

Karastan Machinery Being Rearranged

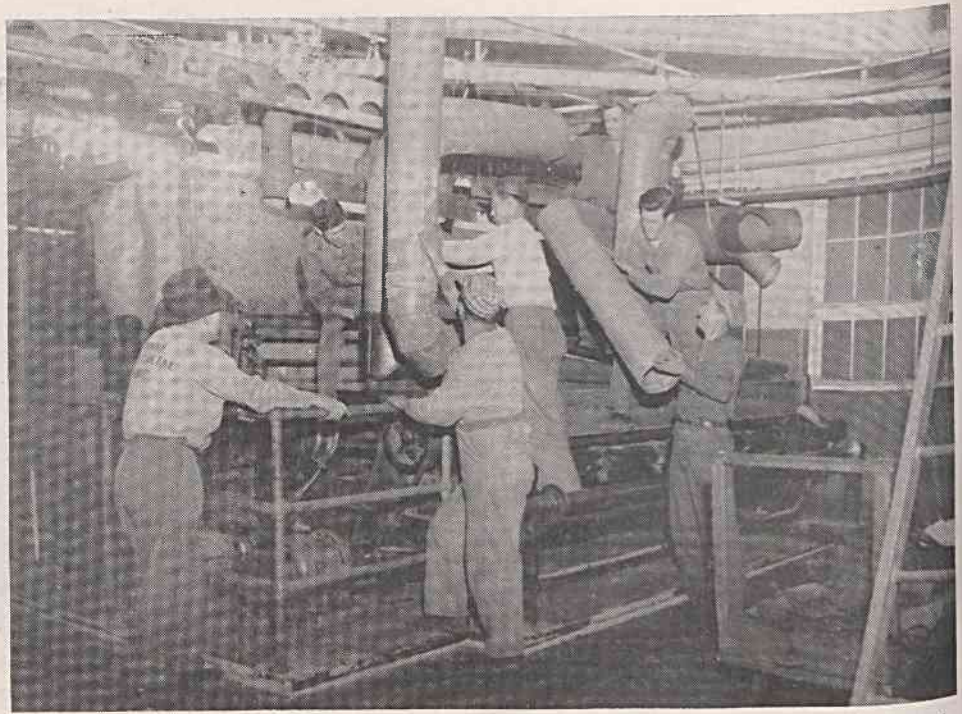
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former winding area and the plain goods shearing and the inspection operations which were formerly in the weave room have been grouped with burling. The Setting Dept. was moved to the former burling and carving areas and the Foster winders and the yarn beamer unit occupy the former setting space.

In the Weaving Dept., looms were rearranged to provide space for a new ground warp beamer in the southern corner of the room. The area formerly occupied by the plains goods shearor and the inspection tables is being readied for the two additional needle looms on order.

Building alterations were made in a portion of the former skein yarn storage room where the new carpet back-sizing and dryer unit has been installed. Columns were removed, the roof beams reinforced and the length of the room extended to accommodate the dryer installation. The passageway between the main mill and the washer building was widened by 25 feet to make room for the new skein yarn dryer which has been installed and is in operation.

Woman to a friend at a party: "I'm miserable. I've got on my sitting-down shoes and my standing-up girdle."
(Auburn Plainsman)



PLAIN GOODS SHEARER was moved from the weave room to the burling department as a part of the machinery rearrangement at Karastan. Picture shows sheet metal workmen as they relocate pipes in the lint exhaust system.

"Tell the court how you came to take the car."

"Well, the car was standing in front of the cemetery and I thought the owner was dead."

"The things a woman will do to get a man makes us wonder if it's worth it".
—Charles Grant

Bruce Gauldin Attains 50 Years Of Service

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wool cards in the Blanket Mill. He worked as a doffer in the ring spinning department and later operated wool cards. He was a mule spinner for a time but has been a jacquard weaver for more than 40 years.

