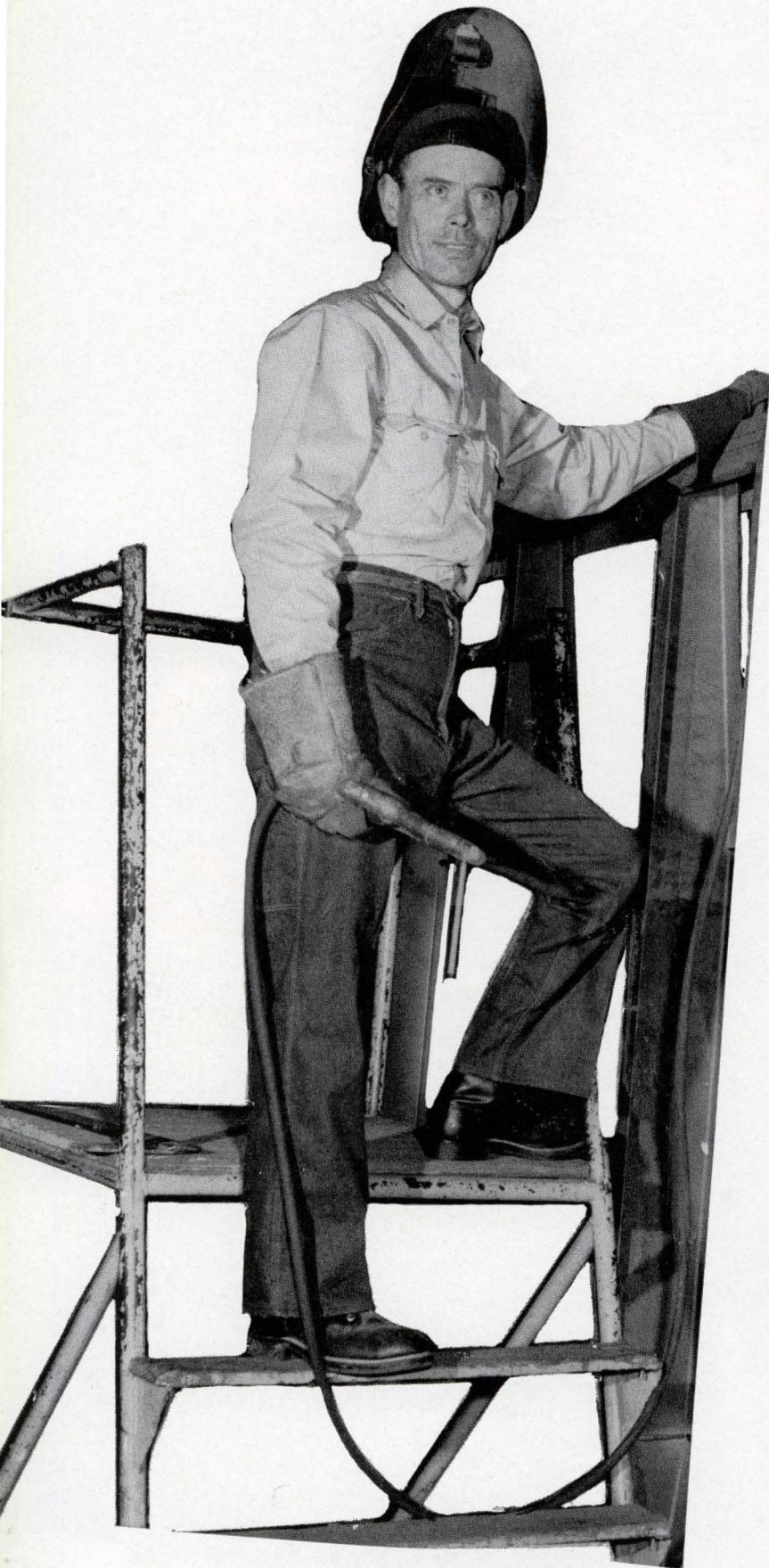


The Foundry Roundup

JULY 1961





**NO DOUBT ABOUT IT,
W. E. Walton is a working man**

Capitalist? Laborer? Consumer?

Which are you?

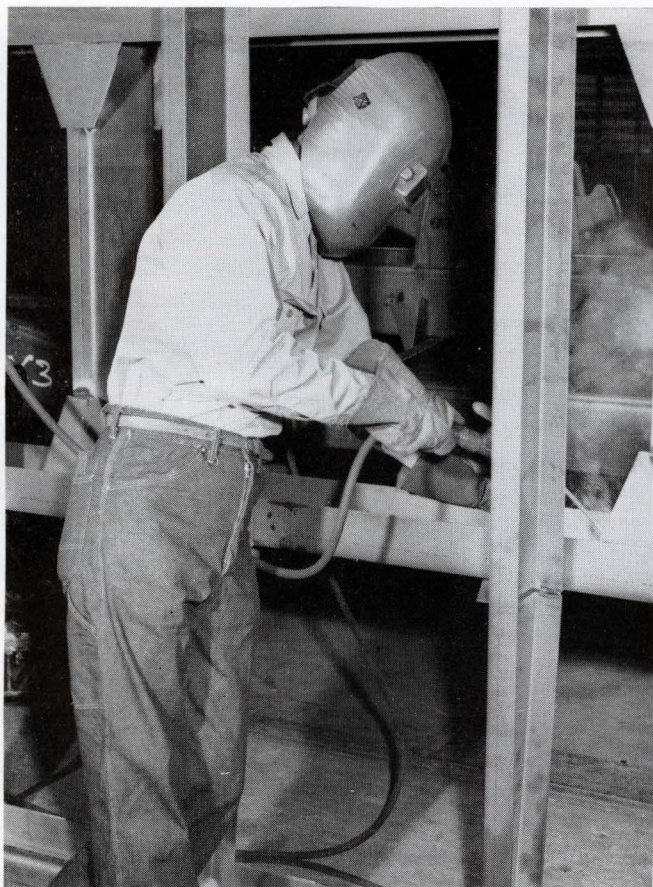
ECONOMISTS TELL US that Capital, Labor, and Consumption are all three necessary in our economic life. Capital supplies the tools, Labor the skill and the elbow grease; and the things they make together are bought and used by the Consumer.

Listening to the economist, we get a picture of three separate elements, each distinct from the other. In answer to the question, "Capitalist? Laborer? Consumer? Which are you?" most of us would say, with some pride, "We're working men. We're Labor."

But, especially in America, it's impossible to untangle the three economic functions. Part of the time we're one thing, part another. We work to earn our living, then turn around and put some of our earnings to work for us. That makes us capitalists, too. Each of us who owns a house or rents, holds an insurance policy, buys a Savings Bond, or puts some money in stocks or savings accounts, is investing in the Capital that makes our country go.

And how about Consumption? Nobody who has to shell out for the week's groceries or pay the gasoline bill has any doubt about his part in Consumption. He buys and consumes plenty of products, to put other people's Capital and Labor to use.

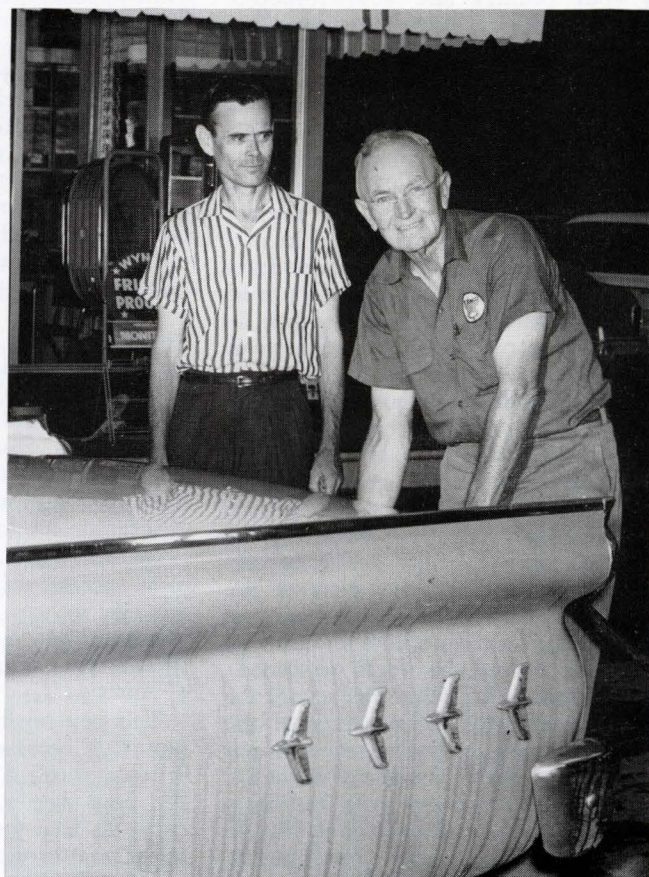
So, working, saving, consuming—each of us plays three vital roles in our country's economic life.



