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# from THE PRESIDENT'S DESK...



FELLOW EMPLOYEES:

HOW much is a man worth? This is a question that has been asked for centuries and is not always answered by his value in money.

When a man determines his net worth, he adds up his assets and subtracts from that the sum of his liabilities. The assets in character of a good man may overshadow his assets in money, but they are not always shown on the balance sheet. His real net worth is determined by how much good he can do for mankind.

Our Saviour was sold for thirty pieces of silver but his worth to mankind has no limit of measure.

You should remember that though another may have more money and brains than you, yet when it comes to the rarer spiritual values such as charity, honor, humility, nobility of heart, you have an equal chance with everyone to be the most beloved and honored of all people.

Think about this for a moment. You have a plain bar of iron worth about $5.00 to start with.

Made into horseshoes it is worth $10.50.

Made into kitchen cutlery it is worth $250.00.

Made into needles it is worth $3,250.

Made into balance springs for fine watches it is worth $250,000.

The same thing is true of another kind of material—you.

Your value is determined by what you make of yourself.

R. L. POLAND

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# Kendrick's Idea Will Save $2000



C. B. (BUCK) KENDRICK, left, flooring machine operator in the Trailer Division Van department, received this Black and Decker drill as his prize for submitting the winning entry in the Cost Reduction Tournament. Looking on are John Copeland, center, and Boyce Hendry.

CHARLES B. (Buck) Kendrick chose the Black and Decker drill as his prize for submitting the fourth winning entry in the Trailer Division's Project 100/300 Cost Reduction Tournament.

His suggestion involved a device to be used on the flooring machines to eliminate the necessity of changing the length of countersink cutters when a change of floor thickness is required.

Buck constructed a spacer to slip on the machine instead of removing and replacing the countersink cutter.

The device could save the company about $2000 a year.

Trailer Division personnel wishing to enter are reminded that the deadline for monthly contests is 12 p.m. on the fifteenth of that month. The contest is open to all shop employees and foremen.

# No Rocking Chair Retirement for Otto

WHEN people ask him, "How's retirement," Smith answers, "Don't know—haven't gotten to it yet."

He's kidding, of course, as his retirement from the Lathe Shop was effective a few weeks ago. He was employed Jan. 11, 1943.

But Otto's comeback to the question is typical of many retirees, who, contrary to what many people expect, find that they are not twiddling their thumbs when they retire.

Otto estimates that it will take him a full year even to catch up with his gardening and odd jobs around the house. He says he has upholstering, painting and carpenter work to be done to the home he and his wife recently panelled throughout.

They have two children and six grandchildren ranging in age from eight to 13. Both children are graduates of SFA and daughter Peggy Taylor holds a master in education from there. She teaches in Warren, Texas, and Otto Jr. is a Senior Vice President at First Bank and Trust.



OTTO SMITH, right, accepts his gold retirement watch for 28 years service. Making the presentation on behalf of the Company is R. E. (Mutt) Barr, vice president and plant superintendent.

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DON WOLFE, second shift operator, places the Numerical Control Tape into the Tape Reader of the Control.




# BURGMASTER UTILIZES SKILLED



LYNN DUNLAP, third shift operator, selects tools from the tool storage cabinet for the next job for the Burgmaster. Operators select the proper tools by using a pre-planned job tool list.

ANOTHER addition to LUFKIN's new line of manufacturing equipment in the Machine Shop is a numerically controlled Burgmaster Table Type Vertical Machining Center.

This impressive multi-purpose machine is helping reduce production costs at the same time it is maintaining as well as upgrading the quality of LUFKIN's products.

Also it offers opportunities for better jobs since considerable skill is required to operate this machine.

The Burgmaster can perform milling, drilling, tapping and boring on production parts such as industrial gear housings and covers, all housing inspection hole covers, split oil seals, various bearing housings, high speed babbitt bearing halves and several parts for our gas engines.

This machine is equipped with an indexing turret which holds eight tools. It is capable of machining a work-piece as large as 60 inches long by 30 inches wide by approximately 20 inches high.

