

# THE WINGFOOT CLAN

GOODYEAR ATOMIC CORPORATION

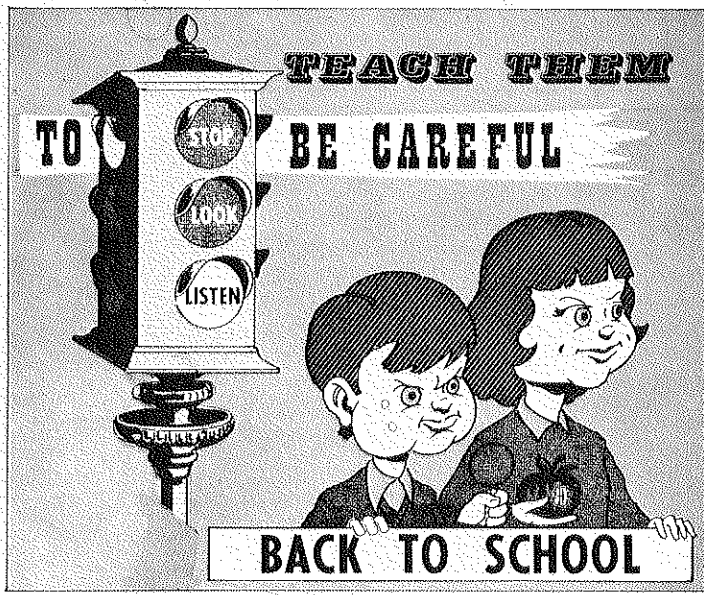
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## "B" Shift Wins Safety Trophy

"B" Shift employees have been awarded the Annual Shift Safety Trophy for 1963. This is a noteworthy accomplishment. The past four years the trophy has been the property of "C" Shift employees.

At a Recognition and Award Luncheon August 16, invited guests included representatives from each department working "B" Shift, shift safety representatives, and shift superintendents.

D. W. Doner, manager of industrial relations, reported to those attending the trophy presentation, that in 1962 "our accident frequency rate was .68, and to date, in 1963, we have a frequency rate of 3.82." Frequency rate is figured by the number of disabling injuries per million manhours worked.

"We must get back on the track," continued Doner. "How do we go about it? Each of us must work harder to assure safety in each job we perform. Encourage a continuing safety consciousness among our co-workers. It can be done! We have established records in the past and brought honor to ourselves and our company — but most important of all, a safe plant has many intangibles which cannot be recorded in the written or spoken word. YOU are an important link in the Goodyear safety chain. Your continued safety is important to the company and most important — to you and your family."

C. L. French, superintendent, safety & fire protection subdivision, stated:

"The Shift Safety Program began on July 1, 1954, to stimulate interest in safety among employees of the four rotating shifts. Our first award was a joint affair, going to "A" & "D" Shifts. Since 1955, 39 disabling injuries have occurred with nearly half (17) being recorded by rotating shift personnel."

In presenting the Shift Safety Trophy to R. O. Neff, "C" Shift Superintendent, G. H. Reynolds, general manager, said in jest: "Perhaps we should call this the 'Sam Neff's trophy'; obviously referring to a change in responsibilities for the shift superintendents last year. Neff was "A" Shift Superintendent and Dirmeyer superintendent of "B" Shift.

In a serious note, Mr. Reynolds offered "sincere congratulations to the employees of "B" Shift for their safety accomplishment. Shift work," stated Reynolds, "is difficult for several reasons; I know because I have worked all shifts and know the problems faced by the shift worker."

Mr. Reynolds concluded by stating that just last week a Safety Survey Committee from Oak Ridge AEC reported that Goodyear Atomic was "superior in its safety program. "You fellows on shift work played an im-

### At Camden Park

## Annual Picnic September 14

In about two weeks, GAT employees and their families will make the annual trek to Camden Amusement Park, just west of Huntington, W. Va., on U.S. 60. The date — Saturday, September 14, from 12 noon until 5 p. m., is reserved for the Eleventh Annual Goodyear Atomic Picnic.

As in past years, all rides will be free to members of Goodyear families. The Park will open at 10:30 a. m. A program of adult games is scheduled from 12:30 to 4:30 p. m.

This year, the Goodyear Women's Clubs from Jackson, Pike and Scioto counties will conduct a drawing for Savings Bonds. Three Bonds will be awarded — a \$25, \$50 and \$100 Bond at 3:30 p. m.

From the time the Picnic begins, contests and games will be held for the adults and prizes will be awarded to the winners. Bingo, miniature golf and a golf chipping contest are among the contests scheduled.

Each employee will receive an identification ticket for himself and for each member of his family. Due to a limited budget, the Picnic committee decided against awarding refreshment tickets and drawing prizes.

The games committee has tentative plans to hold tournaments in checkers, euchre, and cribbage. To assist the committee in planning, anyone desiring to participate should complete the form on page 4 and return to the recreation department, X-100 building.

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portant role in GAT receiving this high rating."

"B" Shift employees deserve the plaudits of all of us for a job "well done."

## Bond Participation Tripled

The first concerted Bond Promotion week at Goodyear Atomic Corporation resulted in nearly a 50% sign-up. As of last Friday the percentage was at 49 plus with some cards, due to vacations, shift work, etc., still out.

"Official Bond Week at GAT was August 5-9," stated Bob Arndt, Bond Promotion General Chairman, "but anytime is a good time to sign up for U. S. Savings Bonds."

Arndt, J. T. Rhea and Ben Murnahan, Jr., Co-Chairmen, were quick to point out the assistance rendered by the volunteer Bond Promotion Committee and solicitors. "We more than tripled the number of employees subscribing to Bonds through payroll savings. The committee's efforts contributed substantially to this increase."