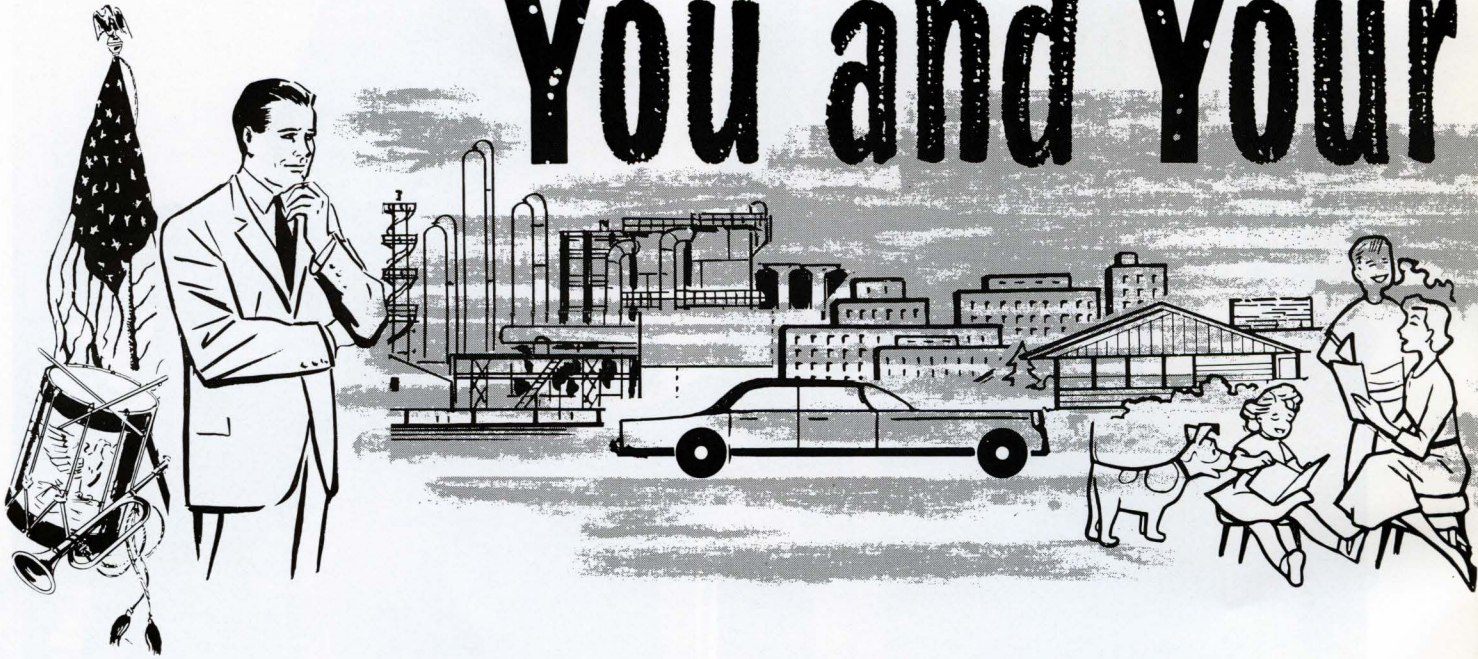
When he's busy as a welder in the Trailer Division—a job he does well —W. E. Walton is Labor.

But as an insurance policy holder and home owner, Walton's savings are at work providing Capital for many thriving businesses. Looking over one of the insurance policies with their Mother and Dad are Wayne and Anne Lorie Walton.

And when he visits the supermarket or his neighborhood service station for gas, Walton is Mr. Consumer, himself. Here he passes the time of day with Dick Philen, service station owner, who is filling the gas tank.



You and Your



(Editor's Note: The following is a speech made by Jack Cox, vice president, Pico Drilling Co., Breckenridge, Texas, at a Spring meeting of the Southwestern District, Division of Production, America Petroleum Institute in Albuquerque, New Mexico.)

I WANT to talk to you today about your country and your responsibility in bringing about a better understanding of the American way of life.

What is the American way of life? First of all, this country was founded upon a fundamental belief in God. Superimposed upon this fundamental belief is a constitutional form of government built to serve the people. Lying within this framework, known as the constitution, you have your freedoms. Your political freedoms and your economic freedoms. This, then, is the basic structure of the American way of life.

What has this system of government produced? In this country with six per cent of the world's land area and seven per cent of the world's population, we have literally outstripped the rest of the world in productivity of goods. We have 85 per cent of the world's supply of automobiles; 38 per cent of the world's supply of beef; more boys and girls going to high school and college than the rest of the world combined; more hospital beds than the rest of the world combined; 48 per cent of the world's supply of radio sets; 92 per cent of the world's supply of bathtubs. Actually, this country with its limitations, has produced something like 45 per cent of the world's total wealth. And, this is only part of the story.

What is the reason for our success in this country? If this question were asked many of you today, we probably would get varied answers. Some might say this country has become great and powerful because of our natural resources. However, you and I know that this isn't true because China and Russia have far more natural resources. Others might say we have reached the pinnacle of success because the blood that flows through our veins is a little different from the blood that flows through other's veins. Again, we know this isn't true. Actually, our forefathers came to this country primarily from Europe but really from all over the world. So, we cannot say success has come to The United States of America because of blood or because of origin. Others might say success is due to geographical conditions. However, again, we know this isn't true because in the Western Hemisphere we have Canada, Mexico and South America. All of these countries have about the same climatic conditions and about the same geographic conditions.

So, we cannot say that we have become successful because of geography, nor can we say it because of natural resources and national origin. Then, what is the true reason for the success of America?

This country has become great and powerful because of one small, two syllable word. That word is freedom. We have become great mentally because we have been free to draw upon the mental capacities of all the people who live in this country. And, we have

become great because of spiritual freedom. Throughout our history, we have constantly respected the dignity of mankind; the dignity of the individual. However, most of us are prone to forget to whom we owe thanks for what we have, for what we are, and for what we hope to be. For these things, we owe thanks to God and not to the State. The State cannot give to us anything but that first which it must take from us. So, let's be constantly reminded, for our accomplishments we owe thanks to God.

What can you as an individual do to preserve freedom? First, you must understand what America is all about. You must be able to tell the story of freedom. You must know and understand the sacrifices made by our forefathers. This is our American heritage.

Can you tell the story of the Mayflower Compact? Do you recall how those brave 101 souls came across a vast expanse of water in a little ship weighing less than 180 tons? Recall how they stood off Plymouth on that cold winter November day and wrote laboriously in longhand that we believe fundamentally in God, with His help, by His will, we will succeed in this strange new land? And, these people did succeed. And the Mayflower Compact was our first constitution. This is a great story and it is true.

How many of us can tell the story of The Declaration of Independence? To my way of thinking, this is one of the greatest documents ever penned by the hand of mankind. I place it second only to the Holy Writ. These people

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who signed The Declaration of Independence were the leaders of their communities. They were the people who had most to lose and who risked everything in the cause of freedom.

I think of Thomas Nelson, Jr., who was one of the richest men in the colonies. He raised two million dollars in the cause of the revolution. When he gave it to this cause, he did not say "What will be the return of my money?" "how much interest will I receive?" He gave of his time, he gave of his money, and he gave of himself because he believed in freedom. Thomas Nelson, Jr. died a penniless man, buried in a nameless grave.

I think of Carter Braxton, who was the richest man in the colonies. He was told that the British would capture or sink every ship he owned if he signed The Declaration of Independence. He signed the Declaration and the British kept their word.

