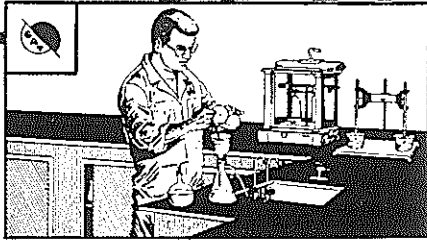


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Review — OF — Labor Relations

Members of Local 10-689, Friday, August 2, ratified a new three-year contract covering wages and working conditions.

Under the terms of the contract employees will receive an 11-cent per hour wage increase, retroactive to April 30, an additional 2-cent increase on August 5, 9-cents April 30, 1958, with an opportunity to open wage negotiations in the third year.

The Contract tentatively made and entered into as of the 5th day of May, 1957, is now adopted with all of its provisions effective 12:01 a. m. August 5, except where an earlier effective date is expressly established for any particular provision by a specific item in a Stipulation entered into July 31 which became effective August 5.

The Stipulation, in addition to providing wage treatment outlined above, included specific agreement on awarding of vacancies — welder trainees — final decision in safety matters — maintaining policy on clothing — modification of job description provision — wage re-opening provision — subsequent annual realignments if requested — employees physical fitness to return to work subject to grievance procedure — and changes of dates related to the insurance program.

New contract booklets will be distributed to all employees within the next thirty days.

Retroactive payments will be distributed not later than September 30.

New Officers

The following men have been elected to serve as officers, division committeemen, and district stewards of Local 10-689, Oil, Chemical and Atomic Workers International Union, AFL-CIO.

C. A. Romine, electrical maintenance department, president; J. F. Wettstein, electrical maintenance department, vice president; E. L. Workman, process area 3, recording and corresponding secretary; B. D. Hurlley, process area 4, financial secretary and treasurer; J. Bower, utilities maintenance department, sergeant at arms, and A. W. Reynolds, utilities maintenance department, guide.

Trustees are R. A. Watts, utilities maintenance department, three years; C. P. Long, process area 6, two years, and R. E. Casey, electrical maintenance department, one year.

Representation Division I (Main-
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A Shift Wins Annual Shift Safety Honors; Marks Third Year Without A Disabling Injury

Dysart Attends Scout Jamboree In England; Will Travel To Europe

James E. Dysart, 15-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Dysart, is attending the World Boy Scout Jubilee Jamboree in England.

The youth, whose father is administrative assistant to the general manager, will leave England upon completion of the Jamboree August 10 and tour Europe.

Dysart, along with three other Boy Scouts from Chillicothe, will visit Switzerland, Germany, Holland, Belgium and France. They will return on September 5 or 6.

The young scouts left home last month to attend the Jamboree at Valley Forge. From there they went to Quebec, Canada, and sailed July 22 to Plymouth, England.

Dysart is a member of Post 5 of the First Presbyterian Church in Chillicothe. His Explorer Scout Advisor is Bill Stringham, of the sampling department.

Dysart will be a junior in high school next fall.

Jackson County Gets United Fund Charter

A non-profit corporation charter has been issued to the Jackson County United Fund, Inc., of Jackson.

This will be the first year that Goodyear Atomic employees will be able to donate to a United Fund in Jackson County.

L. M. Crow, area control room 3, was named temporary chairman of the group to organize a United Fund. He also has been named to the 15-member Board of Directors.

