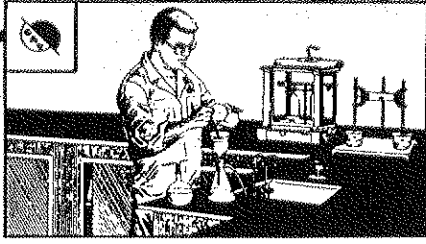


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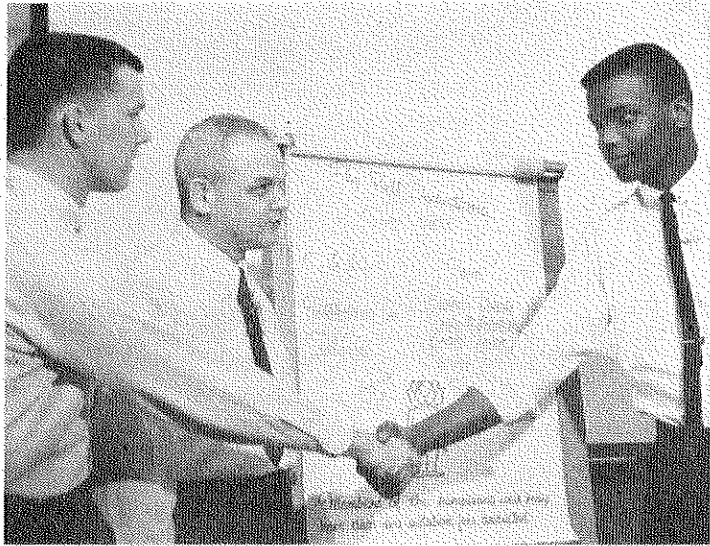
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**WELCOME ABOARD.** Roger Mitchell (right) is welcomed by Jim Van Dyke (left) during an orientation session by Lee Cormany (center) of GAT's Training Department. Roger is the latest member of GAT's Co-op Educational Program.

### Fifteen Students Now Enrolled In GAT's Cooperative Educational Program

Roger E. Mitchell is the most recent entry into GAT's cooperative educational program. He began his orientation period on April 6 and is now assigned to the instrumentation development department.

Mitchell originally reported to GAT March 28, but was called home because of an accident. Shortly after 7:30 a. m., on March 28, Fred Pickens, who coordinates the Co-op program, was notified that Roger's mother had suffered a serious injury. Mrs. Mitchell had accompanied Roger to Chillicothe. On the return trip the car in which she was a passenger was involved in an accident. Arrangements were made for Roger to take an immediate flight back to Louisville. Roger reports that his mother, although seriously injured, is convalescing satisfactorily.

One of the first co-op students to meet Roger during the training department orientation course was Jim Van Dyke of Piketon. Jim left for the University of Cincinnati last Thursday to resume the academic portion of his curriculum.

Roger is completing the third year of a 5-year program in the college of engineering. He graduated from Louisville Central High School in 1957. He is a student at the University of Louisville where he is a member of the Air Force ROTC.

Jim graduated from Piketon High School in 1956. He joined Goodyear Atomic Corporation in November, 1956, as a chemical operator in training. He resigned in September, 1958, to enter the University of Cincinnati. Jim credits B. W. Penland, super-

visor, chemical operations, for supplying the encouragement which helped him to decide upon entering the University of Cincinnati and the Co-op education program.

The GAT cooperative program was instituted in January, 1957, with the University of Cincinnati. Two students were assigned to Goodyear the first year. In January, 1959, the University of Louisville was added with four students.

University of Cincinnati students on plantsite are: R. L. Casteel, Portsmouth East High School; D. L. Hall, Chillicothe High School; D. W. Palmeto, Ashland (Kentucky) High School; T. F. Stark, Chillicothe Catholic Central High School; and J. M. Woods, Chillicothe High School. From the University of Louisville are: C. H. Eubank, Valley Station (Kentucky) High School; and S. J. Popson, Louisville St. Xavier High School. Currently in school are G. D. Copen (Cincinnati), Clay High School; C. L. Pairan (Cincinnati), Portsmouth High School; D. E. Hershey (Cincinnati), Clay High School; W. D. Bales, Jr. (Louisville), Louisville Atherton High School; and D. W. Brown (Louisville), Louisville Atherton High School. Copen's father, Floyd, is in the cascade maintenance department.

