

THINK  
**SAFETY**  
PAYS YOU

# The ATOMIZER

BE  
**SECURITY**  
CONSCIOUS

VOLUME 1

PORTSMOUTH AREA AEC PROJECT

SEPTEMBER 25, 1953

NUMBER 4

## AEC Approves Seven Contracts Awarded By PKS

Approval of seven subcontracts for material and construction work on the gaseous diffusion plant being built here was announced last week by the Atomic Energy Commission. All of the subcontracts were awarded by Peter Kiewit Sons' Co.

Four of the subcontracts were for material for a unit substation. These were awarded to: Allis-Chalmers Manufacturing Company, Milwaukee, Wisc., \$4,337,527; General Electric Corporation, Portsmouth, O., \$3,433,996; Westinghouse Electric Corporation, Cincinnati, O., \$975,200; and Federal Electric Products Co., Long Island City, N. Y., \$122,350.

Lake Shore Electric Corporation, Bedford, O., received a sub-contract for auxiliary power panels on a bid of \$535,000.

Two construction contracts also were awarded for work on process and storage structures to Eichleay Corporation, Pittsburgh, Pa., \$1,810,202 and Altman-Coady Company, Columbus, O., \$123,362.

## Chaplin Takes Post As Deputy Manager For Grinnell Here



SAXBY CHAPLIN

The Grinnell Corporation of Providence, R. I. has announced the addition of deputy resident manager to its staff on the Portsmouth Area AEC project. Filling the new position, which became effective September 21, will be Saxby Chaplin of Charlotte, N. C.

Chaplin comes to this job from the Grinnell district office in Charlotte where he served as department manager of the Industrial Piping Division.

Chaplin has been a member of the Grinnell organization for over 30 years and is a graduate of The Citadel. He saw service during World War II as a colonel on MacArthur's staff in the South Pacific and was one of nine brothers in his family that served in the armed forces.



Handling the numerous project and long distance calls for employees working on the Portsmouth Area AEC installation are these attractive PKS telephone operators. Pictured in the above photo in addition to the personnel working the board are Chief Operator Dotti Dinsmore (center) Nellie Laney (left) and Switchboard Supervisor, Ruth Tipton.

## Traffic Violators Receiving Citations From Guard Patrol

Figures released by the Plant Protection Division this week showed that a total of 460 traffic violations were committed on the project during the month of August.

A breakdown of this number reveals 107 warning tickets and 353 citations issued by the guard force during the month. Employees receiving citations were required to appear before Plant Protection Chief C. O. Dannenfelser.

Of the 460 violations issued to employees, one drunk driving charge and two reckless operation citations led to termination.

Chief H. F. Cook of the Guard Force requests all employees driving either private or government vehicles to strictly observe the 25 m. p. h. speed limit on the project. Cook also warned against the pick-up and discharge of passengers while parked on a roadway. Speeding, illegal parking and failing to heed stop signs ranked high on the list of violations issued.

## "FISCAL FROLIC" BIG SUCCESS

An estimated 300 employees and their guests attended the "Fiscal Frolic" dance sponsored by members of the PKS Fiscal Unit at the Portsmouth American Legion club on Saturday, September 12, from nine until one. Music was by the Keys of Melody from Huntington.

— THINK SAFETY —

## APPROXIMATELY 12,000 EMPLOYED DURING FIRST YEAR OF OPERATION

On September 6, a little over one year ago, Peter Kiewit Sons' Co. set up its Employment Division office in Portsmouth and began hiring personnel for the construction of this multi-million dollar AEC installation.

In the first full year of employment PKS and the three CFFF subcontractors, Reynolds-Newbery, Grinnell and Geo. Koch, hired a total of 8,673 persons. Approximately 3,000 additional employees were hired by other fixed-priced subcontractors. These figures do not include employees of the Atomic Energy Commission, Goodyear or Architect Engineers.

Through September 12, the

total employment on the project was 9,205 excluding AEC, Goodyear and AE's.

At its inception the PKS Employment Division numbered nine employees. That total has now grown to nearly one hundred in a years time.

Under the present Chief, R. E. Amberger, the PKS Employment Division opened office first in the Ohio State Employment headquarters in Portsmouth. Next the division moved to the armory and another transfer switched the offices of the Fowler Building. From there the final change was made to the temporary Personnel Building at the Jobsite.