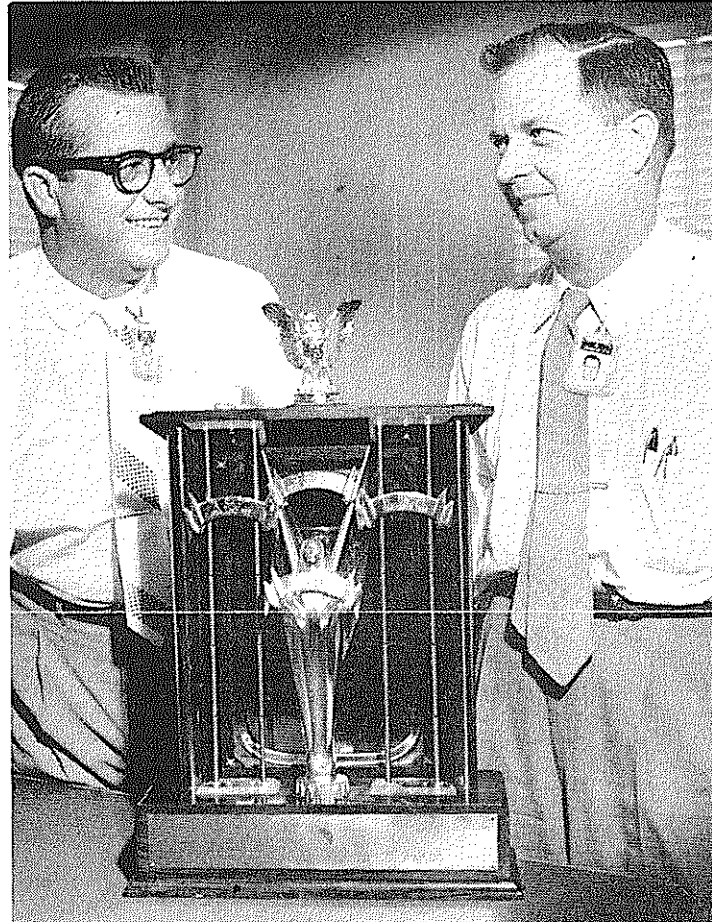
Groups who will benefit from the Jackson County United Fund will be announced in the *Clan* at a later date.

Lost Check Recovered

J. H. Dalton, cascade coordination office, received fast service on a lost payroll check.

The service was provided by Roy W. Barnett, of the janitor service department, July 15.

Barnett, in the process of handling his janitorial duties, found Dalton's check and turned it over to the police department, who returned the check to Dalton.



R. O. NEFF, left, A Shift superintendent, receives the annual shift safety plaque and congratulations from D. H. Francis, general manager, for winning the annual shift safety award. A Shift has worked three years, approximately 1,400,000 manhours, without a disabling injury.

Manning Receives Akron Promotion

A former Goodyear Atomic employee has been named manager of the safety department of the Goodyear Tire & Rubber Company, Akron.

He is Robert A. Manning, whose promotion was announced recently by N. G. Ball, Goodyear's director of personnel.



R. A. Manning

Manning formerly was supervisor of industrial hygiene at Goodyear Atomic Corporation. He was transferred last year to the Akron plant as an industrial hygienist.

Manning joined Goodyear Atomic in November, 1953. He was transferred to Akron in March, 1956.

He holds a BS degree in chemistry
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Employee Saved From Drowning In Lake Erie

A Goodyear Atomic employee is alive today thanks to quick action on the part of an expert swimmer.

The man who escaped death by drowning was Robert Schillinger, of GAT's electrical maintenance department.

The near tragedy occurred last month while the Schillinger family was swimming in Lake Erie. The Schillinger family, along with his brother's family, was swimming in the lake at Conneut, Ohio, when the near-accident occurred.

Schillinger said that his niece, Katherine, 15, and her dad, Clinton, 35, got too far from shore and became tired. The niece became limp.

The two men went to her rescue and also got into trouble, about 200 feet from shore in deep water. Their yells brought Mrs. Vivian Novello, mother of two children, who had
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Raises Shift Total To 1,400,000 Manhours Accident-Free Work

A Shift continued its enviable safety record of previous years and plans to continue to keep the tight grip on its safety honors.

The safety honors were recognized by the presentation of the annual shift safety award, an award which is presented to the shift with the best safety record during the year.

This is the third consecutive year A Shift has worked without a disabling injury. The shift safety record established by the personnel of A Shift, was presented to R. O. Neff, superintendent of A Shift, by Goodyear Atomic Corporation's General Manager, D. H. Francis.

"Bob", Francis said, "it gives me a great deal of pleasure to present this trophy to you in recognition of the excellent safety mark established by A Shift. This is the third consecutive year your shift has worked without a disabling injury. The accident-free manhour figure achieved by A Shift is approximately 1,400,000 hours.

"Shift safety is an integral part of our safety program. More than one-third of our personnel are working on one of the four shifts.

"The record you have established is indeed enviable. Congratulations," the general manager said.

Neff, in accepting the trophy, on behalf of his personnel, said, "The safety record is a record that belongs to everyone on A Shift.

"No one individual can claim credit for the record as it is an achievement by a group of people working together."

The personnel who were on A Shift at the close of the fiscal year are shown on page two.

A Shift's total manhour figure this year was well over 400,000 as it has been in each of the last three years, bringing its total accident-free record to 1,400,000 manhours.

