HAVERHILL AT WORK

Long Service

Most firms rewarded long service.

"Pye recognised long service. After 25 years of service I received a certificate and they also gave a double holiday allowance and £250 cash. My wife and I took a holiday to Canada."


Jim Luccarini Delta RA

Mr & Mrs R. Adams

The Pleasure of your Company is requested at a

ADDIS LONG SERVICE PRESENTATION

in the Staff Dining Rooms, Hertford
On Friday 20th May 1983
Reception 7.30 p.m. for 8.00 p.m.
Fork Buffet

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A line-up of retiring Gurteen employees whose combined service totals 200 years. From left to right are Betty Pavey, Phyllis Parker, Jean Royce, Phil and Pearl Allen. Christopher Gurteen is at the rear of the group.

200 YEARS AT GURTEENS

CLOTHING cutter Phil Allen and his wife Pearl, who have completed a combined 96 years with Gurteen's at Haverhill were among five people who retired last week with service totting up to 200 years.

The three others were Bessie Pavey, of 19 Mount Road, Haverhill, a sewing machinist who has done 46 years, Phyllis Parker, 11 Mill Hill, sewing machinist, 46 years and Jean Royce, passer, of 74 Crowland Road, 12 years.

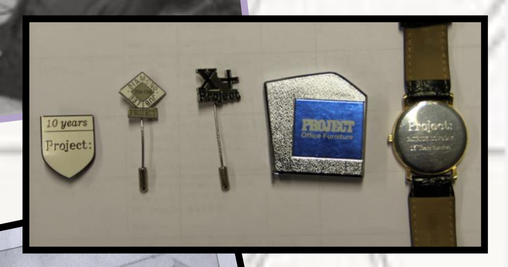
Mr. Allen, of Crowland Road, had worked at the clothing factory for 51 years and his wife 45 years. She was a sewing machinist.

He was with the 5th Suffolks from 1939-45 and was a prisoner of the Japanese for 3½ years. He was chief of the firm's fire service gang. His wife worked in an ammunition factory at Chelmsford in the war. The couple have a son and two grandchildren.

Christopher Gurteen handed retirement gifts in the boardroom on Thursday to the five retiring employees expressing warm thanks for their loyal service.

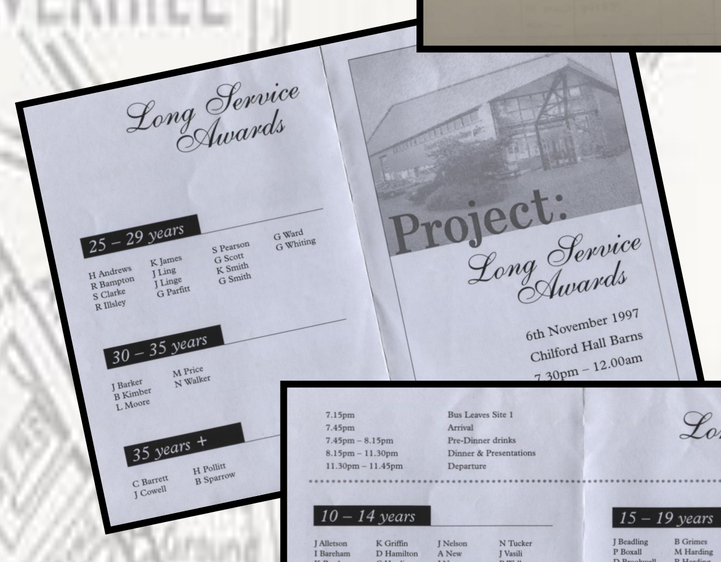
Mr Allen had a Teasmade-radio, Mrs Allen a portable TV set, Mrs Pavey a sheepskin coat, Mrs Parker a sheepskin coat and Mrs Royce gold earrings.


Project 10 years plus celebration in the Rose & Crown.




10 years at Rubbolite


Long service awards at Signpost Paints




First members for HMP 25 Club

THE new 25 Club at Haverhill Meat Products had an intake of 14 members at the weekend when they were presented with gold watches to mark the completion of a quarter of a century with the Little Wratting company.

The employees joined the company right at the start as 1983 has been the silver jubilee year.

The company chairman, Roy Griffiths, who is seated in the centre, presented the watches at a celebration dinner at the sports club. On his left is Dan Pillar, the general manager, himself a new member of the 25 club.

The other 13 members are John Brown (butcher), John Symonds (engineer), Roy Challis (production supervisor), Sid Cook (security), George Cuthbert (quality control), Mack Mackenzie (abattoir), Pat Mackenzie (data processing), Claude Bowyer (bacon plant), Roy Marsh (security), Jack Webb (asst production manager), Keith Miller (engineering supervisor), Stan Mayes (abattoir), Hubert Ling (bacon plant).



Gurteen's long service award winners (back row, left to right) Jennie Taylor, John Webb, Ralph Turpin, Christopher Platt, Les Alexander, Jean Tyrell and Reg Iron. Front Tommy Mayes (centre) with managing directors Jack Smart (left) and Christopher Gurteen.

Gurteen's awards for 236 years

EIGHT employees of Gurteen's in Haverhill whose combined record adds up to 236 years, were presented with long service awards at a ceremony in the board room at Chauntry Mills on Friday.

Topping the list was Tommy Mayes, warehouseman, who had clocked up 50 years. He was followed by Reg Iron, also a warehouseman, who has done 34 years, and Jennie Taylor (production) 27 years.

Awards for 25 years went to Ralph Turpin (transport), John G. Webb (cloth buyer), Les Alexander (packing), Christopher Platt (pressing) and Jean Tyrell (production).

Mr Mayes had a gold watch and the others carriage clocks, presented by the joint managing directors, Jack Smart and Christopher Gurteen.

The long service awards were started when the company celebrated its bi-centenary in 1984 and this is the first batch of presentations since then.

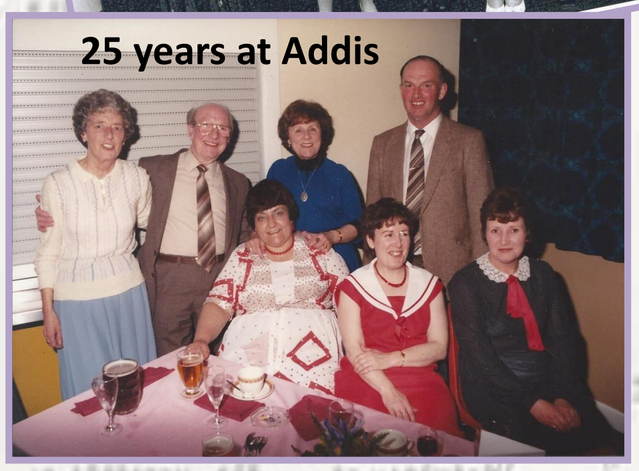
The directors thanked the recipients for their loyal service to the company.


Factory honours staff with 150 years of service

WORKERS at Wisdom in Haverhill have been honoured for 25 years service at the firm.

Brian Holmes, Debbie Allard, Gail Whiting, Keith Mason, Bev Stevenson and Jenny Webb all enjoyed a special lunch in their honour at the Woodlands Hotel, Haverhill, with managers of the toothbrush company, which is based on Duddery Hill.

25 years at Addis



"British Telecom (Post Office Telephones) took over Alton Towers for a weekend. All employees with over 30 years service could go for a great day out with their families. Heather Small, Status Quo and Madness were there. Alton Towers had never closed to the public before."

Addis: ***"When we had been there 25 years we were given £250 to spend on something and they took us out for a meal. 3 or 4 of us went to the Woodlands for a meal with the Managers."***

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