## DELIA TOWNSEND AND ORPHA POPE RETIRE





After twenty-six years of continuous service with the Knit-Sox Division in Hickory, Delia Townsend, inspector, retired April 14 on the basis of age. She celebrated her 65th birthday on February 26, complete with a dinner, an orchid and gifts, presented by her friends. And, upon the occasion of her retirement, her coworkers presented her with drapes for her den.

Mrs. Townsend's hobbies are growing flowers and making quilts--and she hopes to do a lot of both while enjoying her retirement.

Orpha L. Pope, pairer of Plant #3, has retired on the basis of age; she had been employed by Adams-Millis Corporation for twenty-four years.

As a young single girl, her first public work was with Hanes Knitting Company where she worked as a seamer for five years before her marriage. Later, she came to Adams-Millis seeking work and was given an opportunity to learn to pair socks. She has spent her entire hosiery career in the Pairing Department with a record of good quality work.

Mrs. Pope was born and reared near Union Cross in Forsyth County. Her husband is a progressive farmer and they reside in the Sedge Garden Community. The Popes have four daughters, three of whom are former employees of Reynolds Tobacco Company. One is now a secretary there; and one son, Dr. Billy Pope, is a counselor at High Point College.

Mr. and Mrs. Pope are active members of the Sedge Garden Methodist Church.

## CORRECTION

Our apologies to these employees whose years of perfect attendance were omitted or reported incorrectly in last issue of AMCO NEWS:

> Plant #3: Nan Bates, 5 years

Main Office:

Mack Harris, 6 years

Melba Leonard, 2 years

Maudie Carraway, 1 year

Colleen Davis, 1 year

Louise Elliott, 1 year

Sue Ripple, 1 year

Vivian Thomas, 1 year

## Sears Award Received Second Consecutive Year

For the second consecutive year, Adams-Millis Corporation was the recipient of the Sears, Roebuck and Company award, Certificate of Symbol of Excellence, which was presented with formal ceremonies at a luncheon in High Point on April 24. Mr. Myron Graham, Sears national merchandise manager for boys' and students' apparel, and Mr. Robert Gorenflo, boys' hosiery and underwear buyer, made the presentation.

The award was given to Adams-Milli's Corporation in recognition of the outstanding performance of its management and employees in manufacturing superior quality products for Sears during the past year.

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