The following employees assisted as solicitors during Bond Promotion Week.

100 Division Committeeman — H. M. Cutright

C. E. Kough	W. L. Smitrle	W. M. Bright
R. L. Fricce	C. E. Abbott	

200 Division Committeeman — H. H. Stoops

H. M. McInerney	W. A. Smith	R. D. Bradshaw
R. C. Fleming	J. C. Jones	V. F. Nichols
	C. R. Scagraves	

300 Division Committeeman — R. E. McNaughton

Clara Payne	E. W. Woosley	A. B. Odle
R. L. Settle	J. E. Richey	

400 Division Committeeman — J. C. Barnes

H. B. Chambers	V. O. Ramsey	C. L. Shaffer
	W. S. Whaley	

500 Division Committeeman — Marty Collier

J. F. Bailey, Jr.	E. L. Eckfield	Joy Wilkins
Marty Redden	J. P. Spriggs	H. L. Galloway
Betty Lou Stroth	F. E. Woltz, Jr.	Nell Tyler
R. P. Nugent	N. B. Potts	Jack Lang
D. L. Spessert	W. T. Brown	H. I. Marshall
S. R. Kegley	G. D. Harris	P. L. Slaughter

700 Division Committeeman — W. E. Ellsesser

O. G. Layne	J. G. Webb
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800 Division Committeeman — A. F. Wilson

F. S. Valentine	P. W. Wooten	W. H. Corns
J. T. Hiteshaw, Jr.	H. A. Zola	G. L. Russell
R. E. Schisler	W. F. Collinsworth	J. R. Thompson
C. R. Ball	G. L. Smoot	A. L. Baughman
G. M. Barr	R. J. Wolfe, Jr.	W. L. Kouns
L. R. Jones	H. O. Waring, Jr.	R. A. Holthaus
M. F. Sexton	L. R. Bickett	W. B. Thompson
J. R. Diamond	E. L. Workman	H. H. Broudy

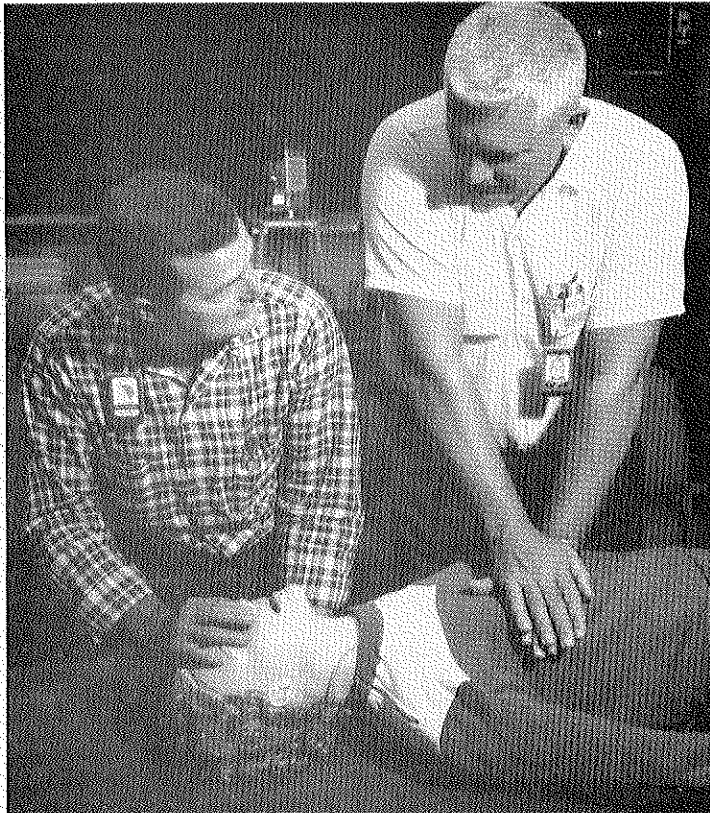
## A Good Question

"How can we improve our safety record?" This was the subject of a recent brainstorming session. The group discussing the question consisted of selected hourly employees.

One of their suggestions is the insert page in this issue of the *Clan* devoted, exclusively, to safety subjects.



THE WINNERS — R. O. Neff, "B" Shift Superintendent, accepts the Shift Safety Rotating Trophy from G. H. Reynolds, General Manager. Participating in the presentation were other members of "B" Shift. From left: C. C. Worthington, G. R. Richter, E. K. Storer, J. E. Brown, R. O. Neff, J. D. Bowman, G. H. Reynolds, R. D. Whitt, J. R. Diamond, D. E. Easter, F. J. Lallow, and T. R. Yates.



**VISITING FIREMAN.** Captain John Kent (left), Valley Township Volunteer Department of Lucasville, is instructed by GAT's Fire Chief Ora F. Tussey in the proper technique of heart-lung resuscitation. Captain Kent was one of area firemen invited to plantsite for this type of First-Aid Training by the Company.

