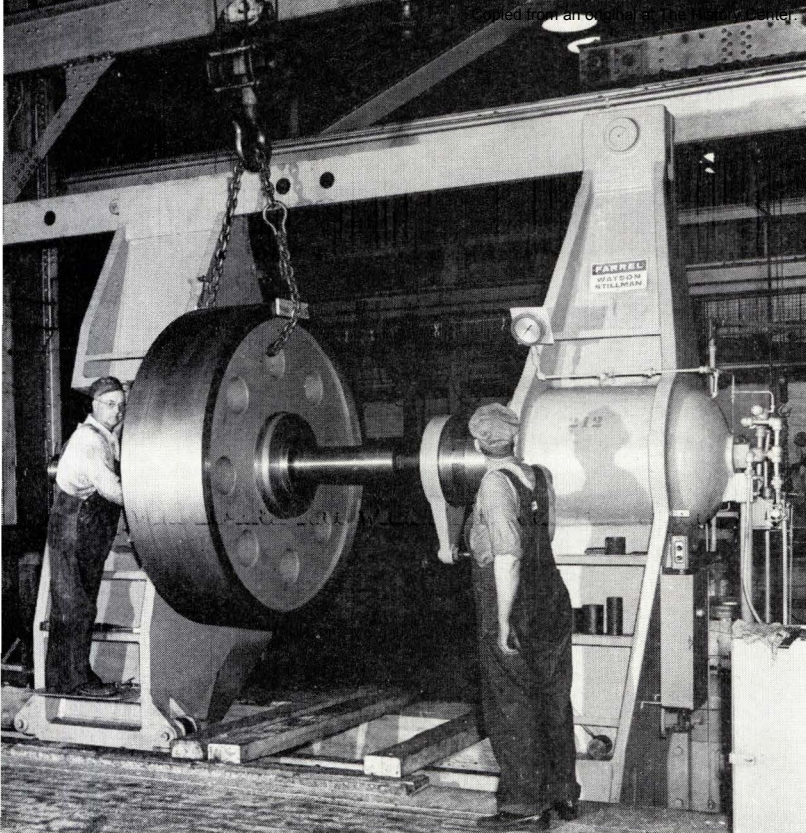


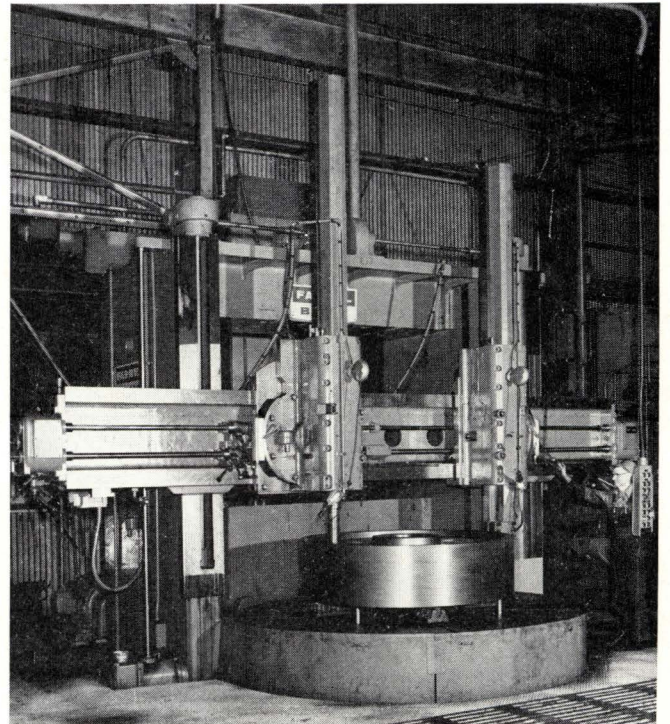
# The Foundry Roundup

MARCH, 1960





THE Horizontal Forcing Press is capable of exerting a force of 500 tons to engage or disengage various parts. The machine will accommodate parts 10½ feet in diameter and has a distance between supports of 20 feet. The operation being performed in the above picture is that of pressing a shaft into the gear for a Lufkin Marine Gear Model DV 4420. Charlie Harbuck and Malcolm King in the above picture operate this machine on the first shift, and Thomas Bone and Glen Wallace operate it on the second shift.



THIS Vertical Boring Mill has a capacity for machining a piece 10½ feet in diameter and 7½ feet high, weighing 40,000 pounds. A 75 horsepower motor makes possible the rapid removal of metal. The operation being performed by Lee Deggs above is that of machining the slow speed gear for Lufkin Marine Gear Model DV 4420. Lee Deggs and Les Bullock operate the machine on first shift and Wayne Wallace operates it on second shift.

## BET A MILLION . . . *Take One Giant Step*

THE year 1959 will go down in the history of Lufkin Foundry and Machine Company as one in which the Company took one giant step into new markets and therefore into new plant equipment.

With additional heavy machine tool capacity and the related supporting equipment, Lufkin Foundry & Machine Company has now stepped into broad new fields of growth in the heavy industrial gear field.

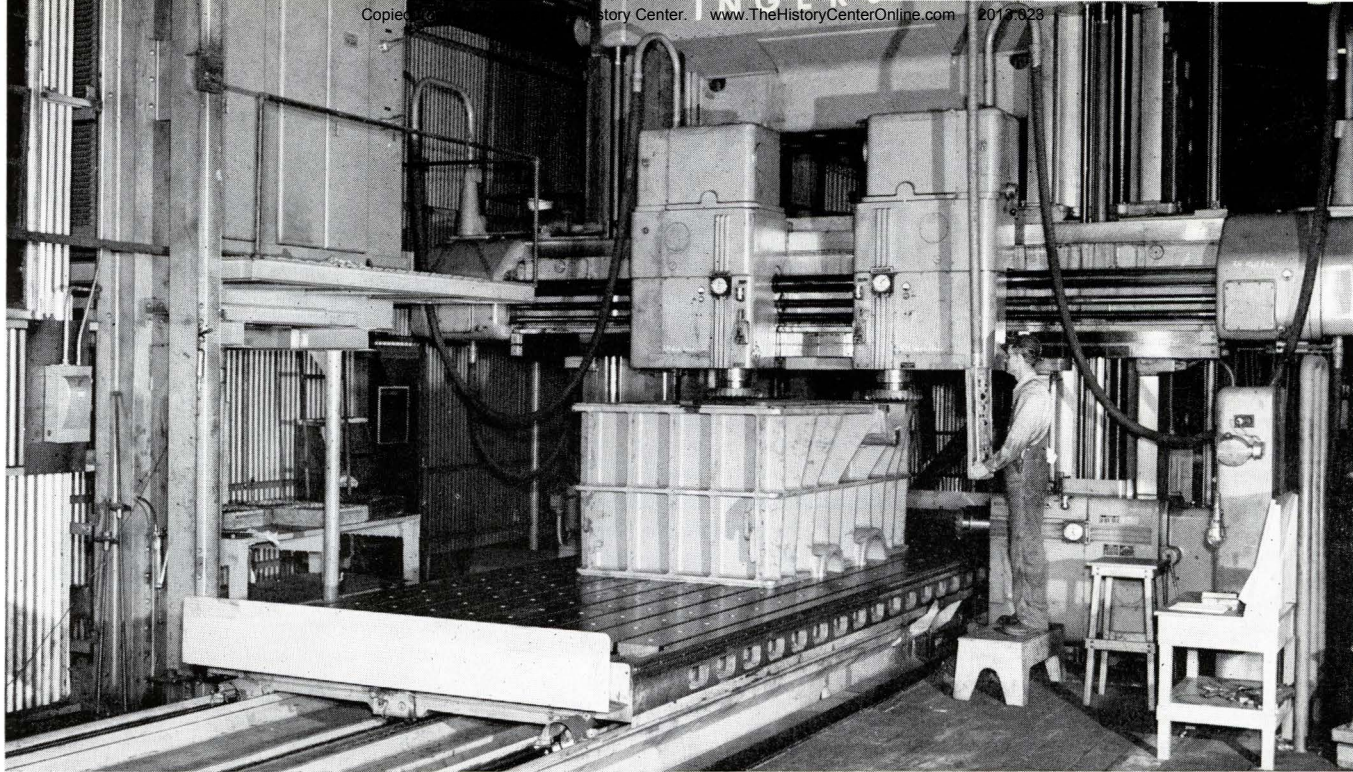
But all this didn't happen in a twinkling of the eye, or even in just one year. There was much research, planning, and conferences among plant personnel before this new step could become reality.

Now, we are able to produce a gear 10 feet in diameter with a 2-foot face width. Previously, we had a maximum capacity of a 5-foot diameter gear with 20-inch face width. The additional capacity en-

ables us to compete in many new markets that were previously not open to us because of size limitations.

To produce a completed gear box to take the maximum size gear, it was necessary to have other machine tools in addition to a large gear cutter. A vertical boring mill had to be purchased with capacity to turn, bore and face the gear blank. A horizontal forcing press had to be bought with capacity to press the shaft in the completed gear. A milling machine had to be purchased with capacity to rapidly machine large cast iron gear boxes. And a new electrical distribution center was installed to take care of the increased electrical load of the large motors of the new machine tools.

The planning for an expansion such as this required several years. First, of course, was the problem of determining the size of the market for larger



THIS Adjustable Rail Milling machine has the capacity to machine a piece 9 feet wide, 8 feet high and 26 feet long. This machine is powered by a 125 horsepower motor and the entire machine is controllable from the pendant that the operator is holding. The operation being performed is that

of machining the fabricated housing for the Lufkin Marine Gear Model DV 4420. Avery Lee, above, is operator of the machine on first shift. His helpers are Bob Melton and Wayne Largent. J. V. Nash is operator on the second shift, while John Hopkins and William Moore are helpers.