I think of Stephen Hopkins, who was a very ill man at the time he signed The Declaration of Independence. If you will check your Declaration when you get back to the office, you will find one signature shakier than all the rest. This is the signature of Stephen Hopkins. He uttered what I believe to be living words when he signed the Declaration. Hopkins said, "My hand is shaky but my heart is firm."

But of all the stories of these great men, the one that strikes closest to my heart is the story of Caesar Rodney. Rodney was a victim of cancer at the time the great debate was raging. He was a delegate from Delaware. There were two other delegates from Delaware, men by the names of McKean and Read. McKean was for signing and

Read was opposed. McKean dispatched a rider at his own expense to go to Rodney to tell him the seriousness of the situation. Rodney was 80 miles away, the victim of cancer, and in what many thought to be, his death bed. The rider came and told him the urgency of the situation. Whereupon, Rodney got out of bed and rode on horseback 80 miles through a thunderstorm in order to attend this historic meeting. At that precise moment when Caesar Rodney opened those great double doors and walked in to that famous hall the reading clerk called out "Delaware." Old Caesar Rodney said "Delaware votes aye," and sank completely exhausted into a nearby chair.

My friends, this is only part of the story of America. It is my responsibility and your responsibility to know how we got freedom and to be able to tell the story.

These men who signed The Declaration of Independence were willing to stand up for principle. They were not of one mind. There were those who attended who felt that signing this Declaration would bring the full wrath of the British Empire upon these disorganized colonies. John Hancock, who later turned out to be the first signer of The Declaration of Independence, was one of those who expressed sincere doubt about the wisdom of signing this Declaration. Whereupon, John Adams rose to his feet and gave one of the greatest speeches I have ever read.

After he had made his illustrious speech, they unanimously agreed to sign The Declaration of Independence. When you feel it best not to fight, when you feel it might be more popular to remain quiet and go along with

the crowd, remember this country did not gain freedom by those who were afraid to take a stand.

I would suggest to each of you that you participate in politics. Inform yourselves as to the functions of the convention system. Attend your precinct convention. Take part in politics at the local level. I fear that many of us have been talking a good game about being a good American, and producing very little. I am reminded of a poem I read once and I do not recall the author of this poem but it's entitled simply "The Lion and the Tiger." It goes something like this:

A lion and a tiger once drank beside
a pool,
Tell me, said the tiger, why do you
roar like a fool?
I'm no fool, said the lion, with a
twinkle in his eyes.
They call me king of beasts because
I advertise.

A rabbit heard them talking and he
ran home like a streak,
He tried to emulate the lion but his
roar was just a squeak.
A fox came to investigate, had
luncheon in the woods,
So if you're going to advertise, my
friends,
Be sure you've got the goods.

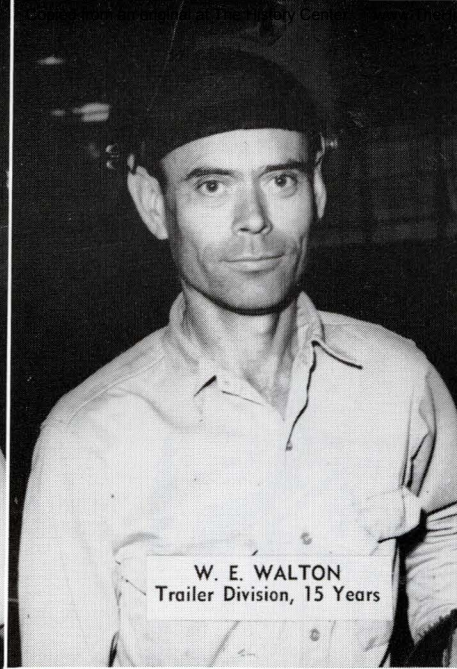
I wonder how many of us have been delivering the goods?

You may be thinking that you are just one individual, and one individual can do very little. Nothing could be further from the truth. If enough individuals care, if enough individuals are willing to inform themselves and accept responsibility in this struggle to preserve freedom, then we have nothing to fear. If you will pardon the personal reference, I am only one individual but I know there is something I can do. As a matter of fact, during the past two years I have spoken to something over 20,000 high school students on the subject of freedom. I find these young people thirsting for information. They are extremely interested in America and they want the story. Too many of us have been *too* busy and we have left this responsibility to others. In abdicating this responsibility, we are not fair to our children and we are not fair to ourselves. As one individual, I say to you that so long as I may live, I will do all that is within my power to preserve freedom.

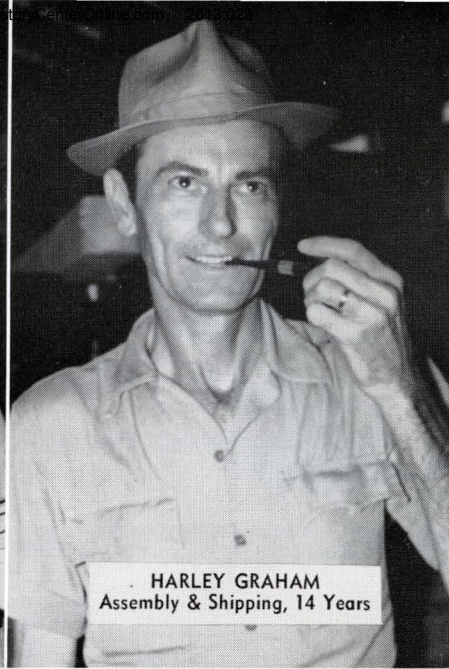
As individuals who believe in freedom and want to do something about it, I ask you, will you do your share?



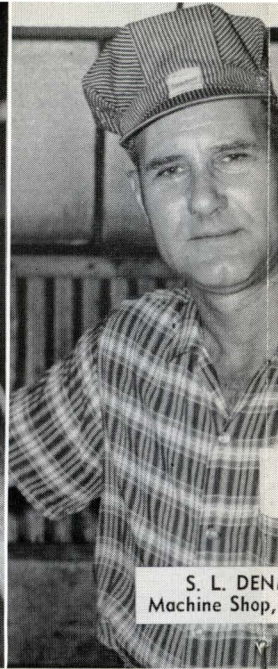
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Foundry, 20 Years



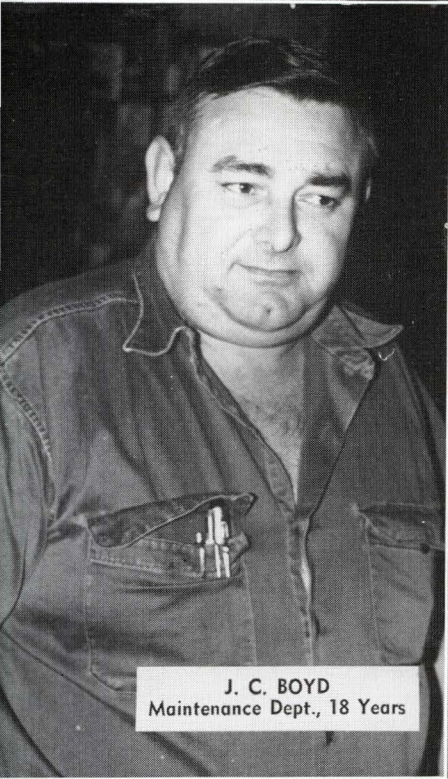
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Trailer Division, 15 Years



