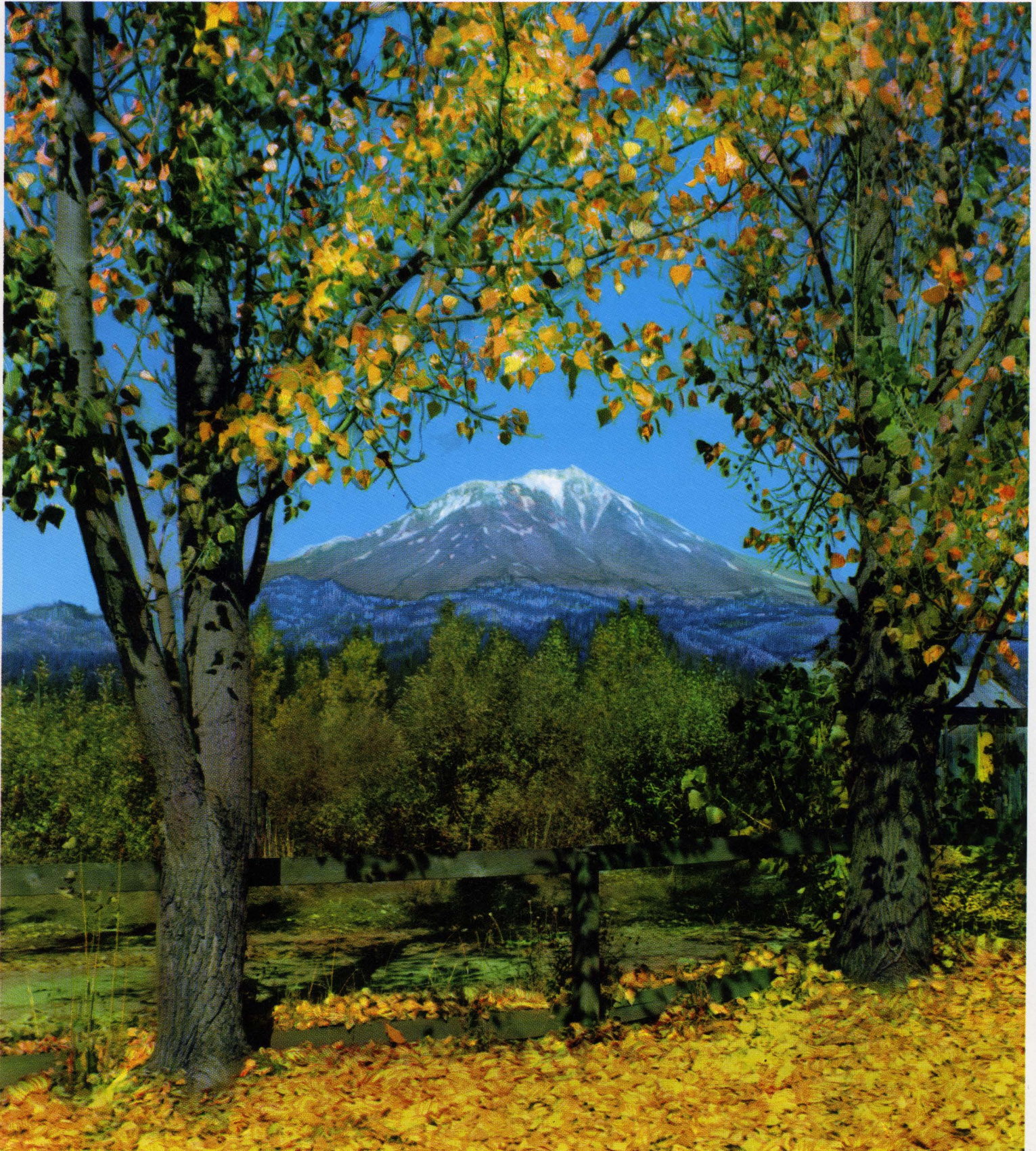
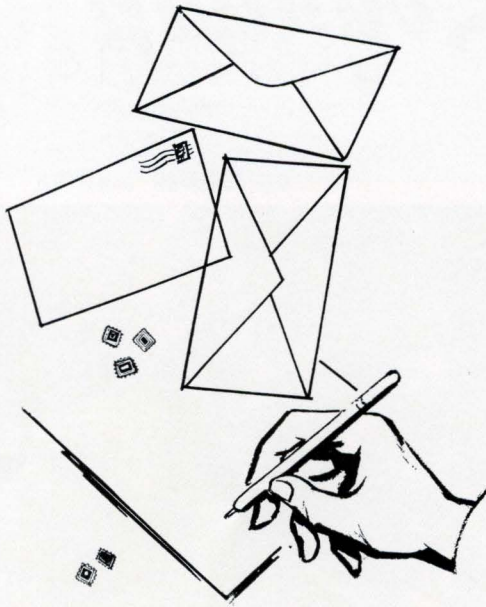


# The Foundry Roundup

OCTOBER, 1963





# JUST between US...

**W**E HAVE received many letters regarding the Community Chest. Since we cannot publish them all, and rather than leave out any, we will publish none. However, we received about the same number of letters supporting the Chest as we did disfavoring it.

The majority of the complaining letters based their dissatisfaction on the Boy and Girl Scout organizations.

We respect everyone's opinion and are appreciative for the letters that were written. We have personally checked with the various Chest officials about each complaint that was sent to us. So far as the Scouts are concerned, we learned the following things:

The Scout organization works toward helping our youngsters grow up to be responsible citizens. At the present time, we have two full-time Boy Scout workers in this area, one for the white youths and one for our Negro youth. We have one full-time Girl Scout worker. Every organized group to function and progress must have responsible, capable leadership.

At the present time, we are spending between \$9 and \$10 per year per Scout for the Scouting program in Angelina County. Compared to what it costs us per year to keep one inmate in the penal system, this is small indeed. The late O. B. Ellis, director of the State Prison at Huntsville, said that a first-class Boy Scout had never been an inmate in his prison.

The money you give to the Chest which in turn is given to the Boy Scouts is used to pay the full-time workers, provide the camping facilities,

pay the light bills and caretakers and camp staffs and maintain the permanent facilities, and other such services. The \$14 fee which parents pay to send their boys to camp is used as follows: \$9 for groceries bought at wholesale; \$1.50 to \$2.00 for food preparation and the kitchen staff, and the remainder for materials used up by the boy and not available for re-use by another boy the following weeks such as books, manuals, craft supplies, etc.

Some people complained about the Salvation Army, saying it is a religious organization and they want to support only their own church. It is true that the Salvation Army offers religious guidance, but we wager that those who receive this guidance from the Salvation Army would get it nowhere else. Others said they objected to the Army's Christmas solicitations when the Salvation Army is a part of the Chest. We learned that the program of the Salvation Army could not possibly be met on just what they receive from the Chest. We do not believe that any of us would begrudge the money the Salvation Army receives for use during the Christmas season. They do for us what we would most certainly do ourselves if asked—a meal for a destitute stranger, a warm bed and a change of clothes; a toy and a red apple for a youngster on Christmas morning. There is no way actually to measure in dollars and cents what the Salvation Army does for mankind.

One of our employees called to tell us his views. He does not believe all employees know that 10 per cent of

what the Foundry group gives to the Chest remains here at the Foundry to be used by employees when a sudden emergency leaves them in dire financial circumstances.

Another employee said he heard one man say he wouldn't give to the Chest because the Kurth Library would get some of it and he thought the Kurths ought to finance their own library. This man is misinformed. The library does not belong to the Kurths; it was given to the city many years ago by the Kurth family.

There are always many excuses given by people who do not want to contribute to the Community Chest. Perhaps some of the excuses are valid, but on the whole, we will all agree that we are glad we live in a community that has a Chest.