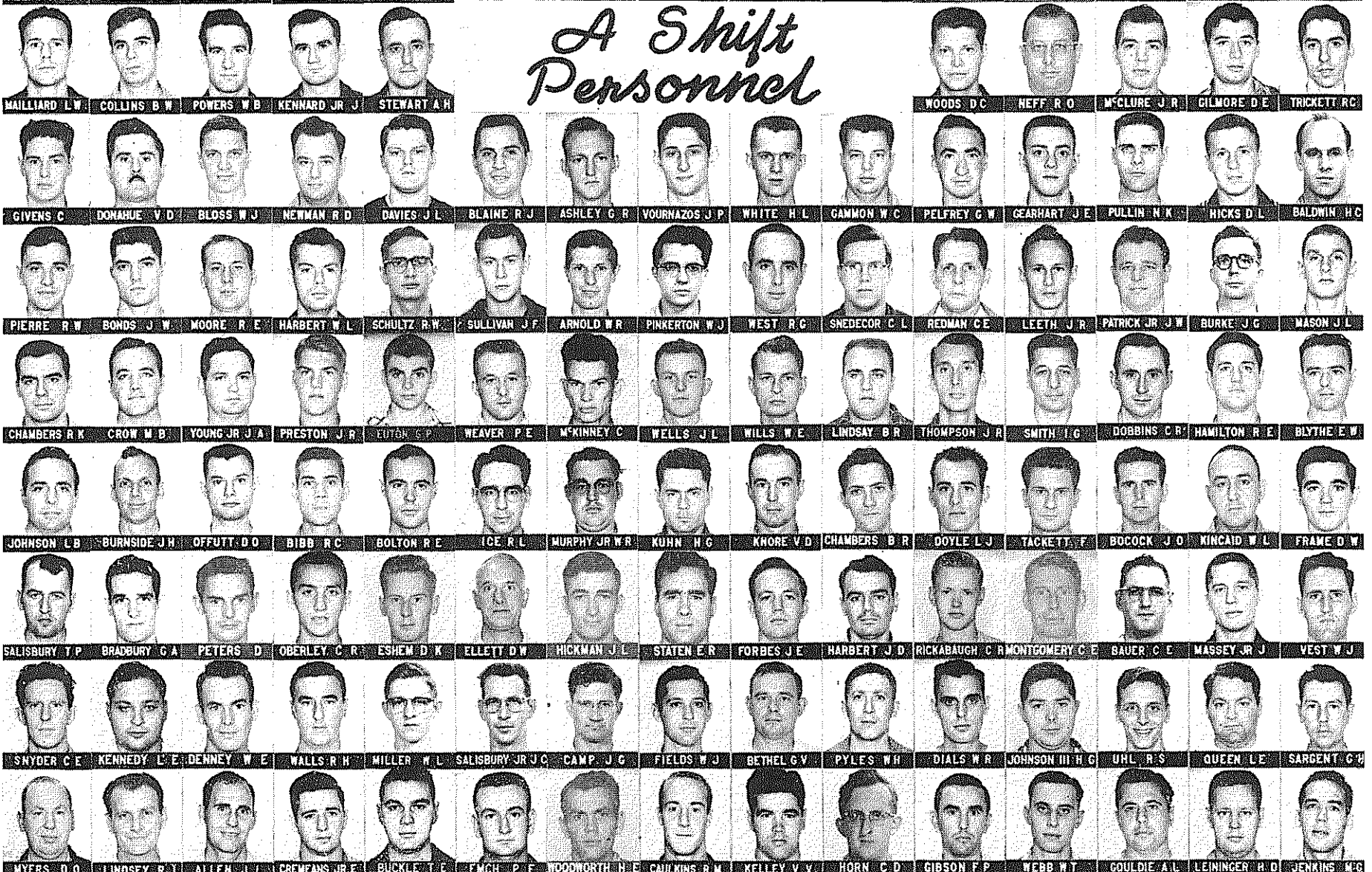
There are many benefits from establishing a record like this, it has been pointed out. Accident-free work means freedom from suffering that accompanies injury; accident-free work means freedom of financial worries; and accident-free work means employees are not hindered in their recreational pursuits.

A Shift can point to these attributes of safe working practices with great satisfaction.

A Shift's Continuous Accident-Free Safety Record Continues To Climb; Men Shown On This Page Move Record To 1,400,000 Manhours Without Injury



A Shift Personnel



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FRIENDSHIP

If a man thinks all men are against him, he will begin to treat them so, and they soon will be against him.