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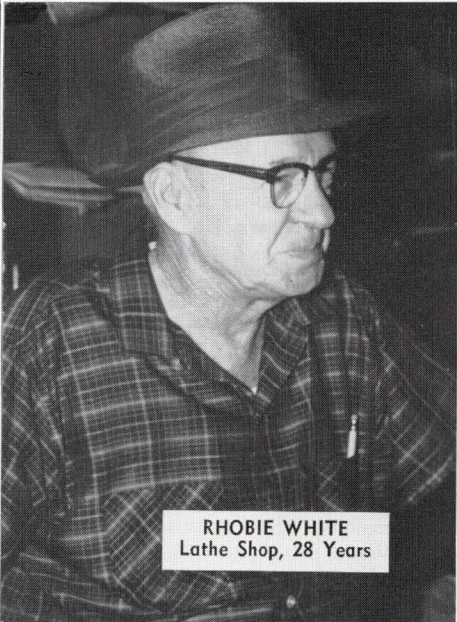
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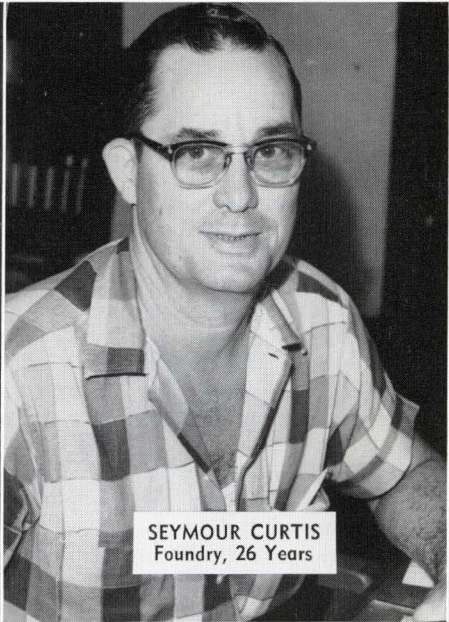
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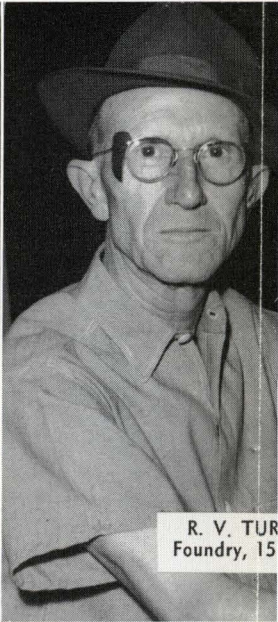
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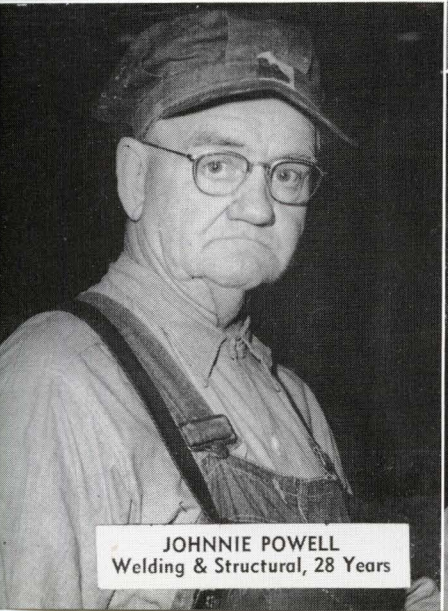
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Lathe Shop, 28 Years



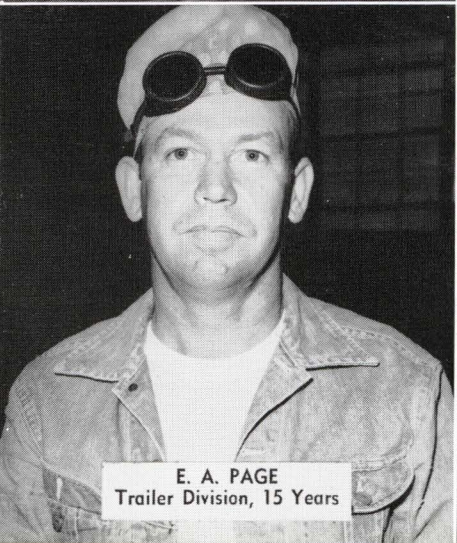
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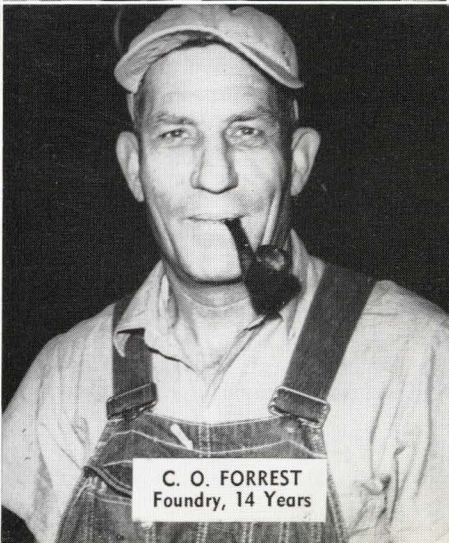
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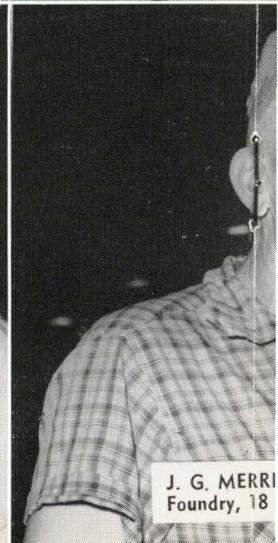
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Welding & Structural, 28 Years



E. A. PAGE
Trailer Division, 15 Years



C. O. FORREST
Foundry, 14 Years



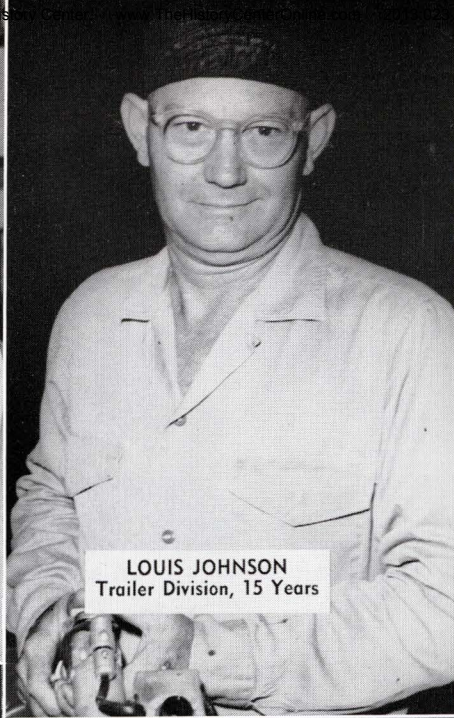
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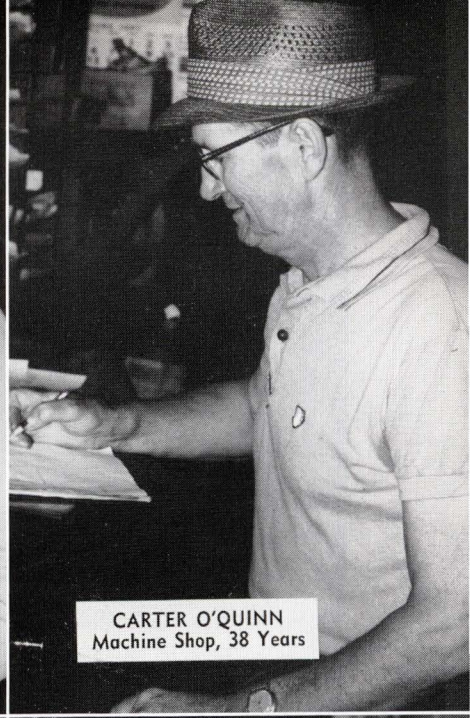
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Shop, 17 Years