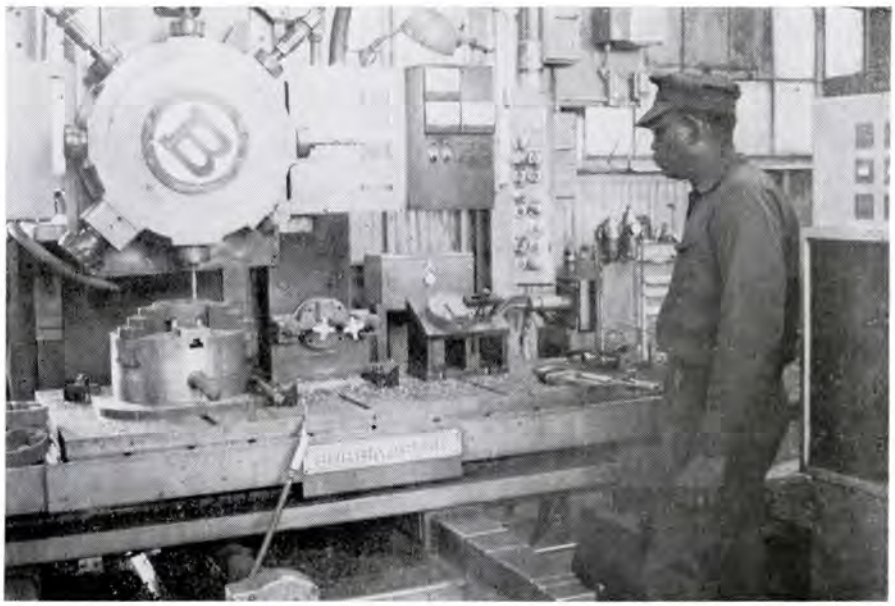
Some of the most modern cutting tools and holding equipment available in industry are on the Burgmaster.

The 60-inch long table permits the use of two- and three-station workpiece set-ups. A separate machining operation is performed at each station on the table using different tools in the eight-tool index turret.

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Left: COVER for an industrial gear housing is being rough milled on Operation Two of the machining sequence. Lynn Dunlap is at the control pendant.



LOUIS DAVIS, first shift, operates the Burgmaster on a 3-station machining operation on crank pin bearing caps for pumping units. The raw casting is loaded in Station One and is transferred through Station Two to Station Three from where it is unloaded as a finished part.

# OPERATORS

The machining operations in these stations are linked together in a continuous cycle on the numerical control tape. This means a rough casting can be placed in the first fixture and a finished part taken off at the last station. Its capabilities are somewhat like a production assembly line only this is completely within one machine.

This is one of the first machines on which we have been able to produce a completed part with multi-station, 3-fixture set-up. This is quite an accomplishment and the machine operators and industrial engineers are justifiably proud of it.

The Burgmaster performs its operations on command from a tape that is loaded into the tape reader of the master control before the start of the machining cycle.

The tape is a one-inch wide paper or aluminized mylar strip in which holes are punched in precise locations. The reader sends the data or information punched in the tape to the electronic components of the control.

Those who operate the Burgmaster are highly skilled. They have to make the initial set-up. All fixtures must be located precisely in relation to the centerline of the spindle.

Once the set-up is made, the tape moves through the reader and instructs the machine to move to the next position, indexes the turret and selects the feed and speed.

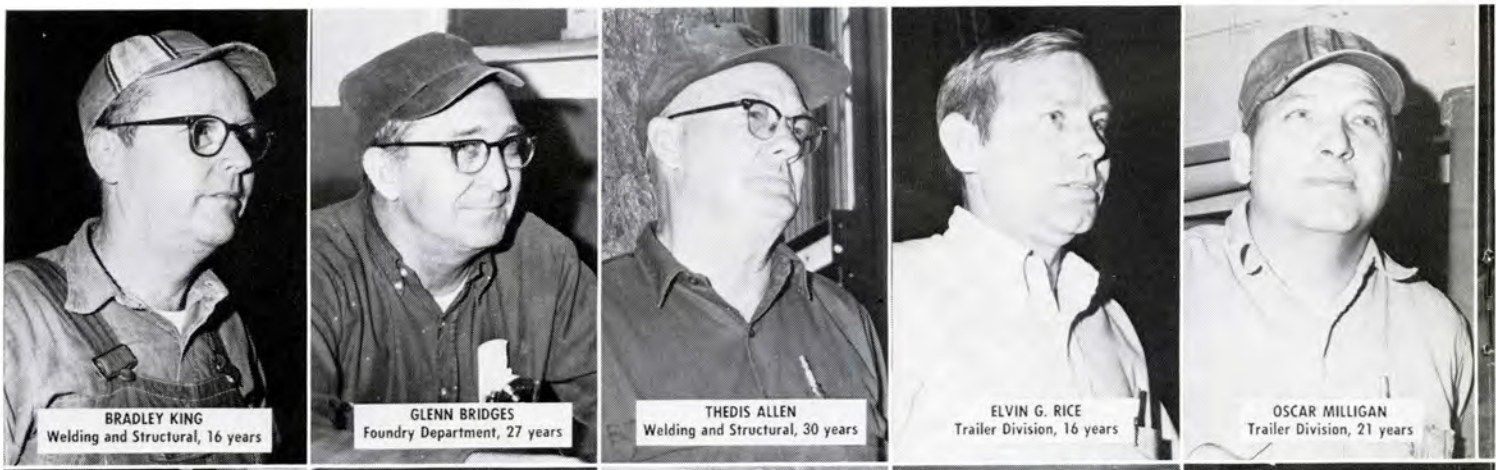
Regardless of how sophisticated and electronically capable the Burgmaster is, still a skilled craftsman is needed to operate the machine, and LUFKIN is fortunate to have craftsmen among its employees.