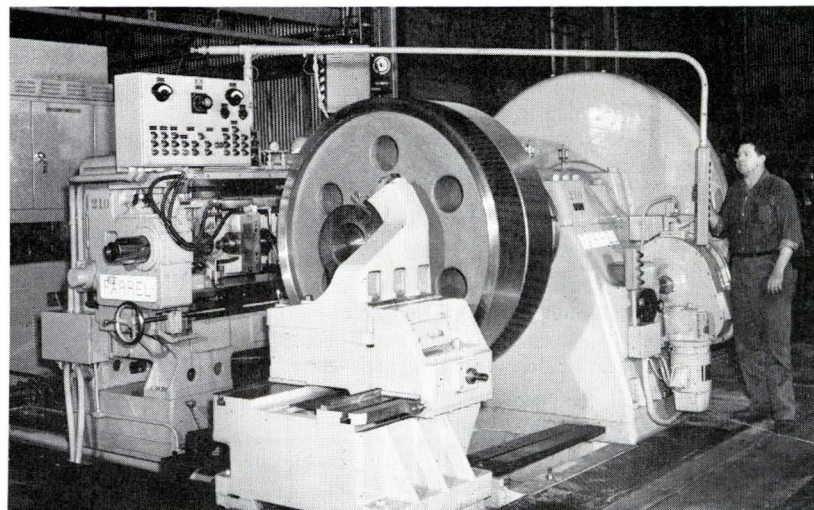
size gear units. Then came such questions as: "How competitive is the market for this size gear unit?" "Can we capture a large enough share of the market to make investment in plant and equipment worthwhile?" "Can the new equipment be used on our present products until the new product line is established?" "How much re-arranging of the existing plant will be necessary to accommodate the new tools?"

These and hundreds of other questions were answered to the satisfaction of management, and the decision was made to proceed with the project.

The next step was to get quotations from various machine tool suppliers, and to assure ourselves that we were getting the machines that best suited our needs and the most machine for the money.

Layouts were made to determine the best location for the tools and equipment. When the layouts were approved, work was begun on the foundations. The machines were subsequently installed carefully and put into operation.

The pioneering spirit which built Lufkin Foundry and Machine Company was very much in evidence from the beginning of this project. The complete installation of all the machine tools required a very substantial investment. This investment was required for equipment which would produce a product for which we had no orders on the books. This whole project was a gamble—a gamble that we could capture enough of the large gear business to effectively utilize the new equipment.



THE Farrell-Sykes Gear Generator is capable of cutting the teeth in a gear of 10-foot diameter with a 2-foot face width. The machine will produce extremely accurate gear teeth and will be used for our large, high speed gear cutting. The machine is shown above cutting the teeth on Lufkin Model N38 gear. This is the largest gear of this type that has been cut. Shown in the picture is Horace Askins who operates the machine on the first shift. John Daniels operates it on the second shift and Alvin Powell operates it on the third shift.

It would have been an easier task and much less risky just to spend this money for new equipment for our established products line—or even to pay out this money in dividends to the stockholders. But Management saw a real opportunity for opening up new frontiers of growth for Lufkin Foundry and Machine Company . . . and made the bet!

# THE HIDDEN TAX BITE

THE squawking heard throughout the land around Income Tax Day would probably be even louder if the average American realized he is paying much more for government than he thinks he is. He is, says Tax Foundation, Inc., because in the end only people pay taxes, and so they really pay not only their own income taxes but much of the income tax on corporations which must be passed on somewhere as a cost of doing business.

Although politicians like to talk of "making the corporations pay," it's not difficult to see that most taxes on business are simply passed along to the consumers in the form of higher prices. They then become "hidden taxes." It is difficult to say exactly how much any one taxpayer pays in hidden taxes during the course of the year.

Some idea of the sizeable amount of taxes in any one article, however is gained from a count the Foundation made to show that there are at least:

- 100 taxes on an egg
- 116 taxes on a man's suit
- 150 taxes on a woman's hat
- 151 taxes on a loaf of bread
- 600 taxes on a house

One rough estimate of all taxes paid by a family with a \$5,000 annual income, places the total tax burden, including hidden and direct taxes, at about \$1,600.

# JUMPER Joins Golden Shoe Club

Charlie W. Jumper, machine operator helper in the Welding and Structural Shop, was recently granted membership in the Golden Shoe Club.

His membership was granted because he was wearing safety shoes when an accident occurred that would have caused him extensive injury had he not been wearing the shoes. He was transferring angles from a storage rack to a nearby work table, when a piece of 3/8 x 4 x 4" angle, 12 feet long and weighing 118 pounds slipped from his grasp and fell across his foot. He was not seriously injured because the safety shoes protected his foot.



M. M. FONTENOT, left, holds the certificate of membership in the Golden Shoe Club which was granted CHARLIE W. JUMPER, right, because he was wearing safety shoes which protected his foot when a piece of angle was dropped on it.

# MEMORANDUM . . .

ON MAY 20, 1959, Jewel Kolb, an employee in the Machine Shop, was given a four (4) day layoff for disciplinary reasons. The Company contended that the reason for the layoff was an accumulation of rules' violations and of performing his work in a generally unsatisfactory manner.

The Union objected to the layoff and insisted that Kolb be paid for time lost during the layoff.

Specifically, Kolb had negligently obtained the wrong tool from the tool-room and had cut some keyways too large in some air-balanced unit sleeves.

The matter was processed through the grievance procedure and when it was denied in the final step, the Union insisted that the matter be submitted to arbitration. Professor Lennart V. Larson of the Law School at Southern Methodist University was selected as impartial arbitrator, and the matter was submitted to him at a hearing held on September 23, 1959.

The Company insisted that no disciplinary action would have been taken if the particular negligent act had been the only blot on the employee's record. The Company did, however, establish that in recent years it had been necessary to reprimand Kolb on seven (7) separate occasions for rules' violations and negligent work.

The Union insisted that the Company was in error in reprimanding the employee and thought that the prior rules' violations should be ignored.

The impartial arbitrator ruled that the Company was correct in taking into account prior reprimands given to this employee and rejected the grievance completely.

E. P. Trout



HOW TAXES, INFLATION NIP PROFITS		
1940 Profit	Equivalent 1960 Profit	Percent Increase
\$ 15,000	\$ 47,038	214
25,000	85,267	241
50,000	164,846	230
100,000	341,150	241
500,000	1,751,583	250
1,000,000	3,514,625	251

Company cash registers must jingle to a faster tune these days, or turn up a drastic drop in profits. Because of the combined effects of inflation and higher

Federal corporate income taxes, companies must have more than three times as much profit in 1960 just to be in the same position they were 20 years ago.

It is rumored that a new simplified income tax form for next year contains just four lines:

1. What was your income last year?
2. What were your expenses?
3. How much have you left?
4. Send it in.

# FEBRUARY

## *Anniversaries*

### FOUNDRY DEPARTMENT

	Employment Date	Years With Co.
W. J. Buschmann	Feb. 9, 1939	21
Robert Burns	Feb. 24, 1942	18
A. B. White	Feb. 24, 1943	17
Josh Duncan	Feb. 28, 1944	16
Fred Benemon	Feb. 20, 1946	14
James Scott	Feb. 20, 1946	14
W. T. Bailey	Feb. 13, 1951	9
Rex Jones	Feb. 20, 1951	9
J. B. Perkins	Feb. 12, 1952	8
James Jones	Feb. 2, 1955	5
Clayton F. Jircik	Feb. 21, 1955	5
Thomas Boulware	Feb. 22, 1955	5
Fred D. Jenkins	Feb. 1, 1956	4
Robert D. Ferguson	Feb. 23, 1959	1

### MACHINE SHOP

	Employment Date	Years With Co.
W. Howard Smith	Feb. 15, 1926	34
P. B. Largent	Feb. 1, 1929	31
G. R. Beavers	Feb. 8, 1929	31
A. W. Stevens	Feb. 12, 1929	31
Hubert Breazeale	Feb. 4, 1937	23
Z. R. Cummins	Feb. 8, 1937	23
C. T. Douglass	Feb. 11, 1937	23
M. R. Ross	Feb. 25, 1937	23
John Burks	Feb. 24, 1938	22
F. S. Ritchie	Feb. 12, 1941	19
J. A. Lovett	Feb. 12, 1941	19
W. L. Hanson	Feb. 1, 1943	17
D. H. Matchett	Feb. 26, 1945	15
L. D. Parrish	Feb. 12, 1947	13
Frank Davis	Feb. 24, 1947	13
Boisey Anderson	Feb. 28, 1947	13
Delbert A. Jones	Feb. 2, 1950	10
W. R. Weeks	Feb. 6, 1950	10
Bobby H. Tucker	Feb. 12, 1951	9
W. Y. Counts	Feb. 6, 1952	8
W. G. Mangham	Feb. 13, 1952	8
R. C. Roberts	Feb. 19, 1952	8
Clarence Harvill	Feb. 1, 1954	6
Fred Hopson	Feb. 24, 1954	6
Chester B. Jones	Feb. 3, 1955	5
Earl O. Deal	Feb. 7, 1955	5
Buryal Holt	Feb. 10, 1955	5
G. G. Brashear	Feb. 17, 1955	5
Barbara Jean Fowler	Feb. 1, 1957	3
Kenneth E. Womack	Feb. 25, 1957	3
W. H. Duncan	Feb. 25, 1957	3
Donald Lee Wallace	Feb. 2, 1959	1
Jack A. Landrum	Feb. 2, 1959	1
John H. White	Feb. 17, 1959	1
Spence E. Denman	Feb. 26, 1959	1

### TRAILER DIVISION

	Employment Date	Years With Co.
C. J. Schuller	Feb. 1, 1942	18
Lester J. Glaze	Feb. 8, 1943	17
Thomas F. Ladd	Feb. 8, 1943	17
Leo D. Elliott	Feb. 13, 1943	17
Al. S. Walton	Feb. 2, 1948	12
A. C. Warren	Feb. 1, 1950	10
Garvin Mooney	Feb. 2, 1950	10
G. C. Wright	Feb. 2, 1950	10
James M. Fuller	Feb. 6, 1950	10
Luke S. Rouse	Feb. 6, 1950	10
Emmett D. Forrest	Feb. 8, 1950	10
B. S. Hendry	Feb. 9, 1950	10
Milton E. Watson	Feb. 17, 1950	10
J. N. Wooten	Feb. 27, 1950	10
Sidney Smith	Feb. 28, 1950	10
L. E. Donnell	Feb. 28, 1952	8
W. E. Cook	Feb. 11, 1959	1

### PATTERN SHOP

	Employment Date	Years With Co.
Carl D. Ross	Feb. 13, 1952	8
W. P. Westbrook	Feb. 1, 1956	4

### WELDING & STRUCTURAL

	Employment Date	Years With Co.
M. R. Hopson	Feb. 18, 1929	31
Gus A. Teer	Feb. 15, 1941	19
Stephen Warren	Feb. 18, 1943	17
Taylor W. Martin	Feb. 22, 1943	17
L. S. Neyland	Feb. 22, 1943	17
M. H. Patrick	Feb. 7, 1947	13
J. P. Laird	Feb. 12, 1951	9
E. J. Childers	Feb. 24, 1955	5
A. T. Stanley	Feb. 2, 1956	4
M. K. Lowery	Feb. 27, 1959	1