**"Pulse Of Life"**

## Heart-Lung Resuscitation Classes In Progress Weekly

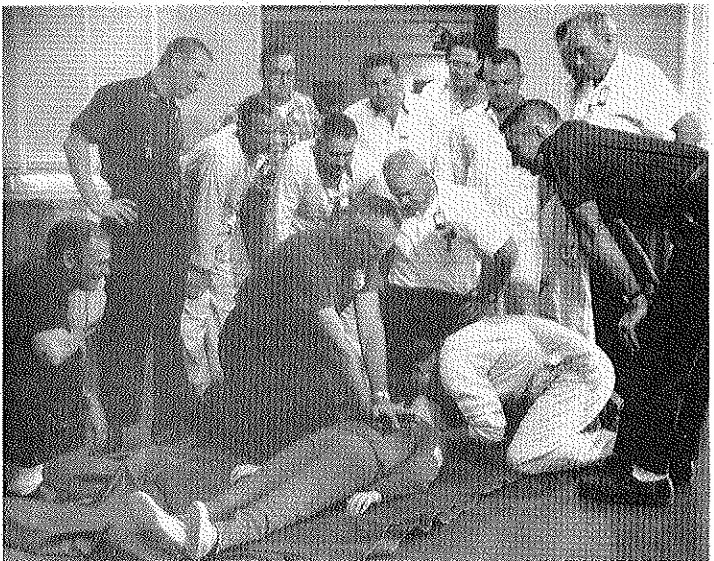
Resuci Anne, the safety department's blonde manikin, is doing her bit to assist GAT employees to become better trained in First Aid.

The manikin and a film entitled "Pulse of Life" has been purchased by the Company for use in heart-lung resuscitation training.

The First Aid classes, now in progress, include members of the hospital staff, police department, fire department, electrical maintenance and instrument maintenance. After these

people have been trained, other departments may request a heart-lung resuscitation demonstration as part of regular safety meetings.

The following employees, all holders of ARC First Aid Instructor cards, are assisting in the training: L. E. Cormany, training department; R. H. Scaman, security investigation department; J. M. Pieper, police department; W. F. Byers, fire department; W. Mullins, police department; and J. O. Brooks, safety department.



**HEART-LUNG RESUSCITATION** training classes are now in progress two days a week in the GAT Fire Station. Here a group observe a demonstration by C. E. Euton (256) and W. L. Smittle (111) under the guiding eye of L. E. Cormany, Instructor for the Course. From left are: E. D. Addis (111), D. E. Pistole (111), W. J. Donahue (256), K. F. Vulgamore (712), O. G. Nice (711), J. D. Atkins (256), R. W. Loblein (712), B. D. Bradshaw (256), A. M. Talda (712), C. V. Stollsteimer (256), and J. E. Grant (111).

## Mrs. Haas Granted Teaching Degree From Ohio University

Last Saturday, August 24, was graduation day at Ohio University in Athens.

Among the graduates was Mrs. Dorothy C. Haas, wife of Bernie Haas, receiving & shipping department. Mrs. Haas was awarded a BS degree in elementary education.

A resident of Chillicothe, she is one of many Chillicothe area students who have taken advantage of the OU - Chillicothe Branch to complete the requirements for a degree.

Mrs. Dorothy Haas



Mrs. Haas attended Ohio State University following her graduation from Lancaster High School. She has taught seven years — four at Union and three at St. Marys, Chillicothe.

Next week, as a teacher in the Chillicothe School System, she will begin her assignment as fourth grade teacher at Western Elementary School.

Before moving to Chillicothe, Mrs. Haas was a member of the administrative staff at Kent State University assigned to the Psychology Department.

The Haas' have two sons, two daughters, and seven grandchildren.

### Litchfield Merit Scholarship

## Students Should Make Plans Now For National Merit Test

Top-notch high school scholars in Goodyear families should tie strings around their fingers now.

A more practical suggestion might be to make a note to see the principal as soon as school starts next week and arrange to take the National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test.

This test is the first hurdle for Goodyear students to win a four-year college scholarship under The Paul W. Litchfield Merit Scholarship Program.

The National Merit Scholarship Corporation (NMSC) of Evanston, Ill., which administers the Litchfield program, has announced that its qualifying test will be administered on Tuesday, March 10, 1964, or, as an alternate date at the option of the high school principal, on Saturday, March 14, 1964.

That's the reason for the reminder string — to ask the principal which date the school will observe for the test and to make arrangements to take it.



A DAILY BUDGET LUNCHEON is displayed by Mrs. Jean Ashbaugh, Data Processing Department, as she checks out with Mrs. Beulah Brandt, Cafeteria Cashier for Nationwide Food Service, operator of the GAT Cafeteria.

### More For Your Money

## Cafeteria Sets New Food Price Policy

Nationwide Food Service, operator of the GAT Cafeteria, is placing a number of price reductions into effect on September 1, 1963.

In an effort to encourage more employees, whose work location permits, to eat at the Cafeteria, Mrs. Bannister, the Cafeteria Manager, says, "We are making a 5c to 10c reduction in price of approximately a dozen entrees, and are instituting a daily budget luncheon."

The budget luncheon consists of entree w/two vegetables or one veg-

etable and a 12c salad, 10c beverage, and a slice of bread and butter. The cost of the meal will range from 65c to 80c depending upon the entree price (a savings of as much as 15c). The budget luncheon for each day, with the price, will be posted in the Cafeteria and on the bulletin board menus.

## Surplus Property Up For Sale

Goodyear Atomic will conduct a surplus property sale at Warehouse 15 on August 30, 1963, beginning at 2 p. m.

The property offered for sale may be inspected Monday through Friday between the hours 8 a. m. to 2 p. m.

Any GAT employee interested in a description of the property offered for sale may contact Charlie Ray, telephone extension 2233.

### Did You Forget Something?

Many pieces of silverware, salt shakers, and salad bowls have been found missing from the Cafeteria inventory. In order to insure continued economical operation employees are urged to search their work areas and send any items found back to the Cafeteria.

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# Have We Forgotten Safety? -- Not Yet!

### Let's Be The Best

At midnight last night, the employees of this plant have achieved an amazing 4,822,000 hours without a disabling injury. In 1957, the Bend Award Safety Stipend was "Safety is Not an Act... It's an Attitude." At the present time the "ATTITUDE" of GAT employees has exceeded that of any other plant in the world.

