

## Jeffries Joins 50-Year Club

Fieldcrest's newest 50-Year Club member, Payton E. Jeffries, was inducted into the club and honored by management at a luncheon held Thursday, January 25 at Meadow Greens Country Club, Eden.

Members of the club who were present to welcome Jeffries were A. D. Weaver, Hugh T. Lee, J. Thomas Patterson, Betty Ratliffe, Mary Manuel, G. Josie Taylor, Glenn H. Simpson, Allie M. Houchins, T. Earl Bondurant, Bunyan L. Thompson, Lonnie T. Hankins and Thomas K. Thompson.

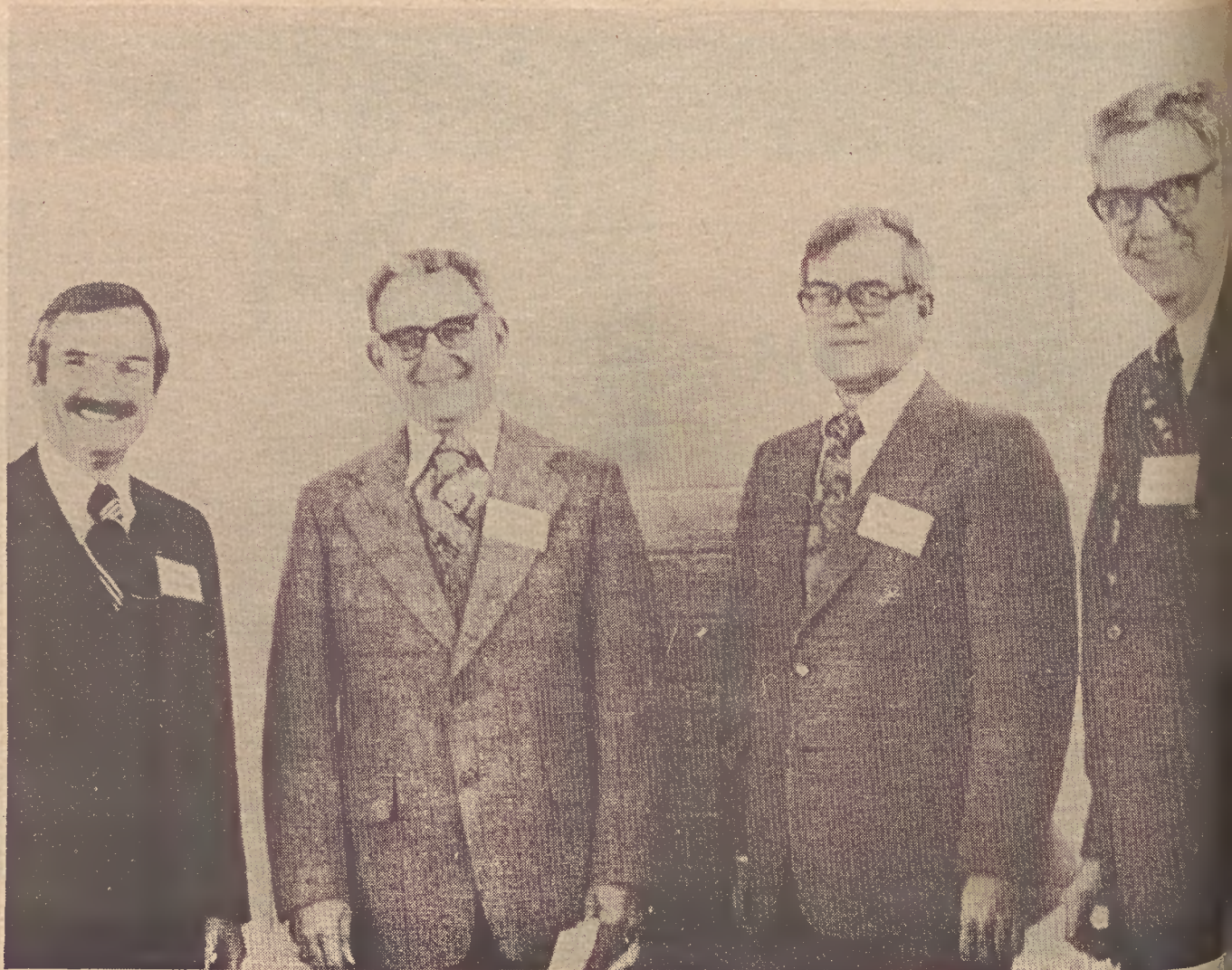
Members of Fieldcrest management present were A. L. Jackson, senior vice president; Dr. L. H. Hance, senior vice president-Research and Engineering; H. H. Newton, vice president - Industrial Relations; R. A. Harden, director - Engineering; C. C. Wilson, director-Employee Benefits and Services; R. L. Moore, regional personnel manager; Jesse Corry, area personnel manager; and Van Rowell, sanitary engineer.

Toastmaster was Dr. Hance who congratulated Jeffries both for his own 50 years of service and for his family who have contributed more than 100 years of service to the company. Dr. Hance also presented Jeffries with the 50-Year pin, letter and check.

Jeffries responded by saying, "If I had it to do over, I wouldn't change a thing. It is an honor to have worked 50 years for such a fine company."

Concluding remarks were made by A. L. Jackson who spoke about what the 50-year group has meant to the company and its development. He also told several anecdotes about working with Jeffries when he first began working for the company. He then thanked Jeffries for his years of service to Fieldcrest.

The door prize was won by J. Thomas Patterson.



**NEWEST 50-YEAR CLUB MEMBER, Payton Jeffries, second from left, with officers of the company, from left, H. H. Newton, Dr. L. H. Hance, A. L. Jackson.**



**BROTHERS, Thomas K. Thompson, left, and Bunyan L. Thompson are both members of the 50-Year Club.**



**JEFFRIES IS CONGRATULATED by A. L. Jackson, right, as T. Earl Bondurant looks on.**