We want to quote a portion from one letter that we received. "For the first six years I was employed here, I gave only a token amount... since I did not think some of the amounts given to various organizations in the Chest were justified. However, ... I got to thinking a little more about this matter of giving. ... I thought how thankful I was to be in good health, to have a job and all the good things which go with the security of employment. Then, I thought of the good that is bound to come from the majority of the organizations in our Community Chest.

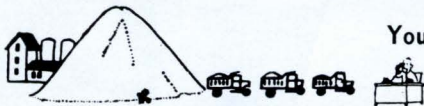
"I will give a day's pay this year ... and hope that I may be able to give in the years to come as God blesses me and my family."

E. P. TROUT

# THE BIG SAND PILE

## A PRIMER OF AUTOMATION

Imagine you are the owner of a sand business.



You have plenty of sand, a fleet of trucks, and customers who want sand.

The only remaining problem is: How to get the sand onto the trucks.

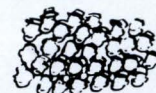
There are numerous specific ways this can be done, of course, but for the sake of illustration, let's say it can be loaded either by hand or by machine.



With pencil and paper in hand you carefully consider the alternatives—hand loading or machine loading



1 man @ \$2. per hr.  
x 8 hr. = \$16. per day



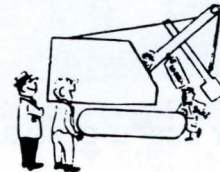
30 men @ \$ 2. per hr.  
= \$480 per day  
\$2400 per week.

Result: 60 truckloads per day 300 truckloads per week

About that time a salesman calls.



And offers you a \$50,000 power shovel requiring one man to operate it and another to maintain it... it will fill 60 trucks in one day, using only 2 men



Now you have a problem?

Solution: *hand loading*  
60 truckloads daily  
30 Men \$ 480 per day  
2400 per week.  

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\$124,800 per year

*machine loading*  
60 truckloads daily.  
2 men, operator \$ 4.68 per hr  
Mechanic 3.63 " "  
8.31  
332.40 per week,  
16,620.00 per year  
50,000.00 power shovel  

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\$ 66,620.00 per year

What would you do? (choose one)

Hand loading                  Machine loading

As owner and with a \$58,180.00 saving the first year, the answer is clear.

One more thing... what happened to the 30 shovelers who were replaced by the \$50,000 power shovel?

Well it happened this way... the price of sand went down because more sand could be moved in an eight-hour day at a lower cost so... more people could afford sand and the products made from sand and many, many businesses prospered and consequently thousands of new jobs involving sand were created. Oh, yes... but about the 30...



TWO are making sand boxes in a sand box factory... cheaper sand... more happy kids.

TWO are learning to run a power shovel at \$4.68 instead of \$2.00 per hour.



SIX are working in a cement factory because its cement is cheaper and their sales increased.



FOUR were transferred to the office to handle incoming orders.

ONE went to Washington to lobby against power shovels.

FIFTEEN are employed in a glass factory that has expanded production because of cheaper sand.

Increased productivity is here to stay. The companies which achieve the highest rate of increased productivity within their own particular industry will survive and be a secure place to work for years to come. Those who ignore increased productivity will eventually fall by the wayside.



# MAN of the Month

SEATED, left to right, in their Nacogdoches home is the McNeil Fields family. BETTY SUE, L. C. holding Nikita, McNEIL, and DIANE

“THE BEST you can give a child isn’t enough,” said McNeil Fields, cleanup man in the Machine Shop.

He was discussing parents and their responsibility toward their children. Mac believes that parents have a duty to give their children the best opportunities possible and to guide and lead them in character building.

Mac and his wife, L. C., have two daughters; Diane, 17, and Betty Sue, 15. Diane is a senior in high school while Betty Sue is in the 11th grade. When she graduates next spring, Diane hopes to continue her education by enrolling next September in Texas College in Tyler to prepare her to teach school.

The Fields family own their home in Nacogdoches and live in the same area in which Mac spent his childhood. He came to work for Lufkin Foundry & Machine Company June 14, 1954, when a job he was holding in Nacogdoches was about to play out. For more than nine years he has commuted between Nacogdoches and Lufkin to his second shift job here, and he has never had an accident.

The white house on Devereaux in which the Fields live is clean and neat. Mrs. Fields decorated one bedroom in yellow and one in pink. Although Mac said the summer drought left him the “sorriest truck patch” he has had during the past 10 years, Mrs.

Fields has put much food in their freezer to carry them through the winter months. She has put a lot of good things in her freezer including corn, butterbeans, peas, tomatoes, okra and peppers.

One of the things Mac has taught his children is that “you have to work for a living; the world doesn’t owe you a thing.”

Diane is interested in music and has been studying the piano for about seven years. When she isn’t practicing her music, she helps her mother around the house.

Betty Sue is an industrious young girl also. She worked in a private home during the summer to earn her spending money.

Mac spends his leisure hours raising Yorkshire hogs and he produces some fine specimens.

L. C. likes to piece quilts and has finished 11 during the past year.

The Fields family are members of the Sunset Galilee Baptist church in Nacogdoches and support the work of this church.

Fields is happy in what he’s doing, even though as a boy he dreamed of raising cattle and ranching. In speaking of his childhood he commented, “I never had to steal a watermelon ’cause we always raised our own.”

But once his father had a nice ribbon cane patch and he feared the cane would be stolen before he



**DIANE, 17, has studied music for several years. She plans to enter Texas College next fall to study teaching**



**MRS. FIELDS, standing, and BETTY SUE, 15, look at one of the 11 quilts she made this year**

harvested it. So he sent Mac out to sit guard one night. He heard something walking down the cane rows and it scared him so bad, he ran like the wind. Later he found it was hogs roaming through the cane. "I wasn't much guard; I was too scared myself," he added smiling.

The farthest from home he has ever been is to Muskogee, Oklahoma, but he has a sister living in San Francisco and one in Los Angeles, California whom he hopes to visit one of these days. It's been 12 years since he has seen one of them and eight years since he has seen the other.

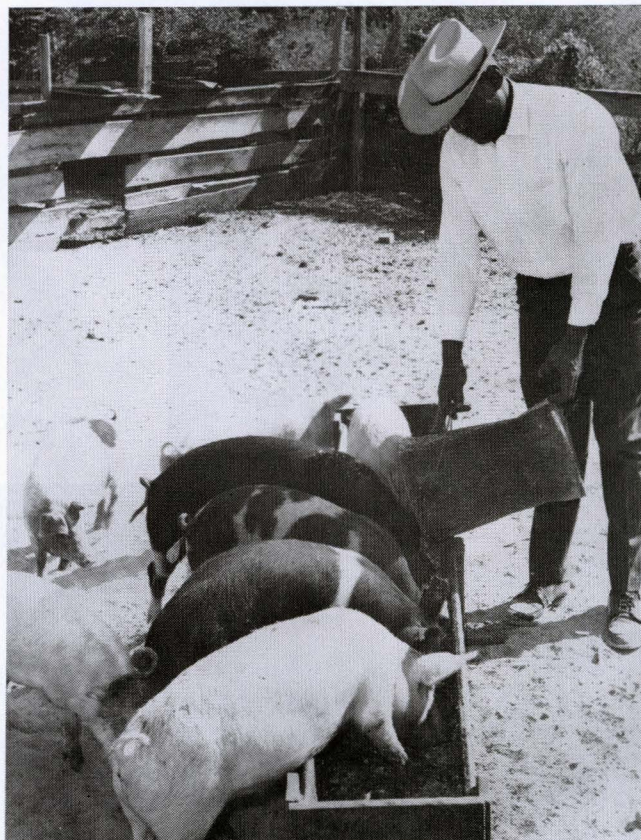
"Maybe when the kids are grown and educated, L. C. and I can take a vacation to California," he said.

Mac has had one week of his vacation which he intended to spend fishing, only it rained for the first time in months and cancelled those plans.