The University of Cincinnati student is on plantsite for eight weeks working on various assignments, and then reports back to the campus for eight weeks. In the summer he spends 10 weeks on plantsite and 10

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### EMPLOYEES ACTIVE IN AREA OPERETTA GUILD

The Atomic Area Operetta Guild presented the first performance of Victor Herbert's "Naughty Marietta" in Waverly, April 9. This is the third operetta to be produced by this group. Future performances are scheduled for the Circleville High School, April 23, 8:30 p. m.; Jackson High School, May 1, 8 p. m.; Portsmouth High School, May 7, 8:30 p. m.; and Chillicothe High

School, May 14, 8:00 p. m.

Seventy-four people are involved in the colorful production. Thirty-four members are Goodyear Atomic employees or are from Goodyear families. The music is directed by Peggy M. Boggs, wife of J. M. Boggs, fluorine generation department. Vince DeVito, SS engineering, and Mary Walder, wife of A. Walder, utilities maintenance department, direct the book. John Cannon, metallurgy, is the production manager.

The settings were designed by Ed Hartnett, training department, and Wade McCluggage, operations analysis department. Ed Hartnett also designed the program cover and poster. Other members of this committee are: Jim Biscanto, Steve Blue, and Charles McCluggage, who also sing with the chorus.

Goodyear representatives in lead roles are Shirley Gossage, Frank and Carolyn Musil, G. R. Stone, John Cannon, and Virgil Emler. Emler is Vice-President of the Guild.

GAT people in the orchestra are: S. D. Schneider, S. J. Zangri, President of the Guild, Virginia Isaman, Guild Secretary, and Mary Isaman. Linda Russell, OVEC, is the pianist.

Other Goodyear people in the cast are: Robert Nugent, Fred and Florence Keppler, Janet Nesler, Alice Pitts, Mary Bruno, William Juhn, G. H. Reynolds, Merlyn and Sabina Hanson, and John Nelson. Betty Nelson is the book-holder. Virginia Kelley had to withdraw from the cast due to illness.

Alice Pitts is the librarian and a member of the costume committee, along with Sabina Hanson and Mary Bruno. This group was responsible for making approximately 100 costumes. Merlyn Hanson is the publicity director. Helen Cannon designed some of the posters and was active in other phases of the production.

Appearing as dancers are Mary Ellen Cormany, Janet Dirmeyer, Elinor Geneva, Cheryl Mentges, Evelyn

Moxley, Marilyn Scribner, and Carla Hanshaw, all daughters of GAT employees.

The role of Marietta is played by Mary Ann Reinhardt of Portsmouth. Robert Wynn Frey of Piketon appears as Captain Dick.

Tickets for any of the performances may be obtained by contacting Merlyn Hanson, electronics department, X-710 building.

### Spelling Bee This Saturday

Goodyear Atomic Corporation will be represented in more ways than one at the Twenty-First Annual Scioto County Spelling Bee, April 23, in Portsmouth High School Auditorium.

Sharon Kay Coryell, daughter of Max Coryell, plant shift superintendent department, is the champion speller at McKinley Jr. High School in Portsmouth. Nancy Sue Bradford, daughter of Fred Bradford, process area 6, is the top speller at Minford Elementary School. Both students will represent their respective schools in the Scioto County Spelling Bee, sponsored by the Civic Forum, this Saturday. They will compete with other spellers from 34 other city, county and parochial school champions.

Fourteen of the top spellers will advance to the Portsmouth Times 12th Annual District Spelling Bee, April 30, competing with other finalists from Adams, Jackson, Lewis, and Pike Counties for the District Championship.

The Civic Forum Bee Committee includes two GAT employees: W. E. Ellsesser, engineering & maintenance services, is the general chairman, and Ed Hartnett, training department, is the corresponding secretary.

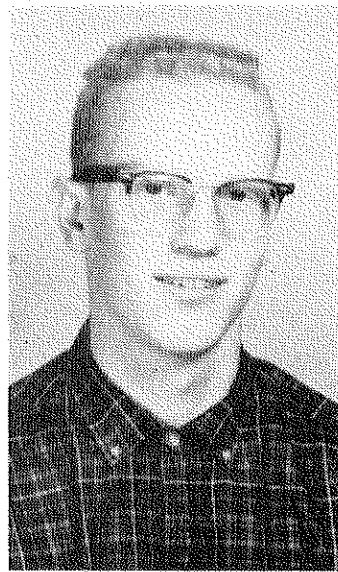
Lloyd Fuller, personnel services subdivision, will again serve as pronouncer for the Bee.

### Partridge Science Fair Winner

Michael J. Partridge, Portsmouth East High School, won first place in senior physics, mathematics, and engineering at the Marshall College Regional Science Fair, earlier this month.

The two-day affair featured 785 entries from 39 junior and senior high schools in the tri-state area.