In addition to establishing a new GAT member record set by GAT members who were on duty last night, safety records on this job, safety records on other records this week and the BEST SAFETY RECORD FOR GOODYEAR ATOMIC CORPORATION, the record is held by Goodyear Atom, 4,822,000 hours without a disabling injury.

KEEP THE STREAK ALIVE — DON'T GET HURT!

### WE KEPT THE STREAK ALIVE — WE MADE IT FIVE!

## Employees Accomplish 5,000,000 Manhours Without Disabling Injury

Just as the clock struck midnight last night, the employees of this plant have achieved an amazing 5,000,000 manhours without a disabling injury. This is the fifth year that the streak has been kept alive.

The streak is a record of safety that has been maintained since 1957. It is a record of safety that has been maintained by the employees of this plant. It is a record of safety that has been maintained by the employees of this plant.

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### Employees Establish Gaseous Diffusion Plant Safety Record

When a professional achievement is achieved, it is often a matter of time before it is surpassed. The employees of this plant have established a new safety record for the Gaseous Diffusion Plant.

The record is a record of safety that has been maintained by the employees of this plant. It is a record of safety that has been maintained by the employees of this plant.

### Concerning The Clan Cover

The Clan Cover is a record of safety that has been maintained by the employees of this plant. It is a record of safety that has been maintained by the employees of this plant.

### Another First In Safety Program

## Employees Work Calendar Year Without A Disabling Injury

The employees of this plant have achieved another first in safety. They have worked a calendar year without a disabling injury.

This is a record of safety that has been maintained by the employees of this plant. It is a record of safety that has been maintained by the employees of this plant.

### Keep The Streak Alive And Make It Five!

## GAT Passes 3,000,000 Hours

The employees of this plant have passed 3,000,000 hours without a disabling injury. This is a record of safety that has been maintained by the employees of this plant.



LET'S MAKE IT FIVE! J. C. Jones, Fire Extension, responds to through the social GAT employees, with 500,000 manhours.



### The Greatest Reward... YOUR SAFETY

The greatest reward is your safety. This is a record of safety that has been maintained by the employees of this plant.

**Goodyear Atomic Is Establishing**

**GAT**

**KEEP THE STREAK ALIVE — LET'S MAKE IT FIVE!**

**OUR BEST SAFETY AWARD IS YOUR OWN SAFETY**

**CONGRATULATIONS FOR A NEW RECORD**

**6,500,000**

**A NEW ACHIEVEMENT — A NEW RECORD**

**OUR BEST SAFETY AWARD IS YOUR OWN SAFETY**

**CONGRATULATIONS FOR A NEW RECORD**

**6,500,000**

**EVERY DAY A RECORD!**

**Go For 5,000,000**

**GAT Recognized For Recent Safety Accomplishments**

EARLY 'BIG' PHOTOGRAPH. The plant safety bulletin board displays this mosaic picture of the plant's safety record. Pointing with a "sustainable" pose to the streak is C. A. Parn, Police Department, and Virginia Williams, General Office. In point of service with Goodyear Atomic Corporation, Parn is the longest serving GAT member. He served from April 7, 1953. Miss McDonald holds the record for longest service with Goodyear Atomic Corporation, and she was hired February 16, 1953. The mosaic is a record of safety that has been maintained by the employees of this plant. It is a record of safety that has been maintained by the employees of this plant.

# Let's Get Back On The Safety Track!

**When It Rains . . .  
It Pours . . .  
So It Seems**

Since the beginning of 1963, we have had seven disabling injuries mar our efforts toward new safety accomplishments.

On February 5, an employee suffered an amputation of a portion of the right index finger. The following week, February 14, an employee slipped, while walking, and fractured his lower left leg near the ankle. AND ON and ON and ON . . . contusion and laceration, dorsal surface distal end of left 4th finger; chemical burns on palm, thumb, and index finger; torn ligaments — right knee; chemical conjunctivitis — left eye; insect sting — right upper arm. These are the COLD HARD FACTS — all disabling injuries.

**SEVEN DISABLING INJURIES** since the first of the year! We can't help but wonder — **WHAT HAPPENED?** At one time we were the safest plant in the entire Goodyear organization. Up to August, 1962, we had worked a total of 7,968,967 manhours without a disabling injury. This record exceeded by 2,500,000 manhours the total of safe hours worked in other Goodyear plants. But . . . **THAT RECORD IS IN THE PAST.** Since the record was broken on August 24, 1962, we have had eight more disabling injuries — 176 lost-time days.

**HOW CAN WE GET BACK ON THE SAFETY TRACK?** Each of us must give our best to assure safety in every job we attempt. In athletics our best is commonly referred to as **THE SECOND EFFORT.** We must make this extra effort for safety.

A recent winning safety slogan stated — **"SAFETY — A WORD to SOME — A MARK of DISTINCTION to OTHERS!** Safety is more than a WORD, it is an EFFORT, a CONTINUING EFFORT to make our plant the SAFEST POSSIBLE PLACE in which to work and earn our livelihood.

The Safety and Training Departments cooperate to bring the most up-to-date safety programs to employees. But SAFETY PROGRAMS, alone, cannot make this plant safe. SAFETY SLOGANS can't do the job either.

In the final analysis our safety program depends on YOU! Let's all PULL TOGETHER to STOP these mounting injuries. Let safety begin with you NOW!

## Eliminate The Negative -- Accentuate The Positive

The following are descriptive accounts of the type of accidents that have happened since January 1, 1963. Seven injuries, classified as disabling, resulting in lost-time for the employees and the company.