These six Peter Kiewit Sons' Co. employees pictured above made up the original PKS Employment Division that began work on September 6, 1952 in the Ohio State Employment office in Portsmouth. Left to right are: Bette Bentley, currently secretary to General Manager George C. Holling; Jack Hitchcock, recruiter; Employment Division Chief R. E. Amberger; C. O. Dannenfelser, now chief of Plant Protection Division and Mary Lucas.

## Phone Calls Exceed 10,000 Daily At Jobsite

Another of the tremendous jobs being performed that is an integrate part of the construction of this huge atomic energy project is the handling of thousands and thousands of local and long distance telephone calls by operators of the PKS Office Services Department's Communications Branch.

At present all project telephone calls are transmitted through an eleven-position manual switchboard. This board has five long distance and six local positions. One of the long distance operators on duty is used only to handle incoming toll calls and information. Two others take incoming calls and assist in recording and the last two positions record and place calls over exchange lines.

The six local operators answer extensions and ring the station wanted or connect the caller with another operator who in turn makes the extension connection.

Approximately 950 telephone stations with an additional 388 extensions are now being utilized by personnel on the project.

Chief Operator Dotti Dinsmore estimates an average of 9'600 extension-to-extension calls are made daily. Incoming long distance calls number approximately 575 per day and 450 are recorded outgoing.

Chief W. A. Rardin of the Communications Branch said a second non-manual board is scheduled to be ready for use sometime after the first of the year which will handle another 1,200 stations that will be installed as employment increases.

## "BY JUPITER" DANCE AT EAGLES TONIGHT

The first of two scheduled "By Jupiter" dances sponsored by the PKS Recreation Division will be held tonight at the Eagles Hall in Portsmouth from nine until one with Lou Martin and his orchestra.

Next Saturday night Martin's orchestra will play for the first "By Jupiter" dance to be held in Jackson. Dancing will be from nine to twelve at the Jackson Memorial Building.

Admission to both dances is free to all project employees and their guest upon presentation of their "By Jupiter" membership card. Employees who do not have cards may contact the Recreation Division office to make arrangements to attend either of the dances.

SEE IT HERE  
HEAR IT HERE  
LEAVE IT HERE



Published fortnightly by Peter Kiewit Sons' Co., its subcontractors and affiliated companies for all employees and their dependents on the Portsmouth Area U. S. Atomic Energy Commission project. "THE ATOMIZER" is edited and printed as a function of the PKS Recreation Division, Luther F. Poling, chief.

Editor ..... Stan Spaulding  
 Photographers ..... D. J. Landstrom  
 Glenn Dearing

**POWER THROUGH COORDINATION**

If you have ever watched "shells" skim across the water in a regatta, you were probably fascinated by the perfect rhythm with which the crew members stroked their oars.

It is this close coordination that makes possible their speed and balances the work load among them. The team best able to pull together streaks across the finish line ahead of the pack.

Working together as a well-balanced, coordinated team is equally important here on the Portsmouth Project. True, we are all individuals with different outlooks and somewhat different problems, but we have one thing that binds us closely together, a common desire to do our work efficiently and on schedule. That is the rallying point around which we can coordinate our efforts.

George C. Holling, General Manager  
 Peter Kiewit Sons' Co.  
 Portsmouth Area AEC Project

**Kiewit Superintendents Design Special Mobile Lubrication Unit**

The ingenuity of two PKS superintendents working on the Portsmouth project has paid off in a marked degree, even in the early stages of this vast construction job.

Realizing the need for faster servicing of heavy equipment on the project, Lubrication Superintendent George Lumbeck and Field Maintenance Superintendent Roy Copeland of the Heavy Construction Division designed a special mobile field lubrication unit equipped to do a complete servicing job while the equipment is in the field on the job.

The units, called the Graco Convoy Luber, were built by the Gray Company of Minneapolis, and are especially adapted for use on this project.

Two of the mobile units are now being utilized on the job to service approximately 75

pieces of heavy equipment daily.

The "Gracos" constructed for year-round, day-night use, are equipped with all necessary lubricants, an air compressor, filters and solvents, radiator water and special dust-free cabinets with complete tool sets.

