

## OTHER DIVISIONS

As of August 1, 1974

Standing This Report	Standing Last Report	Department	Hours Worked Since Lost Time Accident	Date of Last Lost Time Accident	Injuries Re- ferred to Doctor Last 12 Months
1	1	#22 TexElastic	515,968	June 12, 1973	27
2	2	#51 A-M Fabrics	238,604	Feb. 26, 1973	5
3	5	#20 TexElastic	60,350	May 15, 1974	26
4	4	#52 A-M Fabrics	24,569	June 1, 1974	13
5	3	#21 A-M Texturing	12,994	July 25, 1974	29
6	6	#53 A-M Fabrics	7,368	July 8, 1974	33

### **NOTIFY SOCIAL SECURITY BEFORE YOU ARE 65**

Where has the time gone? It seems that only yesterday you were bouncing your youngest son on your knee. Now he has finished college, married, and his wife is expecting their first child in a few months. You are 64 1/2 years old, and in good health. Think you'll retire in 6 months? You say never! You feel too good. There's a lot of work left in you yet.

There are several good reasons why a person who feels as you do should contact his Social Security Office at age 65, even though he has no current plans to stop working. Often many persons reaching age 65 and continuing their work never contact the Social Security Office.

The Social Security Administration realizes that many persons reaching age 65 plan to keep right on working and have no intention of retiring. But that does not change the fact that those persons need to file a claim for social security. Those reaching age 65 can file for and receive Medicare benefits even though they plan to keep right on working.

To obtain this Medicare coverage so that it will be effective at age 65, a claim must be filed during the 3-months' period before the month a person reaches age 65.

If you don't enroll during your initial enrollment period, there will not be another opportunity to enroll in Medicare until January, February, and March of the next year. But the effective date of the medical coverage would not start until July 1 of that year. In addition to missing several months of protection, a higher premium would have to be paid because of late filing. These reasons alone should be enough to encourage a person to file for social security at age 65.

Another reason that might be important is the award notice sent to all persons who file for

social security benefits. It gives the amount of the check that will come each month after a person has retired. This means that a person can know ahead of time how much he can expect from social security and plan his retirement accordingly. By knowing ahead of time what is expected from social security, more complete retirement plans can be made.

These are some of the reasons for filing for social security 3 months before you are age 65. Your case may be similar to the above example. Unfortunately, many who have not contacted their Social Security Office may have lost some monthly benefits that can never be recovered. If you fall into one of the above-mentioned categories, it is time for you to contact your Social Security Office. You can file your claim over the phone. Call the Social Security Office nearest you.

### ***Hitched***

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Sue Evans and Billy Wall were united in marriage on June 15, 1974 at Welcome Baptist Church in Mt. Airy. They honeymooned in Washington, D.C. before taking up residence on Route 3 in Mt. Airy. Both the bride and groom are employees of Adams-Millis Hosiery Company, Mt. Airy.

Rebecca Simmions and David Ray York became Mr. and Mrs. on May 26, 1974 in York, South Carolina. They are making their home at 150 Bluff Street in Mt. Airy, where David Ray is an employee of Adams-Millis Hosiery Company.

William Little and Louise Poole became husband and wife on July 24, 1974. They are making their home on Route 9 in Greensboro. Both the bride and groom are employees of TexElastic Corporation, High Point.