If he thinks people are his friends, he will unconsciously treat them as such, and they will, in reality, soon be his friends. The man who lives his daily life according to this formula has a sound and true philosophy that will make his life happier and brighter.

If we put a full measure of friendliness and goodwill into our relationship with our fellows, we are pretty sure to receive the same treatment in return and thereby enjoy a life full to overflowing.

The world needs friendliness, kindness and goodwill, not only on special occasions, but in all our activities, whether at work or at home. Think friendly thoughts and bring them to your job. Put your faith in men, believe they are your friends — and they will be!



NEGOTIATING TEAMS for Local 10-689, Oil, Chemical and Atomic Workers, International Union, and Goodyear Atomic Corporation sign a new three-year labor contract covering approximately 1,500 employees of the Portsmouth Area Atomic Energy Plant. C. A. Romine, president of Local 10-689, is the first to sign as D. W. Doner, manager of GAT's industrial relations division, second from left, awaits his turn. Seated left of Doner is L. E. Fuller, superintendent of personnel services, and to the right of Romine is J. F. Wettstein, vice president of Local 10-689. Standing, left to right, are A. L. Sutton GAT's labor relations coordinator; O. Carlson, superintendent of the cascade; W. A. Brown, manager, plant engineering and maintenance division; C. L. Jenkins, superintendent, materials and service subdivision; T. F. Hammond, Local 10-689 committeeman; C. C. Gabbert, committeeman, and J. R. Diamond, committeeman.

LABOR RELATIONS

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tenance) — Committeeman, C. C. Gabbert, special and mechanical shops.

Stewards are H. C. Miller, cascade maintenance department, A shift; C. Griffith, cascade maintenance department, B shift; W. M. Horne, cascade maintenance department, C shift; W. W. Hyland, cascade maintenance department, D shift; C. C. Chapman, electrical maintenance department, electrical maintenance; C. E. Culberson, instrument maintenance department, instrument maintenance; R. E. Walker, sheet metal shop, machine, sheet metal and welding shops; J. D. Alkire, seal shop, special and mechanical shops; W. Skaggs, cascade maintenance department, cascade maintenance; S. Hawley, utilities maintenance depart-

ment, utilities maintenance; W. Farley, carpenter and paint shop, utilities maintenance, and H. C. Tatman, garage department, motor pool and garage.

Representation Division II (Operations) — Committeeman, J. R. Diamond, cascade operations subdivision.

Stewards are R. E. Moore, process area 5, A shift; M. F. Sexton, process area 5, B shift; T. D. Manley, process area 3, C shift; C. R. Keen, process area 2, D shift; H. P. Everett, electrical power area, electrical power operations; P. W. Wooten, utilities area, utilities operations, and J. W. Merial, decontamination department, chemical operations.

Representation Division III (Service) — Committeeman, T. F. Hammond, SS materials handling department.

Stewards are G. T. Sammons, fire

Announce August Contest Winners

A member of the plant engineering department and the police department walked off with the August safety slogan contest.

The safety slogan committee said that L. V. Schum, plant engineering department, and M. V. Gill, of the police department, were the August winners from among the 46 slogans submitted during the period.



L. V. Schum

M. V. Gill

Schum's winning entry was, "Safety First and Last But Not Least."

Gill's winning effort was, "Safety Equipment Cannot Prevent an Accident While in a Locker."

Ward S. Fleshman, process laboratory department, received honorable mention.

The monthly safety slogan winners now receive a \$10 cash award in addition to being eligible to compete for the semi-annual safety slogan award.

All employees and members of their families are eligible to participate in the safety slogan award program.

MANNING

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from Berea College, Kentucky, and has done graduate work in mathematics at the University of Kentucky.

He is a member of the executive committee of the Rubber Section of the National Safety Council, the American Industrial Hygiene Association, and the American Association for the Advancement of Science.

Mr. and Mrs. Manning have three children: Jerome, 10, Mary Catherine, 7, and Michael, 4.

Softball Tournament

A company softball tournament will be conducted at the conclusion of league play in Waverly and Portsmouth. Presently, the two leagues consist of 18 teams. It is hoped that all 18 teams participate in this tournament.

The tournament will be a single elimination (one loss and out), with the winner being declared the company champion.