The units also carry their own power system for night operation and are mounted in tandem axle trucks for rough off-the-road travel. Each unit has a foreman and a four-man crew.

**LUBE BRANCH HAS DINNER**

Employees of the PKS Heavy Equipment Lubrication Branch entertained guests at a dinner-party on Saturday evening September 12, at the Southern Grill on Route 30 near Piketon, General Foreman E. S. Crace, handled arrangements.

**APPEAL MADE FOR TEACHERS IN PLANT AREA**

An appeal for elementary and high school teachers needed to handle the increasing influx of students coming into the area surrounding this AEC project has been issued by Pike County School Superintendent J. E. Way of Waverly.

The total enrollment in Pike County's 10 school districts has increased by over 800 students since the close of the session last spring. This number is mounting daily and in Way's opinion will cause at least three of the county schools (Waverly, Piketon and Scioto Township at Wakefield) to institute double sessions some time after the first of the year.

In a recent interview with "THE ATOMIZER" editor, Way explained the acute need for instructors will be even greater if county schools go on double-session days. "There are undoubtedly a number of qualified teachers associated with project employees living in our area that would be able to fill openings that are likely to arise in the near future," said Superintendent Way.

Way also stated there was an immediate need for three music teachers and a male physical education instructor to fill existing vacancies.

Persons interested in assisting school officials by filling teaching positions are urged to contact Mr. Way's office in the Court House at Waverly or request application by mail which will be forwarded immediately.

**PKS MEN VISIT OAK RIDGE**

Assistant to the General Manager S. O. Dingman and Records Manager F. L. Sward, both of the Administrative Department of the General Manager's office, spent several days last week at Oak Ridge, Tennessee reviewing records management program at AEC offices there.



Six members of the PKS Building Services Division employed on the Portsmouth Area AEC project are shown displaying posters made from articles that appeared in Life Magazine telling the story of "Operation Blue Jay". All of the men were employed by Peter Kiewit Sons' Co. during the construction of the huge U. S. Air Force base at Thule, Greenland. Kiewit was the sponsor company of a group of four building organizations that made up the North Atlantic Constructors. The base, begun in 1951 and nearing completion this season, will be the newest and largest in the arctic area. Kneeling are: Foremen Tom Passmore (left) and Ralph Wagner. Standing left to right: Foreman Phillip Cox, Building Services Chief Bill Quillin, Superintendent of Maintenance Fred Fletcher and Foreman "Chuck" Tucker.



**ONE YEAR OF PROGRESS**

One year has passed since the beginning of this huge National Defense Project. Let us take a look at the progress which has been made. Since this is a National Defense Project, we must think progress in terms of how well National Security has been maintained.

Much of our security, such as properly wearing your badge and not revealing details of your job, is the individual employees responsibility. For this reason a large part of our security program for the past year has been devoted to making each employee security conscious in respect to his particular job. When employees are security conscious, they realize their security responsibility. They inform themselves about the security regulations and follow them. They are careful not to talk about their work at any time, except as is needed to carry it out.

The privilege of having the right to protect the security of our nation is one of the greatest rights we possess as a free people. With this privilege goes the personal responsibility to perform such protection.

At the end of the first year it is for each of us to decide if we have maintained the security pertaining to our work, whether it be management as a supervisor or as an employee.

You may call upon us for information, by lectures or other means, to help you understand

your security responsibilities.