A junior at Portsmouth East, Mike won a Navy cruise. His exhibit con-



Michael J. Partridge

cerned measuring the density of a liquid using a magnetically controlled float. The Navy award will permit him to take a five-day cruise late this summer aboard a Navy ship of his choice. He will be flown to either Norfolk or Boston in a Navy plane.

In addition to the Navy cruise he won a gold medal, a first place blue ribbon, two certificates of recognition and a cash gift.

Mike is a stepson of Quinton Conklin, cascade maintenance department.

One of the most active students at Portsmouth East, his extra-curricular

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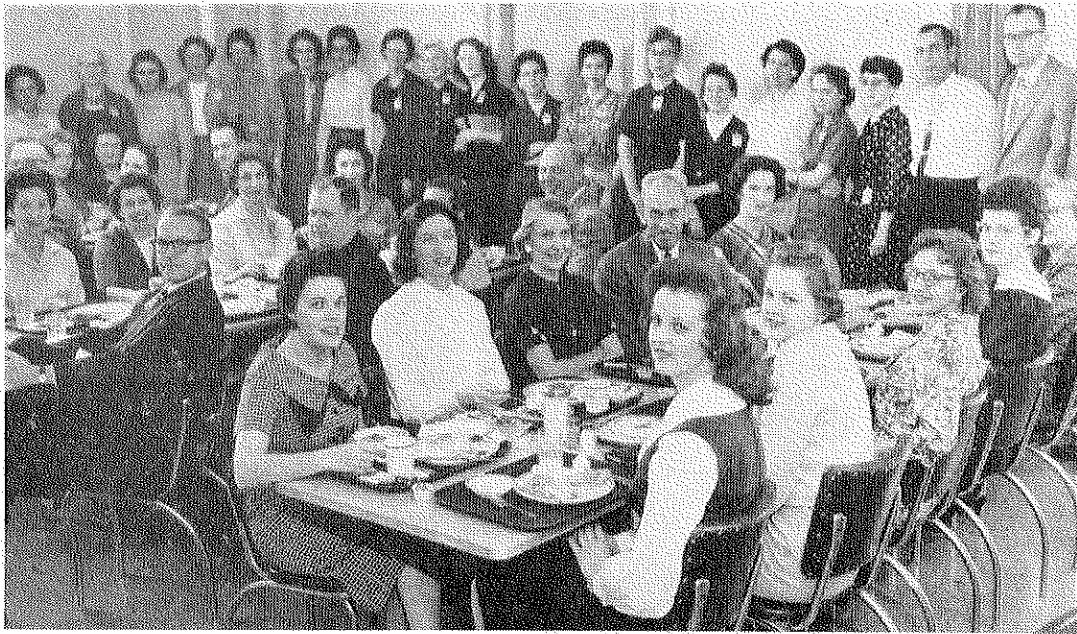
### High School Graduates Take Note

Annually the "Clan" features an article on sons and daughters of Goodyear Atomic employees who graduate from high school.

Employees are asked to submit a black and white picture of the student, with his or her name, high school, parent or parents working at GAT, and the department where the parent works. Please do not send colored photographs.

The deadline for submitting the material for this annual feature is May 28. All photographs will be returned after publication in the "Clan." The proper return address for the picture should be submitted with the information listed above.

Photographs and information should be sent to the Wingfoot Clan Office, X-100 Building.



**APPRECIATION LUNCHEON.** Graduates of the recent Secretarial Training Course are pictured with the Instructors and Administrators of the Course. The Luncheon, sponsored by the students, honored the Instructors for their excellent job in teaching.

## Secretarial Training Course Completed; Students Sponsor Appreciation Luncheon

Recently, many GAT female employees completed a Secretarial Training Course. From this group four secretaries plan to take the Certified Professional Secretarial examination (CPS) which will be given May 6 and 7 at Ohio State University, Columbus.

The "Students" sponsored an "Appreciation Luncheon" on April 7, in the GAT Cafeteria. Guests at the luncheon were the instructors and the persons responsible for administering the training course.

Guests at the luncheon were Delores Landreman, Marian Shawkey, R. C. Fleming, A. L. Sutton, A. H. Clary, P. E. Rodecap, and H. E. Meacham, instructors. Other guests were: D. H. Francis, D. W. Doner, L. E. Fuller, and H. McClelland.

