

# Vote As You Please--BUT VOTE!

Tomorrow (Tuesday, November 4) is election day.

You have a lot to lose if you don't vote. By failure to vote you will not be able to express yourself on—for instance—schools, law enforcement, etc., candidates and the issues they stand for. You will be letting those who DO VOTE decide these important matters for you.

The right to vote is a priceless heritage of a free people. It is your ticket to continued freedom and the kind of government, local and national, that you want.

Maybe you think your vote won't matter in the final results. But you're wrong. Your vote could decide an election.

The winner of many a statewide contest has been decided by a difference of one vote per precinct—or less.

Historically, one vote had a lot to do with things in the U. S.:

Thomas Jefferson was elected by a single vote in the electoral college as was John Quincy Adams.

Just one vote elected California, Idaho, Oregon, Washington and Texas to statehood.

More recently, the Draft Act of World War II passed the House by one vote.

So don't throw away the vote you're entitled to cast in tomorrow's election. It may elect your candidate to office.

Intelligent voting is a basic act of good citizenship. Be a responsible citizen. Make up your mind. Vote as you please—BUT VOTE!

## Towel Mill Honors Its Quality Leaders

Top quality weavers and top loomfixers at the Towel Mill for the most recent periods of record are shown below.

In addition to being printed in the Mill Whistle, the names of the "top" quality weavers and loomfixers are posted on the weave room bulletin boards each week.

The "Weavers of the Week" are those with the lowest per cent of seconds with respect to the standards for the various loom groups.

The top loomfixers are determined through a combination of low seconds and high loom efficiency on their respective sections.

### Weavers—W/E October 19

Dobby Terry ..... Donald Trantham  
Jacquard Terry ..... Harold Hale  
Draper & Cam Terry ..... Ben Miller

### Fixers—W/E October 19

Dobby Terry ..... Noble Barrow  
David Stone  
Jacquard Terry ..... None  
Draper & Cam Terry ..... Baxter Thomas  
Huck & Crash ..... Booker Dalton

### Weavers—W/E October 12

Dobby Terry ..... Donald Trantham  
Jacquard Terry ..... Frank Bradley  
Harold Hale  
Draper & Cam Terry ..... Walter Shelton

### Fixers—W/E October 12

Dobby Terry ..... James Dalton  
Jacquard Terry ..... None  
Draper & Cam Terry ..... Baxter Thomas  
Huck & Crash ..... Booker Dalton

## Credit Union Corner

### Q. Are all employees eligible to join the Credit Union?

A. Membership in the Credit Union is open to all Fieldcrest Mills employees in the North Carolina mills and offices.

Any employee at North Carolina mills who wishes to join the Credit Union should contact his supervisor for information and for a membership card.

An employee becomes a member by paying a 25c fee and by signing a card authorizing the Company to deduct a specified amount of savings from each pay check.

Savings of as little as 25c a week are accepted.

### Q. How do I get in touch with the Credit Union representative?

A. See the foreman or assistant foreman who will arrange for you to meet with the Credit Union representative. At present, the industrial relations supervisors in the various mill areas are the Credit Union representatives.

### Q. What are the more common purposes for which Credit Union loans are made?

A. At this time of year, members frequently borrow for fall and winter clothing, school expenses, winter fuel, heating systems, home repairs and similar needs. The year around, the more common purposes of loans are for consolidating small debts, buying for cash instead of financing purchases, medical bills, dental expenses, eyeglasses and for various financial emergencies.

## THE MILL WHISTLE

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### REPORTING STAFF

Bedspread ..... Ada Jones  
Blanket Mill ..... Katherine Turner  
Central Warehouse ..... Geraldine Perkins  
Draper Offices ..... Mamie Linn  
General Offices ..... Hilda Grogan  
Gladys Holland, Katherine Mearns  
Karastan Mill ..... Irene Meier  
Karastan Offices ..... Mary Steen  
New York Offices ..... Jane Corbin  
Sheeting Mill ..... Ruth Talbot  
Towel Mill ..... Fay Warren, Fannie Hundley

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## Service Anniversaries

Fieldcrest Mills extends congratulations and sincere appreciation to the following employees who, since our last issue, have observed notable anniversaries of continuous service.

### Forty Years

Warford N. Tilley ..... Finishing

### Thirty-Five Years

Dora G. Barnes ..... Karastan

### Thirty Years

James B. Minter ..... Blanket  
Essie C. Akers ..... Blanket

### Twenty-Five Years

Wilma F. Hudspeth ..... Sheeting  
Roy B. Davis ..... Karastan  
Melvin F. Woodward ..... Towel  
Gladys W. Young ..... Sheeting  
Leon O. Shropshire ..... Karastan

### Twenty Years

Elzie S. Chaney ..... Bleaching  
Bertha C. Brown ..... Sheeting  
Viola P. Haymore ..... Blanket  
Mallie S. Medford ..... Sheeting  
Maude C. Hopper ..... Finishing  
Gaynelle W. Christley ..... Finishing  
Farie J. Robertson ..... Karastan

### Fifteen Years

Lessie O. Chambers ..... General Office  
John Broadnax ..... Central Warehouse  
Carrie W. Moore ..... Sheeting  
Jesse W. Martin ..... Bedspread  
Bessie G. Chumley ..... Sheeting  
Amos C. Shively, Jr. .... Cen. Warehouse

### Ten Years

Vivian M. Shough ..... Bleaching  
Isaac P. Rober'son ..... Bleaching  
Amos E. McAlexander ..... Towel  
Darlene H. Overby ..... Auto. Blanket



Take heed unto thyself, and unto the doctrine; continue in them: for in doing this thou shalt both save thyself, and them that hear thee.

—1 TIMOTHY 4:6

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