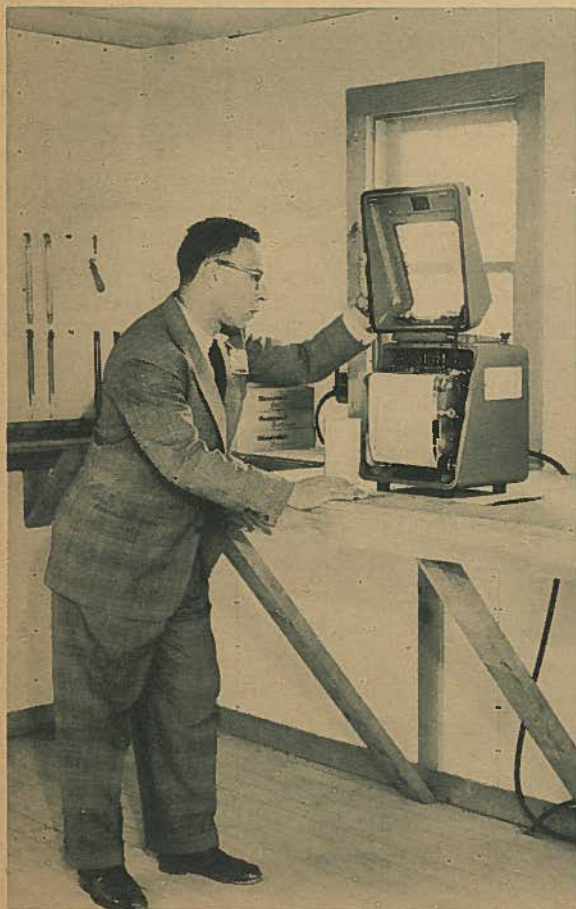
You as an employee working on a project where the future of the nation is at stake must remember Security equals Progress.

**Bulletin Cautions Employees To Wear Badges On Project**

A recent bulletin from the PKS General Manager's office again cautioned employees to wear identification badges at all times while on the jobsite. Badges must be worn on the upper left-hand side of the outer garment.

Badges will be checked upon entering the plant-site and the temporary Administration Building. Any employee not having proper identification will be detained at check points until members of the Plant Protection Division establish identity and verify employment status. Persons not having badges will be issued temporary one-day identification after verification of their employment has been made.

Temporary badges must be returned the day issued except in the case of a subcontractor who will have personnel on the project for several days. Guards will check any person attempting to gain access to the project on a temporary pass.



Think

Checking recording equipment at the project weather laboratory is Meteorologist Donald H. Pack of the AEC Portsmouth Area staff. In the left-hand photo Pack is shown taking a reading from the anemograph, an instrument which measures velocity and direction of the wind. At right Pack observes antenna apparatus atop the laboratory north of the Administration Building.

# GOLF TOURNAMENT SET OCT. 3

## "Choraleers" Sing At Waverly Oct. 14

The Kiewit "Choraleers" will make their initial fall performance in the Waverly High School auditorium on Wednesday evening, October 14, at 8:00 P. M. At present the group is rehearsing at the Eagles Hall in Portsmouth each Tuesday at 8:00 P. M.

"Choraleers" President Al Hull said the Waverly appearance will be open to the public and that there will be no admission charge. Hull also requests project employees or their dependents interested in joining the group to attend the weekly practices in Portsmouth.

## Church Calendar

*Editor's Note: The following is a listing of church services being held weekly in the area surrounding the Pike County AEC jobsite. The information was supplied by Minister-Cordinator, Rev. James R. Noland of the Committee on Ministry to Defense Communities.*