Tentatively arrangements have been made to hold the tournament at the Piketon High School Field, twilight-night doubleheaders can be played.

department, A shift; M. J. Mullens, fire department, B shift; C. E. Euton, fire department, C shift; G. E. Williams, fire department, D shift; L. L. Ramey, SS materials handling department, SS materials handling; W. H. Wright, stores department, materials and service (days), and V. Callihan, janitor service department, janitors (afternoon).

Blood Bank, Exhausted Prior To July Visit, Receives New Life; 224 Pints Are Donated

Goodyear Atomic's Blood Bank was given new life by the hearty response of employees during the Eighth Semi-Annual Visit of the Huntington Regional Blood Center's Bloodmobile Unit.

The "shot in the arm" was needed badly inasmuch as the extensive use employees have made of the Blood Bank during the last six months had exhausted the supply.

During the two-day visit, July 9 and 10, a total of 224 pints of blood were collected. One hundred three

pints were collected the first day, 121 pints the second day. Included in the total are the donations by employees of the Atomic Energy Commission and the Ohio Valley Electric Corporation, who participate in the blood donation along with GAT but maintain their own banks.

Thirty percent of the total pints collected become the property of the American Red Cross for utilization in disaster and Armed Services Emergency programs. Therefore 70 percent is now credited to the Blood Bank participants.

Dr. Paul F. Bliss, community relations coordinator, said the Blood Bank became exhausted prior to the July visit and blood needs of Goodyear employees were carried by the Huntington Regional Blood Center upon the promise of repayment from the Goodyear blood donations in July.

The blood needs of our employees have grown tremendously during the last year and especially in the last six months when employees drew, between January 1 and June 30, 148 pints of blood. This is an average of 25 pints per month.

The GAT Blood Bank functions for all employees. It is estimated that the number of persons covered by the Bank is approximately 20,000. Those covered include the employee, his wife, and members of his immediate family, the employee's parents, and the parents of his wife.

The heaviest scheduling ever made was done for the July 9 and 10 visit. Unfortunately, the heavy scheduling also resulted in the largest number of cancellations ever before reported in the Blood Program. In excess of 300 employees were scheduled and notified of their appointment several days in advance of the visit. Nearly 70 employees in this group of 300 informed community relations, due to one reason or another, that they could not give or did not want to give during the July visit.

The cancellations were filled by
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IN MEMORIAM

Mrs. Sarah Jane Owens, 69, died recently at her home in Salyerville, Kentucky. A daughter, Mabel Blair, is in the instrument and electrical engineering department. A son-in-law, James N. Sansom, is in the cascade coordination office.

Herbert Lee Oldham, 5, of Piketon, died July 26, at Children's Hospital, Columbus, following a long illness. His father, William, is in Goodyear Atomic's planning department.

Blessed Events



Mr. and Mrs. Frank Valentine, (process area 3), daughter, Eva Elaine.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Newell, (analysis and design department), daughter, Laura Jane.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren J. Yerian, (plant engineering department), daughter, Lynn Ellen.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Ratcliff, Jr., (purchasing department), daughter, Ramona Elizabeth.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Vest, (chemical operations), son, Terry Wayne.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Shaw, (accounts payable and cashiers department), daughter, Sharon Elaine.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl C. Vanderhoof, Jr., (fire department), daughter, Janet Fay.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Willis, (works laboratory subdivision), daughter, Pamela Kay.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Foster, (fire department), daughter, Rhonda Karlene.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. King, (fire department), son, George Melvin, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Spring, (uranium analysis department), daughter, Donna Lynn.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlie Cantwell, (reproduction department), son, Terry Ray.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph D. Jackson, (instrument maintenance department), daughter, Dawnita Lynn.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe King, (instrument maintenance department), daughter, April Dianne.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shoaf, (uranium analysis department), son, Robert William.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rankin, (maintenance coordination department), daughter, Tanya Dawn.

Mr. and Mrs. David Maple, (process area 1), son, David Louis, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwain Clark, (engineering cost and property records), daughter, Nancy Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Frame, (decontamination department), daughter, Kimberly Joyce.

Mr. and Mrs. William E. Hensel, (chemistry department), son, Denis M.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert DeWitt, (physical measurements department), daughter, Jeannine Roberta.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Robinson, (mass spectrometry department), daughter, Jane Ellen.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Damron, (process area 1), daughter, Keila Renea.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Price, (chemical cleaning department), daughter, Terry Lynn.