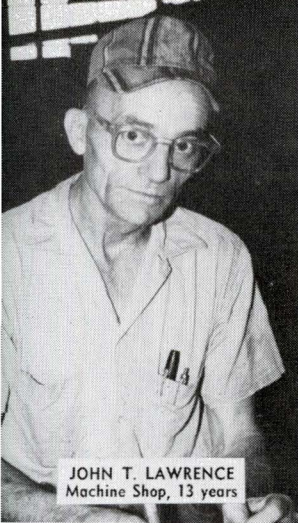
He wants to take his second week during hunting season, and his favorite game is dove.

Fields has a good reputation among his fellow employees and his supervisor, for he is a consistent worker who takes pride in his work.

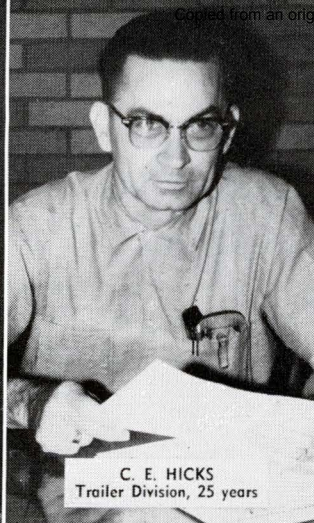
His former supervisor pretty well summed up the character of McNeil Fields when he made the following remark: "Mac is an honest man; I'd trust him with a signed blank check, telling him to fill in the amount I owed him."



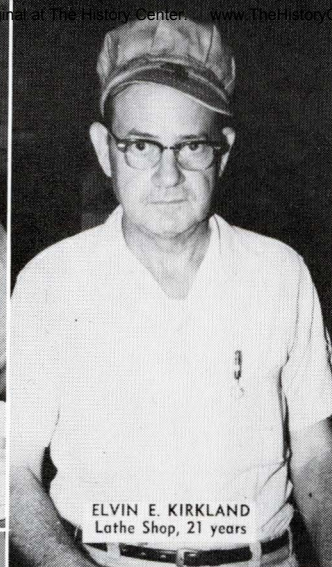
**MCNEIL's hobby is raising fine Yorkshire hogs**



JOHN T. LAWRENCE  
Machine Shop, 13 years



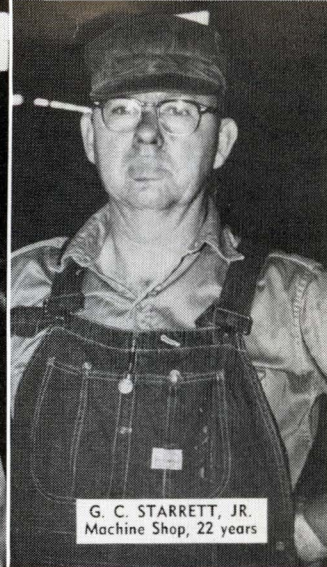
C. E. HICKS  
Trailer Division, 25 years



ELVIN E. KIRKLAND  
Lathe Shop, 21 years



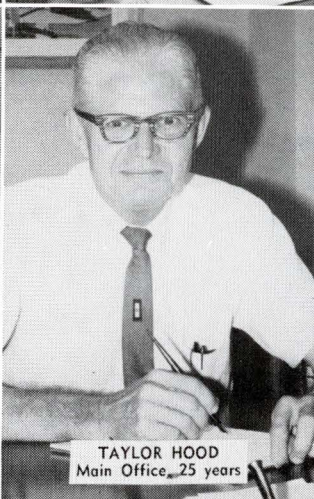
DENZEL HARRIS  
Machine Shop, 12 years



G. C. STARRETT, JR.  
Machine Shop, 22 years



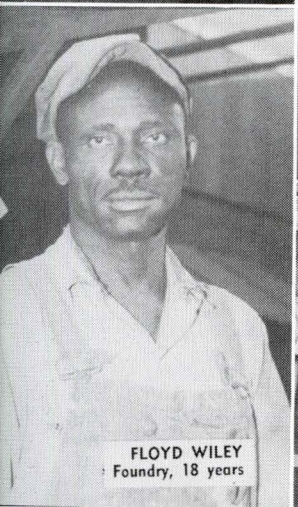
ROBERT D. CLARK  
Trailer Division, 13 years



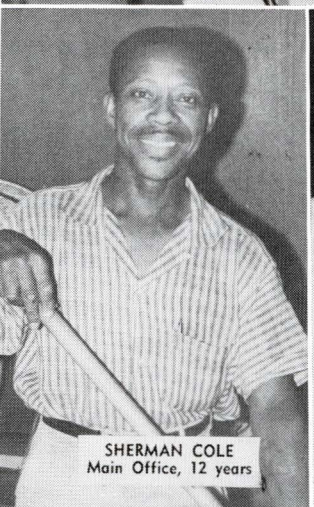
TAYLOR HOOD  
Main Office, 25 years

# *Celebrating an Anniversary*

**12 YEARS OR MORE.**



FLOYD WILEY  
Foundry, 18 years



SHERMAN COLE  
Main Office, 12 years



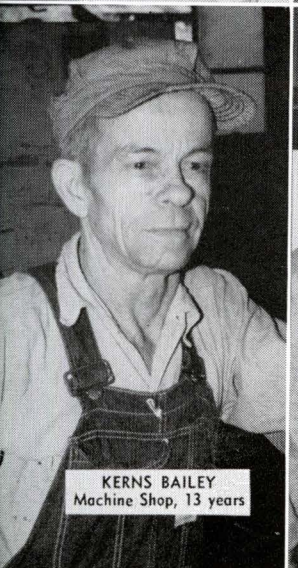
VICTOR STEPHANO  
Tool Room, 12 years



CLETIS FULLER  
Engineering, 21 years



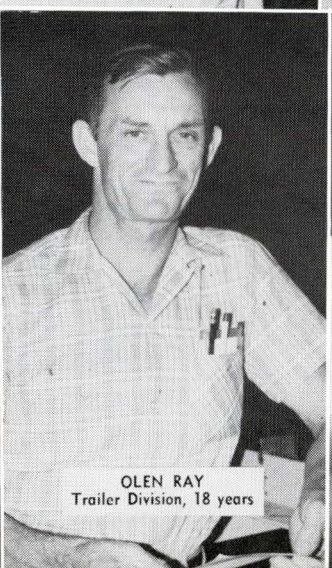
CLARENCE YOUNGBLOOD  
Trailer Division, 13 years



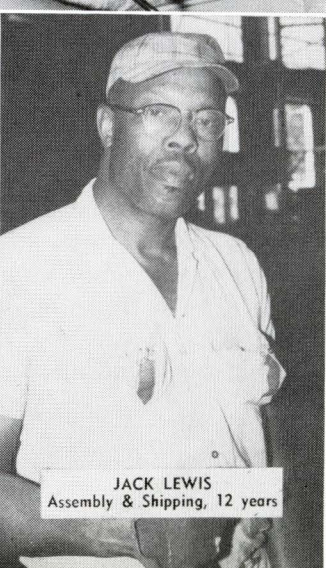
KERNS BAILEY  
Machine Shop, 13 years



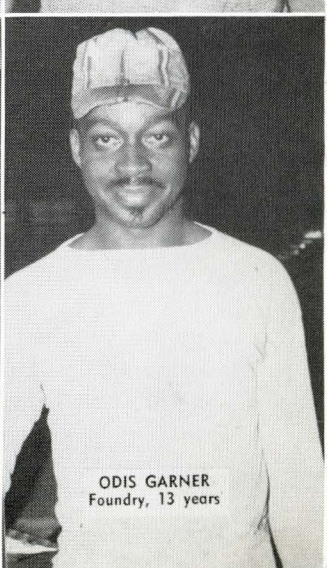
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Trailer Division, 18 years