### Amputation, Distal Phalanx, Right Index Finger

The employee, who was injured, was returning to the main PW area from the rest room, which is located off the loading platform, and was closing the sliding door. This door had a steel plate welded to it which slid over a steel plate welded to the door frame. Each plate had a hole in it which lined up when the door was closed and through which a pin could be dropped to lock the door. The employee placed his index finger through the hole in the plate on the door and pulled the door shut. He failed to remove his finger from the hole in time, and the two plates acted as a shear to amputate the portion of the finger extending through the top plate.

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### Simple Fracture, Left Lower Fibula, Near Ankle

The employee and two companions had just entered the limited area via the "C" Portal and were proceeding towards the X-330 Building. The three men were walking abreast, across the oiled stone from the intersection of Scioto Avenue and 15th Street to the corner of X-330. The area was essentially clear, with a few small patches of ice. When the employee stepped on one of these spots, his feet slipped and he fell, twisting his left leg under him. The employee heard his leg snap and told his companions he had broken it. The employee was helped to his feet and to the track alley, when a GAT cab came by and transported him to the GAT Hospital.

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### Contusion And Laceration, Dorsal Surface, Distal End Of Left 4th Finger

The employee was preparing a seal exhaust vacuum pump for use after an extended period of idleness. This consisted of rotating the pump by hand until it turned freely before the motor was started. The first few times required the use of a large wrench, after which the rotations were accomplished by pulling on the V belts driving the pump. As the employee braced himself and pulled on the belt, the pump turned much freer. The employee was thrown off balance and caught his finger between the belt and the pulley.

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### Severe Chemical Burns, Palm, Thumb, And Index Finger, Left Hand

The first employee was conducting an experiment while the second employee was, essentially, "standing by" in case he was needed. The portion of the experiment being completed consisted of separating two immiscible liquid phases. One phase was anhydrous hydrogen fluoride (HF), the other was a fluorocarbon. The separation was accomplished by transferring one phase to a second container, through a connection which included some glass tubing and a glass stopcock. The tubing was broken during valving operations, allowing the liquid hydrogen fluoride (HF) to spill on the employee's hand.

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### Torn Median Meniscus, Right Knee

The employee was standing at his work in the welding shop of the X-720 building. Part of the work was at approximately 90° to the direction he was facing. As he turned, he did not move his feet but only twisted his body. The employee noted immediate pain and stated that he felt and heard a "popping" in the knee joint.

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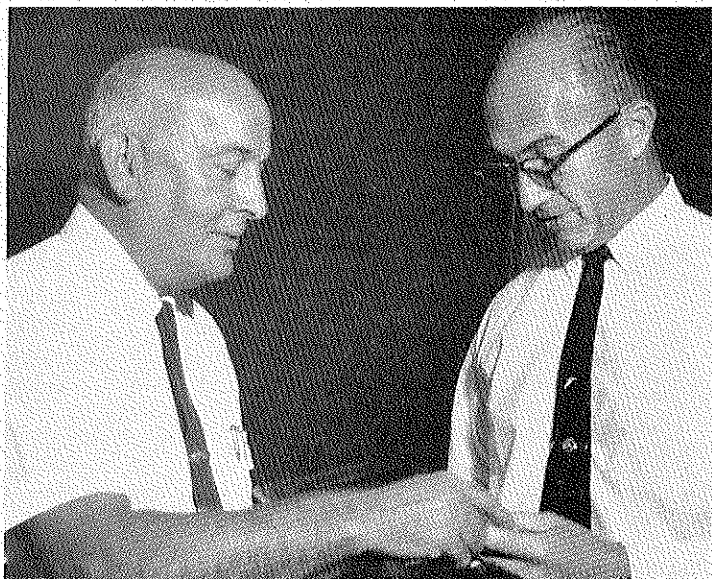
### Chemical Conjunctivitis, Left Eye

The employee was cleaning his paint brushes near the end of his regularly scheduled shift, using paint thinner as a cleaner. He splashed the thinner and some of it entered his left eye. He flushed his eye with cool water, but did not go to the GAT Hospital immediately since it was so near his clock-out time.

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### Insect Sting, Upper Right Arm

The employee was assigned as helper while hauling trash containers to the burn area at the south side of the plantsite. While returning after emptying a container, he was riding on the right side of the truck cab with his right arm on the window ledge. He felt a stinging sensation on his arm and slapped it. The insect was killed and fell out the window before it could be identified. Despite treatment, the employee's right arm swelled and was so painful that he missed two days work.



VICE PRESIDENT SAM DUPREE (right), The Goodyear Tire & Rubber Company, made a visit to Goodyear Atomic Corporation on August 7. Following the Operating Committee luncheon, he presented an anniversary pin to General Manager G. H. Reynolds, who completed 35 years of continuous service with the Company on July 30, 1963.

### "King Apple On Display"

## Jackson County Apple Festival Big Southeastern Ohio Event

Of interest to many Goodyear Atomic employees is the Annual Jackson County Apple Festival slated to begin next month. The four-day event, held on the streets of Jackson, annually attracts from 60,000 to 80,000 visitors where the "apple is king."

In past years, GAT employees who reside in Jackson have taken a very active part in the planning and promotion of the Apple Festival. L. D. Hochberg, plant shift superintendent, is a past-president of the Apple Festival Association.

On the eve of opening day, Wednesday, September 18, one of the biggest parades in southeastern Ohio is held — The Grand Opening Parade. The parade includes over

100 marching units with 25-30 high school and community bands and drum and bugle corps, 35-40 beautifully decorated floats, antique automobiles, "turn of the century" fire engines, ox teams, self-propelled scale model railroad trains, baton-twirling groups, precision drill groups, clowns and many other marching units.

