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Million Safe Hours For Bedspread Mill

Employees of the Bedspread Mill have completed a million man-hours of work without a lost-time accident.

The mill operated the entire year of 1961 without a disabling injury. The last such injury occurred December 23, 1960. The employees are now working toward a new goal of two calendar years and over two million man-hours without lost time due to injury.

F. E. Barron, Jr., mill manager, and W. G. Hunnings, Jr., superintendent, in a letter to employees, congratulated them on their fine record and expressed appreciation for their cooperation.

"... Your present accomplishment of 1,000,000 man-hours without a lost-time accident is worthy and proves that you and your fellow workers have taken personal interest in eliminating hazards and avoiding unsafe acts.

"We are sure that you enjoy a sense of satisfaction in knowing that your interest and participation in mill safety have helped prevent suffering and hardship. This makes our mill a better place in which to work. Let's continue this fine performance so that we can go on to attain the top safety position for our mill," the letter stated.

Fieldale Community Fund Makes Donation

The Fieldale Community Fund has made a contribution of \$2,562.65 to the Martinsville - Henry County Cancer Crusade.

In an informal ceremony at the Towel Mill April 10, Edgar H. Gordon, foreman of Bleaching and Dyeing Department and chairman of the Fieldale Community Fund Committee, presented a check for the above amount to Jack Lester of Martinsville, chairman of the Cancer Fund drive.

Also representing the Fieldale Community Fund Committee at the presentation were Mozelle Gourley, of the Sewing Department; Vera Warrick, of the Cost Department; and Elmer L. Dunagan, of the Plant Service Department.

The Fieldale Community Fund earlier made a donation to the Heart Fund and allocations are to be made later to the



Willard Harris (left) accepts, on behalf of the company, the Silver Merit Award given by Greater New York Fund from Donald Varisco, Fund representative. Others standing are, from left, Steve Smith, John Foster, and Pat Hamilton; seated, Velma Minter, Lynn Steinbach, and Loretta Goggin.

Sales Office Honored By New York Fund

Our Fieldcrest sales headquarters in New York recently received an award from the Greater New York Fund for its participation in the 1961 annual campaign.

On a per capita basis, the sales office placed 20th out of 3,200 companies which took part in the campaign.

Campaign manager at Fieldcrest was Steve Smith of the Bedspread Department. Team captains were Misses Ina Cosentino, Loretta Goggins, Velma Minter, and Lynn Steinbach and Messrs. John Foster, Pat Hamilton, Willard Har-

ris, and E. S. Klein, Jr.

In ceremonies at the New York Office, the Silver Merit Award was presented by Donald Varisco of the Greater New York Fund and was accepted, in behalf of Fieldcrest, by Willard Harris, operations manager.

Steve Smith, the campaign manager and the various team captains were present at the presentation ceremony. Mr. Smith, personally, was presented a special award as the Fieldcrest campaign manager. This award also was presented by Mr. Varisco.

Credit Union Grows At Greenville, Smithfield

Membership in the Fieldcrest Mills Credit Union at Greenville and Smithfield continues to grow. As of last week, a total of 225 employees had joined and 35 loans had been made since membership in the Credit Union was opened at those locations April 1.

Employees there are invited to join the Credit Union for regular savings and low-cost loans.

Martinsville-Henry County chapter of the National Polio Foundation, the United Fund, and other authorized drives.

The Towel Mill conducts only one solicitation each year, at which time an employee may pledge a single contribution to be paid in small installments through payroll deduction over a period of twelve months.

The fund that is raised is administered by a committee composed of employees representing each department in the Towel Mill.