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## Fund Drive Near End In Tri-City Plants

As The Mill Whistle went to press Friday, the Tri-City Community Fund campaign in the mills had been virtually completed. H. H. Lea, chairman of the Fieldcrest campaign, said that from all indications the campaign "has done well" in the mills and offices.

All funds were to be turned in by noon Monday and the results will be announced as soon as the tabulations have been completed, Mr. Lea said. Monday noon is also the cut-off time for eligibility for the drawings for the prizes to be awarded among the contributors.

Employees who pledge a Fair Share and departments in which 100 per cent of the employee's pledge a Fair Share in the Tri-City Community Fund campaign will be eligible for valuable prizes.

In addition plaques, certificates and other honors will be given departments with 100 per cent participation on a Fair Share basis.

The President's Plaque is to be given by President Harold W. Whitcomb to the mill which has the highest percentage of employees giving a Fair Share. The plaque will be held for a year by that mill and will rotate to next year's winner. The staff department having the highest percentage of "Fair Share givers" will receive a similar plaque.

Certificates of Merit will be presented by the Tri-City Community Fund to

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## 100% At Greenville Pledge Fair Share

In overwhelmingly generous support of the Pitt County United Fund, 100% of the employees of the Karastan Spinning Division at Greenville contributed a Fair Share or more in the fund drive.

The entire personnel of the plant and offices pledged at least a Fair Share, averaging \$16.01 for each of the 259 employees and making a total contribution of \$4,146.59. This amount does not include the company's gift to the Pitt County United Fund.

Melvin Moore, superintendent, was chairman of the mill campaign. Henry Morris, plant manager, is president of the Pitt County United Fund and Jack Bircher, assistant wool buyer, is the over-all campaign chairman for the second year.



W. G. HUNNINGS, JR.



JOHN L. WEST, JR.

## Hunings Appointed Sheeting Manager

### John L. West, Jr. Is Appointed Bedsread Mill Superintendent

W. Giles Hunnings, Jr., formerly superintendent of the Bedsread Mill, has been appointed manager of the sheet operation, reporting to Arthur L. Jackson, division vice president—domestics manufacturing.

John L. West, Jr., formerly assistant superintendent of the Towel Mill at Fieldale, Va., was appointed superintendent of the Bedsread Mill replacing Mr. Hunnings, and reports to F. E. Barron, manager of the Bedsread Mill.

Mr. Hunnings replaces John P. Powell who was transferred to the Northeast Service Center in Piscataway, N. J., as manager of the Northeast Service Center replacing Richard C. Johnston, who is being transferred to the Treasurer's Department in Spray.

Ralph C. Going, general superintendent of the Alexander and Draper Sheet Mills, and J. Scott Chowning, superintendent of the Sheet Finishing Mill, report to Mr. Hunnings.

Mr. Chowning, in addition to his present responsibilities, will have C. D. Slaughter, office manager, and Irving Hodges, who is in charge of customer service and production control, reporting to him.

Mr. Hunnings is a native of Charlotte and a textile graduate of North Carolina State University. He joined Field-

crest Mills in June 1951 as a management trainee at the Bedsread Mill and worked until August, 1952, when he was called into military service.

He served for four years and upon his return resumed his training at the Bedsread Mill. He was appointed an assistant foreman in the Weave Room in September, 1957, and in June, 1958, was promoted to foreman of the Warp, Wind and Twist Department.

He was transferred to the Engineering Department as a textile engineer in June, 1958, and served in that capacity until he was appointed superintendent of the Bedsread Mill January 1, 1961.

Mr. West, a native of Burgaw, in Pender County, has been with Fieldcrest since November, 1960. He is a graduate of the Textile School at the Georgia Institute of Technology and has a broad background of experience in textile production.

He served in the Marine Corps before enrolling at Georgia Tech and after his graduation he worked with a number of textile companies as supervisor, plant engineer and in standards work.

He was a textile engineer in the Engineering Department at Spray from 1960 until he was transferred to the Towel Mill as foreman of carding and spinning in April, 1963. He became assistant superintendent at the Towel Mill in January, 1965.