CALVIN CRAIN
Machine Shop, 18 Years



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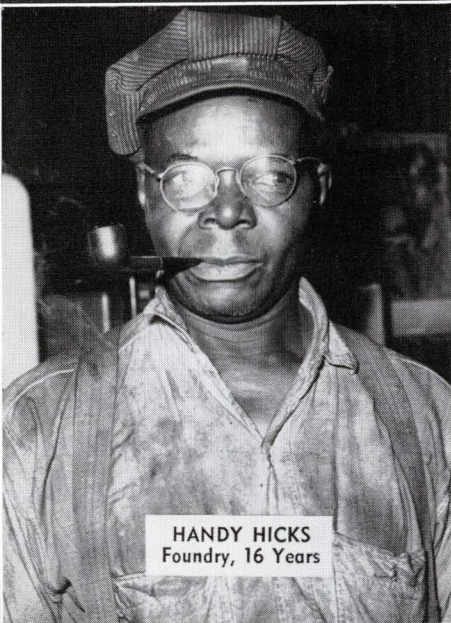
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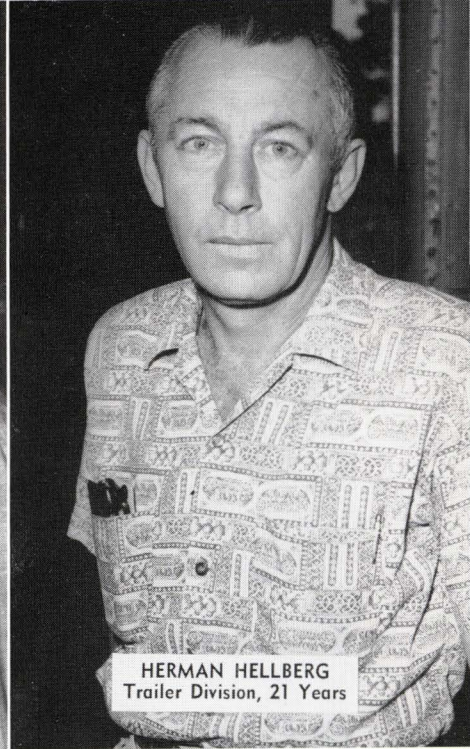
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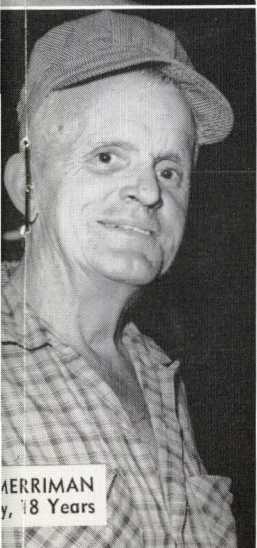
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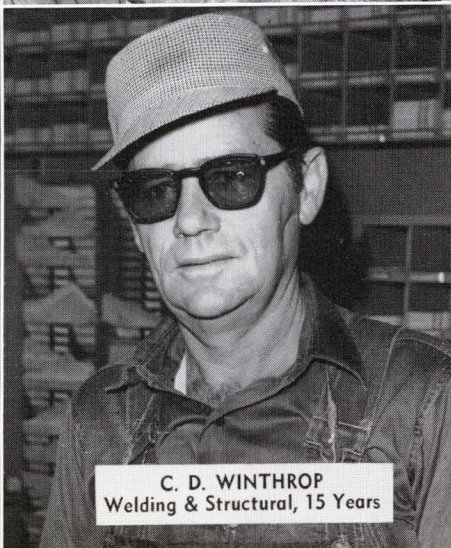
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Machine Shop, 20 Years



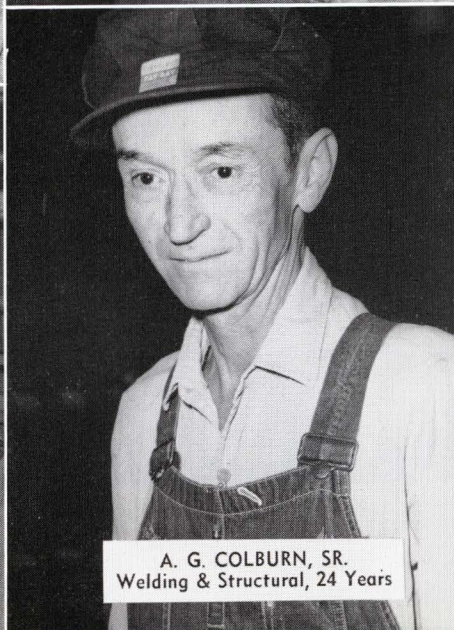
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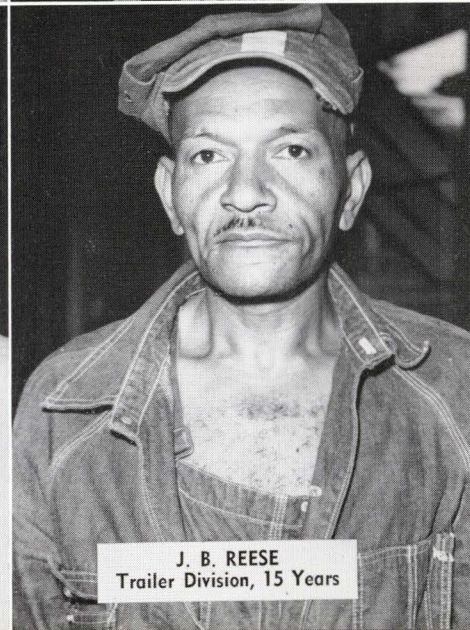
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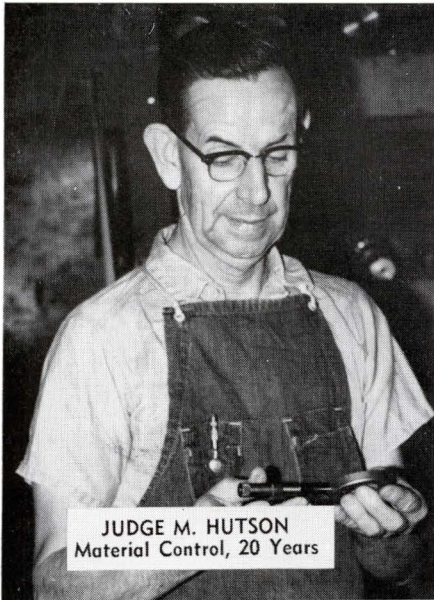
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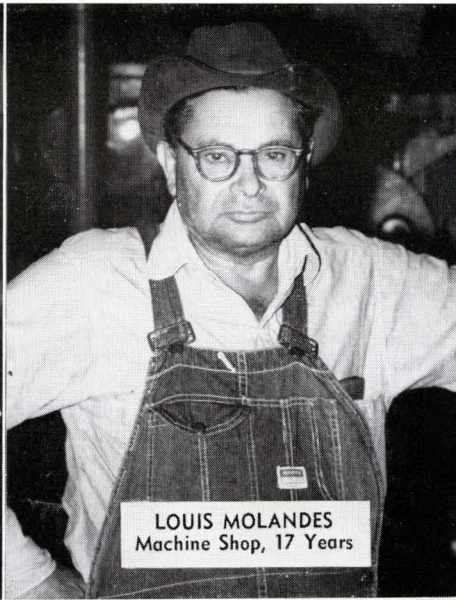
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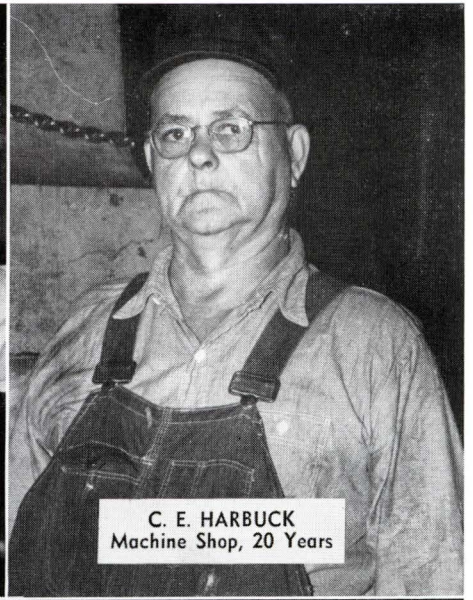
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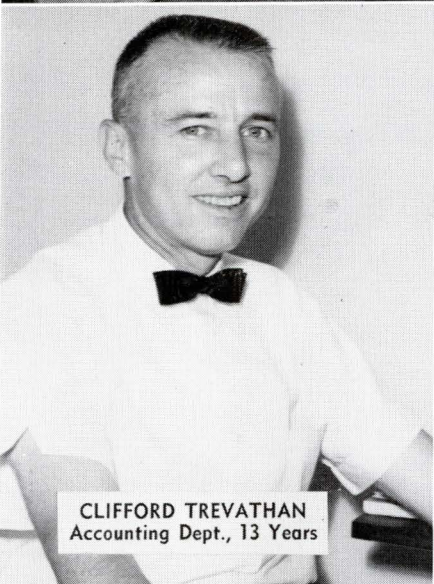
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Machine Shop, 17 Years