At the same time, skilled employees need machines to operate. It is a continuing policy of management to invest sizeable sums of money from its profits to purchase such equipment to keep this plant one of the most modern production facilities in the country, to maintain its competitive strength in order to satisfy customer needs and to provide more and better jobs for its employees.



Left: HERE one of the hydraulic vises is being removed from the machine table by Louis Davis. Other required fixtures and workpiece holding devices are designed and manufactured by LUFKIN. A tooling plate is attached to the main machine table and contains a modular pattern of holes for ease of set-up.

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BRADLEY KING
Welding and Structural, 16 years

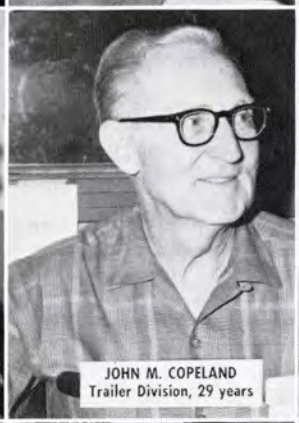

GLENN BRIDGES
Foundry Department, 27 years


THEDIS ALLEN
Welding and Structural, 30 years


ELVIN G. RICE
Trailer Division, 16 years


OSCAR MILLIGAN
Trailer Division, 21 years


E. O. TAYLOR
Welding and Structural, 20 years


JOHN M. COPELAND
Trailer Division, 29 years


VERDELL JOHNSON
Foundry Department, 27 years


DAN TULLOS
Lathe Shop, 17 years

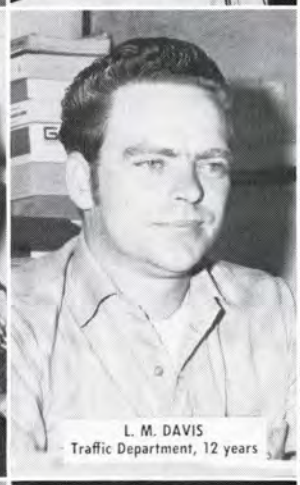


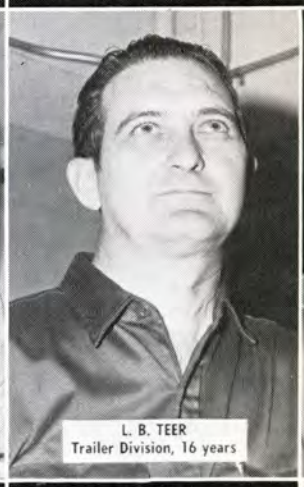


M. E. MARTIN
Trailer Division, 20 years


NOVELLA JARVIS
Mill Supplies, 24 years


BEN HOOKER
Photographic Department, 18 years


L. M. DAVIS
Traffic Department, 12 years


L. B. TEER
Trailer Division, 16 years


BOB THOMPSON
Main Office, 25 years


PRENTICE FLANAGAN
Foundry Department, 16 years


ELRIGE COLE
Foundry Department, 20 years


W. B. WATSON
Welding and Structural, 17 years


HENRY J. HEFLIN
Welding and Structural, 16 years

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# Shop Talk

SHAYE Powell was named "Miss La Petite" and Mary Frances Williams was named first runner-up in the second annual "Our Little Miss" pageant in Nacogdoches.