### MAIN OFFICE

	Employment Date	Years With Co.
E. P. Trout	Feb. 25, 1926	34
Homer Thrash	Feb. 2, 1942	18
T. D. Lashly	Feb. 2, 1948	12
W. M. L. Wagner	Feb. 19, 1952	8
C. B. Burris	Feb. 11, 1953	7
W. T. Little	Feb. 18, 1957	3
Betty Stewart	Feb. 19, 1958	2

### INDUSTRIAL ENGINEERING

	Employment Date	Years With Co.
Stanley Beck	Feb. 21, 1955	5

### MILL SUPPLIES

	Employment Date	Years With Co.
Harley Baker	Feb. 21, 1955	5

### OILFIELD SALES & BRANCHES

	Employment Date	Years With Co.
V. L. Gallia, Jr.	Feb. 5, 1947	13
Oliver McKay, Jr.	Feb. 1, 1951	9
G. R. Stein	Feb. 13, 1951	9
R. D. Dunlop	Feb. 1, 1953	7
Roy Lilley, Jr.	Feb. 2, 1953	7
R. L. Bowcutt	Feb. 13, 1956	4
L. E. Carpenter	Feb. 18, 1957	3
David Bishop, Jr.	Feb. 19, 1957	3
A. R. Beaulieu	Feb. 2, 1959	1

### TRAILER SALES & BRANCHES

	Employment Date	Years With Co.
R. L. Hamilton, Jr.	Feb. 3, 1954	6
Emery Horton	Feb. 22, 1955	5
A. L. Ashmore	Feb. 22, 1955	5
J. C. Munroe	Feb. 18, 1957	3
R. L. Lewis	Feb. 12, 1959	1

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## *Anniversaries*

### FOUNDRY DEPARTMENT

	Employment Date	Years With Co.
W. H. Moore	March 20, 1937	23
Johnny Stewart	March 23, 1944	16
Jim Mark	March 10, 1945	15
Curley Overshine	March 14, 1945	15
A. B. Young	March 14, 1945	15
Houston C. Davidson	March 18, 1947	13
N. L. Stringer	March 20, 1947	13
Daniel W. Phillips	March 17, 1952	8
Chester Roberson	March 31, 1952	8
Lessie Roberson	March 3, 1953	7

### MACHINE SHOP

	Employment Date	Years With Co.
A. C. Hughes	March 5, 1927	33
Dave C. Blake	March 4, 1935	25
Oscar E. Johnson	March 1, 1936	24
B. P. Courtney	March 8, 1937	23
V. P. Johnson	March 11, 1937	23
G. W. Spurgeon	March 11, 1937	23
Arthur Fowler	March 30, 1937	23
Grady M. Campbell	March 12, 1941	19
J. E. Thompson	March 20, 1941	19
V. A. Luce	March 1, 1943	17
L. G. Rusk, Sr.	March 5, 1943	17
E. E. Heisch	March 18, 1943	17
Harry Lee Smith	March 2, 1944	16
C. M. Milligan	March 3, 1945	15
G. N. Jones	March 9, 1945	15
Tom H. Duke	March 19, 1945	15
Dee Russell	March 21, 1946	14
T. S. Treadwell	March 3, 1947	13
A. J. Modisette, Jr.	March 1, 1948	12
L. A. Yount	March 5, 1951	9
J. E. Vaughn	March 20, 1951	9
June Mainer	March 29, 1951	9
J. V. Nash	March 20, 1952	8
Ben B. Robb	March 24, 1952	8
John Monday	March 15, 1954	6
Gayland Wallace	March 24, 1954	6
Jerry Lee Conway	March 29, 1954	6
Jewel Kolb	March 29, 1954	6
Howard Coy Smith	March 28, 1955	5

Doyle W. Lunsford	March 2, 1959	1
John A. Martin	March 2, 1959	1
George R. Montes	March 2, 1959	1
Robert J. Ray	March 3, 1959	1
John A. Agan	March 5, 1959	1
K. N. Carter	March 5, 1959	1
B. J. Wood	March 6, 1959	1
Ross Nash	March 6, 1959	1
H. C. Jacobs, Jr.	March 9, 1959	1
J. E. Arnold	March 10, 1959	1
Ferris L. Smith	March 11, 1959	1
F. R. Arnold	March 18, 1959	1
Ted S. Williams	March 19, 1959	1
W. D. Pigg	March 20, 1959	1
W. G. McNaughton	March 23, 1959	1
K. R. Burnett	March 24, 1959	1

### TRAILER DIVISION

	Employment Date	Years With Co.
Floyd S. Rogers	March 1, 1937	23
Robert H. Davis	March 1, 1943	17
Dewitt T. Fenley	March 6, 1944	16
W. G. Thompson	March 8, 1944	16
John E. Moreland	March 11, 1946	14
Carl Liese	March 27, 1946	14
Austin L. Freeman	March 1, 1950	10
George D. Manley	March 2, 1950	10
Elbert R. Bailey	March 2, 1950	10
Coy Oliver	March 2, 1950	10
J. D. Alexander	March 6, 1950	10
E. O. Rogers	March 3, 1952	8
Fred Nash	March 20, 1952	8
James D. Mainer	March 25, 1952	8
Wayne Wimp, Jr.	March 5, 1953	7
Fred J. Strait	March 1, 1954	6
G. J. Brown	March 14, 1956	4
Billy B. Thompson	March 3, 1959	1

### PATTERN SHOP

	Employment Date	Years With Co.
Harold C. Doney	March 16, 1953	7
Steve McKinney, Jr.	March 22, 1954	6

### WELDING & STRUCTURAL

	Employment Date	Years With Co.
B. R. Wallace	March 17, 1937	23
Clyde R. Bates	March 15, 1941	19
J. C. Covington	March 15, 1945	15
W. A. Drake	March 23, 1946	14
Barnes Davis	March 8, 1954	6
Robert Molandes	March 30, 1954	6
D. H. Jones	March 28, 1955	5
J. D. Whitaker	March 5, 1956	4
Clyde B. Ringo	March 29, 1956	4
Marlin S. Williams	March 3, 1959	1
Jack S. Allen	March 4, 1959	1
B. J. Conner	March 13, 1959	1
R. G. Mitchell	March 16, 1959	1

### INDUSTRIAL ENGINEERING

	Employment Date	Years With Co.
J. W. Temple	March 16, 1954	6

### TRAFFIC DEPARTMENT

	Employment Date	Years With Co.
Robert D. Chapman	March 19, 1951	9

### PERSONNEL & FIRST AID

	Employment Date	Years With Co.
Martha Hopson	March 25, 1953	7
Joe Perkins	March 16, 1954	6

### MAIN OFFICE

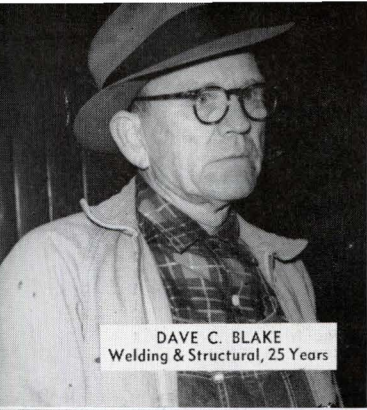
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Raymond Willmon	March 15, 1943	17
Eulen Parrish	March 3, 1947	13
Marian Bullard	March 2, 1959	1
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Foster Singleton	March 11, 1959	1
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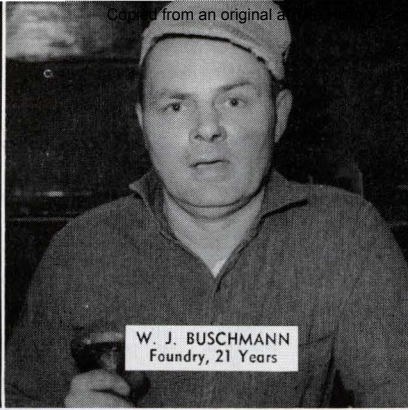
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Mary M. Lamonte	March 1, 1925	35
Julie Stanley	March 15, 1943	17
Carl Frazer, Jr.	March 10, 1947	13
Jack Gissler	March 24, 1947	13
A. L. Christina	March 2, 1953	7

### TRAILER SALES & BRANCHES

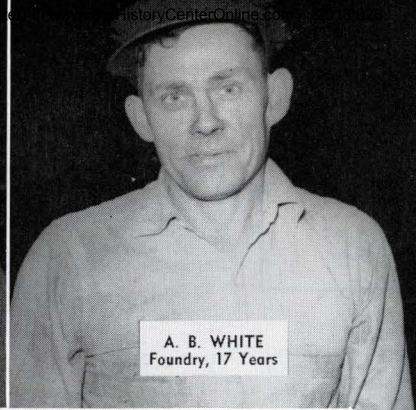
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J. W. Bennett	March 19, 1956	4
Don Jones	March 1, 1957	3
Jimmy Horn	March 18, 1957	3
A. B. Collins	March 18, 1957	3
E. H. Fuller	March 1, 1958	2
J. A. Lynn	March 3, 1958	2
George Robinson	March 12, 1958	2
Jesse Torres	March 16, 1959	1



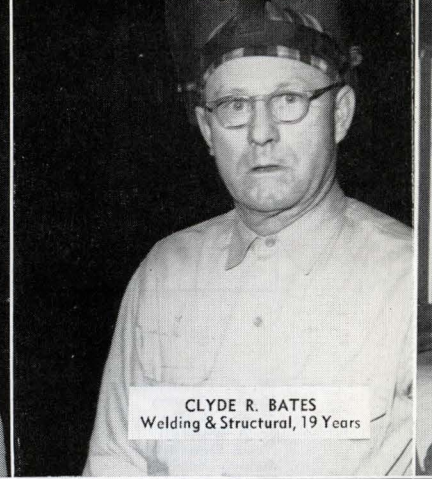
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Welding & Structural, 25 Years