Students completing the Secretarial course were: Mary Burks, community relations department; Shirley Burns, purchasing department; Lois Elswick, development laboratory subdivision; Meredith Evans, purchasing & materials division; Eleanor Harris, works laboratory subdivision; Irene Ingall, finance division; Donna Jenkins, laboratory services subdivision; Phyllis Lallow, mass spectrometry department; Charlotte Leeth, purchasing department; Mary Mills, process engineering department; Anita Pilug, security subdivision; Wanda Shugert, uranium control subdivision; Judy Ray, personnel services subdivision; Lorena Ash, timekeeping & payroll department; Virginia McDonald, purchasing & materials division; Delores Hoover, SS engineering department; Ethel Noel, engineering & maintenance service department; Donna Penn, plant engineering; Mary Lou Scott, engineering & maintenance service department; Betty Farris, office services department; Angie McClelland, chemical operations division; Mary Frances Suter, training department; Mildred Thacker, accounting & budget department; Faye Thompson, standard practice department; Juanita Warner, safety & fire pro-

tection subdivision; Charlotte Webb, industrial relations division; Mabel Blair, instrumentation development department; Clara Payne, accounts payable & cashier department; Aliliva Reffitt, accounts payable & cashier department; Evelyn Hammond, power & utilities subdivision; Bethel Lilly, purchasing subdivision; Lois Foster, materials sampling & testing department; Ruth Tipton, accounts payable & cashier department; Muriel Rector, wage and salary standards department; and Janet Forsyth, general manager's office.

Employees from this group who plan to take the CPS examination are: Lois Elswick, Meredith Evans, Mary Mills, and Mildred Thacker. In addition, Barbara MacDonell, safety department, also plans to take the examination.

### SCIENCE FAIR

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activities have been many and varied. Included in his activities are the student council; Spanish and Latin clubs; Vice-President of Science club; Junior delegate to Rotary Club meetings; East High Hi-Y; Hi-Y delegate to Ohio Youth and Government; East High delegate to World Affairs Institute; honor student in his sophomore and junior years; ninth place in Algebra I in Ohio scholarship test in his freshman year; and fourteenth place in Plane Geometry in Ohio scholarship test in his sophomore year.

Among his hobbies are: a chemistry and biology lab in his home; amateur car mechanic; stamp collector; and football, basketball, tennis and bowling.

Mike intends to further his education in the scientific field when he graduates from high school in 1961. His accomplishments to date, as a 16-year old, indicate that continued effort of the same caliber will result in a successful scientific career.



*Five Year Pins*

Employees receiving five-year pins between April 15, and May 1, are as follows:

- R. M. Haws
- J. E. Hurt

## Southeastern Ohio Regional Council

The Southeastern Ohio Regional Council has developed and published a pamphlet, "Fun For Everyone In Southeastern Ohio," depicting recreational areas around southeastern Ohio.

The Southeastern Ohio Regional Council is an organization composed of community minded persons from the eight member counties. The organization is devoted to the promotion of the economic growth of Athens, Gallia, Hocking, Jackson, Lawrence, Meigs, Pike and Vinton counties. The geographic location and character of the terrain in the area are responsible for the Council's sponsorship of the phrase, "Ohillco Region". The word "Ohillco" is a contraction of "Ohio Hill Counties."

The major purposes of the organization are to promote industrial development, transportation, recreational facilities, and the conservation of natural resources.

A Goodyear employee who has been very active in the Council is Lou Hochberg, plant shift superintendent department. Mr. Hochberg is a past president of the organization and currently one of the Trustees. The Council is now in the process of compiling material for a second brochure which will show the historical sites within the eight county area.

Goodyear employees desiring a pamphlet may obtain one by contacting Mr. Hochberg.

### CO-OP PROGRAM

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weeks on the campus.

The arrangement with Louisville is 13 weeks on plantsite and 13 weeks on the campus.

Goodyear has shown much interest in the cooperative education philosophy. The co-op program at GAT is a continuing technical educational program.

What does the most recent member of the Co-op program think of Goodyear Atomic Corporation and its employees? Upon completion of his orientation period last week Roger said, "When I arrived on plantsite, I was confused to say the least. From the very beginning the employees went out of their way to make me welcome. The cooperation and team spirit of the employees has made a very favorable impression upon me."

Unimportance is the sensation that comes when you make a mistake and nobody notices it.