The two little beauties were selected from a field of 25 contestants in the "La Petite" division of the pageant, which is limited to girls ages three through six.

Shaye is the five-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. JOE POWELL and her father is employed in the Machine Shop, second shift. Other relatives employed at Lufkin Industries are TROY DALE EDWARDS, Welding and Structural Shop, first shift, and TROY LEE EDWARDS, Construction and Maintenance, first shift.

June 21-26 she will compete in Waco for the state crown. The winner of that contest will be eligible for the world title which will be decided later in the year in Florida.

The new "Miss La Petite" has no brothers or sisters but she has plenty of animals, including two pet hamsters, a dog named "Bozo," a cat named "Tinkerbell," and a Shetland she calls "Cocoa."

First runner-up is Mary Frances Williams, daughter of Mrs. Charlotte Williams and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. BENNIE WALLACE. Bennie works in the Welding and Structural Shop, second shift.

Mary Frances, 6, attends kindergarten at St. Cyprian's. She loves animals and has a pet dog, "Pepe."



**SEAN KEVIN BELOTE . . . grandson of Jesse Belote and James Oates**



**NEW WINNER of the Miss La Petite contest is Shaye Powell, center. She was crowned by last year's winner, Kellie Lingo, left. First runner-up in the recent pageant was Mary Frances Williams, right.**

We are proud to announce that Kay Steele, one of last year's Lufkin Industries scholarship winners, has been named to the Dean's Honor List at Angelina College and is a member of the honorary scholastic fraternity, Phi Theta Kappa.

We are always grateful to learn of the scholastic progress of children of employees and welcome such information so that we may pass it along to readers of THE ROUNDUP.

Congratulations go to Kay, whose proud parents are Mr. and Mrs. RAY STEELE. Ray is an employee of the Traffic department.

LOUIS FINCHER, Engineering, says that his newest grandson will be ready for employment as a LUFKIN engineer in 1994. His son, JOHN FINCHER, became a father for the third time on March 13.

Clinton Albert weighed in at an even 8 pounds and has his grandfather's and his father's reddish hair.

Johnny is the company sales representative in London.

CHARLES WINTHROP JR. caught a 6-pound 7-ounce bass, which the boys report as newsworthy because it's a whopper for the Foundry department.

### Congratulations to newlyweds:

Mr. and Mrs. CLAUDE MEDFORD, whose wedding was March 20. She is the former Rosaline Langley. Claude is Foundry department timekeeper.

### There are new arrivals in the homes of:

Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Belote of Irving, Texas. Sean Kevin was born March 9 and weighed 8 pounds 4 ounces. Grandfathers are JAMES OATES, Welding and Structural Shop, first shift, and JESSE BELOTE, Machine Shop, first shift.

Mr. and Mrs. RONALD MCDANIEL. Ronald Clyde Jr. was born March 13 and weighed 8 pounds 10 ounces. The new father is an employee of the Foundry department, first shift.

Mr. and Mrs. ROY DAVIS. Richard Patrick weighed 4 pounds 10 ounces when he was born March 8. Roy is employed in the Traffic department.

Mr. and Mrs. DONALD R. SMITH. Felicia Dianne weighed 8 pounds 4 ounces when she was born March 26. Donald works in the Machine Shop, second shift.

Mr. and Mrs. M. K. LOWERY. Matthew Kenneth weighed 7 pounds 14 ounces at birth March 15. The new father works in the Welding and Structural Shop, first shift.

Mr. and Mrs. IVY COLLINS JR. Rebecca Ann was born March 15 and weighed 7 pounds 7 ounces. Her father works in the Commercial Gear department, first shift, and her grand-

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SLIM FOSTER and his son, Charles, and daughter, Kathy, caught these fish at Lake Livingston when Charles was home on leave in February. He is stationed at Pearl Harbor. Slim works in the Maintenance department, first shift.



SHORTY HUDSON, Lufkin Machinery Division salesman in Pampa, Texas, displays the 4½-pound bass he caught April 3 at Piney Point, Rayburn Lake.

father is IVY COLLINS SR., Machine Shop, first shift.

**Best wishes to:**

Mrs. A. A. WYATT, who has been in the hospital. Her husband works in the Foundry department, second shift.