Following the Grand Opening Parade, Miss Barbara Sergent will receive her crown as the 1963 Jackson County Apple Festival Queen. She will be crowned by Jeno Paulucci of Duluth, Minnesota, president and founder of Chun King Corporation, Jackson County's largest employer. Miss Sergent will be a senior at Jackson High School.

Parades are plentiful in Jackson at Apple Festival Time. The Grand Closing Parade on Saturday September 21, is almost as big as the Opening Parade. In addition, there is the School Parade on Wednesday afternoon; a Baby Parade; Pet Parade and Bicycle Parade.

The downtown streets of Jackson are closed during Apple Festival Week. There are 94 booths set up exhibiting all sorts of displays.

Apple booths are plentiful. This is the time when orchardists in Jackson County display one of the county's finest products — KING APPLE. Apple butter is made right in the streets of Jackson during the Festival. Other booths display flowers, vegetables, industrial products and merchandise items of Jackson County.

Something is always going on at the Apple Festival every afternoon and evening in front of the bleachers at Main and Broadway, right in the heart of the festival . . . band concerts, twist contests, square dancing, dog shows, appearances by radio and television personalities . . . entertainment for all ages.

## Ohio Leads In Atom Products

Ohio moved into first place in the shipment of atomic energy products during 1962, according to a report submitted to George E. Wilson, State Department Director.

The report showed that Ohio shipped 20 percent more atomic energy products last year than it did in 1961. Shipments valued at \$45,121,000 represented over 17 percent of the country's total.

Products included were nuclear reactors, primary vessels and tanks, heat exchangers and condensers, pumps, valves, fuel elements and control rods and radiation detection and monitoring devices.

"Radiation and Man" a new AEC exhibit, prepared especially for museum display, opened for public viewing August 2, at the Chicago Museum of Science and Industry.



Goodyear's "Go-Go" advertising campaign is less than a year old, but it has already picked up a bouquet of blue ribbons:

— Cannes Film Festival Award, first place in the automotive supplies category.

— Annual American TV Commercials Festival, best over-all series, best auto accessories commercial, best film editing, and best musical scoring.

— Los Angeles Art Directors Club, outstanding contribution to advertising art.

— Advertising Age magazine, best of year commercials.

## Get Rainbow Honors

Mary Ellen Cormany, daughter of Lee Cormany, training department, was appointed Grand Representative from Ohio to Hawaii by the Grand Assembly of Rainbow for Girls. She received the appointment during the Grand Assembly's meeting at Ohio University August 15-18.

Miss Cormany, who begins her senior year at Waverly High School next week is Past Worthy Advisor of the Waverly Assembly.

Janet Coldicott, daughter of R. L. Coldicott, police department, was appointed Grant Hostess. She is a Past Worthy Advisor of the Lucasville Assembly.

## Harry Hinchman Retires From Goodyear Following 65th Birthday

August 19, 1898, marked the beginning of Harry Hinchman's living in the United States of America in the city of Philadelphia, Pa. A week ago Monday, Mr. Hinchman reached his 65th milestone in life and retired from Goodyear Atomic Corporation last Friday.

Since September 20, 1954, he has been a member of the purchasing & materials division. He was recently assigned to the surplus and salvage sales department.

When one talked to him about retirement, he leisurely handed you a 4 x 8 card with his work experience printed upon it. "Retirement you say? I want to keep occupied. Pass this around to anyone who might use my services."

According to his "official resume" he recently completed courses in Front Office-Night Audit and Hotel Accounting from the American Hotel Association. His previous experience includes that of an administrative officer, U. S. Atomic Energy Commission, specializing in Contract Administration, Cost Accounting, Purchasing and Property Management.

His "resume" also states that he is widely traveled, having visited France, Germany, South America, and 40 of the 50 states.

He and his wife, Irene, have been living in Piketon for the past two

## HERE AND THERE IN THE NUCLEAR FIELD

The Atomic Energy Commission proposes to issue a permit to Manhattan College for construction of a low power teaching reactor.

The reactor is a tank-type facility designed by American Machine and Foundry Company to operate at a maximum power of one-tenth of a watt.

Fuel elements of the reactor will be immersed in water in an aluminum tank. The tank is eight feet high and 10 feet in diameter with a wall thickness of one-fourth of an inch.

The primary function of the reactor is to serve as a teaching facility. There will be no gaseous or liquid discharges from the reactor.

The United States presented a check for \$350,000 to the Government of Viet Nam on August 10, 1963, toward the cost of a completed research reactor at the Institute of Nuclear Research in Dalat.

The presentation was made by U. S. Ambassador Frederick E. Nolting to Secretary of State at the Presidency Nguyen Dinh Thuan at the Viet Nam Atomic Energy Office in Saigon. The Grant commitment was made on October 16, 1959, as part of the AEC's program to assist other nations in developing the peaceful uses of atomic energy.

Viet Nam is the twentieth country to receive payment of a U. S. grant for a research reactor.

Other research reactors built with U. S. assistance in the Far East are

located in Thailand, Japan and South Korea. Two are under construction in Indonesia and Pakistan.

An underwater atomic sound beacon is being developed as a navigational aid by Martin Company Nuclear Division under a \$110,000 Atomic Energy Commission contract.

The beacon will produce sound — a high-pitched squeal — by use of the heat from radioisotopes. The electronic equipment and electrical power supply now used in sonar beacons will not be needed.

The device is being developed in collaboration with the U. S. Naval Oceanographic Office. It is scheduled for preliminary tests at 25-foot depths in Chesapeake Bay during early 1964. It will be tested in the Bermuda area, later, at the design depth of 200 feet.