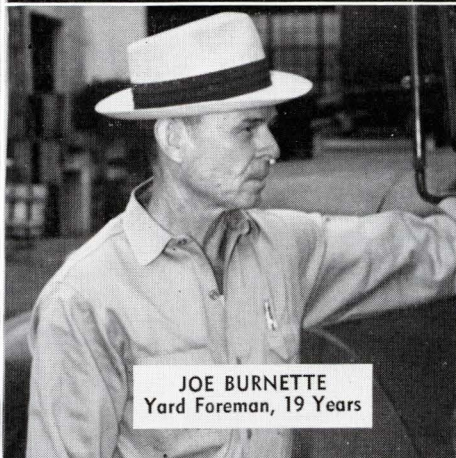


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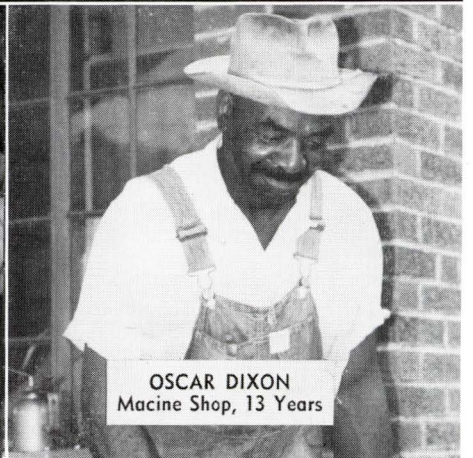


CLIFFORD TREVATHAN
Accounting Dept., 13 Years

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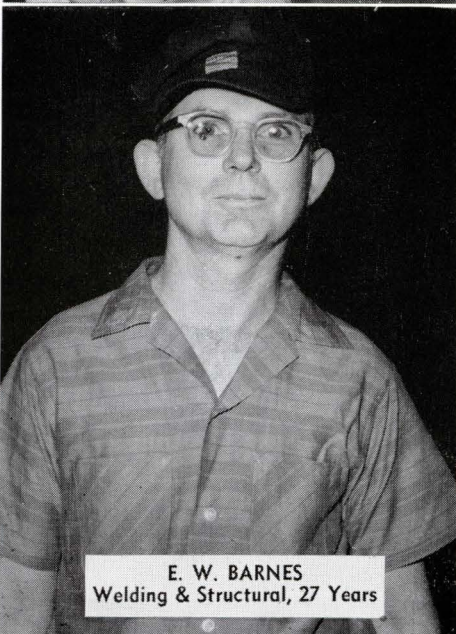
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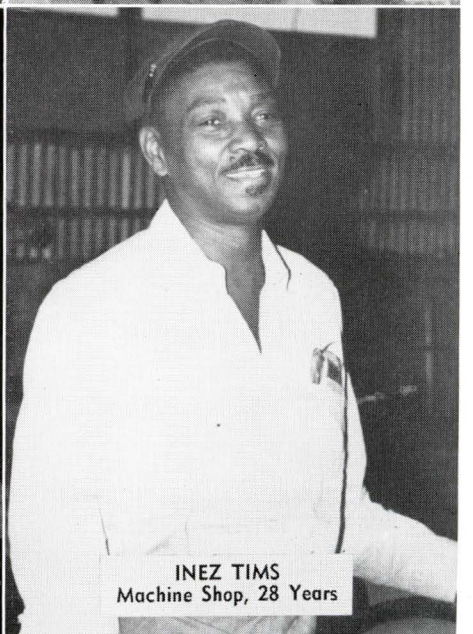
OSCAR DIXON
Machine Shop, 13 Years



WOODIE WALLACE
Foundry, 15 Years



E. W. BARNES
Welding & Structural, 27 Years



INEZ TIMS
Machine Shop, 28 Years

The Editor's Corner

THE folks who live in the vicinity of Davis Street may have a bit of difficulty keeping their gastric juices calm because of the activity of a Lufkin Foundry employee.

John Murray, Machine Shop, and his wife, Verna, barbecue several pounds of chickens each week at their home at 310 Davis Street. John has built a modern pit and had a grill fabricated that can accommodate as many as 200 chickens at one time. He recently cooked that many for a picnic gathering of Homer and Huntington Masons.

John has been barbecuing as a part-time job and hobby for many years.

We were reading Boyd's Lithograph "Business Briefs" and came across bits of information worth passing on. The nation's numerous junk heaps claim about 4.5 million cars each year as normal scrappage for more than 60 million cars on our streets and highways.

Thanks to jet aircraft, kerosene is making a dramatic comeback after years of limited demand. Commercial jets now guzzle 100,000 barrels of kerosene daily. In addition, kerosene fires smudge pots, cures tobacco, and powers city buses.

Things happen fast nowadays. Ever wonder what it will be like about 10 years from now? Barring some cataclysm, here's the way the U. S. will look according to economic forecasters: There will be 33 million more of us, with 14 million more job holders. Total spending, public and private, will have reached \$762 billion a year. Consumer buying will be 50% greater. Grade schools and high schools will be packed, and college enrollment will have doubled to about six million. Family income will average \$8,100 a year after taxes. Births will average 5.5 million annually. There will be 6.7 million more teenagers and number of old folks will increase by 3.6 million.



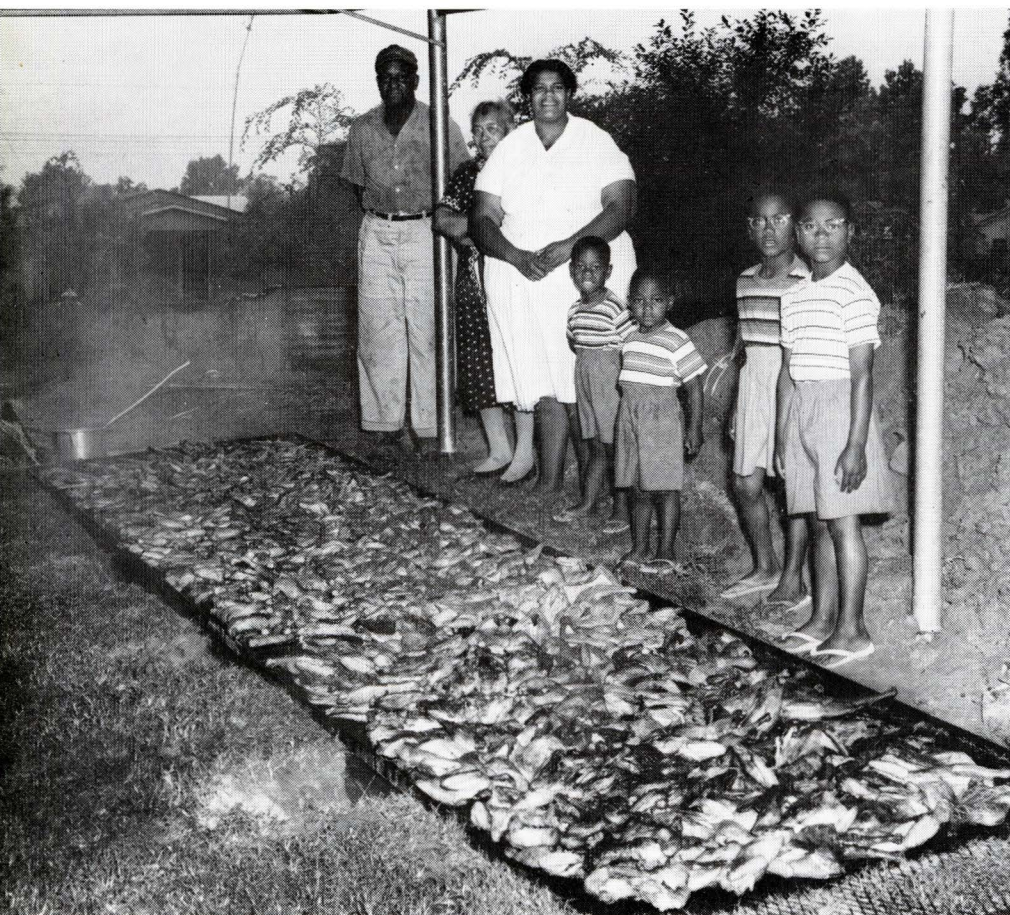
ARCHIE FAYE SPENCER

Harry Emerson Fosdick wrote that the best advice he ever had came from his father. "Tell Harry that he can cut the grass today, if he feels like it," the father said to Mrs. Fosdick one day as he left the house for work. He went down the street a little way, then turned and called, "Tell Harry he had better feel like it."