OLEN RAY  
Trailer Division, 18 years



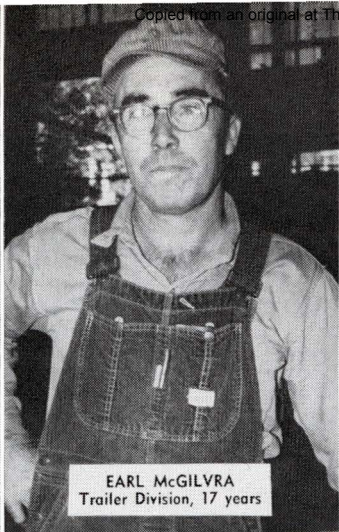
JACK LEWIS  
Assembly & Shipping, 12 years



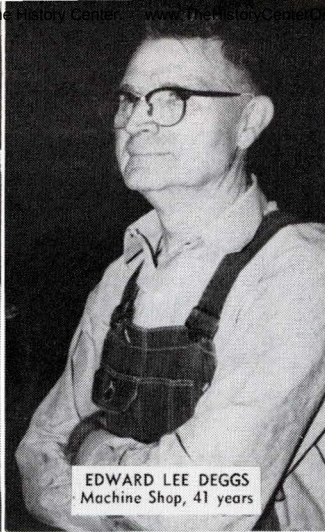
ODIS GARNER  
Foundry, 13 years



**KENNETH MURRELL**  
Foundry, 13 years



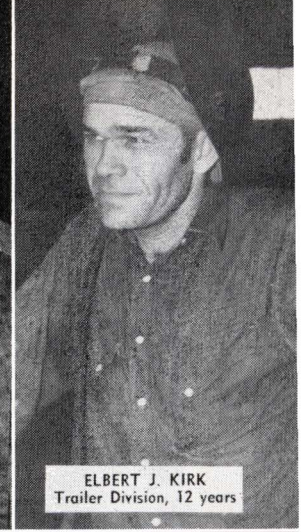
**EARL MCGILVRA**  
Trailer Division, 17 years



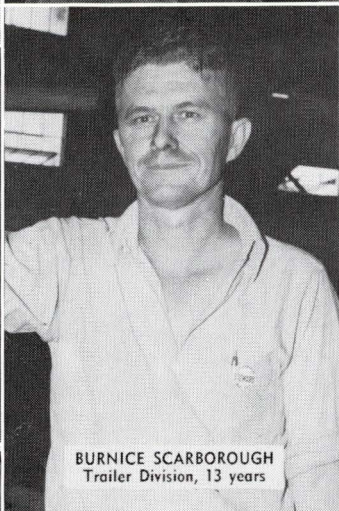
**EDWARD LEE DEGGS**  
Machine Shop, 41 years



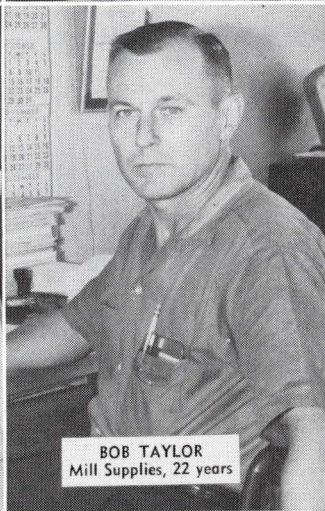
**O. J. BLAYLOCK**  
Trailer Division, 18 years



**ELBERT J. KIRK**  
Trailer Division, 12 years



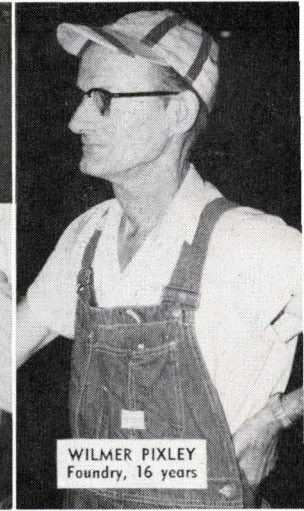
**BURNICE SCARBOROUGH**  
Trailer Division, 13 years



**BOB TAYLOR**  
Mill Supplies, 22 years



**WILBURN A. HOPSON**  
Welding & Structural, 19 years



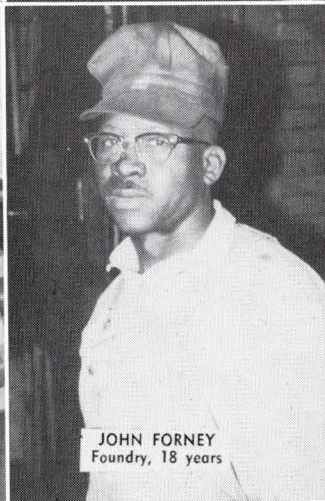
**WILMER PIXLEY**  
Foundry, 16 years



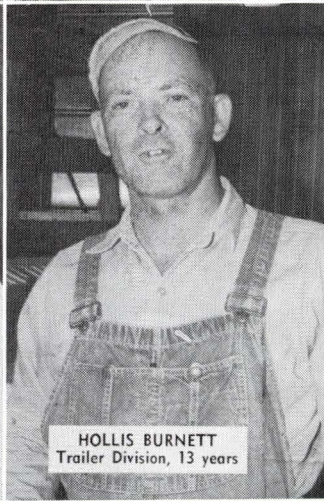
**BILL LUCE**  
Lathe Shop, 13 years



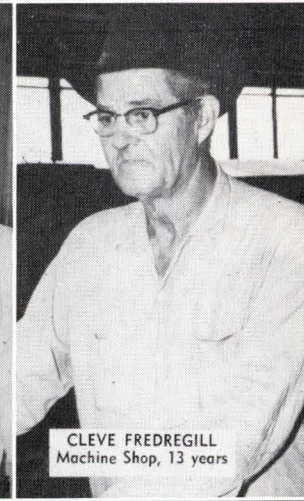
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Foundry, 13 years



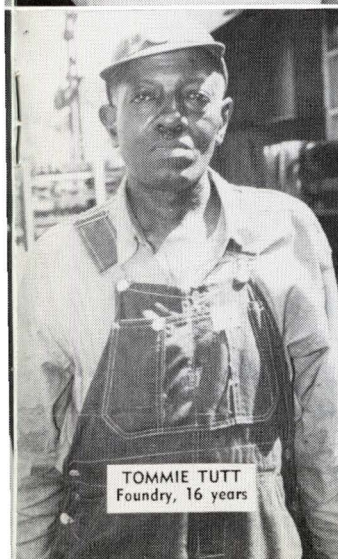
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Foundry, 18 years



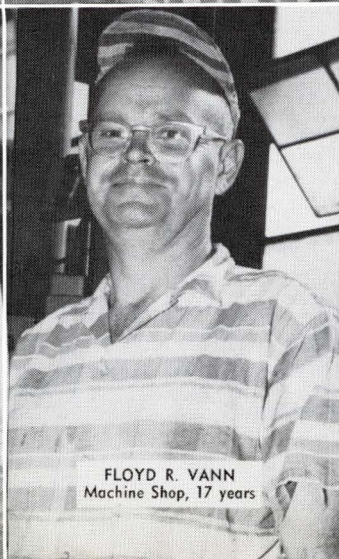
**HOLLIS BURNETT**  
Trailer Division, 13 years



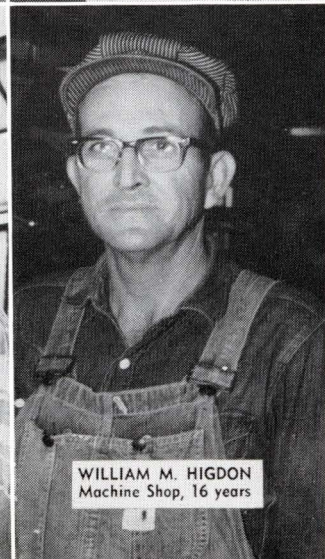
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Machine Shop, 13 years



