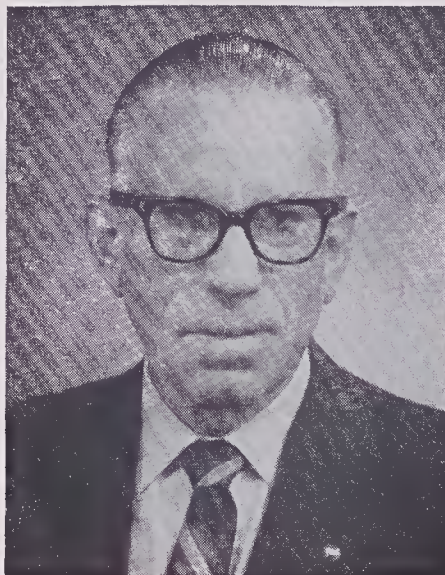
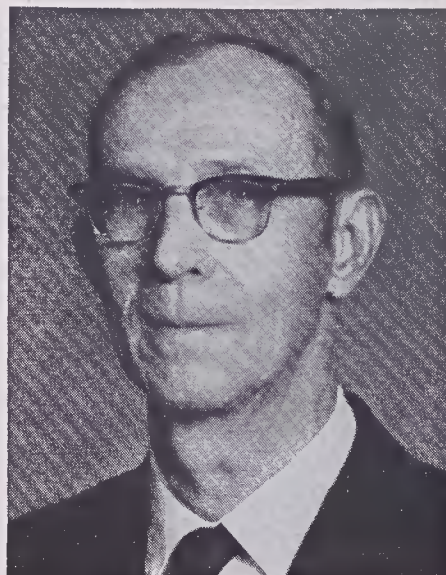




HOYT I. GILBERT



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GEORGE Z. WALLER

## Gilbert, Joyce, Waller Complete 45 Years Of Service

Three employees in three different locations have recently completed 45-year records of continuous service at their respective mills.

Hoyt I. Gilbert of the Fieldale Towel Mill completed 45 years January 1; George Z. Waller of the Columbus Towel Mill, Columbus, Ga., attained 45 years January 7; and William C. Joyce of the Bedsread Mill reached the 45-year mark January 17.

Each of the veteran employees has been presented the Fieldcrest diamond-and-gold 45-year service emblem and a letter of commendation from G. Wil-

liam Moore, president of Fieldcrest Mills, Inc.

**Mr. Gilbert** has been a slasher tender at the Fieldale Towel Mill for the past 25 years. His continuous services dates from January 1, 1925, when he was employed as a helper in the Weave Room. He is a native of Patrick County, Va.

**Mr. Waller** worked as a slasher tender at the Columbus Towel Mill but has been an elevator operator since April, 1967. He was born in Phenix City, Ala., and was first employed at Columbus January 7, 1925, as a yarn dumper in

the Winding Department.

**Mr. Joyce** has achieved an unusual record in that he has never been off of the payroll for any reason during his 45 years of service. He was foreman of Carding and Spinning at the Bedsread Mill for many years and earlier was an assistant foreman in those departments. Since 1963 he has been foreman of Shipping and Receiving at the Bedsread Mill. He was first employed January 17, 1925, and worked as an intermediate hand and as a card grinder before becoming a supervisor in 1945. Mr. Joyce is a native of Eden.

## Sheet Finishing Men Receive Promotions

In organization changes at the Sheet Finishing Mill, effective January 1, Jackie R. Moore was named manager of customer service and scheduling, Harley A. Midkiff was appointed scheduling supervisor and Mark A. Howell, Jr., was named an assistant foreman in the Cutting and Sewing Department.

**Mr. Moore** completed the supervisory training program and had been an assistant foreman in the Spinning Department at the Alexander Sheeting Mill since April, 1968. He joined the Company in 1959 and first worked on production jobs at the Automatic Blanket Plant and at the Bleachery.

Prior to entering the supervisory training program he was a schedule clerk in the Blanket Scheduling Department. He had worked in the Sheet-Finishing Customer Service Department as a clerk, assistant scheduler and head scheduler. He is a native of Eden.

**Mr. Midkiff** was formerly an assistant foreman in the Cutting and Sewing Department. He has been associated with the Bleachery and the Sheet Finishing Mill since 1943 and worked on



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MARK A. HOWELL

various production jobs before becoming a second hand in the Cutting and Sewing Department in 1965. He was promoted to assistant foreman in April, 1969. Mr. Midkiff is a native of Floyd County, Va.

**Mr. Howell**, an Eden native, has been with the Company at various times starting in 1942. He worked on pro-

duction jobs at the Blanket Mill, Sheet-Finishing Mill and Karastan Mill. He was employed at the Sheet Finishing Mill in 1967 and worked as a Monfort cutting machine operator and as a service operator in the pillow case unit. He was a Monfort cutting machine operator at the time of his appointment as an assistant foreman.