- BEAVER**  
**EVANGELICAL UNITED BRETHREN**  
 Sunday School ..... 9:30 A. M.  
 Morning Worship ..... 10:30 A. M.  
**BEAVER CHAPEL METHODIST**  
 Sunday School ..... 9:00 A. M.  
 Morning Worship ..... 10:00 A. M.  
**BEAVER METHODIST CHURCH**  
 Sunday School ..... 9:30 A. M.  
 Morning Worship ..... 10:30 A. M.
- DAILYVILLE**  
**BAPTIST CHURCH**  
 Sunday School ..... 10:00 A. M.  
 Evening Worship ..... 7:30 P. M.
- JASPER**  
**CHURCH OF CHRIST IN CHRISTIAN UNION**  
 Sunday School ..... 9:30 A. M.  
 Morning Worship ..... 10:30 A. M.  
**METHODIST**  
 Sunday School ..... 9:45 A. M.  
 Morning Worship ..... 10:45 A. M.
- LUCASVILLE**  
**CHRISTIAN UNION**  
 Sunday School ..... 9:30 A. M.  
 Morning Worship ..... 10:30 A. M.  
**EVANGELICAL UNITED BRETHREN**  
 Sunday School ..... 10:30 A. M.  
 Morning Worship ..... 9:30 A. M.  
**LUCASVILLE METHODIST**  
 Sunday School ..... 9:45 A. M.  
 Morning Worship ..... 10:45 A. M.
- OMEGA**  
**CHURCH OF CHRIST IN CHRISTIAN UNION**  
 Sunday School ..... 9:30 A. M.  
 Morning Worship ..... 10:30 A. M.  
**OMEGA METHODIST**  
 Worship Service ..... 8:00 P. M.
- PIKETON**  
**ST. ANN'S EPISCOPAL**  
 Sunday School ..... 10:00 A. M.  
 Worship ..... 2:00 P. M.  
 (Every 2nd and 4th Sunday)  
**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
 Evening Service ..... 7:30 P. M.  
**CHURCH OF CHRIST IN CHRISTIAN UNION**  
 Sunday School ..... 9:30 A. M.  
 Morning Worship ..... 10:30 A. M.  
**METHODIST**  
 Sunday School ..... 9:30 A. M.  
 Morning Worship ..... 10:30 A. M.
- WAVERLY**  
**BIBLE CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
 Sunday School ..... 9:30 A. M.  
 Morning Worship ..... 10:30 A. M.  
**ST. MARY'S ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
 Mass ..... 8:00 A. M.  
 ..... 9:30 A. M.  
**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
 Sunday School ..... 10:00 A. M.  
 Morning Worship ..... 10:45 A. M.  
**CHURCH OF CHRIST IN CHRISTIAN UNION**  
 Sunday School ..... 9:30 A. M.  
 Morning Worship ..... 10:30 A. M.  
**CHURCH OF NAZARENE**  
 Sunday School ..... 9:30 A. M.  
 Morning Worship ..... 10:30 A. M.  
**EVANGELICAL UNITED BRETHREN**  
 Sunday School ..... 9:30 A. M.  
 Morning Worship ..... 10:30 A. M.  
**EVANGELICAL AND REFORMED**  
 Sunday School ..... 9:30 A. M.  
 Morning Worship ..... 10:30 A. M.  
**PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
 Sunday School ..... 9:45 A. M.  
 Morning Worship ..... 11:00 A. M.  
**METHODIST CHURCH**  
 Sunday School ..... 9:30 A. M.  
 Morning Worship ..... 10:30 A. M.

## MATCH AT ELKS CLUB COURSE OPEN TO ALL EMPLOYEES

The PKS Recreation Division will sponsor an 18-hole handicap golf tournament open to all project employees at the Elks Country Club course on Saturday October 3.

The tourney will be played under the Callaway handicap system and will run all day Saturday. Employees interested in entering should be at the course anytime between 9 A. M. and 4 P. M. the day of the match.

Entrants are instructed to contact Golf Pro Verl Stinchcomb to get scorecards. The cards are to be returned to Stinchcomb upon completion of play. Scores will be computed by the Recreation Division staff and the winners announced in the October 9 edition of "THE ATOMIZER".

Prizes will be awarded for first and second low-net and low-gross scores in addition to several others to be announced.

Any employee of the Portsmouth Area AEC project is eligible to participate in the tourney upon paying the green fee of \$3.00 to Stinchcomb.

## PAINTING CLASSES SET TO ORGANIZE

Arrangements for classes in beginning oil and textile painting will be made at a meeting in the Waverly Presbyterian Church at Waverly on Friday October 2 at 2:00 P. M. Dorothea Rinehart of Chillicothe will teach the classes. Interest in the field was derived from a survey taken throughout the trailer villages in the area by the PKS Recreation Division.

Mrs. Rinehart has been conducting classes for both adults and children on a private basis for the last several years and a small fee will be charged for her services. Some of the material required for the course will be furnished by the instructor.

## "THE ATOMIZER" TO APPEAR ON ALTERNATE FRIDAYS

With this edition "THE ATOMIZER" will be published every other Friday instead of monthly as were the three previous issues. Persons desiring to contribute material are asked to contact Editor Stan Spaulding at the Recreation Division office in the middle-east wing of the Personnel Building or phone Extension 469.

## PLAN TRAILER ASSOCIATION

Plans are under way among employees living in trailer villages throughout the plant area to organize an association to deal with problems peculiar to persons living in the various courts. Additional information on the proposed association may be obtained by contacting Lon-ey Clark at the Scioto Trailer Ranch just south of the main gate on Route 23 or by writing to P. O. Box 428 in Piketon.