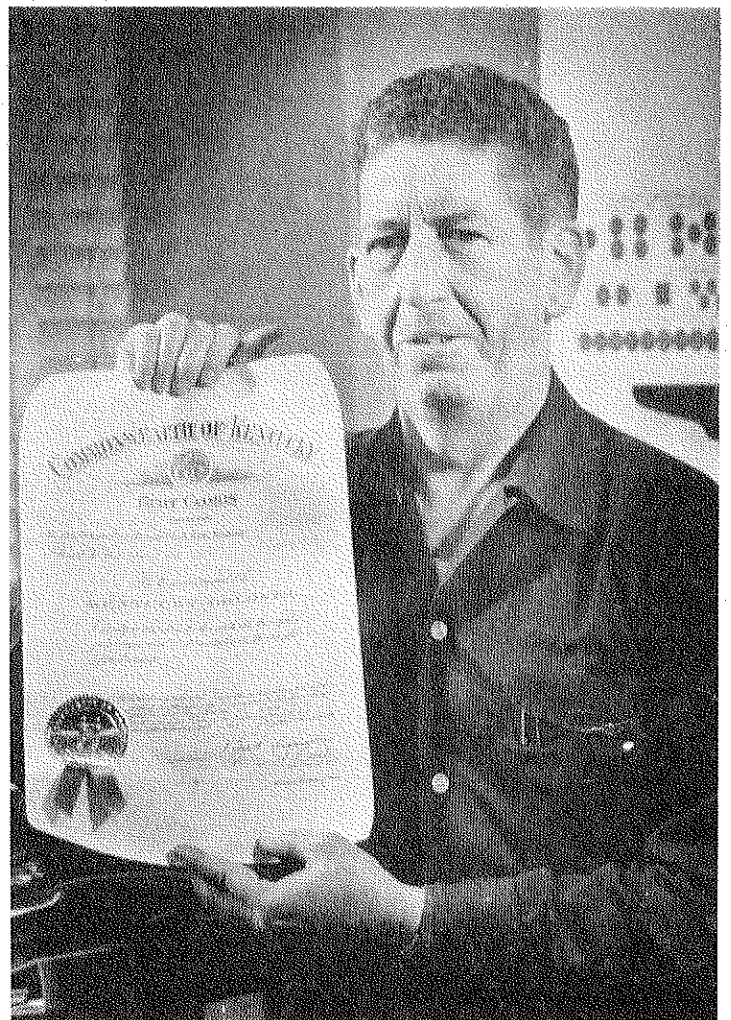
## GAT Women's Club Of Portsmouth

The benefit movie for the Happy Hearts School, sponsored by the GAT Women's Club of Portsmouth was a very successful program.

The children, excited by the appearance of "Steamboat Bill" from WSAZ-TV, created a furor in the area of the LaRoy Theater. Traffic was jammed, and children lined the streets for blocks waiting to see "Steamboat Bill". The LaRoy theater was completely sold out for the benefit.

The children who attend Happy Hearts School were guests of the GAT Women's Club. Proceeds from the benefit, amounting to \$442, have been set aside for the Happy Hearts School.

"Steamboat Bill" will make another appearance in the near future.



**COLONEL BERRYMAN "SUH"!** B. C. Berryman, fire department, proudly displays his certificate designating him a "Kentucky Colonel." The honor was bestowed him by Kentucky's Governor Combs for his efforts as a good community citizen while a resident of Lexington. Berryman was instrumental in organizing the Central Kentucky Fire Fighters Association.

## Berryman Honored By Native State

Goodyear Atomic Corporation now has a Kentucky Colonel. He is Lt. B. C. Berryman of the Fire Department. He was appointed recently to the "Colonel" staff of Kentucky by Governor Bert Combs.

A native Kentuckian, Colonel Berryman attended the University of Kentucky. He is a veteran of World War II with two years service in the European Theater of Operations.

In 1952, he was instrumental in organizing the Central Kentucky Firemen's Association.

During the construction period of the Portsmouth Area gaseous diffusion plant he was an officer with the Peter Kiewit Fire Department. He joined Goodyear Atomic in 1954.

He and his wife, Ruth, are now residents of Portsmouth.

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## DON'T GRIPE — WRITE

Your spokesmen in Washington are the two Senators from this State and the Representatives from the 6th Congressional District. In Columbus your spokesmen are your State senator and assemblyman.

This is true whether they represent the political party to which you belong or an opposing party. Once they have been elected to public office they represent all the people.

But they cannot be expected to do a good job for you unless they understand your views and you, in turn, understand their problems. They need and want the opinions of all their constituents.

It must be remembered that a public official's first obligation is to his constituents. Their views are always given first place in his thoughts. Accurate and useful information sent by voters in his district is always appreciated. When he hears from "back home" it shows him the people know he is alive and are interested in what he is doing.

Until we realize our representatives welcome our views and we take the trouble to make them known, our relations in Washington and Columbus will not be what they could be — or ought to be.

Remember, too, you don't have to wait until you have a complaint to register. Our elected officials are human, too, and a pat on the back is appreciated by them as it is by you. The important thing is: Don't gripe — write.

From the Congressional Record — April 4 with changes to designate Ohio representation.

