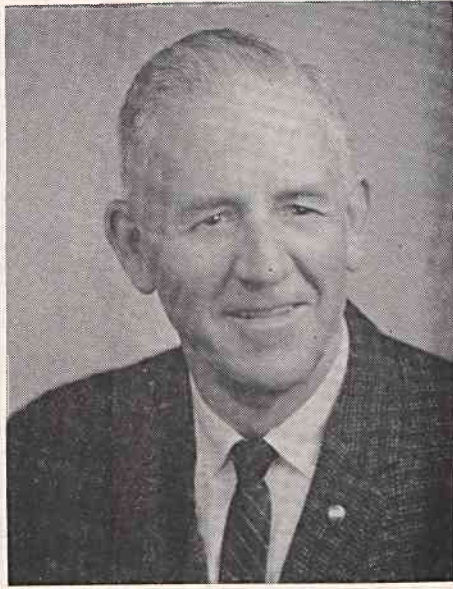


J. KEMP NEWNAM



ARTHUR GRAY LAND



WILLIAM J. LONG

# Three Honored For 40 Years Of Service

Three employees in three different mills have observed 40-year anniversaries of continuous service with the company thus far in October.

J. Kemp Newnam, an order filler at the Sheet Finishing Mill, completed 40 years on the first day of the month. Arthur Gray Land, a washer operator helper at the Finishing Mill, completed 40 years October 9, and William J. Long, a drawing tender at the Blanket Mill, reached his 40th milestone of continuous service October 15.

Each of the veteran employees was honored in an informal ceremony on his anniversary and each was presented with the Fieldcrest 40-year emblem, a gift and a letter of commendation from President Harold W. Whitcomb.

Mr. Newnam, a native of Leaksville, has been a packer or order filler during his entire 40 years of service. He was first employed in the old Bleachery Packing Department October 1, 1923. He continued as a packer when the Sheet Stock Department was moved to the Central Warehouse. He became chief order filler for sheets in 1944 and served in that capacity for the next 17 years. In 1961 he began working in the classification, order filler—customer, in the Sheet Stock Department. He has continued to work in that classification since the operation was transferred in 1962 to the Storage and Shipping Department at the Sheet Finishing Mill.

Mr. Land, who was born at Spray, first worked as a doffer at the old Rhode Island Mill in 1918. He later resigned but was reemployed as a weaver at the Woolen Mill October 9, 1923. He has continuous service since that date. He was a weaver at the Woolen Mill until 1948 when he was transferred to the Rayon Mill (later known as the Synthetic Fabrics Mill.) He continued as a weaver there until 1957. He next worked for about four years in the Cloth Finishing Department at the Bleachery. Since April 1961 he has worked as a washer operator helper in

Finishing Mill Beck Dye Department.

Mr. Long, a native of Henry County, Va., was first employed at the Blanket Mill October 15, 1963, and has never been off of the payroll since that time except for his service in World War II.

He has worked in the Cotton Carding Department during his entire 40 years of service. He first operated "speeders", then was a roving inspector, and for the past approximately 20 years has been a drawing tender.



GEORGE E. ZEIGLER, JR.  
... Textile Engineer ...



LEAMAN W. BYRUM  
... Assistant Foreman ...

## Zeigler, Byrum Join Fieldcrest

In new appointments effective October 1, George E. Zeigler, Jr., was employed as a textile engineer in the Engineering Department at Spray and Leaman W. Byrum joined the company as an assistant foreman in the Carding and Spinning Department in the Bedspread Mill at Leaksville.

Mr. Zeigler came to Fieldcrest from The Kendall Company, Textile Division, in Charlotte, where he had been employed for the past 12 years in purchasing and engineering capacities.

A native of Thomasville, Ga., Mr.

Zeigler received his B. S. M. E. degree from Georgia Institute of Technology in 1941. He served in the Navy for five years during World War II, completing his service with the rank of lieutenant commander.

Mr. Byrum was born at Salisbury and before joining Fieldcrest had been employed by J. P. Stevens & Co., as a spinning department supervisor at Roanoke Rapids. He earlier was associated with a number of other southern textile companies as a spinning or carding and spinning supervisor.