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Annual Report Wins Third Place Position

The Fieldcrest Mills, Inc. 1965 Annual Report was judged third best of the 22 textile company reports included in "Financial World's" 26th Annual Report Survey. The company will receive a certificate at the awards presentation October 26 at a banquet at the New York Hilton Hotel.

In the textile annual report competition, in which the list of participants reads like a roll call of the important companies in the industry, Fieldcrest Mills' report was surpassed only by those of Burlington Industries, the first-place winner, and Dan River Mills, second place, both near-neighbors to the Fieldcrest Mills headquarters at Spray. Financial World, the nation's oldest business and financial weekly, conducted its first annual report survey in 1941.

Named Vice President



Kenneth G. Agnew, Jr., has been appointed vice president, advertising and sales promotion, of the Fieldcrest Marketing Division of Fieldcrest Mills, Inc., as announced by Frank W. Green, division president.

Mr. Agnew joined Fieldcrest in 1958 packaging Department. He became director of advertising and sales promotion in 1964.



D. A. PURCELL

W. O. STONE

G. L. CARAWAY

Organization Changes Made At Fieldale

Purcell Named General Manager Of Towel Manufacturing; Stone And Caraway Get Promotions

D. A. Purcell, formerly manager of the Fieldale Towel Mill, was appointed general manager—towel manufacturing effective September 23. He will have responsibility for the Fieldale and Muscogee operations, as well as the Mount Holly and Worthville spinning plants. He continues to report to A. L. Jackson, division vice president—domestics manufacturing.

T. H. Sherrill, manager of Muscogee Mills, will report to Mr. Purcell, as will E. A. Clark, superintendent of the Worthville Plant, and T. E. Boyce, superintendent of the Mount Holly Spinning Mill.

W. O. Stone, Jr., formerly superintendent of sewing, shipping, warehousing and customer service at the Fieldale Towel Mill, was appointed assistant manager of the Fieldale Towel Mill, reporting to Mr. Purcell.

D. E. Simons, superintendent of manufacturing and G. L. Caraway, Jr., formerly assistant superintendent of Fieldale Towel Mill shipping and warehousing who was appointed superintendent of shipping, warehousing and customer service, will report to Mr. Stone. The Sewing Department will report to the superintendent—manufacturing.

Mr. Purcell, a native of Rockingham County, N. C., received his B. S. degree in textile manufacturing at North Carolina State College where he graduated with honors and was elected to Phi Kappa Phi, a national honorary society.

He was associated with textile companies in various southern states prior to joining Fieldcrest Mills in 1938.

He was superintendent of the Blanket and Sheeting Mills at Draper and later was given additional responsibility for finishing, warehousing and shipping operations. He has been manager of the Fieldale Towel Mill since 1955 and in recent years has had the additional responsibility of the Mount Holly Spinning Mill.

Mr. Stone is a native of Newberry, S. C. and a graduate of Clemson College with a B. S. degree in chemistry. He enrolled at the Institute of Textile Technology soon after his graduation at Clemson, and received his M.S. degree in textile technology in June, 1957.

He joined Fieldcrest immediately as a quality control engineer in the Research and Quality Control Department at Spray. He left shortly afterwards for six months of service as an officer in the Army Signal Corps.

Soon after his return he became a trainee assigned to the Draper Mills. He served as foreman of the Blanket Mill Cotton Spooling, Winding and Warping Department, foreman of the Wool Spinning Department, and as staff assistant to the superintendent. He became assistant superintendent at the Towel Mill in October, 1962 and was appointed superintendent of sewing, shipping, warehousing and customer service January 11, 1965.

Mr. Caraway is a native of Montana but grew up in Mount Airy. He studied business administration after his grad-

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