We received a nice letter from the daughter of an employee together with a picture which we are using in this issue. Archie Faye Spencer, daughter of Willie Spencer, Foundry Department employee, was graduated from Temple High School in Apple Springs this past Spring. She will attend Prairie View A & M College this Fall, majoring in Special Education with a minor in Elementary Education.

On the inside back cover of this issue is a plea to all to help rid our countryside of litter. Especially at this time of year when tourists are traveling through Texas, we ought to take pride in our landscapes. This week alone there were two beer cans, several empty cigarette packages, and other litter tossed on the Personnel lawn. Multiply this by hundreds and thousands of pieces of litter thrown from cars each day and night, and you can see the gigantic cleanup task necessary which costs this country hundreds of thousands of dollars every year.

Did you know this? Construction was scheduled to begin on a huge underground structure near Denton, Texas, June 1. It is designated as "a



Left: JOHN MURRAY'S FAMILY

milestone of United States civil defense progress." It is designed to withstand a nearby H-bomb blast, and protect its occupants from fallout. It will serve as a nerve center for the U. S. Government, if other centers in or near Washington, D. C. were knocked out. The two-level underground hide-out is to be 142 by 172 feet, and will accommodate 200 people from a day-to-day basis, or 500 for 30 days in an emergency. It is to cost \$2,000,000.

The National Safety Council in cooperation with The Advertising Council is beginning a campaign for seat belts in all American automobiles. The Council says: "There are so many ways to express your love for a child—amuse him, caress him, understand him, protect him from hurt and harm. Because drivers kill and cripple more children than any disease, a car is potentially one of the most dangerous places your child can ever be. So protect him whenever he is in the car—with a seat belt. If every car owner in America had seat belts in his car—and used them—we would reduce severe injuries by one-third, deaths by 5,000 a year!"



In August most people plan or at least wish for ways to escape the heat. Any many try desperately to escape something much worse—hay fever. Four to six million Americans who suffer from ragweed hay fever face the midsummer season with dread. Their affliction comes from an allergic reaction to the pollens of various plants.

Today, however, victims can find relief without the expense of travel. Naldecon, a drug combining anti-histamines and decongestants, is an effective remedy for hay fever. They need worry only about the heat. This information comes from the Medical and Pharmaceutical Information Bureau.

MARKING AN ANNIVERSARY

MACHINE SHOP

	Employment Date	Years With Co.
Carter O'Quinn	July 27, 1923	38
Inez Tims	July 2, 1933	28
Rhebie White	July 5, 1933	28
P. D. Allbritton	July 10, 1941	20
Bona Dixon, Jr.	July 31, 1941	20
C. E. Harbuck	July 31, 1941	20
Judge M. Hutson	July 31, 1941	20
Joe Burnette	July 9, 1942	19
Calvin Crain	July 29, 1943	18
J. C. Boyd	July 19, 1943	18
Sammie Lee Denman	July 18, 1944	17
Louis Molandes	July 21, 1944	17
Harley Graham	July 14, 1947	14
Oscar Dixon	July 7, 1948	13
R. E. Byrd	July 5, 1950	11
W. J. Wilson	July 5, 1950	11
Clifton Toliver	July 13, 1950	11
J. W. Gainer	July 25, 1950	11
T. E. Stone	July 27, 1950	11
A. D. Wilkerson	July 28, 1950	11
Joe Parker	July 31, 1950	11
Lee G. Gibbs	July 19, 1954	7
M. F. Ferguson	July 26, 1954	7
A. D. Jumper	July 30, 1954	7

PATTERN SHOP

	Employment Date	Years With Co.
Emory Atkins	July 1, 1952	9

TRAILER DIVISION

	Employment Date	Years With Co.
Herman Hellberg	July 24, 1940	21
E. A. Page	July 1, 1946	15
Louis A. Johnson	July 8, 1946	15
William E. Walton	July 9, 1946	15
J. B. Reese	July 24, 1946	15
H. D. Thompson	July 5, 1950	11
L. C. Whitehead	July 6, 1950	11
D. D. Allen	July 18, 1950	11
Woodrow Taylor	July 25, 1950	11
O. A. Harrison	July 26, 1950	11
Israel Gardner	July 26, 1950	11
C. V. McLane	July 21, 1951	10
W. E. Miles	July 21, 1951	10
Johnson Coutee	July 26, 1951	10
W. C. Green	July 27, 1951	10
Jay T. Lee	July 27, 1951	10
Paul E. Minton	July 30, 1952	9
Harold Newsom	July 6, 1954	7
Barbara Harris	July 9, 1956	5
Charlie Hodge	July 12, 1956	5
Elvin Allen	July 13, 1959	2

WELDING & STRUCTURAL

	Employment Date	Years With Co.
Johnnie Powell	July 18, 1933	28
Edgar W. Barnes	July 12, 1934	27
A. G. Colburn, Sr.	July 16, 1937	24
Charles D. Winthrop	July 1, 1946	15
J. A. McCarty	July 19, 1950	11
Johnnie E. Jones	July 21, 1950	11
M. L. Warner	July 21, 1950	11
T. B. Alexander	July 19, 1956	5
Tom Edd Doss	July 20, 1959	2

FOUNDRY DEPARTMENT

	Employment Date	Years With Co.
Seymour Curtis	July 23, 1935	26
E. L. Copeland	July 7, 1941	20
James L. Day	July 10, 1941	20
J. G. Merriman	July 16, 1943	18
Handy Hicks	July 9, 1945	16
Woodie Wallace	July 29, 1946	15
R. V. Turner	July 31, 1946	15
C. O. Forrest	July 30, 1947	14
Hayes Ridgeway	July 3, 1950	11
T. L. Ladd	July 3, 1950	11
J. C. Little	July 5, 1950	11
W. B. Birden	July 6, 1950	11
William Kirksey	July 6, 1950	11
E. S. Basham	July 10, 1950	11
J. H. Read	July 17, 1950	11
Frank Johnson	July 17, 1950	11
Sam Mark	July 20, 1950	11
Louis Cuculic	July 24, 1950	11
M. R. Foster	July 28, 1950	11
Eddie Powell	July 31, 1950	11
J. C. Basham	July 20, 1951	10
Jimmy Audrey	July 20, 1951	10
Ervin Anderson	July 23, 1951	10
Vernon Range	July 12, 1954	7
James Larue	July 19, 1954	7

Early Mathis	July 28, 1954	7
James Steed	July 11, 1955	6
Gardner Reynolds	July 26, 1956	5
Jewel Swint	July 13, 1959	2

TRAFFIC DEPARTMENT

	Employment Date	Years With Co.
Edd S. Hudgins	July 28, 1942	19

MAIN OFFICE

	Employment Date	Years With Co.
Clifford Trevathan	July 16, 1948	13
Rudy Fuller	July 6, 1950	11
Don Hearne	July 17, 1950	11
Jimmie Huntress	July 24, 1950	11
Harold Davis	July 16, 1956	5
C. R. Willmon, Jr.	July 25, 1957	4

MILL SUPPLIES

	Employment Date	Years With Co.
Blanche Culbertson	July 16, 1951	10
H. R. Richards	July 20, 1954	7
B. C. Ladd	July 9, 1957	4

SECURITY GUARD

	Employment Date	Years With Co.
Lee Bishop	July 1, 1955	6

INDUSTRIAL ENGINEERING

	Employment Date	Years With Co.
Frank Stevenson	July 30, 1956	5

OILFIELD BRANCH OFFICES

	Employment Date	Years With Co.
Newell Lynch	July 9, 1934	27
E. H. Nixon, Jr.	July 16, 1956	5
E. L. Hudson	July 16, 1956	5
W. W. Trout, Jr.	July 25, 1957	4
S. T. Garner	July 1, 1959	2