## Vehicle Safety-Check Program Set For May

Goodyear Atomic Corporation will again cooperate with the Department of Highway Safety in area wide community Vehicle Safety-Check programs.

The primary objective of the community Safety-Check program is to Safety-Check as many vehicles as possible on a free and voluntary basis.

The Safety-Check program is nationally sponsored by the Auto Industries Highway Safety Committee and LOOK Magazine in cooperation with the Association of State and Provincial Safety Coordinators.

Vehicle Safety-Check is a community approach to traffic safety. With this in mind the community relations department scheduled a meeting of several employees representative of the various communities surrounding plantsite. Included were: Waverly—G. H. Nichols, garage department; Piketon—A. L. Williamson, industrial relations division; Beaver—J. O. Brooks, safety department; Wellston—P. J. Harris, plant engineering; Jackson—E. W. Woosley, engineering costs & property records, R. J. Reed, accounts payable & cashier, and R. H. Gillespie, SS material handling; Hamden—R. L. Kibbey, plant engineering; and South Webster—F. D. Hyland, community relations department.

Representing Goodyear Atomic Corporation were: Dr. Paul F. Bliss, community relations coordinator; and C. L. Stewart, superintendent, safety & fire protection subdivision. Representing the division of highway safety for the State of Ohio was Mr. Howard R. Griffin, Coordinator of highway safety.



The physical checking of vehicles is carried out at Safety-Check lanes established on public streets or areas of your community by mechanics loaned from automobile and tire dealers, independent garages, and service stations. Five or six-man "check-teams," working as a unit at each lane, make a ten-point Safety Check of each vehicle going through the lane, distribute safety literature and apply a sticker to the windshield when all ten safety points are found satisfactory.

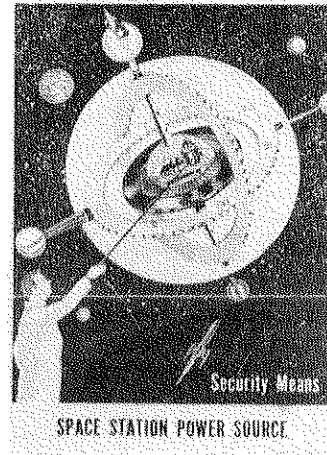
## Education Works For National Security

Education in Russia has a lot to do with your security. In our generation, Russia has devoted a far larger portion of its gross national income to education than we have. And in Russian schools, the emphasis has been on technology.

This concentrated effort—though at the cost of individual liberties that Americans would not surrender — has enabled the Russians to surge ahead in at least one field. It has made it possible for them to launch mighty missiles and to photograph the back of the moon.

No thinking American would want his country to emulate the Russians. The freedom that we enjoy is valued more dearly than all the moon rockets launched from the mountain vastness of Asia. Moreover, Americans own technological strength has so far afforded us an adequate defense without a sacrifice of either freedom or living standard. It has been a

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model for all the world, including the Russians.

The security of our country is now threatened by the Russian gains directed at obtaining military superiority. On the other hand, we are determined to maintain our security while continuing to cherish our liberties and without diverting all our country's resources to a military effort.

We have given ourselves these two "handicaps" in our competition with the Russians. They have acknowledged no such limitations in their struggle to outdo us.

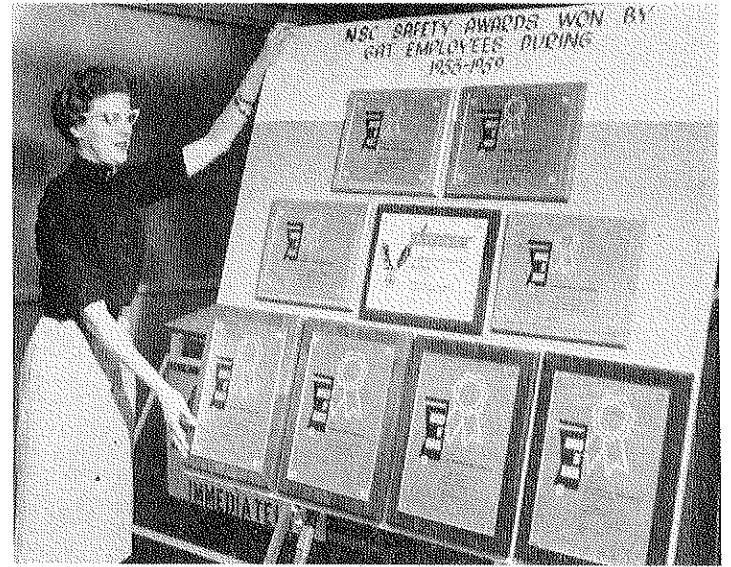
What is called for, then, is for our nation to make the very best application of the great reservoir of technology we have acquired. To see us through we will also require the kind of vigilance that Americans have always displayed in times of crisis.