E. E. KIRKLAND, Machine Shop Inspection department, first shift, who was in the hospital.

M. L. PARRISH, Trailer Division Paint House, who has been ill.

T. E. RUSSELL, Foundry department, second shift, who has been in the hospital.



MATTHEW KENNETH LOWERY . . . born March 15

CLIFF BASHAM, Maintenance department, first shift, who was in the hospital.

R. A. NOEL, Foundry department, first shift, who was in the hospital.

BUCK BARINGTON, Trailer Division Machine department, who had surgery in Houston.

LEWIS JOHNSON, Trailer Division Float department, who is back following illness.

MARVIN SIMON, Pipe House, who was in the hospital.

Mrs. ELRIGE COLE, who had surgery. Her husband is an employee of the Foundry department, second shift.

CECIL COFFIELD, Material Control Warehouse, who had an operation.

J. E. MORELAND, Trailer Division Van department, who had an operation.

BENNIE CLARK JR. Foundry department, first shift, who had a car wreck.

**Sympathy is extended to:**

CECIL OATES, Welding and Structural Shop, second shift, upon the death of his wife.

WILSON BURNEY, Foundry department, first shift, upon the death of his daughter.

CLAUDE BAILEY, Machine Shop, first shift, whose sister died.

CLARENCE MORRISON, Foundry department, first shift, upon the death of his mother.

ROY and RAYMOND WILLMON, both Main Office, upon the death of their father.

FERRIS SPURROCK, Trailer Division Repair department, upon the death in his family.

C. L. WALKER, Foundry department, second shift, whose aunt died.

SAM SWINDLE, Welding and Structural Shop, first shift, upon the death of his father.

GRANVILLE WRIGHT, Trailer Division Van department, upon the death in his family.

E. L. PARKER, Maintenance department, first shift, upon the death of his grandson.

G. E. CARTWRIGHT, Foundry department, second shift, whose grandmother died.

The family of M. L. Wilkinson, retired Secretary of the Company, who died in March. His son, Carl is a Trailer Division sales representative in the Dallas branch office and his son-in-law, Carl Liese, is employed in the offices of the Trailer Division in Lufkin.

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SHIRLEY ANN COUTEE



ANDREA KATHLEEN MALONE



DEBRA KAY BERRY

# Employees' Daughters Presented at Annual Spring Cotillion...

DAUGHTERS of five Lufkin Industries employees made their debut April 3 at the annual Spring Cotillion sponsored by the Delphian Club of Lufkin.

Each year the club sponsors senior high girls in a debut. More than $900 is given in scholarships.

They were presented in a revue at the Angelina College Fine Arts building March 27. The Cotillion was held in the college ballroom.

Among the debutantes were Andrea Kathleen Malone, Shirley Ann Coutee, Debra Kay Berry, Carolyn Kegler and Shirley Harrison.

Their fathers are CECIL MALONE, Yard Crew, first shift; JOHNSON COUTEE, Trailer Division; F. J. BERRY, Foundry department, second shift; JAMES KEGLER, Foundry department, first shift; ARTHUR LEE HARRISON, Foundry department, first shift.

In addition to their presentation, Miss Coutee was named Miss Deb, and first and second runners-up were Miss Berry and Miss Harrison.

All five debutantes are students at Lufkin High School and are active in school, church and community organizations.

Miss Malone, who plans to attend Trinity University or The University of Texas and major in music and phychology, studied music during the summer at Schroon Lake, New York, and participated in the musical, "Carousel."

She is a church organist and a member of A Cappella Choir, Senior Council, TARS, French-German Club and Dramatics Club.

Miss Coutee's school activities include A Cappella Choir, Future Teachers of America, Future Homemakers of America, Dramatics Club, Red Cross, pep squad, drill team and Food Council.

She is a member of the Community Red Cross, church choir, Teenage Jury and Moonbeam Bowling League.

She played in the Dramatics Club's production of "The Cradle Song."

She plans to enter the field of nursing.

Miss Berry plans to attend the University of Houston and also major in nursing.

She is a cheerleader, a vice president of the Student Council and a member of the National Honor Society.

At the Prairie View A&M summer cheerleading clinic she received a first place award plus the Spark Plug award and a second place in prose reading.

She is a secretary at her church and a member of the church choir.

Miss Kegler is a recipient of the Youth Appreciation Week certificate sponsored by the Optimist Club of Lufkin.

At LHS her memberships include Future Homemakers of America, pep squad, Christians in Action, Future Teachers of America, choir and Red Cross. She is secretary of the Food Council.