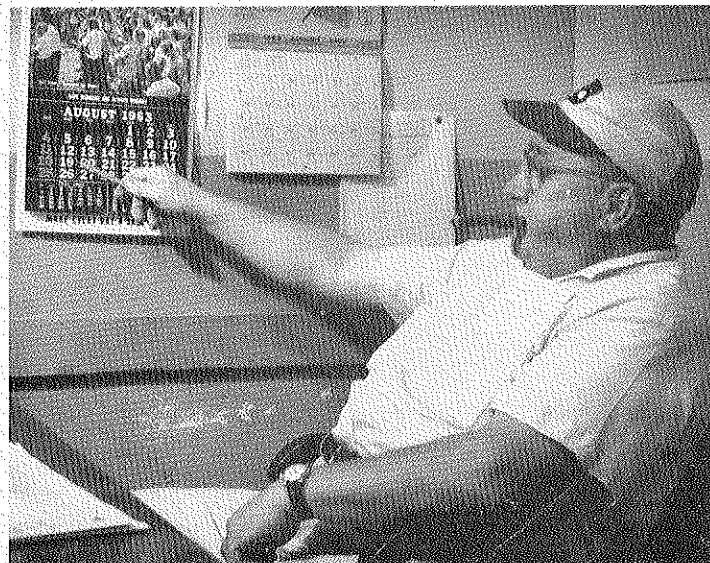
A key element in the beacon is a device known as a hydro-acoustic transducer which makes sound from the flow of oil. The beacon, which will fit into a one-cubic foot box, contains a boiler in which the heat source is placed. Water is converted into steam and, under pressure, the steam drives the oil system of the transducer, thus producing sound.

The heat source for the unit will be radio-strontium. The device will have a 10-year design life and a range of 20 miles underwater. It will be so designed that it can be safely positioned by skin divers.

The device is being developed under the Commission's Isotopes Development Program as a new use of fission by-products of nuclear power reactors.

The Atomic Energy Commission and General Electric recently agreed to a new contract for the continued operation of GE's Pinellas Peninsula (Fla.) plant. The new contract arrangement extends for a five-year period and highlights a pioneering incentive fee provision.

The AEC has increased the enrichment of U-235 from 90% to 93% for use in some types of foreign reactors.



HAPPY BIRTHDAY — Harry N. Hinchman, Surplus and Salvage Sales Department points to August 19 on the calendar. The date, his 65th birthday, signified the beginning of his retirement from Goodyear Atomic Corporation.

**Kinker's Team Champions**

# Goodyear Softball League Winds Up Successful Season

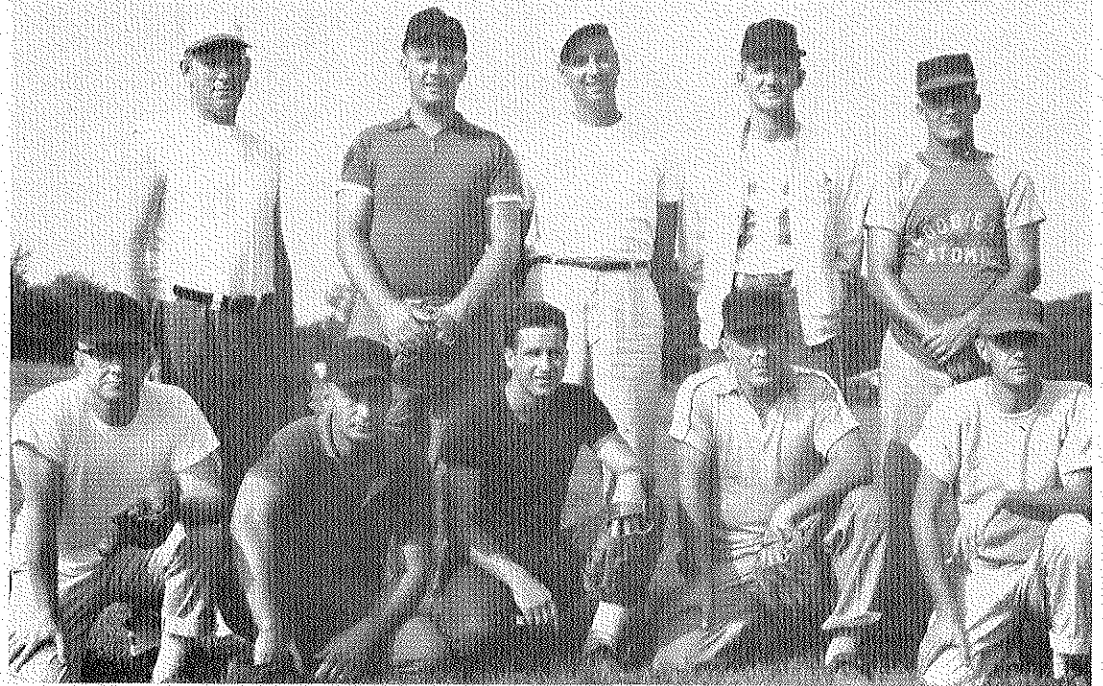
"Hail the Champs!" The BOMBERS of Charlie Kinker finally subdued the RAIDERS of Jim Scott 5-1 in the final softball game of the season.

The extra inning affair, a scoreless deadlock until the seventh inning, saw Kinker's team score a run in the top of the 7th only to have Scott's charges come back with a run in their half of the 7th to knot the count.

The eighth inning was scoreless. In the top of the ninth the BOMBERS exploded for four runs to ice the game as they held the RAIDERS

scoreless in the bottom of the ninth. O. W. Murphy, mass spectrometry department, was on the mound for the RAIDERS. Ed Strausbaugh and Paul Neff, both from the carpenter & paint shop, twirled for the RAIDERS with Strausbaugh being tagged with the loss. Both teams had six hits.