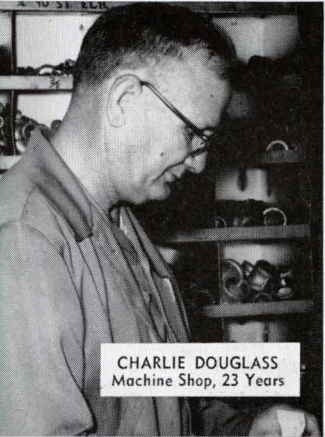
W. J. BUSCHMANN  
Foundry, 21 Years



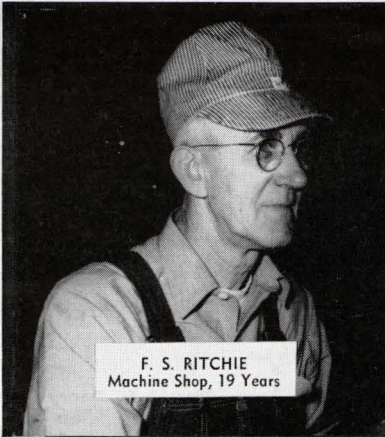
A. B. WHITE  
Foundry, 17 Years



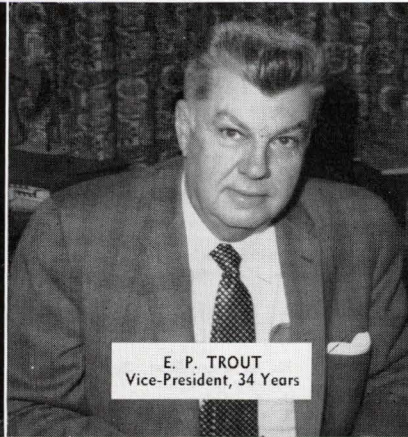
CLYDE R. BATES  
Welding & Structural, 19 Years



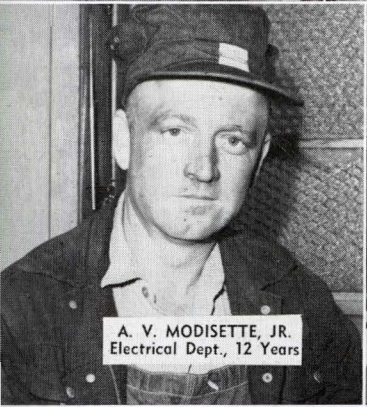
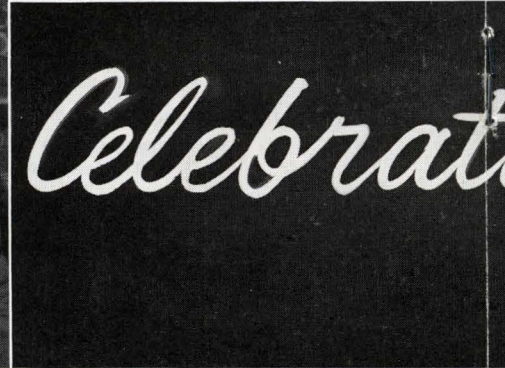
CHARLIE DOUGLASS  
Machine Shop, 23 Years



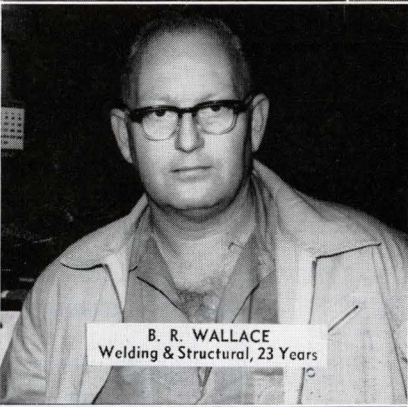
F. S. RITCHIE  
Machine Shop, 19 Years



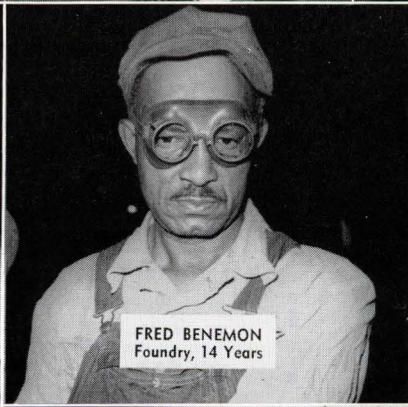
E. P. TROUT  
Vice-President, 34 Years



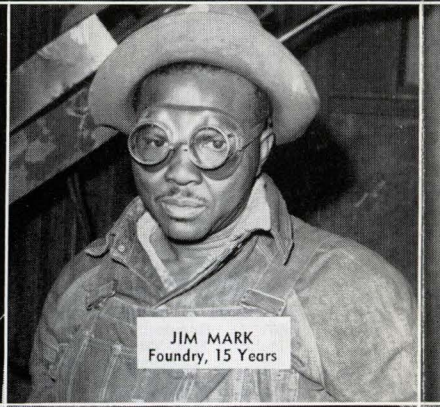
A. V. MODISETTE, JR.  
Electrical Dept., 12 Years



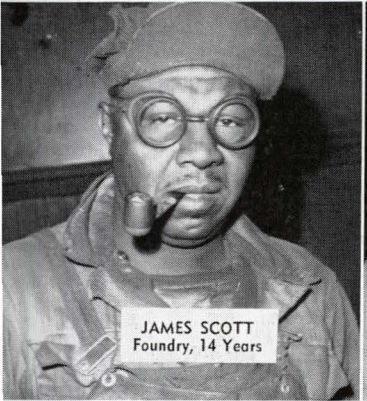
B. R. WALLACE  
Welding & Structural, 23 Years



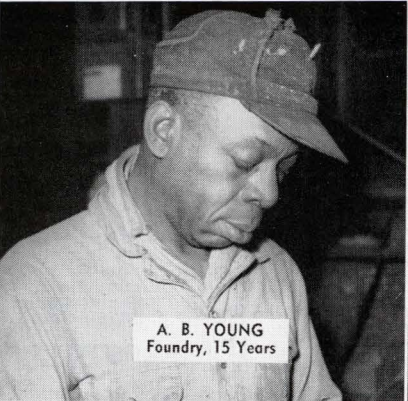
FRED BENEMON  
Foundry, 14 Years



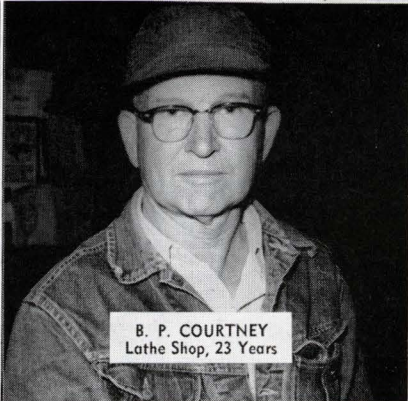
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Foundry, 15 Years



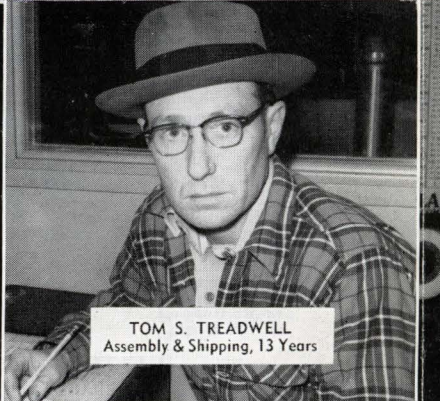
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Foundry, 14 Years



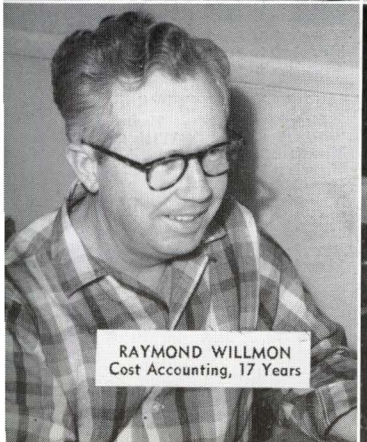
A. B. YOUNG  
Foundry, 15 Years



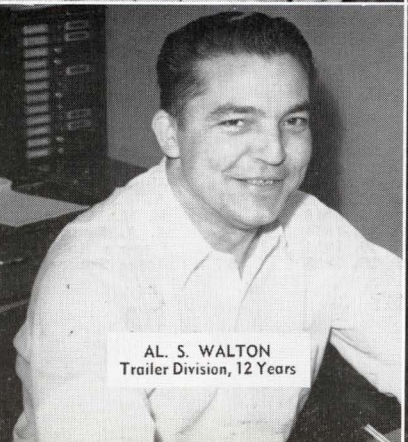
B. P. COURTNEY  
Lathe Shop, 23 Years



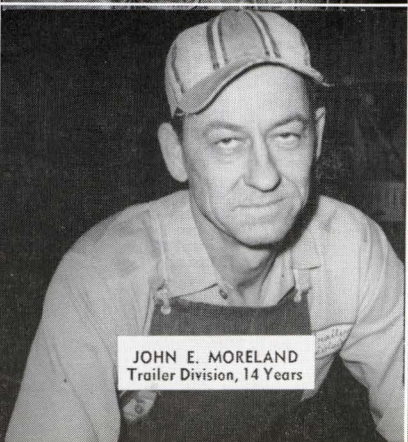
TOM S. TREADWELL  
Assembly & Shipping, 13 Years



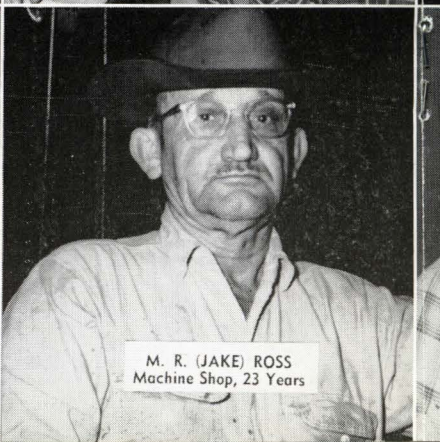
RAYMOND WILLMON  
Cost Accounting, 17 Years