Vigilance means security — plant security and national security.

## Coin Collectors

GAT employees interested in coin collecting are invited to meet at the "Swap Shop" in Waverly. The group will meet each Wednesday evening at 7 p. m. until further notice.

Further information may be obtained by contacting D. L. Bryant, instrument maintenance department.



**SAFETY AWARDS DISPLAY BOARD.** Georgia Barney, safety department, surveys the safety department's display board showing some of the Goodyear Corporation's safety awards received from the National Safety Council during the years 1953-59. The board will be placed at designated places about the plant for all employees to view.

## GAT Employees On Their Way Toward New Safety Man-Hour Record

Goodyear Atomic Corporation from the beginning has emphasized safety awareness on the part of the employees. As of April 19, the employees of this plant have worked 2,782,640 man-hours without a disabling injury. This is commendable and compliments the employees.

Recently the Safety Department compiled a list of all the safety awards presented to GAT in recognition of the safety records established. These awards are:

### Atomic Energy Commission

- Award of Honor—3,229,178  
1-11-54—12-10-54
- Award of Merit—1,567,805  
1-13-55—4-19-55
- Award of Honor—3,678,843  
6-6-55—2-7-56
- Award of Merit—1,464,149  
2-8-56—5-16-56
- Award of Honor—4,607,800  
3-3-57—1-14-58
- Award of Merit—1,740,000  
2-12-58—6-12-58
- Award of Merit—2,592,184  
2-5-59—9-1-59

### National Safety Council

- Award of Honor presented to all Goodyear plants in U. S. — 1954
- Award of Honor—3,229,178  
1-11-54—12-10-54
- Award of Merit—1,567,805  
1-13-55—4-19-55
- Award of Honor—3,678,843  
6-6-55—2-7-56
- Award of Merit—1,464,149  
2-7-56—5-16-56
- Award of Merit—1,029,323  
10-22-56—1-4-57
- National Safety Council Award of Achievement—Chemical Section  
1-1-57—12-31-57
- Award of Honor—4,607,800  
3-2-57—1-15-58
- Award of Merit—2,592,184  
2-5-59—9-1-59

### Industrial Commission of Ohio

- Award of Merit—Frequency .56 —Severity .003—1954
- Award of Merit—3,229,178  
1-11-54—12-10-54
- Award of Honor—5,696,361  
1-1-55—12-31-55
- Award of Merit—1,567,805  
1-13-55—4-19-55
- Award of Merit—3,678,843  
6-6-55—2-7-56
- Award of Merit—1,464,149  
1-1-56—12-31-56
- Award of Honor—5,109,612  
1-1-56—12-31-56

- Award of Merit—1,029,323  
10-21-56—1-4-57
- Award of Honor—5,324,991  
1-1-57—12-31-57
- Award of Honor—4,607,800  
3-2-57—1-15-58
- Award of Merit—1,740,000  
2-12-58—6-12-58
- Award of Merit—1,079,103  
6-13-58—9-3-58
- Award of Merit—1,158,723  
11-5-58—2-4-59
- Special Award—2,592,184  
2-5-59—9-1-59

### GT&R

Commendation of Safety Achievement—1957

The above awards have been exhibited in the lobby of the X-100 building. In the near future the display board which is pictured on this page will be placed at various points about the plant for all the employees to observe.

## Cafeteria In Need Of Lost Silverware

J. D. Moore, manager, GAT cafeteria, recently reported that in a four-month period many pieces of silverware have been removed from the cafeteria. Mr. Moore's announcement brought an almost immediate response from employees who began to return the silverware which they had borrowed and then forgotten to return.

It is believed that many more employees have borrowed silverware, with all good intentions of returning it, and simply forgotten to take it back.

All employees are asked to check their work area to determine if they have forgotten to return any of the missing silverware that they may have borrowed.

## CREDIT UNION

The Credit Union Office will operate its normal working schedule the week of April 25. Open 7:30 a. m. — 4 p. m. Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Closed Tuesday, April 26.



**BASKETBALL LEAGUE CHAMPIONS IN PORTSMOUTH.** These five "iron men" won the GAT Basketball League of Portsmouth. Seated in the center is Charlie Kinker, safety department, team captain. Reading clockwise are Les Brafford, process area 2; Bob Welch, chemical cleaning department; Bob Mays, computing department; and Carl Armstrong, stores department.

## Four Goodyear Sons Receive Eagle Badge

An Eagle Court of Honor was held for Troop and Post 76 in Waverly, April 11. Six Scouts received the coveted Eagle Badge, four of whom were sons of Goodyear Atomic employees.