TRAILER BRANCH OFFICES

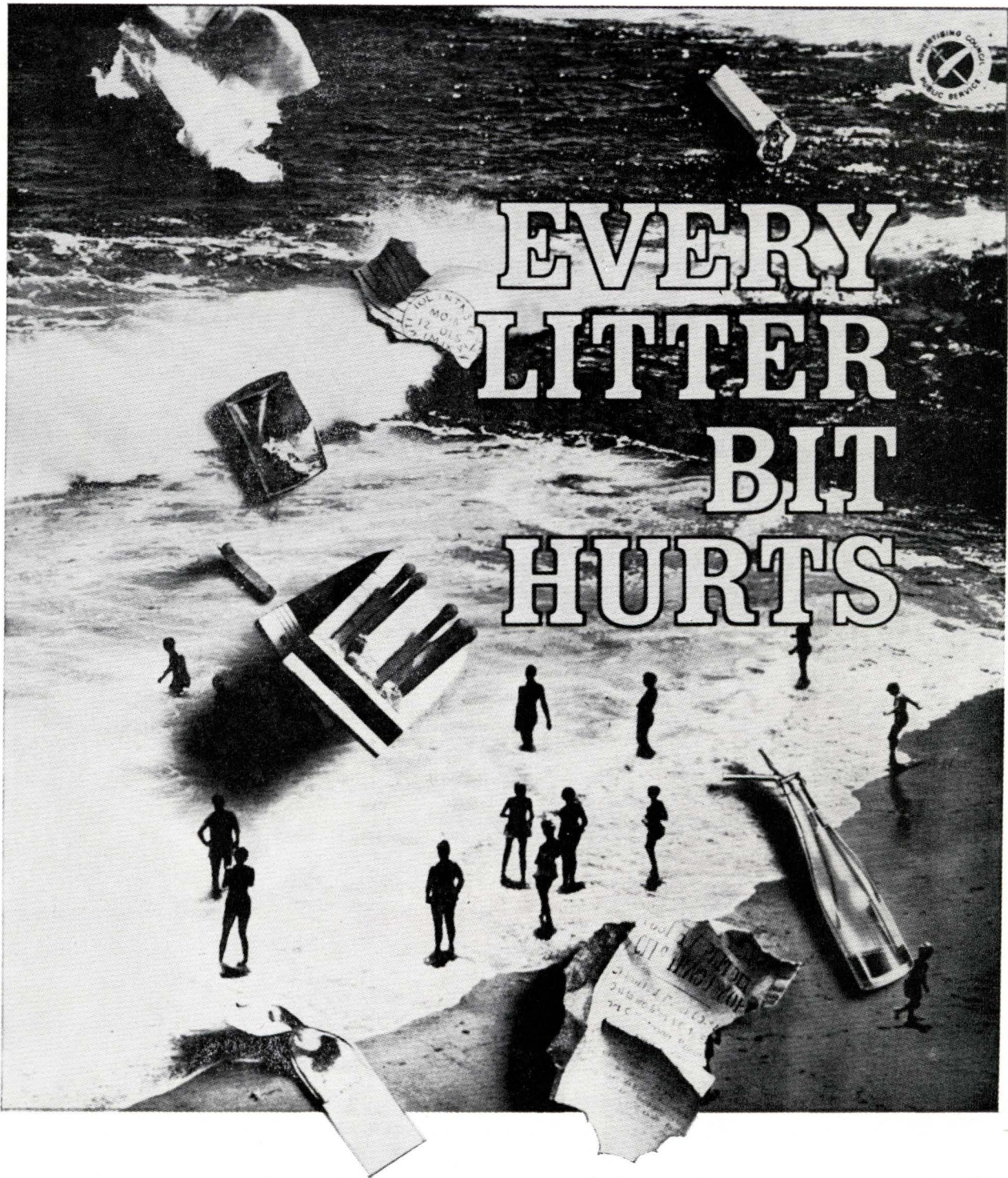
	Employment Date	Years With Co.
J. C. Lowe	July 1, 1949	12
E. R. Burns	July 20, 1954	7
Elie Smith, Jr.	July 13, 1955	6
Fred Wood	July 29, 1957	4
C. R. Brumley	July 29, 1957	4
C. L. Walden	July 30, 1957	4
J. C. A. Cain	July 9, 1958	3
C. E. Fryar	July 3, 1959	2
D. M. Williamson	July 18, 1960	1
B. J. McCullough	July 19, 1960	1

In Russia the state owns everything. Over here it's the finance companies.

The human brain is a wonderful thing. It starts working the moment you are born, and never stops until you stand up to speak in public!

Don't marry for money. You can borrow it cheaper.

Airplanes are rapidly becoming faster and faster. They have already surpassed the speed of sound, and it probably won't be long before they approach the speed of light. It is even conceivable that one day they could catch up to the speed of the plant grapevine.



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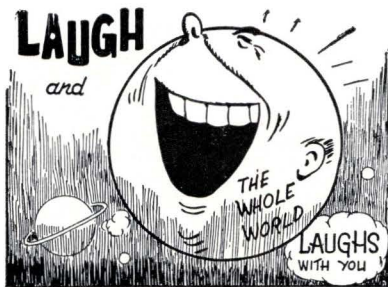
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The fellow was complaining to himself as he tried to find which door was his in a number of look-alike apartment buildings: "What a day! I lost my job. I lost my billfold. My wife ran away with the electric light man. The Yanks lost to the Senators. It's unbelievable . . . leading by three in the eighth and they lost to the Senators!"

Patient: "I dream every night about baseball."

Doctor: "Don't you ever dream about anything else—girls, for example?"

Patient: "What—and miss my turn at bat!"

The latest Kinsey report confirms one thing. Women talk too much.

"Johnny, to what class of the animal kingdom do I belong?" asked the teacher.

"I dummo. Pa says you're an old hen and Ma says you're an old cat."

"That tunnel we just drove through," he said, "cost 20 million dollars to build."

As she straightened her lipstick, she said, "Worth every cent, wasn't it?"

We wonder where mothers learn all the things they tell their daughters not to do.

"Folks," the wise old colored preacher started, "my subject dis here evenin' is going to be 'Liars.' How many of you-all has read the sixty-ninth chapter of Matthew?"

A showing of hands went up promptly.

"You-all is just de folks I wants to

talk to," he went on. "Dere ain't no sixty-ninth chapter of Matthew."

Husband: "I find your new evening dress rather confusing."

Wife: "How so?"

Hubby: "Well, are you inside trying to get out, or outside trying to get in?"

"You seem to have plenty of intelligence for a man in your position," sneered the attorney to the man on the witness stand.

"Thank you," answered the witness. "If I weren't under oath I'd return the compliment."

Smith looked over his garden wall and said to his neighbor: "What are you burying in that hole?"

"Oh, I'm just replacing some of my seeds, that's all."

"Seeds!" shouted Smith angrily. "It looks more like one of my hens!"

"It is. The seeds are inside."

The Russian school teacher asked a pupil, "Who were the first human beings?"

"Adam and Eve," the kid replied.

"And what nationality were they?"

"Russian, of course."

"Fine, fine," the teacher commented.

"And how did you know they were Russians?"

"Easy," said the kid. "They had no roof over their heads, no clothes to wear, and only one apple for the two of them—and they called it Paradise."

Teacher: "Now which boy can name five things that contain milk?"

Jimmie: "Butter, cheese, ice cream, and two cows."

The woman was weighing herself while her husband looked on. She made a wry face.

He asked, "What's the matter? Are you overweight?"

"No, not that," she replied, "but according to this chart, I should be six inches taller."

A woman was mailing the old

Family Bible to a brother in a distant city.

Postal clerk: "Does this package contain anything breakable?"

Lady: "Only the Ten Commandments."

Mother, lecturing her small son, "We are in this world to help others."

He asked soberly, "What are the others here for?"

One blistering hot day when they had guests for dinner, a mother asked her 4-year-old son to say the blessing.

"But, Mother, I don't know what to say," he protested.

"Just say what you've heard me say, dear," she answered.

Obediently he bowed his little head and said, "Oh, Lord, why did I invite those people here on a hot day like this?"

"I was so cold last night I couldn't sleep. I just lay there and shivered."

"Did your teeth chatter?"

"I don't know—we don't sleep together."

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