## BOWLING

FRIDAY MEN'S LEAGUE			
TEAM	W	L	Pts.
Prop. & Inv. Div.	5	1	7
Sub-Contracts	5	1	6
R-N Field	4	2	6
Procurement 1	4	2	5
G. K. S. 2	4	2	5
Contract Awards	4	2	5
G. K. S. 1	2	4	3
Grinnell	2	4	3
Estimating	2	4	3
Material Handling	2	4	3
R-N Office	2	4	2
R-N Repair	0	6	0

## TICKETS AVAILABLE FOR LITTLE THEATER

The Portsmouth Little Theater has announced tickets for that group's four plays this season in the Portsmouth High School auditorium are on sale now at the Recreation Division office in the Personnel Building.

Season tickets for the four performances are priced at \$5.00 or individual reserved seats may be obtained at \$1.50. Each play will run on Thursday and Saturday nights and season ticket holders may choose either night to use their pass.

The group, which has proved very popular in the six years it has been in operation, will have as its initial play the comedy "The Man Who Came To Dinner".

The date of the first performance has not been set but will likely fall during the third or fourth week in October. Persons buying season tickets now will be notified of dates as soon as they are set.

Any project employee that is interested in dramatic work is invited to join the group. This may be done by contacting the Recreation Division of Mrs. Thuma at 6-6091 in Portsmouth.



Averages of 174 during summer bowling competition in the four PKS bowling leagues at the Classic Lanes in Portsmouth placed Clarence Williams (left) and Ed Roda in a tie for the high individual mark. Both were awarded trophies by the PKS Recreation Division. Williams is employed in the PKS Engineering Division Shop Drawing Section and Roda in the Accounts Payable Division of the Accounting Department.

## Williams, Roda Post High Marks During Summer Bowling Competition

Final figures compiled for competition during the summer bowling season showed Ed Roda and Clarence Williams tied for the high men's average with a lofty 174. Roda's high was set in the Sunday Mixed League with the champion "Gutter Rats". Roda also chalked up a 172 average, which was tops in the Tuesday Men's League, with Grinnell. Williams rolled his record 174 total with second-place Estimating in the Thursday Men's loop. Letha Roda took top honors in the women's division with a high average of 147, also with the league-winning "Gutter Rats". Dorothy Destocki copped the women's high mark in the Monday Mixed League with a 133. Bob Gibbs gained the men's title in this league with a 158 mark. Individual high-average bowlers were awarded trophies by the PKS Recreation Division.