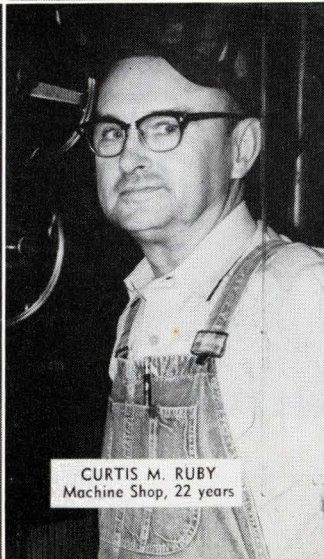
**TOMMIE TUTT**  
Foundry, 16 years



**FLOYD R. VANN**  
Machine Shop, 17 years



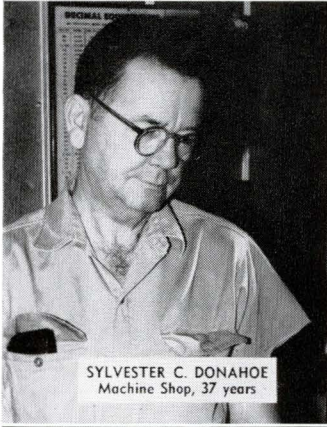
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Machine Shop, 16 years



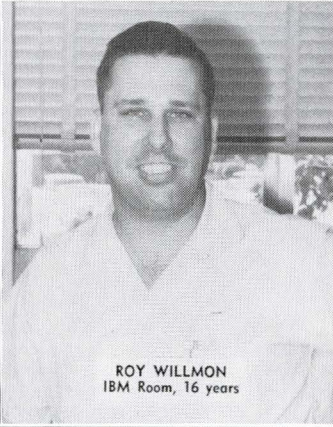
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Machine Shop, 22 years



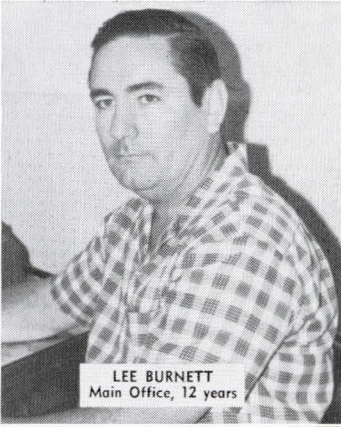
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Lathe Shop, 24 years



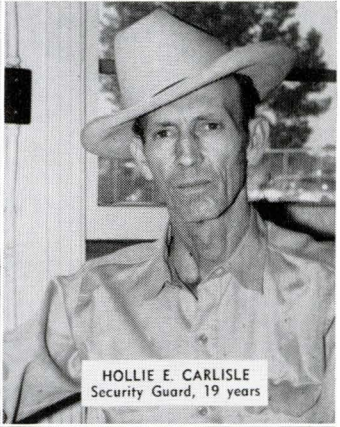
SYLVESTER C. DONAHOE  
Machine Shop, 37 years



ROY WILLMON  
IBM Room, 16 years

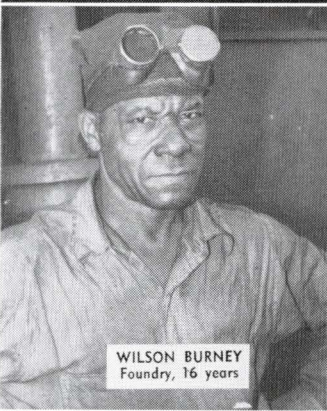


LEE BURNETT  
Main Office, 12 years

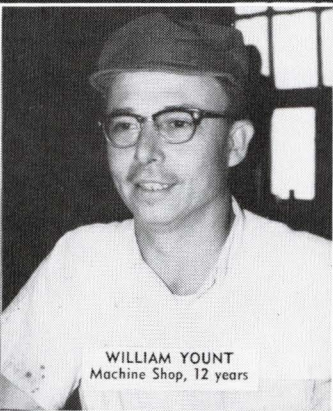


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Security Guard, 19 years

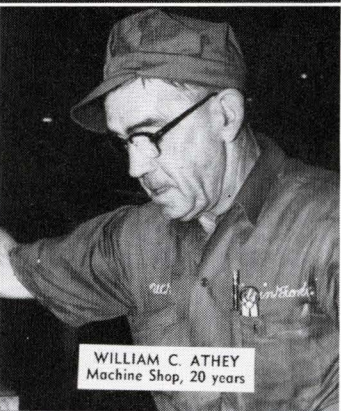
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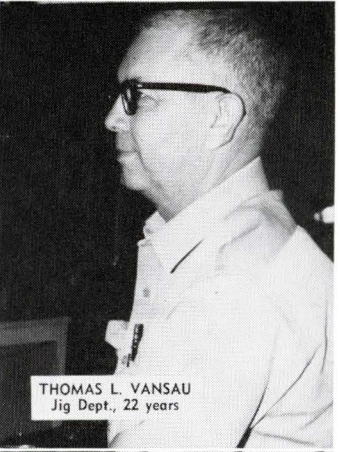
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Foundry, 16 years



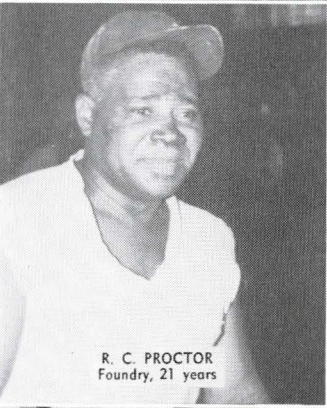
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Machine Shop, 12 years



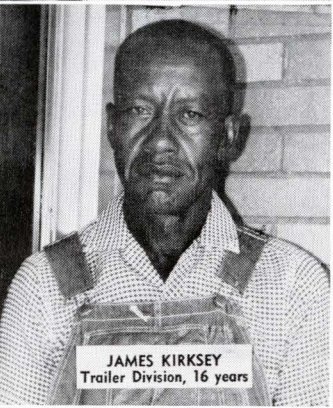
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Machine Shop, 20 years



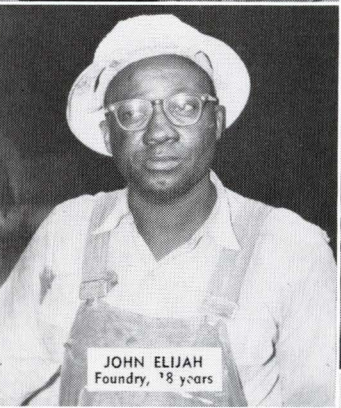
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Jig Dept., 22 years



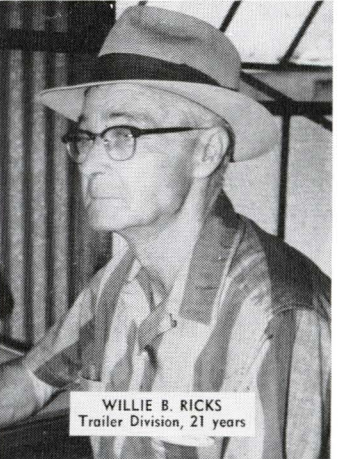
R. C. PROCTOR  
Foundry, 21 years



JAMES KIRKSEY  
Trailer Division, 16 years



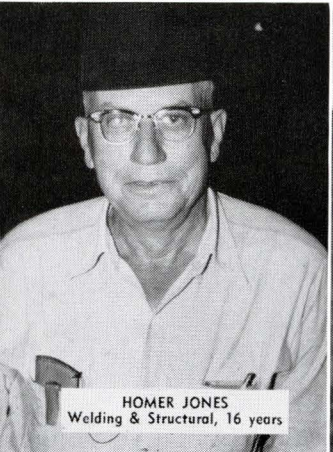
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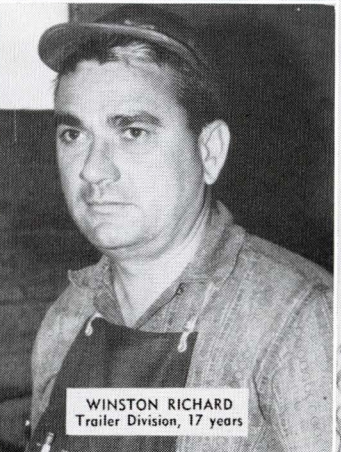
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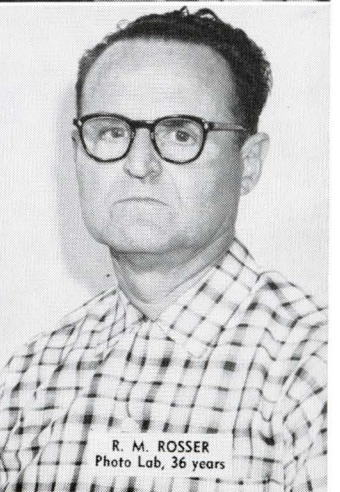
HUBBARD B. WATSON  
Assembly & Shipping, 13 years