The award, Scouting's highest, was presented by Mr. Charles Byers, Scout Executive for the Chief Logan Council.

All Scouting Units, No. 76, are sponsored by the Men's Fellowship of the Presbyterian Church in Waverly. Charles Hobbs, electrical maintenance department, is the Scoutmaster.

Receiving the Eagle Badge were: Sammy Niece, stepson of Fred Thomas, electrical maintenance department; Larry Blaum, son of Malcolm Blaum, receiving and shipping department; Allyn and Roger Davis, sons of George Davis, electrical maintenance department.



**SCOUT COURT OF HONOR.** Pictured above are four Scouts who received the Eagle Badge at an Eagle Court of Honor in Waverly Presbyterian Church April 11. From left to right are: Mrs. Fred Thomas, Sammy Niece, Charles W. Beyers, Scout Executive for the Chief

## Parent Company Plans Summer Tour

GAT employees interested in an European vacation this August will be interested in the following. The Parent Company is sponsoring the trip, which has created sufficient interest so that more than two-thirds of the reservations have already been claimed.

The tour will be from August 5, through August 28, and will include five countries which have hundreds of historical and cultural points of interest.

Scheduled on the tour are England, Holland, Germany, Switzerland, Italy and France. Some of the cities to be visited are London, Amsterdam, Heidelberg, Lucerne, Venice, Rome, Florence and Paris.

One of the thrills of the trip will be the flight to London in a TWA "Jetstream" airliner. The plane will depart from the Akron-Canton Airport.

The price of \$699 includes not only the airplane passage, but hotels, meals, transportation in various countries, sightseeing tours, tips and most taxes.

Employees interested in the trip may get additional information by contacting the Recreation Office, telephone extension 2158. Members of the family are eligible to make the trip if accompanied by the employee.

The GAT Recreation Department must know, as soon as possible, the names of the employees who want to make reservations for the trip.

## Dance Tickets Gone

The recreation department announces that all tickets for the dance scheduled at the Elks Club in Chillicothe on Friday, April 22, have been sold.

No tickets will be sold at the door. Admission will be by ticket only.

### IN MEMORIAM

Frederick C. Croxton, 88, died April 3, 1960, in Washington, D. C. A grandson, Fred E., is in the information and record subdivision.

Dolores Phillips, 33, died April 2, 1960, at Our Lady of Belefonte Hospital, Ashland, Kentucky.

Her husband, Charles E., is in the stores department.

### Family Skating Party

A Family Skating Party has been scheduled at the Skate-A-Way in Chillicothe, Thursday, May 5. Doors will open at 7:30 p. m. GAT families may bring guests.

Tickets are available at the recreation office at 25 cents per person. Tickets purchased at the door will be 35 cents.

Plan now to attend this family skating party.



**BASKETBALL LEAGUE CHAMPIONS IN WAVERLY.** Playing under the banner of "Lab Techs" the employees pictured above won the GAT Basketball League of Waverly. Seated from left, Elmer Litteral, chemical analysis department; Paul Junk, materials sampling & testing department; Dick Sparks, chemical analysis department; and John Boggs, fluorine generation department. Standing from left are Dick Spaeth, materials sampling & testing department; Don Scott, electronics department; Cliff Pelletier, mass spectrometry department; Norm Christopher, mass spectrometry department; and Dick Enler, laboratory services department.

## Softball Season Set To Begin Next Month; Leagues In Waverly And Portsmouth

The recreation department recently conducted a survey by mail of those employees who participated in the softball program last year. Questions included in the survey were: Do you wish to participate in softball this year? Do you prefer fast pitch or slow pitch? Should teams be classified or let individuals make up their own team?

The results were as follows: The majority of softball players wish to organize their own team and play fast pitch.

Employees interested in playing softball are reminded that team rosters must be submitted to the recreation office no later than Wednesday, April 27.

Individuals interested in being placed on a team should contact the recreation department.

League play is scheduled to begin the week of May 9. The league will play in Portsmouth on Wednesday at

Riverside Park. Three nights will be used in Waverly; Monday, Wednesday, and Thursday at the high school field.

## Karen Wilson Wins State Honor

Karen Sue Wilson, daughter of Don Wilson, Instrument maintenance department, continues to add to her honors as a senior in Wheelersburg High School.

Last month she was selected as the County's top student among all the rural high schools. This month she won a first place in piano in state-wide competition at Lancaster, Ohio.

She has been studying piano since the third grade. She won seven consecutive firsts in district competition and climaxed her high school career with the perfect state rating.

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