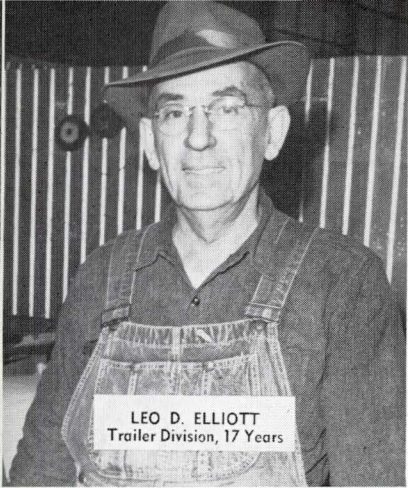
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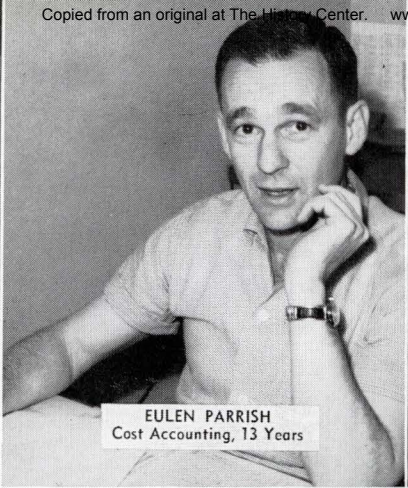
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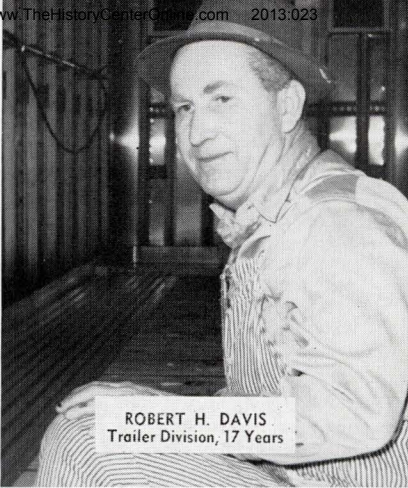
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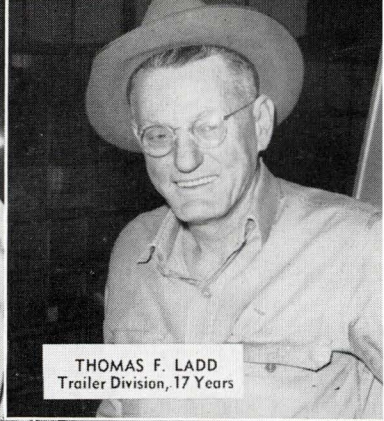
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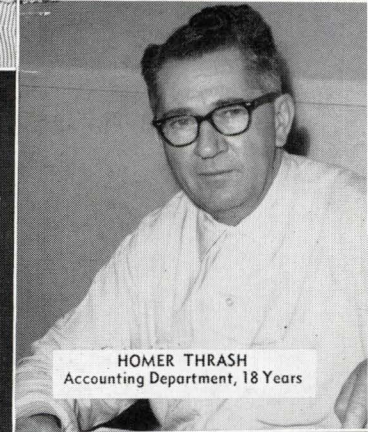


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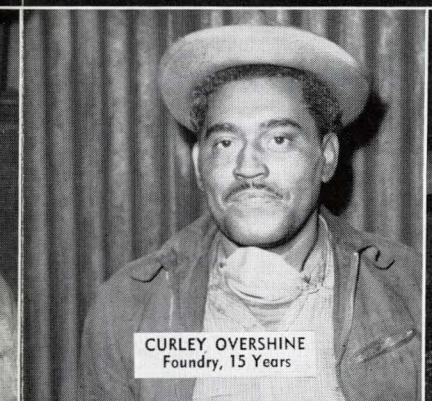


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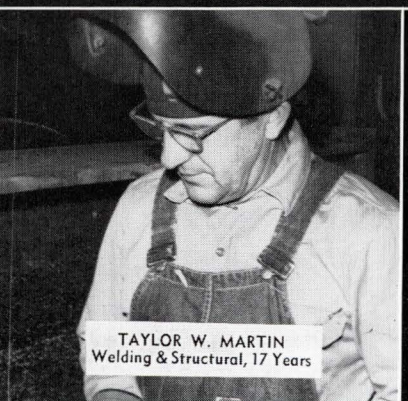
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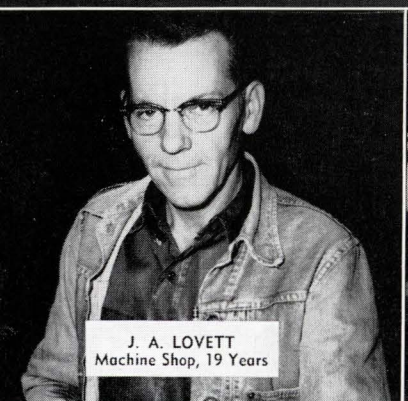
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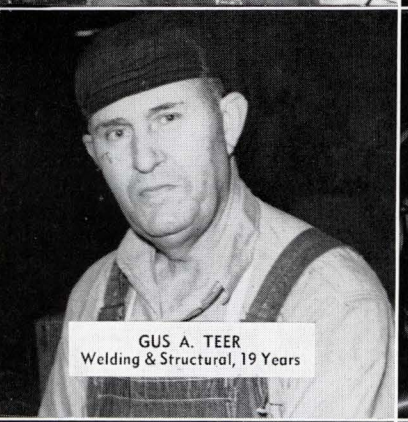
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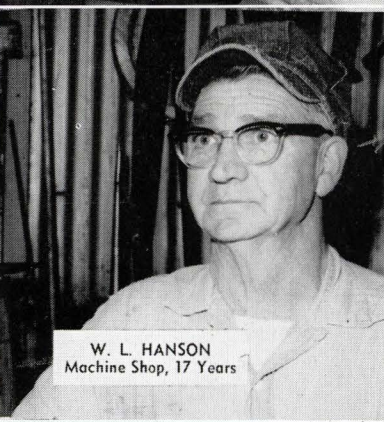
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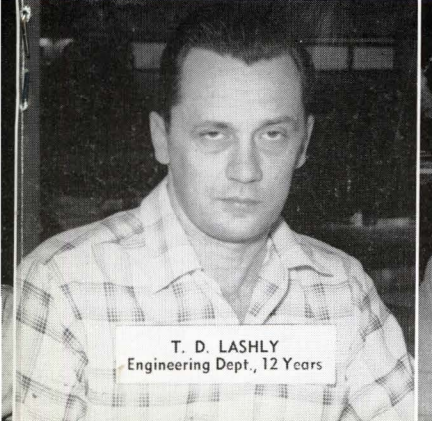
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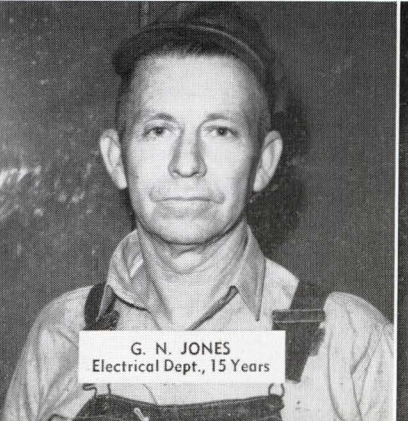
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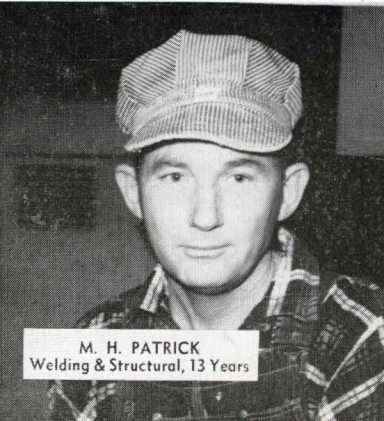
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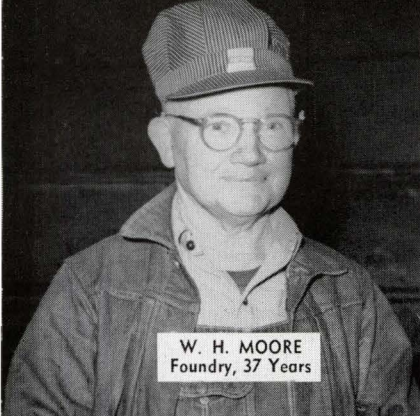
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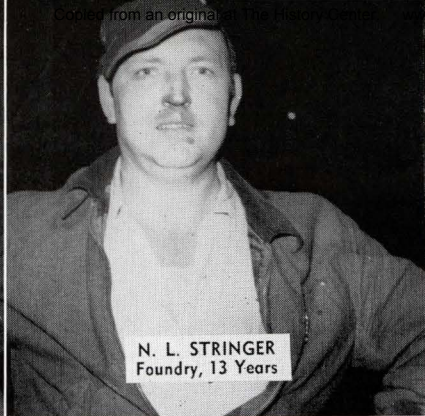
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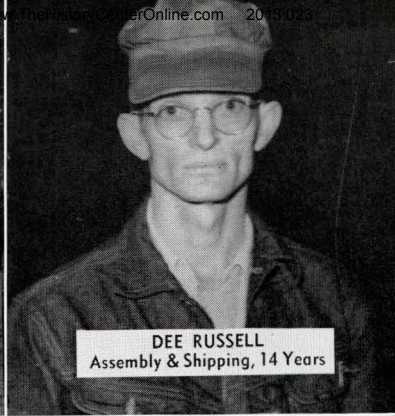
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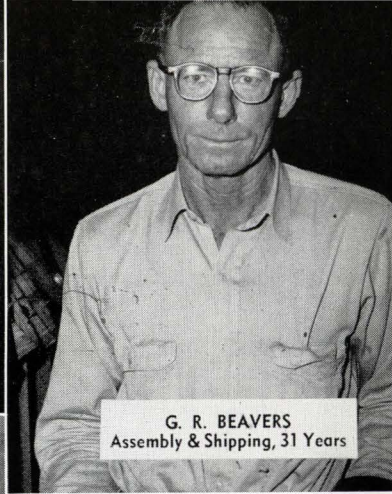
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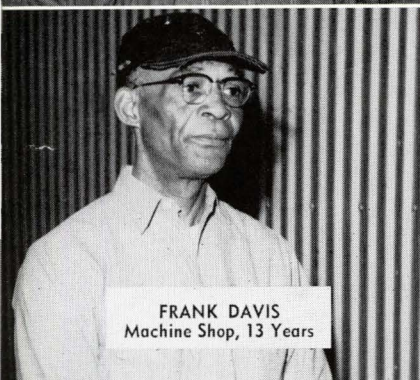
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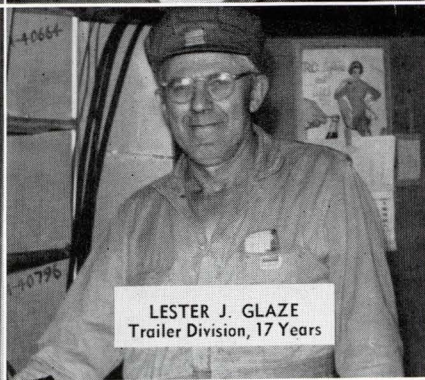
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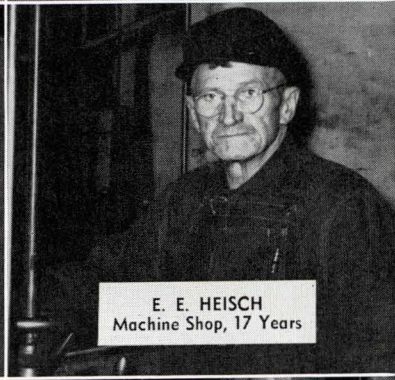
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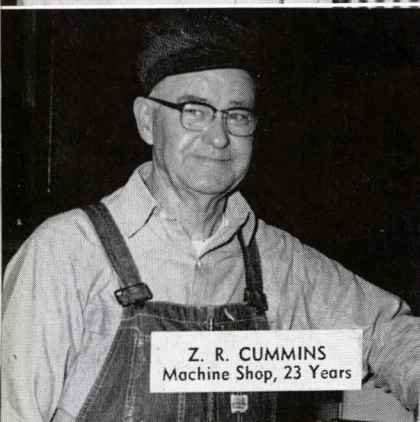