Wellston Summer Concert Set August 18; Employees Active

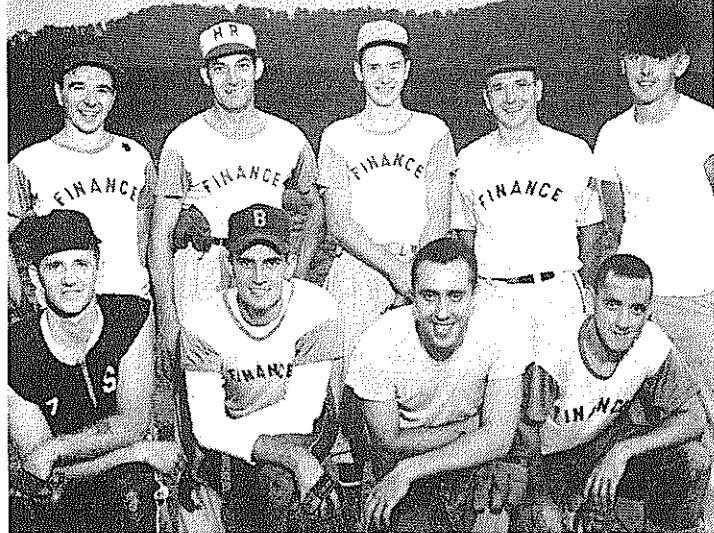
The Wellston Choral Club will present its 23rd Annual Summer Concert at 8 p. m., Sunday, August 18, in the Wellston High School Auditorium.

Proceeds of the program will be presented to the Wellston Youth Center.

Two Goodyear Atomic employees are active in the singing group and are serving as officers this year.

Virginia Isaman, maintenance co-ordination department, is president of the club, and Juanita Warner, purchasing department, is secretary.

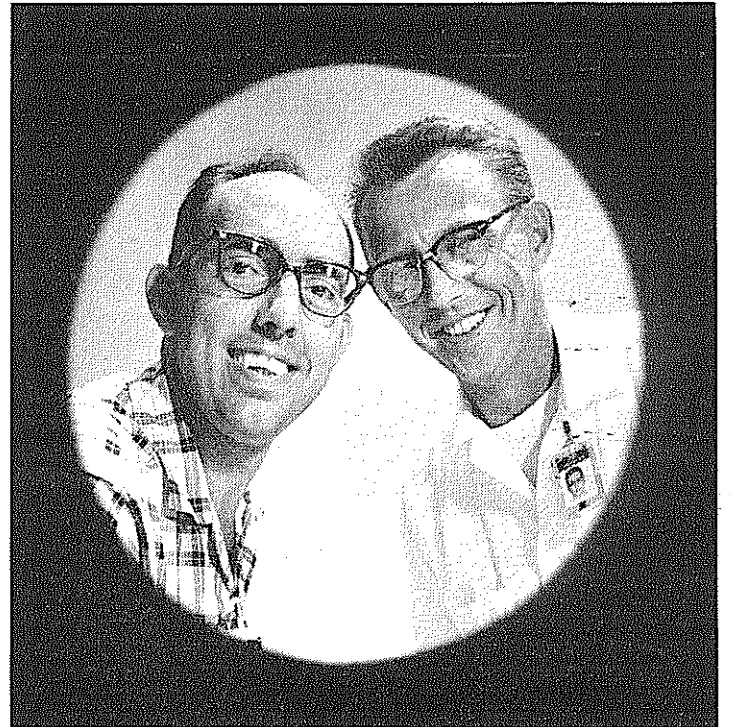
Tickets for the concert can be purchased from either member.



INSPECTORS, top photo, and Finance lead Goodyear Atomic's softball league in Portsmouth, as of July 26. Each team has lost one game. The Inspectors, standing from left, are Clyde Pyle, special and mechanical shops, Mike Williams, plant engineering department, Harold Everett, power operations department, Bob Inn, special and mechanical shops, John Thompson, plant engineering department, and Jim Gedra, plant engineering department. Front row, left to right, are Sonny Ross, plant engineering department, Frank Caldwell, special and mechanical shops, Al Nelson, utilities maintenance department, and Jim Scott, chemical cleaning department. Finance team members, standing from left to right, are E. J. Gemperline, internal audit department, Lou Donini, utilities maintenance department, Jim Dailey, stores department, John Gemperline, mass spectrometry department, and Charles Ratliff, cascade maintenance department. Kneeling, left to right, are O. W. Murphy, mass spectrometry department, George Kaut, miscellaneous personnel services, G. E. Waters, industrial relations division, and Roger Bernthold, mass spectrometry department.