"Goose" McGhee, police department, second-sacker for the RAIDERS, led all hitters with three hits. Jim Massie, utilities maintenance and Ed Kessinger, chemical operations, had 2 hits each for the BOMBERS.

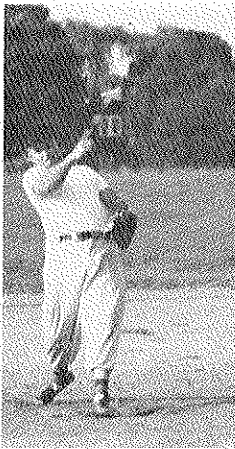


**SOFTBALL CHAMPS** — Kneeling from left: Ben Murnahan, Ed Kessinger, Karl Chapman, Bill Masters, and Connie Scott. Standing from left: Jim Massie, Charlie Kinker, Bob Noel, O. W. Murphy, and Dee Horner.

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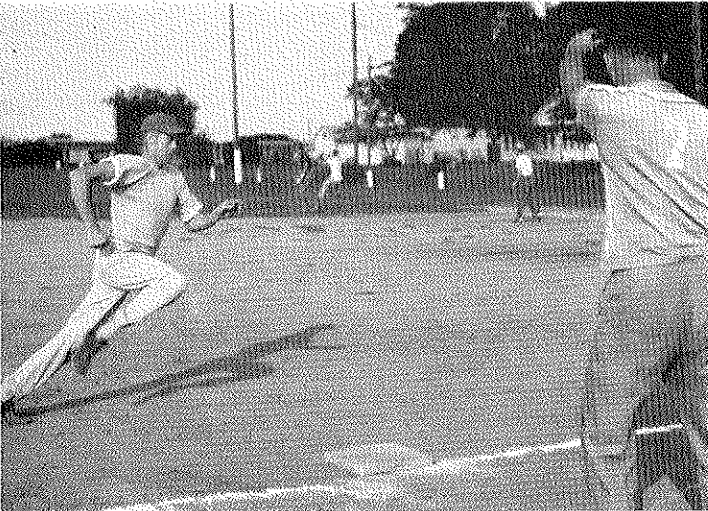
ED STRAUSBAUGH



PAUL NEFF



O. W. MURPHY



**GET ON HOME** — Connie Scott really turns it on as he gets the "go ahead" sign from Bill Masters. The action occurred in the 9th inning of the final softball game of the season between the BOMBERS and RAIDERS. The BOMBERS won 5-1 giving them the league championship.

## GAT PICNIC

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This year's Picnic Committee includes R. F. Jones, supervisor, recreation department, General Chairman; E. Lowe, purchasing department, Procurement; F. D. Hyland, community relations, Publicity; M. T. Trowbridge, reproduction department, Identification; R. H. Holland, library, Information; L. T. Oyler, safety department, Safety; R. H. Seaman, security investigation, Traffic; H. B. Lehman, M.D., medical department, First Aid; D. J. Landstrom, reproduction department, Photography; and H. H. Stoops, standard practice department, and C. L. Kinker, safety department, Games.

O. G. Nice, electrical maintenance department, and J. T. Rhea, police department, are co-chairmen of the Games Committee. Nice represents the OCAW, Local 3-689, and Rhea represents UPGWA, Local 66, as members of the Picnic Committee.

Annually, the GAT Picnic is a family "affair." The Camden Amusement Park has adequate picnic areas to accommodate those who wish to enjoy a family outing. In addition, an excellent modern cafeteria is located in the midst of the Park compound for those who wish to dine "out."

September 14, 1963. Mark a circle around the date on the calendar now and make plans to attend GAT's Eleventh Annual Picnic.

## Three Our Of Four

# Waverly Golfers Win Annual Inter-city Golf Tournament

Waverly golfers walked off with top honors in the Fourth Annual Inter-city Golf Tournament held at the Jackson Fairgreens Country Club.

The waverly team totaled 1,063 points. They were followed by Portsmouth (1,086), the Independents (1,102), and Chillicothe (1,103).

Members of the Intercity Golf Champions include Joe Thoms, Vince DeVito, Gordon Johnson, Bob Owens, Lou Bickett, Jim Jones, Dick Schneider, Jim Walder, Fred Cashman, Bob Holland, Cliff Thomas, D. J. Blanton, "Shug" Owens, Paul Slaughter, and Bob Casey.

Each area selected a team of 16 golfers and used the 12 lowest scores for the tournament. Jim Sellars, from the Chillicothe team, shot the lowest

score of the tourney — a respectable 79 for the 18 holes.

Waverly now has won the tournament in 1960-61-63. Portsmouth won in 1962. The winner earns the right to an invitation to the Banquet of Champions.

## Interest Picks Up In Duplicate Bridge Play

Thirty-two avid bridge players participated in the Duplicate Bridge Tournament at the Scioto Motel, August 16.

North-South winners: Mrs. A. S. Ostroski and David Bunch — 1st place; Bill Thompson and Edward Thompson — 2nd place; Donna Winters and Jim Shoemaker — 3rd place; Robert Lobein and Bill Lamb — 4th place; and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Johnson — 5th place.

East-West Winners: Paul Slaughter and Bob Shoaf — 1st place; Mr. and Mrs. David Doner — 2nd place (tie); Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Harbarger — 2nd place (tie); Roscoe Wimer and Luther Spencer — 4th place; and Howard Galloway and Lee Mulins — 5th pace.

Steve Kohut, plant engineering, was director of the tournament.

## A CALL FOR BOWLERS

All GAT Bowling Leagues are in need of bowlers. Any employee interested in one of the GAT Bowling Leagues should notify the recreation department.

Beginners may make arrangements for bowling instruction by contacting the recreation department.

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