Truck Drivers, Chauffeurs Receive Safe Driving Awards



AT SAFETY AWARDS PRESENTATION - Left to right, seated, Bill Sawyers, Tony Martin, Ray Ferguson, Ken Amos, Clifford Emerson, J. W. Talley, James Hensley, Joe Odell; standing, Herbert Hundley, C. B. London, Jack Crowder, Homer

Fain, William Harris, Sam McCrickard, Hal Robertson, chauffeur; Ernest Sams, traffic manager. Absent were Mack Young. Franklin Gilley, Roy Sawyers, Jack Snead, and chauffeurs Swanson Jones and E. L. Teague.

Safe driving awards to Fieldcrest over-the-road truck drivers and chauffeurs were presented at the Traffic Department's annual Safety Award Dinner at Meadow Greens Country Club Saturday evening, September 22.

Safety awards from the National Safety Council were given for threeyear and two-year records of no chargeable accidents.

Three-year awards were presented to Jack Crowder, Swanson Jones, Tony Martin, Sam McCrickard, Jack Snead,

J. W. Talley, E. L. Teague and Mack

Recipients of two-year awards were Homer Fain, Ray Ferguson, Franklin Gilley, James Hensley, Herbert Hundley, Hal Robertson, Bill Sawyers and Roy Sawyers.

The awards were presented by H. R. Bronson, safety engineer of the Utica Mutual Insurance Company, the insurance carrier. Mr. Bronson also provided the program.

A majority of the award winners have

records of no chargeable accidents since they have been in the department. No records of longer than three years were recognized because the program went into effect only three years ago.

E. W. Sams, traffic manager, presided. Attending as guests were W. D. Goldston, Jr., and W. H. Hubbard, president and vice president, respectively, of Goldston Transfer, Inc.

Quality Weavers

Named below are the Blanket Mill weavers who made the quality honor list for the six months ending Sep-

Newcomers to the list for the latest period are Virginia G. LaPrad and Katherine P. Turner, plain or dobby weavers; and Lee Roy Brown, jacquard weaver.

The listing of the quality weavers is part of a program at the Blanket Mill designed to emphasize the importance of quality weaving and to give recognition for outstanding records.

In order to make the quality honor list a weaver must work for six months without a major quality defect in his or her cloth.

When a weaver on the list has a major quality defect, his name is dropped. Other weavers are added as they attain six months of quality work.

Plain Weavers

Lillie Barker Virginia G. LaPrad Kathleen Edwards Katherine Turner

Jacquard Weavers

Lee Roy Brown James Vernon Gladys Harris

Campaign Leaders







A. L. Jackson

C. J. Frank, Jr.

Two Fieldcrest men will have key positions in the forthcoming Tri-City Community Fund campaign.

Arthur L. Jackson, assistant to the vice president, manufacturing, was chosen by the Fund's board of directors to serve as general chairman of the community campaign.

Clinton J. Frank, Jr., director of industrial relations, has accepted appointment as chairman of the industrial division which includes Fieldcrest Mills and other textile plants in the Tri-Cities.

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week, he will not be required to make up the missed deduction.

As in previous campaigns a number of prizes and awards will be offered Fieldcrest employees in connection with the campaign. There will be drawings for valuable prizes among the employees who pledge a day's pay. Plaques and certificates will be awarded to mill departments and staff units in which 100% of the employees pledge a day's pay.

Specific information concerning the various contests, prizes and awards will be carried in the next issue of The Mill Whistle. Also to be presented then will be details concerning the campaign organization at Fieldcrest and the method of solicitation.

The agencies benefiting from the Tri-City Community Fund and the amounts allocated to them for their 1963 operations are as follows:

Boys' Club, \$8,300; Boy Scouts, \$7,500; Consolidated Central and Henry Street YMCAs, \$11,215; Draper YMCA, \$7,500; Girl Scouts, \$4,431; Red Cross, \$7,163; Rescue Squad, \$2,345; Retarded Children, \$1,500; Salvation Army, \$6,000; and Carolinas United, \$4,859.