

Retiree Chosen 'King For Hour'

William N. Andrews, a retired Fieldcrest salesman, was "King for an Hour" on Rose Day at the Illinois State Fair in Springfield. He sat on a throne and visitors went up to greet him and to sign a register he had before him. The first to sign the register was Illinois Governor Otto Kerner.

Mr. Andrews, a perennial winner of top awards at flower shows and at county and state fairs, was the man responsible for having the State Fair officials institute a Rose Day at the fair.

He was nominated for the "King for an Hour" honor by Mrs. Laura Bailey, the fair's superintendent of horticulture. He was cited for his work with roses and for his part in establishing a rose garden at Fairview Park in his home town of Decatur, Ill.

A leading Decatur gardener, Mr. Andrews is a member of the Decatur Beautification committee of the Chamber of Commerce and represented the Stephen Decatur Rose Society in the chamber's sale last March of over 2,000 Eutin roses in the beautification program.

At the Decatur rose show in June he won 38 ribbons, including 15 blues, and three purples for special awards. He received two silver bowls and two gold American Rose Society certificates in the sweepstakes awards.

He won a large number of the awards at the flower show at the Macon County fair and at the Illinois State Fair which has just closed he won his share of the awards. On Rose Day in the horticulture section he won a total of 25 ribbons.

On the last day of the fair he was honored for his fine entries of flowers and for keeping up the quality of the blooms exhibited.

Mr. Andrews retired under the Pension Plan in 1951 after a 42-year career with Marshall Field & Company and Fieldcrest Mills. He returned to his home town of Decatur and began flower gardening on an extensive scale. His home, "Tulip Hill", has become a showplace with its thousands of flowers.

He has been extremely active in beautification work and in promoting the organization or improvement of flower shows



W. N. Andrews gets roses ready for entering in flower show

at fairs and other events. He has received wide recognition and has won hundreds of ribbons and prizes for his flowers.

From 1910 until 1951, Mr. Andrews was a salesman covering the huge midwest territory, including Pittsburgh, Cleveland, Detroit, Louisville and other centers as well as several states in the northwestern United States.

Well known to many at Fieldcrest, he continues to have a keen interest in the company. He keeps in touch with the Fieldcrest organization through The Mill Whistle and through occasional correspondence with President Whitcomb, in the sales division, and others.

Towel Mill Lists Top Weavers And Fixers

The Towel Mill's top quality weavers and loomfixers are listed below for the most recent periods of record.

Weavers—W/E August 11

Dobby Terry Vilas Triplett
Jacquard Terry Robert Ferguson
Draper & Cam Larry E. Stoneman
New C-7 Looms William Law
(In Hosiery Mill building)

Fixers—W/E August 11

Dobby Terry James Law
Tommy Joyce
Jacquard Terry Woodman Allen
Draper & Cam Ben Miller
New C-7 Looms Lloyd Barker
(In Hosiery Mill building)

Weavers—W/E August 4

Dobby Terry Albert Goard
Jacquard Terry Leon Joyce
Harold Richardson
Draper & Cam Ralph Ballard
New C-7 Looms Harry Kennett
(In Hosiery Mill building)

Fixers—W/E August 4

Dobby Terry J. S. Hundley
Jacquard Terry Woodman Allen
Draper & Cam Baxter Thomas
New C-7 Looms Lloyd Barker
(In Hosiery Mill building)

Weavers—W/E July 28

Dobby Terry Albert Goard
Jacquard Terry Robert Ferguson
Draper & Cam Ralph Ballard
New C-7 Looms Harry Kennett
(In Hosiery Mill building)

Fixers—W/E July 28

Dobby Terry David Holcomb
Jacquard Terry Woodman Allen
Draper & Cam Baxter Thomas
New C-7 Looms Lloyd Barker
(In Hosiery Mill building)

Weavers—W/E July 21

Dobby Terry David Shively
Jacquard Terry Moir Padgett
Draper & Cam Ralph Ballard
New C-7 Looms Harry Kennett
(In Hosiery Mill building)

Fixers—W/E July 21

Dobby Terry Melvin Woodward
Jacquard Terry Wendell Walker
Draper & Cam Thurman Watson
New C-7 Looms Lloyd Barker
(In Hosiery Mill building)

The little voice inside us used to be conscience; now it's a pocket radio.

To avoid that run down feeling—cross the streets carefully.

Loom No. 58 Receives Housekeeping Award

Loom No. 58 won the Karastan Weave Room housekeeping award for the month of July. Weavers on the loom are Bud Roberts, Homer Fain and Hobert Hundley.

The Karastan Mill awards certificate each month on the loom which has the highest total points in four housekeeping inspections by the weave room supervisor.

Catherine Faye Turner



Catherine Faye Turner, shown at the top, is the eight-month-old daughter of Albert and Mrs. Jerry Turner, former owner of Leaks and Catherine Faye Turner, a granddaughter of Major C. Chubb, who works at the Finishing Mill, and W. F. Turner, Karastan Weave

and Viva Turner, Karastan Center.