A member of her church's junior

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CAROLYN KEGLER

choir, she also serves as secretary of the Junior Usher Board.

She plans to attend Stephen F. Austin State University and major in home economics.

Miss Harrison, a pianist for the church youth choir, recently won first place medals in solo ensemble contests at both Angelina College and SFA.

She is a member of the LHS Dramatics Club, French-German Club, A Cappella Choir and Senior Council.

She plans a medical career after attending Baylor University.

Our best wishes go to these girls as they pursue their studies.



SHIRLEY HARRISON

# MARKING AN ANNIVERSARY

## MACHINE SHOP

| | Employment Date | Years with Co. |
|---|---|---|
| T. J. Selman | May 29, 1929 | 42 |
| A. J. Havard | May 6, 1952 | 19 |
| Dan Tullos | May 25, 1954 | 17 |
| Eddie McFarland | May 18, 1955 | 16 |
| Charles Vann | May 21, 1962 | 9 |
| Cleo Hale | May 20, 1963 | 8 |
| D. D. Snell | May 26, 1965 | 6 |
| C. L. Minshew | May 9, 1966 | 5 |
| L. T. Lunsford | May 25, 1967 | 4 |
| Phillip L. Smith | May 7, 1968 | 3 |
| D. F. Davis | May 6, 1969 | 2 |
| B. E. Noel | May 19, 1969 | 2 |
| R. N. Shelton | May 6, 1970 | 1 |
| J. R. Johnson | May 7, 1970 | 1 |
| Jay Massingill | May 11, 1970 | 1 |
| M. L. Powers | May 14, 1970 | 1 |
| H. L. Dupont | May 9, 1970 | 1 |
| T. J. Davis | May 25, 1970 | 1 |

## TRAILER DIVISION

| | Employment Date | Years with Co. |
|---|---|---|
| John Copeland | May 26, 1942 | 29 |
| Oscar Milligan | May 1, 1950 | 21 |
| L. C. Butler | May 19, 1951 | 20 |
| M. E. Martin | May 29, 1951 | 20 |
| Dewey K. Davis | May 12, 1952 | 19 |
| E. G. Rice | May 4, 1955 | 16 |
| L. B. Teer | May 23, 1955 | 16 |
| James Riggs | May 28, 1959 | 12 |
| T. E. Bass | May 1, 1962 | 9 |
| F. D. Basey | May 14, 1964 | 7 |
| Luke Rouse | May 25, 1964 | 7 |
| Maurice Wilson | May 24, 1965 | 6 |
| Betty Coleman | May 1, 1967 | 4 |
| T. E. Coutee | May 1, 1967 | 4 |
| M. L. Parish | May 3, 1967 | 4 |
| H. L. Lawson Jr. | May 29, 1967 | 4 |
| Obie Parrott | May 13, 1968 | 3 |
| W. S. Burgess | May 12, 1969 | 2 |
| R. J. Stribling | May 13, 1969 | 2 |
| C. W. White | May 27, 1969 | 2 |
| J. W. Evans | May 28, 1969 | 2 |
| E. R. Humphries | May 5, 1970 | 1 |
| B. J. Hunt | May 12, 1970 | 1 |
| J. W. Bills | May 18, 1970 | 1 |

## FOUNDRY DEPARTMENT

| | Employment Date | Years with Co. |
|---|---|---|
| Glenn Bridges | May 1, 1944 | 27 |
| Verdell Johnson | May 29, 1944 | 27 |
| Willie Spencer | May 7, 1946 | 25 |
| Jessie Garcia | May 8, 1946 | 25 |
| R. N. Smith | May 17, 1946 | 25 |
| Frank Minton | May 16, 1947 | 24 |
| Will Crain | May 30, 1947 | 24 |
| Chester Denman | May 4, 1951 | 20 |
| Elrige Cole | May 28, 1951 | 20 |
| Prentice Flanagan | May 19, 1955 | 16 |
| B. E. Summers | May 20, 1965 | 6 |
| T. E. Russell | May 13, 1967 | 4 |
| G. R. Hunziker | May 13, 1970 | 1 |
| L. J. Mitchell Jr. | May 18, 1970 | 1 |
| R. C. McDaniel | May 18, 1970 | 1 |
| Robert Lucas | May 20, 1970 | 1 |