HOMER JONES  
Welding & Structural, 16 years



WINSTON RICHARD  
Trailer Division, 17 years



R. M. ROSSER  
Photo Lab, 36 years

# REMEMBRANCES of THINGS PAST...



(EDITOR'S NOTE: This article was written by GUY CROOM, former plant superintendent. Prior to his retirement on August 31, he wrote this article and also another one about the big Company picnic held on Labor Day, 1922. It will be carried in a future issue of THE FOUNDRY ROUNDUP.)

**T**HE YEAR 1903, we lived at Warren in Tyler County, 12 miles south of Woodville. Mama had a sister and a brother living here in Lufkin. Arrangements were made for us to pay them a visit. It took a lot of preparation to outfit a family of five small children for a trip of this kind. There were dresses to be made for the girls, pants and blouses for the boys, and Mama had to make them all. Shoes and stockings had to be bought, and so on. We did not have any big suitcases as we see them today, so all our belongings went into one big rigid trunk.

There was a lot of excitement the morning that we left as everyone was trying to get dressed and of course we were all fearful of missing the train. Mama had our lunch packed in a couple of big shoe boxes and tied with a string. It held fried chicken and everything. All windows in the coaches were wide open and the dust was bad. Our train did not come closer to Lufkin than Huntington so there is where we de-trained. I don't remember where we ate that lunch, but it was the best I had eaten up to that time.

Mama's brother, then a boy, met us at Huntington in a two-seated surrey drawn by a pair of bay horses. We had to bring that trunk, but the surrey had no luggage compartment. Someone had the bright idea of putting it between the front seat and the dash board. The trunk was higher than the front seat and it took up all the space needed for our feet. We, the ones in the front seat, got awfully tired of having our feet up on top of that trunk all the way to Lufkin for probably two hours or more.

The road was one big root and chug hole after another, and we were awfully glad to get to Aunt Daisy's house. The whole trip consumed the better part of the day. Aunt Daisy lived in a house on Angelina Avenue just across from the foundry. To be sure, bedding was insufficient for all that influx of company, but they made down pallets and most of us slept on the floor.

First Street was somewhat of a back alley and practically all businesses faced on Cotton Square. Burke's Drug store was in the place now occupied by a domino hall. Jim Singleton had a men's clothing store on the corner across from where Perry Brothers is now. This building has been torn down and the lot is vacant. There were two saloons on the square, one was Chancey's facing west about three doors from Burke's Drug, the other one was Markus' which faced north about where Radio Station KRBA is now. The city water tower, a big stand pipe, and the fire station were on the ground now occupied by our library.

Charlie Harrell's livery stable was where Noble Drug Co. is, and Monroe Smith had one across Second Street from this. When there was a fire alarm, the first company there with a team got the job of pulling the fire wagon. I remember one time somebody pulled the fire wagon with one mule about half harnessed up. It was real comical. Southern Pacific, called then Houston East and West Texas, ran a train each way daily, and they were what was called a mixed train. It amounted to a local freight train that pulled a couple of passenger coaches along with the

baggage, mail and express cars on the tail end.

Men that were financially able owned a saddle horse or buggy; otherwise they walked. Most farmers came to town in a wagon, especially on Saturday. A public watering trough near the court house was a public service as late as 1921, and it was located on the court house ground near the World War I statue.

But back to my visit and experiences. Fifteen cents per day was my allowance except for what my uncle, Dr. Bledsoe, put up on the side. There was a carnival in progress on Cotton Square with loud music, magic shows, clowns, hot dog vendors and all. This is where I saw my first motion picture. There were two such shows operating as part of the carnival, one called "The Train Robbers." I don't know how many days we were here, but I saw "The Train Robbers" every day and sometimes twice.

One of the vendors always "hawked" a whole hog and a biscuit for a nickel. There was no question about it, he put up some good grub for a nickel. Burke's Drug had a big long soda fountain counter that was nearly always crowded. Ice cream that they served with a little strawberry preserves was just simply out of this world; I just know that nobody now knows how to make such ice cream.

I have no recollection whatever of how long we stayed or how we got back. I am sure our stay was not extensive because as you can imagine taking care of a family of five small children is not always a path of roses.

# Results of TB tests Explained

A FEW WEEKS AGO, Tuberculin tests were given throughout Lufkin Foundry and Machine Company to 1163 employees.

Since the tests, there have been many misunderstandings and misinformation circulated among Plant employees as well as by the general public.

It has been reported that some employees were looking for jobs elsewhere because they heard "there is TB all over the plant." Other employees have been teased and even avoided because their tests showed a positive reaction.

All of this is most regrettable because the true facts have been hidden by vicious rumors.

The true facts are as follows: there were 1163 tests given. A total of 165 positive reactions were found by Mrs. Martha Jane Hopson, First Aid nurse, and Mrs. Ada B. Smith, executive secretary of the Angelina Tuberculosis Association. This means only that these 165 people have been exposed to the TB germ sometime in the past, and does not mean that they have active TB. There is no such thing as a carrier of TB. One must have active TB to pass the germ on to someone else.

Following x-rays, only two cases of TB were found.

This certainly is not unusual in East

Texas since the incidence of TB is higher here than anywhere in the Southwestern United States except in the valley on the Mexican border.

Of course, it is most distressing to find even two cases, for it means a long period of convalescence for the patient. However, with our modern medicines, it is possible now to completely cure tuberculosis with the patient's cooperation.

We should be grateful indeed that the tests were given to Foundry employees. It meant the finding of two cases so that treatment could begin immediately. We have much to be thankful for and one of the highest on the list is good health, and should that fail, good doctors and the best of modern medicine.

We are sorry that two cases were found, but we rejoice that only two were found as a result of testing 1163 employees.

These tests, administered with a pressurized gun, were given without cost by the Angelina County Tuberculosis Association, a member of the Community Chest.

Assisting Mrs. Hopson and Mrs. Smith were Mrs. Hilda Mitchell and Mrs. Emily Hawthorne, registered nurses, and members of the Lufkin Service League.



MEMBERS of the Lufkin Service League assisted in giving 1163 Tuberculin tests throughout the Foundry.

