

50-Year Employee Honored At Luncheon

Eunice V. Buckner, Fieldcrest's newest 50-year employee, was the guest of honor at a luncheon given by the Company Tuesday, January 5, at the Meadow Greens Country Club.

Miss Buckner, of the Bedspread Finishing Mill, was presented her diamond-and-gold 50-year pin, gifts and a letter of commendation from G. William Moore, president and chairman of Fieldcrest Mills, Inc.

The presentations were made by A. L. Jackson, vice president-domestics manufacturing, who made a brief talk congratulating Miss Buckner on her outstanding record.

Expresses Appreciation

H. W. Whitcomb, retired board chairman and a director of Fieldcrest Mills, Inc., spoke briefly commending Miss Buckner and the other 50-year employees for their long service and expressing the regrets of President Moore and R. A. Harris, senior vice president-manufacturing, that they could not be present.

F. E. Barron, division vice president-bedspread manufacturing, and J. P. Foster, plant manager of the Bedspread Finishing Mill, spoke in praise of Miss Buckner's record and extended good wishes to her for the future.

Miss Buckner, in a brief response, told of her thankfulness for "being able to work for 50 years." She was especially thankful, she said for "the fine people I met along the way and for all who have helped me."

50-Year Group Recognized

H. H. Newton, vice president-industrial relations, presided at the luncheon and called on Otis Marlowe, editor of The Mill Whistle, for the invocation. Mr. Newton recognized all 50-year employees attending and congratulated them on their outstanding accomplishment in working a half-century or more.

In addition to those mentioned above, other company officers attending were K. W. Fraser, vice president-finance and treasurer; and W. B. Lucas, assistant secretary and general counsel. Also present were a number of officials from the Bedspread Finishing Mill and the Industrial Relations Department.

Miss Buckner attained her 50-year record on January 1. She has worked in the Cutting and Sewing Department for her entire half-century of service. She



Eunice V. Buckner, new 50-year employee, is presented Fieldcrest service pin and gifts by A. L. Jackson, vice president-domestics manufacturing.



Members of the "50-Year Club" attending luncheon, shown from left to right, are Eunice V. Buckner, Stuart L. Golden, Hugh T. Lee, Bradley C. Murray, Mack Overby, J. Thomas Patterson, Betty H. Ratliff and W. A. Blackburn.

has worked on fringing, folding, scalloping and hemming operations during her years of service. She has been a

folder and inspector since the new Bedspread Finishing Mill was occupied in 1963.

Eden All-Stars Keep In Shape For New Season

The Eden All-Stars (formerly the Shiloh Eagles) have started blackboard practice and are playing some basketball in the Douglass High School gym to keep in shape for their coming baseball season.

Sam Broadnax, a roving hauler at the Blanket Mill, says the team, coached by Lonnie Frazier of the Blanket Finishing Mill and managed by Mr. Broadnax, has a number of new players recruited from such areas as Stoneville,

Madison, Greensboro and Axton, Va.

They plan to have their first game around Easter and expect to play about twice as many games as they played last season.

Manager Broadnax also said there is a strong possibility some of their games will be broadcast over Station WLOE.

The All-Stars are in need of pitchers. Interested persons should get in touch with Sam Broadnax, 415 Irving Avenue, Eden.

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