the newest member, Kermit Thompson.

The Thompson family is legendary in its history of service to Fieldcrest. The 10 Thompson brothers and sisters, along with their father, James P. Thompson, have contributed a combined record of more than 300 years of service to the company.

In addition to Kermit Thompson, with his 50 years of service, the Thompson brothers are: Bunyan Lee who retired from the Bedspread Mill in 1976 with 50 years of service; Charlie, who retired from the Karastan Rug Mill in 1968 with 39 years; W. Oscar, who retired from the Bedspread Mill in 1967 with 45 years; W. Edgar, who at the time

# Moving Up . . .



PATRICIA ABBOTT



LARRY CAYTON



WILLIAM GARRETT

Fieldcrest employees featured in this column have been promoted recently:

.....Patricia Abbott, to shift foreman, Cutting and Sewing Department, Bedspread Finishing Mill from supervisory trainee, Bedspread Finishing Mill. She has been with Fieldcrest in 1966.

.....David Ayscue, to shift foreman, Weave Room, Blanket Greige Mill from management trainee, Blanket Greige Mill. He joined Fieldcrest in 1976.

.....Larry Cayton, to shift foreman, Quilling Department, Blanket Greige Mill from supervisory trainee, Blanket Greige Mill. He joined the company in 1975.

.....Danny Dodson, to shift foreman, Wool Spinning Department, Blanket Greige Mill, from supervisory trainee, Blanket Greige Mill. He has been with Fieldcrest since 1976.

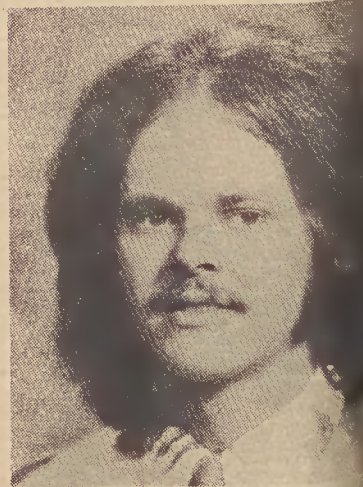
.....William Garrett, to superintendent, Karastan and Bedspread Consolidated Plant Services from superintendent, Burling and Finishing, Karastan Rug Mill. He joined Fieldcrest in 1959.

.....Leon Murray, to shift supervisor, Weave Room, Karastan Rug Mill from weaver, Karastan Rug Mill. He has been with the company since 1967.

.....Phyllis Whitt, to shift foreman, Spinning Department, Bedspread Greige Mill from supervisory trainee, Bedspread Greige Mill. She joined Fieldcrest in 1959.



DAVID AYSUCUE



DANNY DODSON



LEON MURRAY



PHYLLIS WHITT

of his death was an active employee of the Karastan Rug Mill with 42 years of service; George S., who retired from the Karastan Rug Mill in 1964 with 42 years of service and died in 1973; and Dewey, who worked for the company at various times during his life.

The three sisters are Irva Hopkins, who retired from the Blanket Greige Mill in 1964 with 34 years of service; Celecia Reynolds, who retired from the Bedspread Finishing Mill with 15 years of service; and Ed Richardson who worked at the old Nantucket and Lily Mills for 14 years.

## Fire Prevention Week

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Along with the protection of smoke detectors, the family should plan planned routes of escape from every room in the house. If a family member could be trapped in a second story bedroom with the window as the only means of escape, something should be available to knock out the window and a rope should be nearby to lower the person to the ground.