## MARKING AN ANNIVERSARY

### MACHINE SHOP

| Employment Date                        | Years With Co. |
|--|----------------|
| Lee Deggs.....Oct. 15, 1922            | 41             |
| Sylvester C. Donahoe.....Oct. 22, 1926 | 37             |
| George W. Haygood.....Oct. 14, 1939    | 24             |
| Curtis M. Ruby.....Oct. 2, 1941        | 22             |
| G. C. Starrett, Jr.....Oct. 14, 1941   | 22             |
| Thomas L. Vansau.....Oct. 27, 1941     | 22             |
| Elvin E. Kirkland.....Oct. 26, 1942    | 21             |
| William C. Athey.....Oct. 11, 1943     | 20             |
| Floyd R. Vann.....Oct. 14, 1946        | 17             |
| William M. Higdon.....Oct. 13, 1947    | 16             |
| John T. Lawrence.....Oct. 4, 1950      | 13             |
| Kerns Bailey.....Oct. 5, 1950          | 13             |
| Cleve Fredregill.....Oct. 6, 1950      | 13             |
| Bill Luce.....Oct. 26, 1950            | 13             |
| Denzel Harris.....Oct. 10, 1951        | 12             |
| William Yount.....Oct. 11, 1951        | 12             |
| Victor Stephano.....Oct. 30, 1951      | 12             |
| Leonard F. Grimes.....Oct. 28, 1952    | 11             |
| A. C. Hunt.....Oct. 27, 1954           | 9              |
| Jim E. Fenley.....Oct. 6, 1955         | 8              |
| Fred M. Dabbs.....Oct. 18, 1955        | 8              |
| Nelson Dixon.....Oct. 25, 1955         | 8              |
| Fred W. Phillips.....Oct. 27, 1955     | 8              |
| James H. Elliott.....Oct. 28, 1955     | 8              |
| Joe C. Deal.....Oct. 8, 1957           | 7              |
| Joe Bynum.....Oct. 24, 1956            | 7              |
| C. E. Brookshire.....Oct. 2, 1961      | 2              |
| Thomas L. Nerren.....Oct. 25, 1956     | 7              |
| Spence E. Denman.....Oct. 9, 1961      | 2              |
| Clifton W. Foster.....Oct. 10, 1961    | 2              |
| Edward Gardner.....Oct. 11, 1961       | 2              |
| E. W. Walker.....Oct. 12, 1961         | 2              |
| Johnnie E. Arnold.....Oct. 16, 1961    | 2              |
| Douglas W. Giles.....Oct. 18, 1961     | 2              |
| Gary L. Greening.....Oct. 24, 1961     | 2              |
| B. C. Rice.....Oct. 24, 1961           | 2              |
| H. F. Pierce.....Oct. 15, 1961         | 1              |
| James W. Allen.....Oct. 17, 1962       | 1              |
| D. C. Kennedy, Jr.....Oct. 31, 1962    | 1              |
| Robert R. Anthony.....Oct. 31, 1962    | 1              |

### TRAILER DIVISION

| Employment Date                      | Years With Co. |
|--------------------------------------|----------------|
| C. E. Hicks.....Oct. 19, 1938        | 25             |
| Willie B. Ricks.....Oct. 26, 1942    | 21             |
| O. J. Blaylock.....Oct. 5, 1945      | 18             |
| Lee Lowery.....Oct. 17, 1945         | 18             |
| Olen Ray.....Oct. 22, 1945           | 18             |
| Earl McGilvra.....Oct. 7, 1946       | 17             |
| Winston Richard.....Oct. 14, 1946    | 17             |
| James Kirksey.....Oct. 28, 1947      | 16             |
| Burnice Scarborough.....Oct. 3, 1950 | 13             |
| Hollis Burnett.....Oct. 3, 1950      | 13             |
| Robert D. Clark.....Oct. 4, 1950     | 13             |
| Clarence Youngblood.....Oct. 4, 1950 | 13             |
| Elbert J. Kirk.....Oct. 4, 1951      | 12             |
| Joel A. Higgins.....Oct. 1, 1952     | 11             |
| Oren G. Rice.....Oct. 15, 1952       | 11             |
| Roy H. Brown, Jr.....Oct. 27, 1952   | 11             |
| Brown H. Hays.....Oct. 11, 1954      | 9              |
| Ronald C. Jackson.....Oct. 5, 1955   | 8              |
| James R. McDuffie.....Oct. 6, 1955   | 8              |
| Eugene Vann.....Oct. 11, 1955        | 8              |
| Earl Dover.....Oct. 24, 1955         | 8              |
| James R. Brasuell.....Oct. 31, 1960  | 3              |
| Richard A. Smelley.....Oct. 16, 1961 | 1              |
| Samuel J. Lovejoy.....Oct. 5, 1962   | 1              |

### SECURITY GUARD

| Employment Date                      | Years With Co. |
|--------------------------------------|----------------|
| Hollie E. Carlisle.....Oct. 16, 1914 | 18             |

### WELDING & STRUCTURAL

| Employment Date                   | Years With Co. |
|-----------------------------------|----------------|
| W. A. Hopson.....Oct. 18, 1944    | 19             |
| Homer Jones.....Oct. 23, 1947     | 16             |
| Jodie Gleen.....Oct. 23, 1956     | 7              |
| Harvey Graham.....Oct. 5, 1961    | 2              |
| Samuel S. Ellis.....Oct. 17, 1961 | 2              |
| J. D. Foster.....Oct. 27, 1961    | 2              |

### PHOTO LAB

| Employment Date                | Years With Co. |
|--------------------------------|----------------|
| R. M. Rosser.....Oct. 16, 1927 | 36             |

### MATERIAL CONTROL

| Employment Date                      | Years With Co. |
|--------------------------------------|----------------|
| John N. Laird.....Oct. 17, 1956      | 7              |
| Charles T. Williams.....Oct. 9, 1961 | 2              |
| Andrew L. White.....Oct. 9, 1961     | 2              |

# The Editor's Corner

## FOUNDRY

| Employment Date                          | Years With Co. |
|--|----------------|
| Henry Mantooth ----- Oct. 21, 1937       | 26             |
| R. C. Proctor ----- Oct. 12, 1942        | 21             |
| Floyd Wiley ----- Oct. 9, 1945           | 18             |
| John Elijah ----- Oct. 22, 1945          | 18             |
| John Forney ----- Oct. 22, 1945          | 18             |
| Wilmer Pixley ----- Oct. 6, 1947         | 16             |
| Tommie Tutt ----- Oct. 14, 1947          | 16             |
| Wilson Burney ----- Oct. 21, 1947        | 16             |
| William Gilbert ----- Oct. 12, 1950      | 13             |
| Odis Garner ----- Oct. 24, 1950          | 13             |
| Kenneth Murrell ----- Oct. 25, 1950      | 13             |
| Haywood Henderson ----- Oct. 14, 1952    | 11             |
| Delmer McGaughey ----- Oct. 13, 1953     | 10             |
| Richard Mask ----- Oct. 14, 1953         | 10             |
| Zephaniah Atkinson ----- Oct. 8, 1954    | 9              |
| Lonnie Greer ----- Oct. 11, 1954         | 9              |
| Steve English ----- Oct. 9, 1956         | 7              |
| George Mott ----- Oct. 18, 1961          | 2              |
| W. R. Tarrant ----- Oct. 16, 1962        | 1              |
| Melvin McFarland ----- Oct. 17, 1962     | 1              |
| Frank M. Edge ----- Oct. 17, 1962        | 1              |
| D. R. Innerarity ----- Oct. 17, 1962     | 1              |
| C. J. Allen ----- Oct. 17, 1962          | 1              |
| Lenard Anders ----- Oct. 22, 1962        | 1              |
| Franklin E. Ferguson ----- Oct. 26, 1962 | 1              |
| Ivy P. Munn, Jr. ----- Oct. 29, 1962     | 1              |

## ASSEMBLY & SHIPPING

| Employment Date                     | Years With Co. |
|-------------------------------------|----------------|
| H. B. Watson ----- Oct. 3, 1950     | 13             |
| Jack Lewis ----- Oct. 10, 1951      | 12             |
| C. H. Stone ----- Oct. 27, 1961     | 2              |
| Sherman Farr ----- Oct. 15, 1962    | 1              |
| Lloyd E. Elkins ----- Oct. 17, 1962 | 1              |
| David F. Rivers ----- Oct. 19, 1962 | 1              |

## MILL SUPPLIES

| Employment Date                         | Years With Co. |
|---|----------------|
| Bob F. Taylor ----- Oct. 27, 1941       | 22             |
| Barbara Pletcher ----- Oct. 18, 1949    | 14             |
| Robert W. Burroughs ----- Oct. 15, 1952 | 11             |
| Harold E. Scoggins ----- Oct. 8, 1956   | 7              |
| William T. Myers ----- Oct. 1, 1957     | 6              |
| Jurl D. Heaton ----- Oct. 2, 1961       | 2              |