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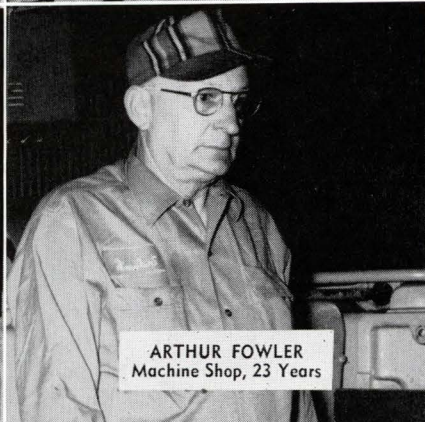


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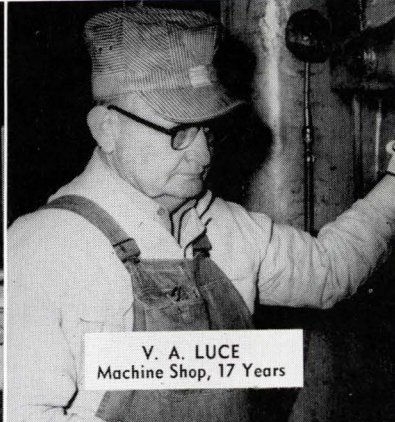
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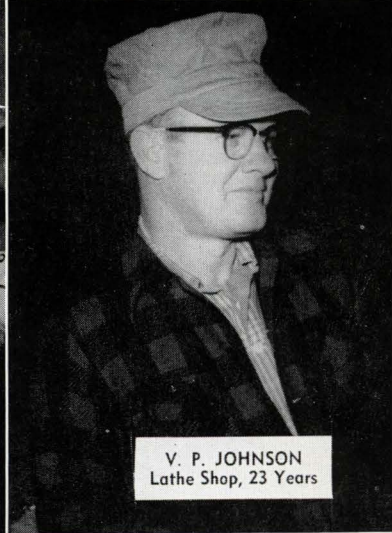
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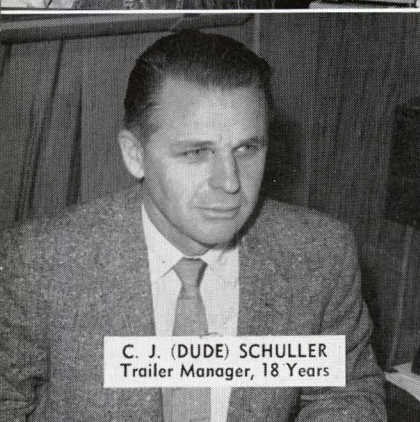
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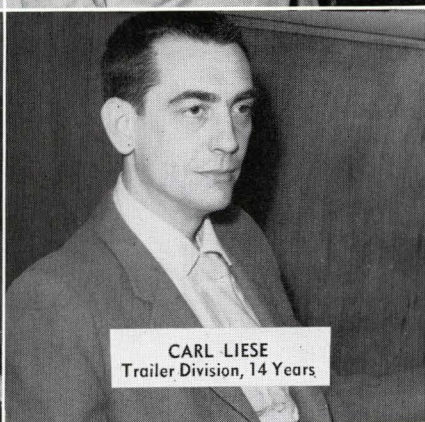
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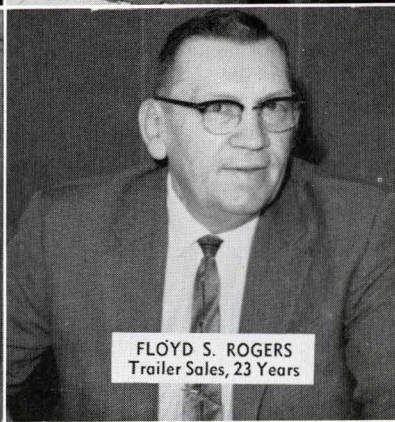
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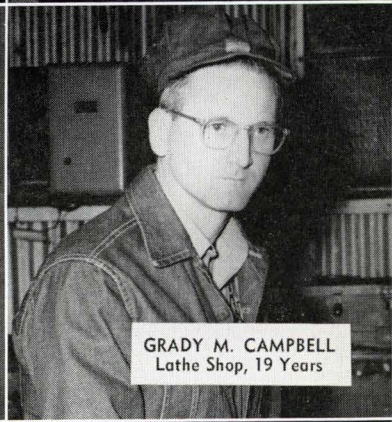
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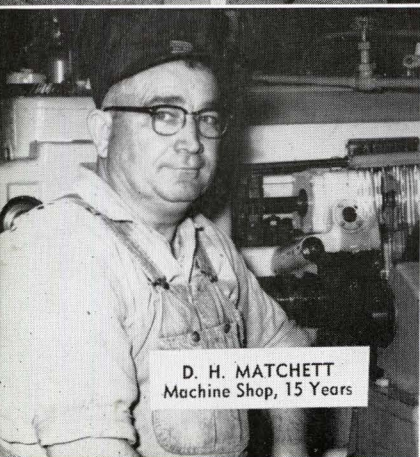
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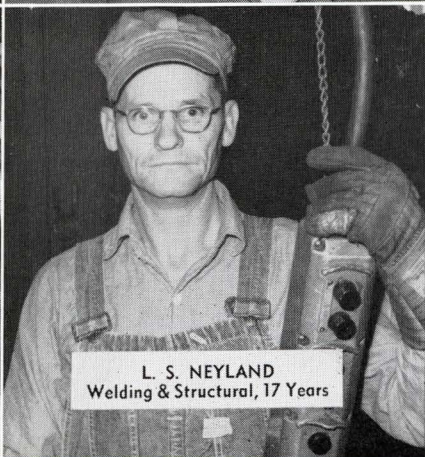
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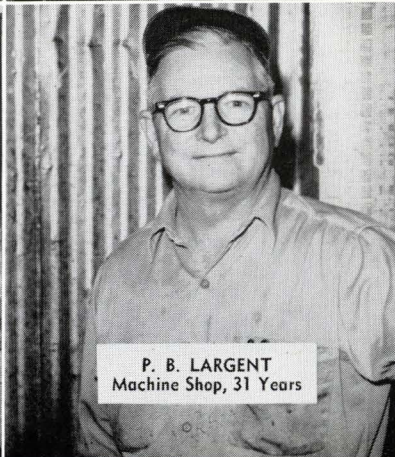
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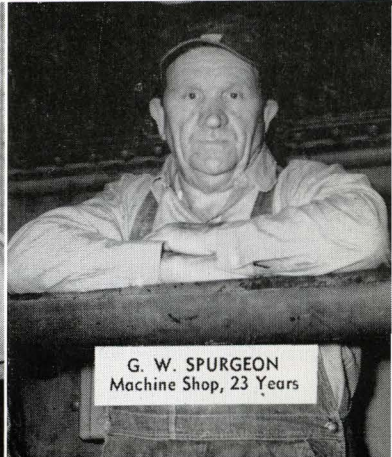
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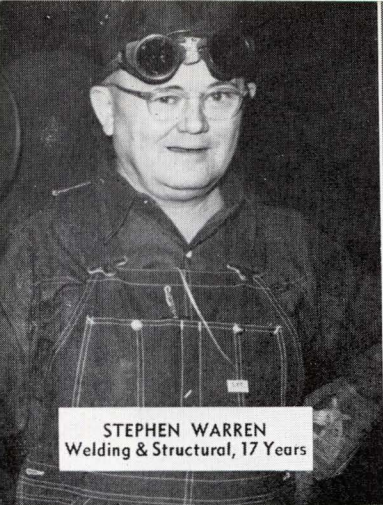
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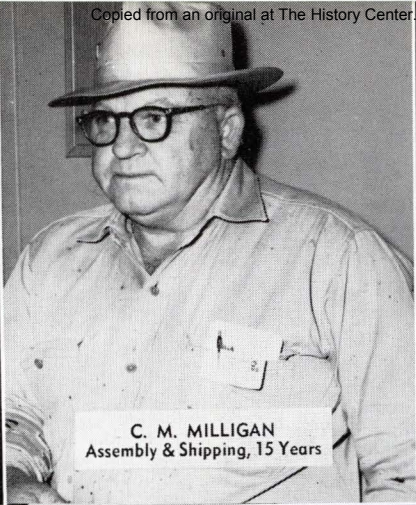
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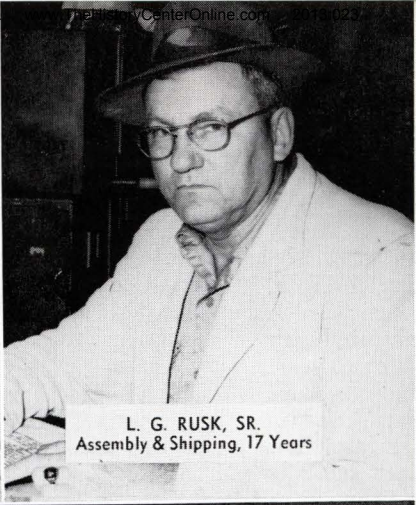
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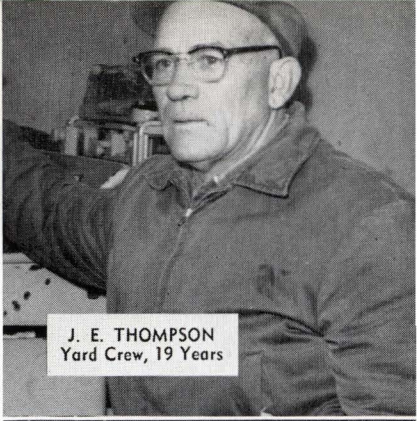
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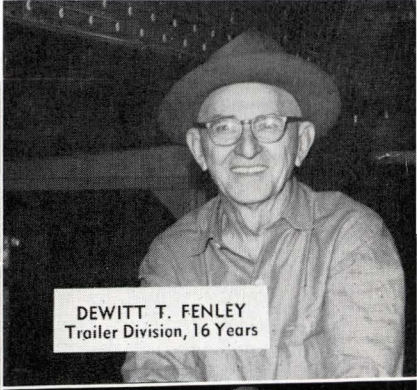