## WELDING and STRUCTURAL

| | Employment Date | Years with Co. |
|---|---|---|
| Thedis Allen | May 23, 1941 | 30 |
| M. N. Toney | May 5, 1942 | 29 |
| H. H. Smith | May 22, 1947 | 24 |
| E. O. Taylor | May 26, 1951 | 20 |
| J. L. Hamilton | May 26, 1951 | 20 |
| W. B. Watson | May 19, 1954 | 17 |
| H. J. Heflin | May 30, 1955 | 16 |
| Bradley King | May 30, 1955 | 16 |
| K. K. Sylestine | May 5, 1969 | 2 |

## PATTERN SHOP

| | Employment Date | Years with Co. |
|---|---|---|
| B. R. Harris | May 29, 1956 | 15 |
| R. D. McClendon | May 1, 1963 | 8 |
| J. W. Carroll | May 3, 1966 | 5 |
| V. A. Nixon | May 23, 1966 | 5 |
| B. K. Bentley | May 8, 1970 | 1 |

## ASSEMBLY and SHIPPING

| | Employment Date | Years with Co. |
|---|---|---|
| E. F. Marquardt Jr | May 15, 1969 | 2 |

## CONSTRUCTION and MAINTENANCE

| | Employment Date | Years with Co. |
|---|---|---|
| Cliff Deal | May 22, 1950 | 21 |
| Oscar Bridges | May 28, 1962 | 9 |
| A. L. Hambrick | May 15, 1968 | 3 |

## PHOTOGRAPHIC DEPARTMENT

| | Employment Date | Years with Co. |
|---|---|---|
| Ben Hooker | May 28, 1953 | 18 |

## MILL SUPPLIES

| | Employment Date | Years with Co. |
|---|---|---|
| Novella Jarvis | May 28, 1947 | 24 |
| R. M. Jones | May 16, 1966 | 5 |
| C. R. Roberts | May 10, 1967 | 4 |
| I. D. Hayes | May 23, 1968 | 3 |

## MATERIAL CONTROL

| | Employment Date | Years with Co. |
|---|---|---|
| Preston Loveless | May 6, 1954 | 17 |
| Rodney Brazil | May 9, 1961 | 10 |
| G. D. Stewart Sr. | May 12, 1966 | 5 |
| Mike Cloyd | May 8, 1967 | 4 |
| J. R. Duggan | May 21, 1969 | 2 |

## INDUSTRIAL ENGINEERING

| | Employment Date | Years with Co. |
|---|---|---|
| W. J. Davis Jr. | May 4, 1970 | 1 |

## TRAFFIC DEPARTMENT

| | Employment Date | Years with Co. |
|---|---|---|
| L. M. Davis | May 21, 1959 | 12 |

## ELECTRICAL

| | Employment Date | Years with Co. |
|---|---|---|
| Howard Bennett | May 28, 1968 | 3 |

## PERSONNEL

| | Employment Date | Years with Co. |
|---|---|---|
| Judy Hales | May 27, 1966 | 5 |

## ENGINEERING

| | Employment Date | Years with Co. |
|---|---|---|
| H. P. Collins | May 1, 1944 | 27 |
| E. T. Braden | May 15, 1946 | 25 |
| Fred Griffin | May 13, 1947 | 24 |
| Leslie Brooks | May 26, 1965 | 6 |
| Richard Faviell | May 26, 1967 | 4 |

## MAIN OFFICE

| | Employment Date | Years with Co. |
|---|---|---|
| W. A. Kirkland | May 2, 1944 | 27 |
| Bob Thompson | May 15, 1946 | 25 |
| Scott McGough | May 25, 1964 | 7 |

## MACHINERY SALES & SERVICE

| | Employment Date | Years with Co. |
|---|---|---|
| B. C. Burnette | May 31, 1943 | 28 |
| Ben M. Queen | May 16, 1958 | 13 |
| Luther Tackett | May 8, 1961 | 10 |
| W. L. Chappell | May 31, 1963 | 8 |
| V. J. Halwa | May 23, 1967 | 4 |
| Geneva Stevens | May 1, 1968 | 3 |
| Ed Tullos | May 26, 1969 | 2 |
| R. L. Aguilar | May 7, 1970 | 1 |

