

FREDERICK MOORE

One of the city's outstanding industrialists and civic leaders, Frederick Moore, a native of North Carolina and graduate of the University of that state, came to Florence as Superintendent of Florence Cotton Mills on November 1, 1926.

His activities have been many and varied. He is always striving for the betterment of the community and its people. He early became interested in Boy Scout work and served as Scoutmaster of a troop, later being chairman of the Lauderdale county district, then president for two terms of the Tennessee Valley Council of Boy Scouts. For his fine work in this great youth organization he has been honored with the Silver Beaver Award, the highest award in Scouting.

Now serving his second term as chairman of the City Board of Education, much of the expansion in our school system has been made under his leadership. During this same period, Mr. Moore has served as president of the Lauderdale County Community Chest in which capacity he has continued since 1949. He served as a director of the Chamber of Commerce for the year of 1948-1949 and at present is serving his second term as a director of the Alabama State Chamber of Commerce.

Shortly after the Selective Service Act for World War II was passed, Mr. Moore became a member of the local draft board and served from 1940 to 1947. He is a veteran of World War I and served as Vice Commander of Florence Post No. 11, American Legion, for one term. He has long been a member of the organization.

For the past twenty years he has been a member of the Board of Stewards of the First Methodist Church and served as president of the Rotary Club during the year 1943-1944. He has also served as president of the Florence Country Club. He is a member of the Board of Directors of the First National Bank and has always taken an active part in the business development of the entire Muscle Shoals area.

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