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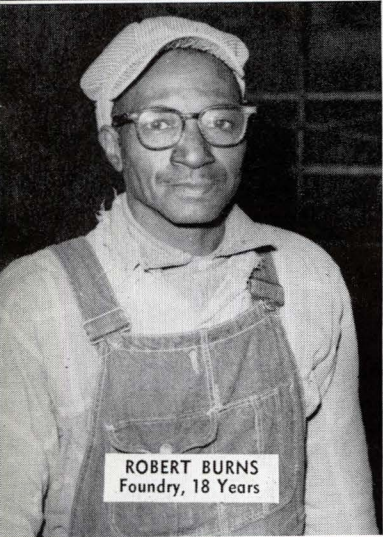


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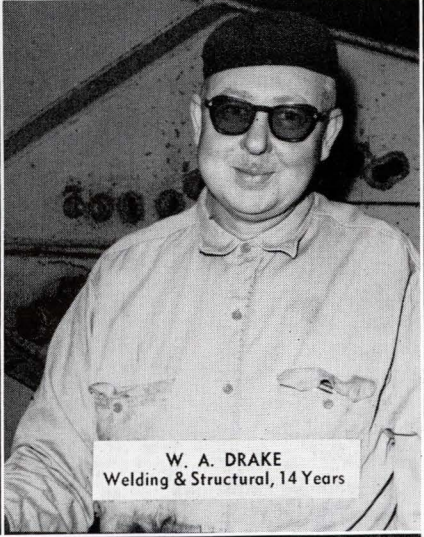
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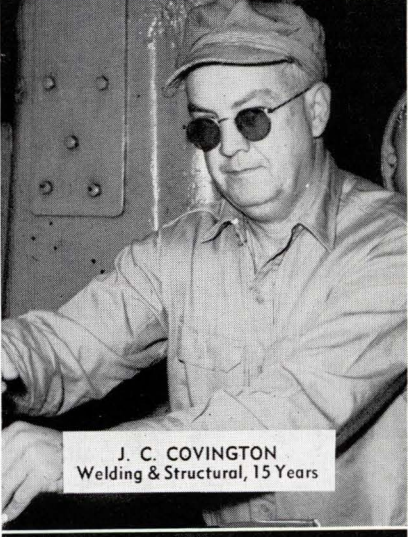
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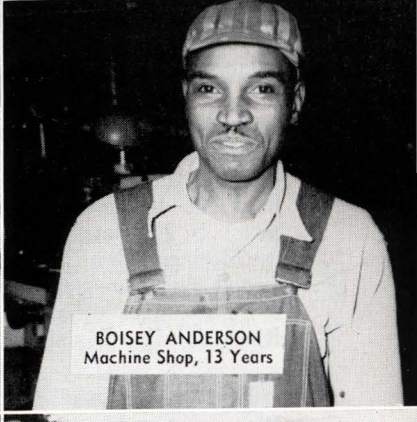
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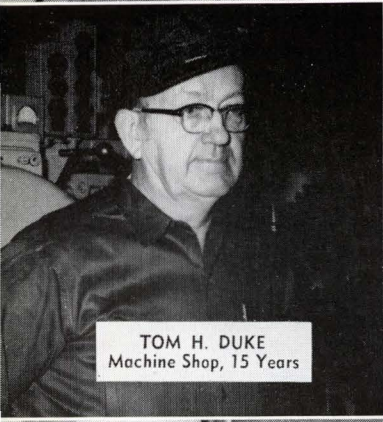
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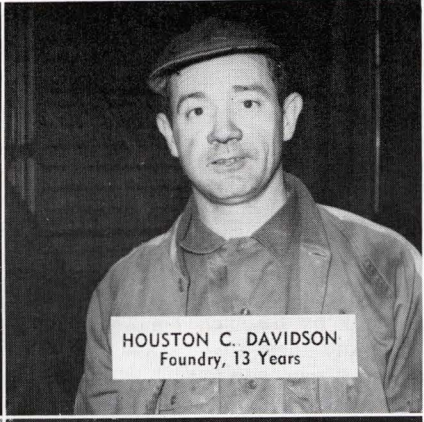
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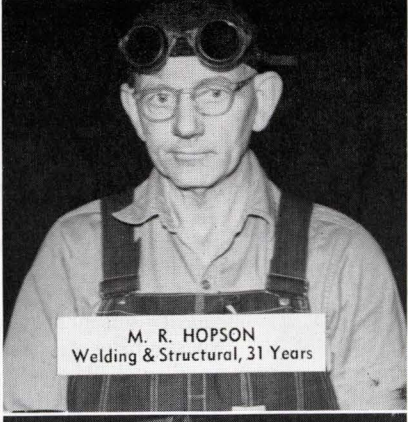
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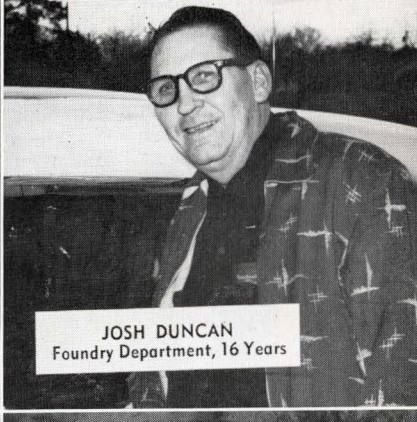
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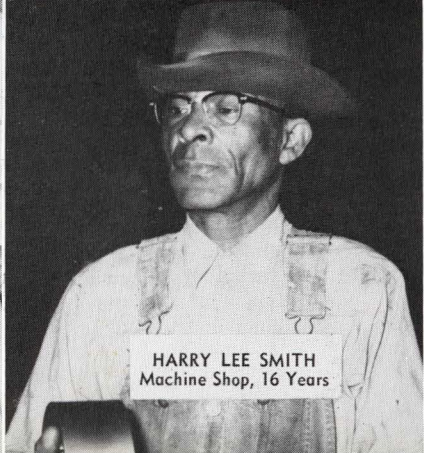
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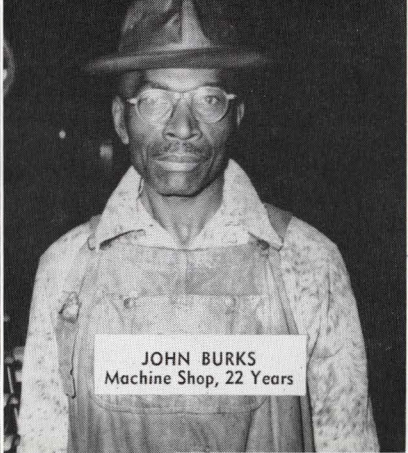
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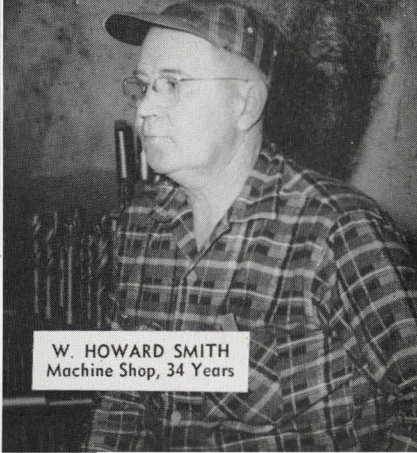
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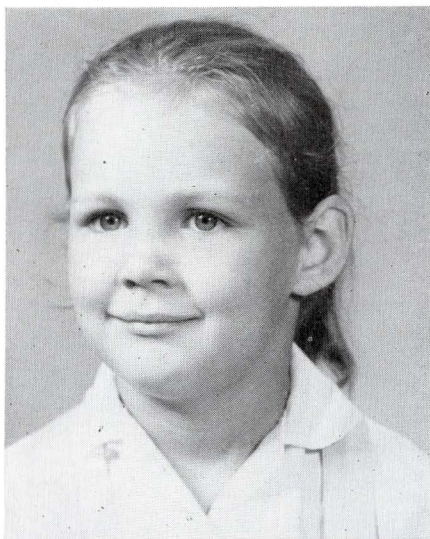
# the Editor's Corner

**T**HE first week in April was designated as Texas Industrial Week. The theme of this observance was "A good business climate makes industry and industry makes jobs." For 10 years now, Texas business and industry have been joining together during Texas Industrial Week to tell the story of how business and industry fit into the daily activity and life of the community; how they are dependent upon the community and the community is dependent upon them.

It is a fact that neither can exist without the other in our modern Texas economy. Business men have but to stop and think of what Angelina County would be without industry to fully realize the intra-dependence upon one another. And industry has but to do the same reflecting. And each of us who is employed by industry can be grateful that such a well-balanced economy exists in our county.

Some 75 Cub Scouts and their parents attended the Blue and Gold Banquet of the Foundry-sponsored Cub Pack 149, which was held at the Scout Shack in February. Parents furnished the food, and Bob Cat awards were presented. On these pages is a picture of the Pack with their Cub Master Jim Riggs, Trailer Division employee.

Pictures of the grandchildren of Pete Largent, Machine Shop employee, were sent to us by Mrs. Largent, and



**KATHY JO**, 7 years old, daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Charles Emmons and granddaughter of Mr. & Mrs. Pete Largent

they are seen on these pages. We always welcome the opportunity to print pictures of our employees and their families in **THE ROUNDUP**.