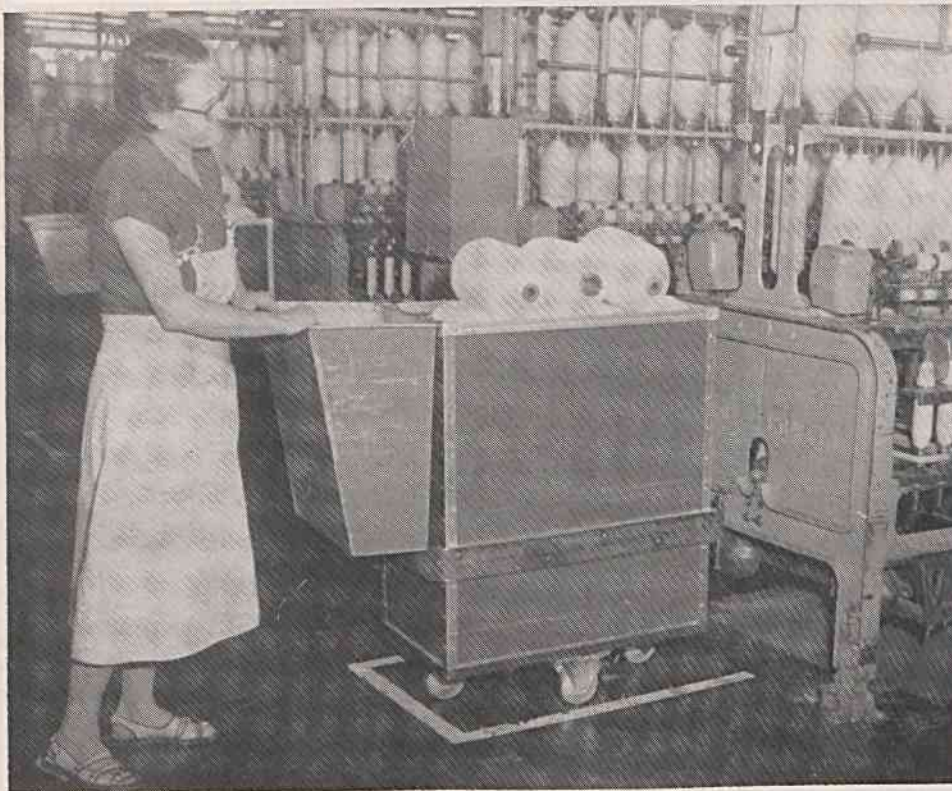
He is a member of the First Methodist Church of Draper, and has served as a member of the official board.

Mr. Gauldin bought a farm and built a home near Draper more than 35 years ago. His wife is the former Sallie Lou Hall of Vesta, Virginia, who was working in the Blanket Mill cloth room at the time they married.

They have six daughters, all of whom are married.

Mrs. W. A. Johnson, Jr. (Eva) Draper; Mrs. Elwood Edwards (Hazel), Leaksville; Mrs. Bob Winn (Beatrice), Danville, Virginia, Mrs. Truman Shope (Cleatis), of Draper; Mrs. M. W. Salmons (Christine), Winston-Salem, and Mrs. Ray Mason (Janice) of Greensboro. The Gauldins have nine grandchildren.

Mr. Gauldin has two brothers and a sister now employed at Fieldcrest: T. A. (George) Gauldin, change fixer at the Towel Mill; Dewey Gauldin, a loomfixer at the Blanket Mill; and Mrs. Catherine Weddle who is employed in the Sheeting Spinning Department. Mr. Gauldin has a brother, Lester Gauldin, who is in the dairy business in Charlotte County, Virginia, and another brother, the Rev. Harry Gauldin, radio's "Old Country Preacher" of Greensboro.



CORRECT STORAGE of boxes, trucks, roving cans, etc. keeps them handy for use when needed and the orderly arrangement adds to the attractiveness of the department. In picture, Cleo Hopper, Sheeting Mill, places roving box in proper storage location. Note zone lines painted on floor at end of frame.