## TRAILER SALES & SERVICE

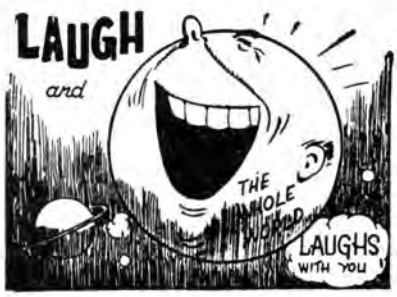
| | Employment Date | Years with Co. |
|---|---|---|
| R. P. Weaver | May 15, 1951 | 20 |
| Bartola Morena | May 11, 1954 | 17 |
| Johnny Chavarria | May 22, 1956 | 15 |
| W. O. Jordan | May 31, 1962 | 9 |
| J hn Brooke | May 26, 1965 | 6 |
| Clarence Green | May 1, 1968 | 3 |
| J. E. Hamblin | May 26, 1969 | 2 |
| T. W. Pannell | May 6, 1970 | 1 |
| J. V. Sullivent | May 7, 1970 | 1 |
| A. W. Comfort | May 12, 1970 | 1 |
| P. H. Enis | May 14, 1970 | 1 |
| R. G. Douglas | May 18, 1970 | 1 |

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The husband and wife were sitting in their boat, their lines in the water, when he suggested a bet as to who would catch the first fish. She accepted and it wasn't long until she got a bite. In attempting to pull in what appeared to be a big one, she got so excited that she fell out of the boat.

"Oh, well," said the husband, "if you're going to dive for them, the bet's off."

A cowboy with nothing much to do ambled into the local blacksmith's shop and picked up a horseshoe without realizing that it had just come from the forge. Instantly, he dropped the hot shoe, shoved his seared hand into a pocket and tried to appear nonchalant.

"Kinda hot, wasn't it?" asked the blacksmith.

"Nope," replied the cowpoke. "Just don't take me long to look at a horseshoe."

A worker who was one dollar short in his pay envelope complained to the cashier. She looked at the records and said, "Last week we overpaid you a dollar. You didn't complain about the mistake then, did you?"

"An occasional mistake I can overlook," replied the worker, "but not two in a row."

One secretary to another at the Internal Revenue office: "Here's another good one, Mabel. Bachelor, no dependents, thirty-five thousand dollars a year."

After six months of using a new buorbon-flavored toothpaste, a test group reported they had 40 percent more cavities and couldn't care less.

Train traveler: "Porter, where is my berth?"

Porter: "Can't you remember? Are you sure it wasn't in one of the other sleepers?"

Train traveler: "All I can remember is that when I left for a drink my window overlooked a lake."

The minister returned home dejected and told his wife he had just given a sermon instructing the rich to aid the poor.

"And," asked the wife, "did you convince them?"

"I was half successful," the minister said. "I convinced the poor."

Two mice were launched in a Cape Kennedy missile.

First mouse: "I'm scared. It's dangerous, you know, this space travel."

Second mouse: "Yeah, but it sure beats cancer research."

After being reprimanded for spelling mistakes, the secretary exploded, "Well, all I can say is . . . I wish you could trade places and see if you could do any better."

"I probably could do better," said the boss, "but I could never trade places . . . I couldn't drink that much coffee."

A new teacher took over her class. "What's your name?" she asked one little boy.

"Jule," he said.

"Not Jule. Nicknames are not allowed. Your name is Julius." She turned to the next little boy. "What's your name?"

"Billious," came the reply.

"Do you have any bad habits?" inquired the dairy farmer of a new worker. "Do you smoke, drink, stay out late or eat margarine?"

A young, enthusiastic son said, "Dad, I have my first part as an actor. I play the part of a man who's been married 25 years."

"That's a good start, son. Just keep at it, and one of these days you'll get a speaking part."

Jim's wife was sitting in the back seat of their car, haranguing her husband, as usual, who sat behind the wheel.

"And furthermore, Jim," she finished, "when we are driving, it is not necessary to preface every remark you make with 'Pilot to Navigator.'"

The itinerant odd-job man knocked on the kitchen door for his lunch.

"And did you notice the big pile of wood over there?" asked the lady.

"Yeah, I seen it."

"Mind your grammar," snapped the lady. "You should say you saw it."

"Lady," returned the odd-job man, "you saw me see it, but you ain't seen me saw it."

Doctor to portly patient: "Follow this diet, and in two months I want to see three-fourths of you back here for a checkup."

"Willy, darling, what's the matter?"

"The hammer fell on Daddy's foot," sobbed Willy.

"Why, honey, that's nothing to cry about."

"I didn't cry," whimpered Willy. "I laughed."

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