A SHIFT leads Goodyear Atomic's softball league in Waverly. As of July 26, their record was six wins against no defeats. Kneeling from left are W. J. Pinkerton, process area 5, J. R. Leeth, process area 4, W. T. Durbin, cascade operations, and Don Gilmore, process area 3. Standing, left to right, are J. F. Massie, utilities maintenance department, J. D. Harbert, material recovery department, R. G. West, process area 5, R. Chambers, process area 4, J. I. Mason, process area 4, and J. K. Stevenson, utilities maintenance department.



THE CAMERA RECORDS a "cup's eye" view of two happy golfers, Bill Shields, right, and Chuck Mowrey, as they became the first Goodyear Atomic employees to sink a hole-in-one on an area golf course. Both men carded one stroke on par 3 holes at the Elks Country Club, Portsmouth, July 24.

Hole-In-One Shots Recorded On Local Links By Chuck Mowrey And Bill Shields

BLOODMOBILE VISIT
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scheduling still other employees. Approximately 25 of the newly scheduled employees also notified community relations that they were unable to give blood. Two additional groups of employees were scheduled prior to July 9, and it was felt that the flow of donators would be steady and efficient.

However, on the first day, 57 employees scheduled to give blood failed to keep their appointment. On the second day 63 employees failed to keep their appointment.

It was obvious that a person who has agreed to donate blood and then fails to keep the pre-arranged appointment hurts the efficiency of the program, especially when the blood needs of the employees are so great.

It was explained that if the blood needs continue to rise it will become doubly important for employees who have indicated their willingness to give blood to be sure that they keep their scheduled appointments.

A special note of thanks should be given to those employees who, without a formal appointment, gave a pint of their blood. It was these 82 walk-ins who made it possible for us to meet the GAT quota.

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just entered the water, to the rescue.

She got to Clinton and Katherine first and placed them on an inner-tube. She then grabbed Schillinger's head from beneath the surface and started to shore with the three of them.

Although he is not certain, Schillinger thinks boy scouts revived him.

Classifieds

All Wingfoot Clan ads must be typed or printed, and contain a "blind" address or telephone number to which initial contact can be made. The ad must be signed in ink and carry the employee's department number, badge number, and plant-site telephone number. This service is for employees who have items to buy, sell, or trade. No commercial ads can be accepted.

FOR SALE

House for sale: Almost new, 6 rooms and 2 baths, 3 good sized bedrooms. Beautiful built-in kitchen with large dining space. Basement, gas forced air furnace. Back yard completely fenced. Property in excellent condition. Home is located at 2225 High Street, Portsmouth. Inquire within.

Deep Freeze — 15 Cu. Ft. Chest Type. Food capacity over 500 lbs. Very reasonable. Phone: Portsmouth, EL 3-4388.

Four room house: Bath, built-in kitchen, storm windows and doors, full basement with coal furnace and a nice garden plot. This house is less than four years old and has just been completely repainted inside and out and wired for electric stove. Make offer. Write to: Box 290-B, Route 1, Portsmouth, Ohio.

Kodak Pony Camera (makes slides), flash attachment with bulb protector shield; Movie screen; 300 Watt Argus Slide and Filmstrip Projector. Will sell altogether or separately. Phone: Portsmouth, EL 3-4388.

Three Goodyear Lifeguard Safety Tubes. Fits 670-15 Tire. In perfect condition. Will sell cheaply. Phone: Portsmouth, EL 3-4388.

Is difficult to raise elephants. Is easy to raise Great Danes. Puppies, pedigree, AKC registered, for sale after September 1. Write Box 667, Portsmouth.

Trombone, American Standard made by King, lacquer finish, used one summer, \$65. Write: 5556 Kentland Avenue, Sciotoville, Ohio.

One 14-foot strip cedar boat and trailer. No reasonable offer will be refused. Inquire at corner house Virginia Lane and Skyline Drive, Lake White.

One two-wheel garden tractor with 7" plow, disk harrow, and cultivator. No reasonable offer will be refused. Inquire at corner house Virginia Lane and Skyline Drive, Lake White.

WANTED

8 mm, used movie projector, in good condition. Phone: Waverly 817-L.

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