## MAIN OFFICE

| Employment Date                    | Years With Co. |
|------------------------------------|----------------|
| J. Taylor Hood ----- Oct. 20, 1938 | 25             |
| Cletis Fuller ----- Oct. 12, 1942  | 21             |
| Roy Willmon ----- Oct. 27, 1947    | 16             |
| Lee Burnett ----- Oct. 24, 1951    | 12             |
| Sherman Cole ----- Oct. 30, 1951   | 12             |
| T. C. McMullen ----- Oct. 25, 1957 | 6              |

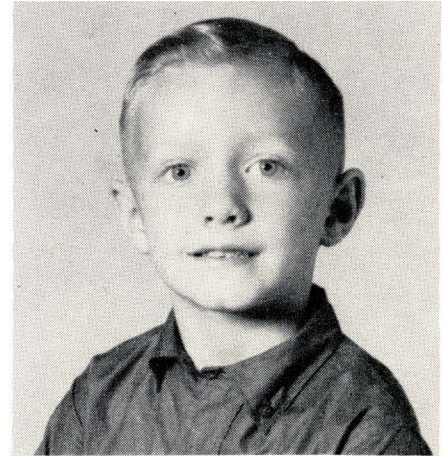
## OILFIELD SALES & SERVICE

| Employment Date                     | Years With Co. |
|-------------------------------------|----------------|
| Robert Spaulding ----- Oct. 8, 1937 | 26             |
| T. A. Banta ----- Oct. 26, 1949     | 14             |
| John Bowley ----- Oct. 16, 1956     | 7              |
| C. R. Mullen ----- Oct. 1, 1961     | 2              |
| John W. Spring ----- Oct. 2, 1961   | 2              |
| J. G. Cayan ----- Oct. 1, 1962      | 1              |

## TRAILER SALES & SERVICE

| Employment Date                      | Years With Co. |
|--------------------------------------|----------------|
| James E. Walker ----- Oct. 7, 1954   | 9              |
| Robert W. Boyd ----- Oct. 1, 1955    | 8              |
| Ernest L. Dailey ----- Oct. 22, 1956 | 7              |
| Louis M. Mathis ----- Oct. 31, 1958  | 5              |
| W. H. Corder ----- Oct. 3, 1962      | 1              |
| P. O. Wilcoxon ----- Oct. 15, 1962   | 1              |

WE WERE HAPPY to receive the photograph of LONNIE EUGENE STONE who began his schooling in September at Coston Elementary School. The six-year-old is the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. STONE. His dad works in the Machine Shop, and he has an older sister, BRENDA, 10, who is in the 6th grade.



LONNIE EUGENE STONE... six-year-old who began his first year at Coston School

JIM CLYDE CHILDERS, former Foundry employee and the son of FRED CHILDERS, purchaser, was married to Bettye Durham in Tullahoma, Tennessee, September 3. A graduate of Texas A & M, Jim Clyde is working at ARO Inc. in Tullahoma and is enrolled in the graduate school of the University of Tennessee.

Several of the boys around the shop are asking if ED TROUT has decided to step down to Ford. It seems he let W. A. KIRKLAND use his Cadillac and Ed drove Kirkland's Ford around for several days. The report is that he was thrilled to death with its performance!



MRS. JIM CLYDE CHILDERS

The children of LEE BURNETT, Accounting Department, are quite active in school sports and related activities. DARRUTH, 17, is a junior in high school and is twirler for the band. STACEY LEE, 15, is a sophomore and is defensive end on the Lufkin High B-team. MARSHA JANE, 13, an 8th grader, is a twirler in the Big Blue Band of Junior High school.



Left, DARRUTH BURNETT, High School band twirler; STACEY LEE BURNETT (center) B-Team defensive end; (right) MARSHA JANE BURNETT, Jr. High band twirler.

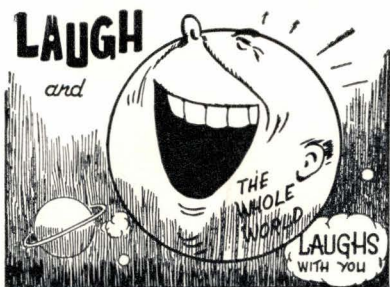
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A modern mother and her young son were shopping in a supermarket. The child, trying to help, picked up a package and brought it to her. "No, no, honey," protested the mother, "go put it back. You have to cook that."

"Pardon me," said the stranger, "are you a resident here?"

"Yes," was the answer, "I've been here goin' on fifty years. What kin I do for you?"

"I am looking for a criminal lawyer," said the stranger. "Have you any here?"

"Well," said the other, "we're pretty sure we have, but we can't prove it."

Enraged because her husband left all his money to charity, the widow asked the monument maker to change the inscription on his tombstone.

"Sorry," the man said, "but you ordered 'Rest in Peace' and it can't be changed now."

"Well, then," said the widow, "just add underneath it 'Till We Meet Again.'"

Two cannibals were in an asylum. One was tearing pictures of men, women and children out of a magazine and eating them.

"Tell me," said the other, "is that dehydrated stuff any good?"

A man came into the drugstore and asked for some invisible hairnets for his wife. When he got them from the clerk, he asked, "Are you sure they're invisible?"

"Of course I'm sure," was the reply. "I've been selling them all morning and they've been out of stock for a month."

The harassed mother of five children was asked by her friend: "Well, Nell, what do you want your next one to be?"

"A grandchild," she replied.

Ever since they put those Smokey the Bear ads in the New York subways there hasn't been a single fire in Manhattan.

Pfc: Why did you salute that truck driver?

Rookie: Don't be so dumb. That's no truck driver; that's General Hauling. Don't you see that sign?

A newly appointed Justice was not familiar with the code and when a bootlegger appeared before him to plead guilty he was at a loss to know what to assess him. He called up the old Justice. "I've got a bootlegger here. What shall I give him?"

"Don't give him over \$4.00. I never did."

During the war a young American pilot landed on an aircraft carrier and hurried to the skipper to say, "What a day I've had—I shot down seven Jap planes, sunk a destroyer and left a cruiser listing."

"Velly good, Yank, but you make one mistake!"

Two beauties were admiring a fur coat in a swank shop.

"It's gorgeous," said one, "but who would be fool enough to pay \$12,000 for it?"

"I don't know," replied the other, "but I'll find him."

Three elderly ladies were stranded in a tough neighborhood and they reluctantly stopped at a local greasy spoon and ordered from a grizzly waiter. "I'll have a cup of strong tea and no lemon," said one.

"Some weak tea and lemon," said the second.

"Tea for me," said the third, "but make sure the cup is clean."

Returning a few minutes with the order, the waiter grumbled, "Okay, which one wanted the clean cup?"

A truck driver stopped beside a stalled small foreign car on the highway: "What's the matter, buddy—need a new flint?"

The trouble with being a good sport is that you have to lose to prove it.

Remember when "withholding" only meant Pop was opening his pay envelope before he got home?

Three football players at three different colleges had flunked out and met to discuss their misfortune. The USC end said: "That calculus was too much." The tackle from Iowa said: "It was trig that got me." The fullback from State asked: "Did youse guys hear of long division?"

In the middle of a blinding blizzard the doctor received a call from a man whose wife needed medical attention. "I'd be glad to come but I have no car," the doctor said, "You'll have to come for me."

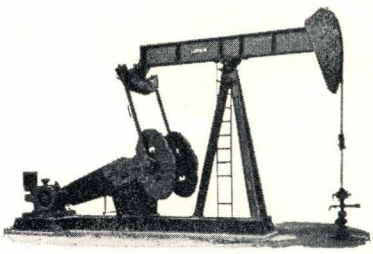
"What," exploded the caller, "in this weather?"


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