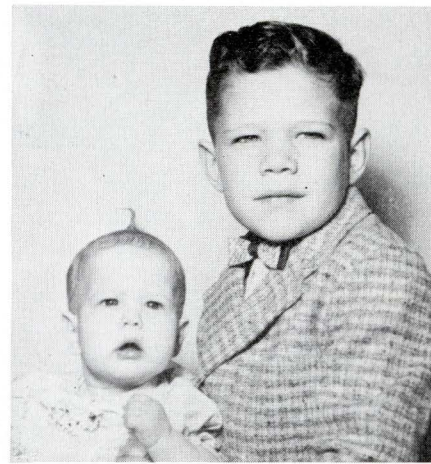
One of our favorite contributors to this magazine, Guy Croom, sent us the following piece which was written by R. G. LeTourneau entitled "Inflation and Communism" which we think is good reading:

"I have just read an editorial discussing which would be the worse, inflation or Soviet domination. This country was started by God-fearing men. They came here seeking freedom to worship God. They wrote on our coin, "In God We Trust." Because they did, God has blessed this land and given us the system of free enterprise, by far the finest in the world today. With free enterprise, men went to work and produced. Their production has given us more food and clothing, shelter and luxuries than anywhere else in the world.

"When men stop producing, they are going to stop having. They may think they are doing good to mankind, but their feather-bedding and demanding more money for less work is only robbing their fellow laborer and not the capitalist, because he can't get the money to build the mills that give us our high standard of living unless he can make a profit. And Eisenhower says, "Stop rising prices which cause inflation." A monopoly by industry will stifle our free enterprise system and so will a monopoly by labor.

"We are not choosing between inflation or communism. We are going to have to choose between going back to the God of our forefathers or else we will have inflation and communism both. The socialistic philosophy of some of the labor leaders is so near to communism that they are making us mighty vulnerable to attack by Russia by stopping production. And they are hurting themselves, because men can't have what men don't produce."

In May we will have the opportunity to exercise our franchise to vote. May is usually a warm and beautiful month, beckoning us to enjoy the outdoors, go fishing, work in the yard, barbecue, just get outside and do the things we have been unable to do during the long winter months. With this temptation, we might stay away from the polls on that important Saturday called



**LOU ANN**, 7 months old and **CHARLES MEDFORD**, 6½ years old, children of Mr. & Mrs. Medford Largent and grandchildren of Mr. & Mrs. Pete Largent

"Election Day." Before we succumb to that temptation, let's ask ourselves one very important question: "How important is *one* vote?"

We're getting along in years as a nation. Isn't it time this question was answered? Remember Rutherford B. Hayes? *One* electoral vote put him in the White House. *One* congressional vote saved Selective Service just 12 weeks before Pearl Harbor. *One* vote can take a frightened child off a busy highway and onto a new school bus.

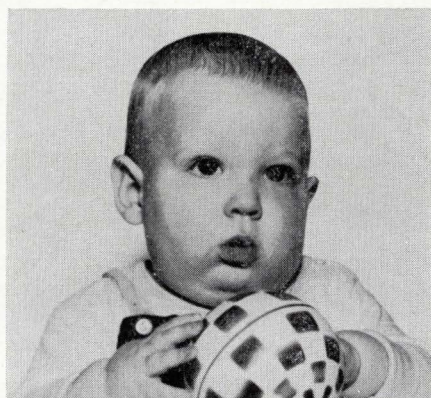
A wise man once observed, "Liberty means responsibility. This is why most men dread it." But if you dread it and ignore it, how long can it last? Freedom, like a receding hairline, isn't lost all at once. It goes gradually. If you can spend a few minutes each day using hair tonic to save your hair,



**MICHAEL RAY**, 6½ years old, son of Mr. & Mrs. Donald Earl Largent and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Largent



STACY ANN, 8 months old, daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Charles Emmons and granddaughter of Mr. & Mrs. Pete Largent



TOMMY DALE, 9 months old, son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Fred Carrier and grandson of Mr. & Mrs. Pete Largent

can't you spend a few minutes each year at the polls to save your scalp?

The Federal Government has long been famous for its round-about way of saying something. One good example of verbosity—not too long ago an order reducing the price of cabbage contained 26,911 words!

We saw something in the current issue of SUNSHINE MAGAZINE written by Capt. Tom L. Gibson entitled "Standing on Your Own Feet." We think its message is worthwhile.

"A true American does not feel that all men by force must be on the same level with each other, but that every one shall have his full liberty without government restriction. He will not go along with theory, advanced by some, that the individual must subordinate his liberty to the general welfare, and resort to the State for aid and guidance.

"We must understand that the common fate of the indolent and the complacent is to have their rights become the prey of the active. The Creator has given us our liberty, but demands continual vigilance on our



CUBS of Pack 149 who attended the recent blue and Gold banquet are, first row, left to right: Keith Glass, David Dorsett, Gean Gardner, Bill Bruce, Jack Dicky, Stevie Barns, Gary Dean, Kenneth McLane. Second row, left to right: Jerry Blanton, Glenn Williams, Walton Carrington, Louie Short, Danny Hodges, Gale McKnight, Robert Daffern, Henry Hensarling, Ronny Dean, John Walker, David Grimes. Back row: Jim Riggs, Cub Master; Terry Gamble and Jerry Gamble

part that we keep in harness and guard with all care this God-given heritage. If we don't, servitude will be the penalty.

"If you are a common man, you will seek opportunity, and not security that may be given by the government, which will bind you in chains. You don't want to be a 'kept' citizen. If you are a real American, you will want to take chances, to dream and build, risk and succeed. You will not want a 'guaranteed future.'

"We would not trade our dignity for servitude. We will not bow to a government giver, but we will support our heritage of freedom, and will be unafraid to think and act as our conscience dictates."

Recently a local chapter of the Texas Commission on Alcoholism was organized in Angelina County. Some very excellent printed material was brought to the Editor by one of our employees who attended the organizational meeting. From time to time we shall reprint some of the material in the hope that it will be educational and helpful.

This month we quote from a bulletin prepared by the AFL-CIO Community Service Activities in cooperation with the National Council on Alcoholism titled "What Every Worker Should Know About Alcoholism."

Why People Drink: When a thing gets out of hand it usually becomes a problem. This is true of a flood-swollen

river or a car in a traffic jam. It's also true of drinking.

Alcoholic beverage isn't a bad thing in itself. But like a river at flood stage or a car in a traffic snarl, it can lead to problems if misused.

Some 70 million Americans drink. The great majority of them drink for purposes of sociability, relaxation, and pleasure. For them drinking is a personal choice; a matter of individual taste. Moderation, common sense, and a respect for both self and others determine when and how they drink. The person who can stop at one or two drinks is not an alcoholic, even if he or she occasionally drinks to excess. Nor is the steady but moderate drinker.

What the Alcoholic is: He is one of an estimated 4 1/2 million Americans whose drinking interferes with his daily life. He is a sick person. He can no more control his compulsion to drink than a diabetic can control his reaction to sugar. When he sobers up, the alcoholic intends to stay sober. But a single drink can start him on the same downward spiral.

He and 4 1/2 million others, who have lost the freedom of choice in determining when they will drink, how they will drink, or how much they will drink constitute one of the Nation's top health problems.

Next month we will continue to quote from this bulletin beginning with the question: "What the Alcoholic Is Not."

# The Foundry Roundup

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The new doctor was the only one available when Mr. Smith's wife was taken ill. He went upstairs to the patient's room. In a few minutes he came down to ask, "Have you a corkscrew?"

He took the corkscrew and ran upstairs again. But several minutes later he was back down a second time. "Got a screw driver?" he asked. And bounced upstairs again with the screw driver in his hand. Almost immediately he was back down again, to call: "A chisel and hammer, quickly."

The distraught husband could stand it no longer.

"For heaven's sake, doc?" he begged, "What's the matter with my wife?"

"Don't know yet," the doc replied—"can't get my bag opened."

The trophy honoring the salesman of the year went to the man who sold a farmer a milking machine for his only cow, then took the cow as a down payment.

Texans, with all their proverbial forthright speech, are always unusually gallant around the fair sex. It was at a political rally during the first campaign that a barbecue was being held in a small Texas town, and an elderly native was ready to bite into a bit of succulent beef when someone jiggled his elbow and knocked his plate to the ground.

He let out a roar that shook the fair-grounds. "Hawg," he bellowed. "You want all the room they is?"

Then, turning around, he saw that he was directing his anger at a woman. Off came his battered old Stetson, and in a gentle voice, he added: "Lady hawg, that is, ma'am."

A burly fellow left a note pinned to his expensive hat in a restaurant while he made a telephone call: "This hat belongs to a champion fighter, and I'm coming back."

When he returned the hat was gone. In its place was another note: "The hat was taken by a champion runner—and I'm not coming back."

A drunk asleep in a bar began to show signs of life, so one of the customers smeared a little limburger cheese on his upper lip.

The drunk arose slowly and staggered out the door. In a few minutes he came back in. Then he went out again only to return in a few more minutes. Shaking his head with disgust, he said, "It's no use—the whole world stinks!"

A man shoved a note at a bank teller which read: "I've got you covered—hand over all the dough in the cage."

The teller scribbled back: "Kindly go to the next window, I'm on my lunch hour."

Three Scotchmen went to church and everything was fine until the collection basket was passed. They immediately went into a whispered conference and solved the difficulty—one fainted and the other two carried him out.

Modern Goldilocks — Papa Bear: "Someone's eaten my porridge." Baby Bear: "Someone's eaten my porridge, too." Mama Bear: "Shut up, you idiots. I haven't served it yet."

Last night when all the stars were lit, Pa went out to stroll a bit.

When Pa came in, Ma had a fit.

The stars were out, but Pa was lit.

A little boy was trying his very best to ring a door bell that was just out of reach, when a man came by just at the right time.

"Will you help me up?" asked the little boy.

"Sure," said the man, holding the little boy up.

Letting him down again, the man

asked, "What are you going to do now?"

"I'm going to run like the dickens," said the little boy, "What are you going to do?"

Baby-sitter: "While you were gone, Ma'am, the baby swallowed a bug."

Mother: "Great heavens! What did you do?"

Baby-Sitter: (proudly) "Oh, I took care of him. I made him swallow some insect powder."

Tom: How can I drive a nail without hitting my finger?"

Jerry: "Let your wife hold it."

"Jones," said Watson, "is the most conceited, self-satisfied person I've ever known."

"What did he do now?" asked a neighbor.

"Today is his birthday," Watson replied, "and Jones sent a telegram of congratulations to his mother."

Angry wife: "What insane notion ever possessed you to buy two elephants?"

Inebriated Husband: "The man wouldn't break up the pair."

## The Foundry Roundup

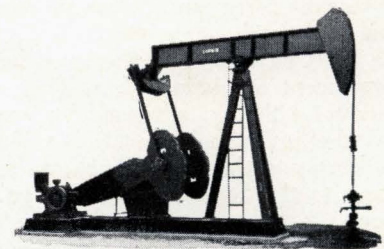
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