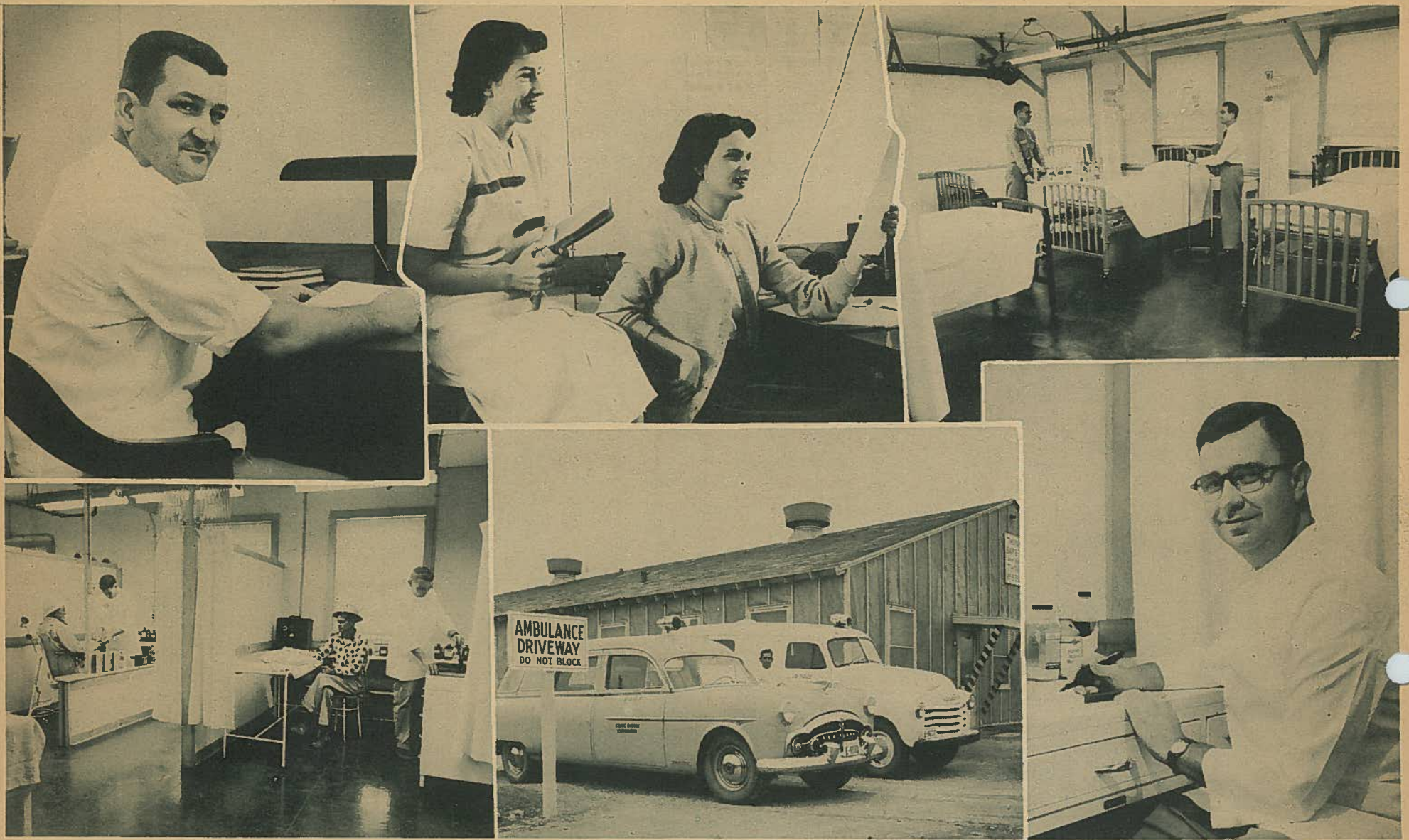
First and second place teams in each of the four "Kiewit" summer leagues were presented individual medals. The winners, runners-up and their captains were as follows: Sunday Mixed League—"Gutter Rats", Charley Tracy and the "Alley Burners", George Pressler; Monday (Mixed League—"The Oaks", Joan Oakes and "The Shultzes", Patty Shultz; Tuesday Men's League — Procurement No. 1, Jim Carr and Reynolds-Newbery Field, Bob Gibbs; Thursday Men's League—"Mudcats", Bill Merrifield and Estimating, William Walters.

## OPERATORS ATTEND PICNIC

A group of PKS Communications Branch operators were guests of the General Telephone Company of Ohio's Waverly office personnel, at a picnic held at Lake White on Thursday, September 10.



These members of the Kiewit "Choraleers" will make their first fall appearance on October 14 in the Waverly High School auditorium. Ray Weisenfluh (standing on the extreme right in the second row) is the director of the popular choral group. The above picture was taken at a recent rehearsal at the Eagles Hall in Portsmouth.



Pictured above are members of the PKS Medical Division staff and parts of the newly completed hospital located in the Personnel Building. Top left is Dr. E. H. Stanley, chief of the Medical Division. Top center photo shows Secretary Phyllis Eastham and Re-

ceptionist Patsy Fannin. Upper right are Jim Gronna (left) and Hospital Superintendent Eugene J. Smith preparing to receive a patient in the hospital's five-bed ward. Lower left, First Aid Attendants Sam Jenkins (left) and Don Pettit administer treatments to

two project employees. Lower center, Driver S. Lucas stands between two of the division ambulances. Lower right picture shows Dr. Harold Long of Jackson. Dr. Long is the second physician on the Medical Division staff.

## CLASSIFIEDS

The following classified ads are free to any Portsmouth Area project employee but must be confined to items on housing, transportation and lost and found.

Phone 171 or 469

**WANTED**—Four riders from Portsmouth to jobsite on 8:00 to 5:30 shift. Contact *Dorothy Wolfe*, Ext. 392.

**WANTED**—Ride from Portsmouth to jobsite on 8:00 to 5:30 shift. Contact *Charlotte Stevens*, Ext. 574.

**WANTED**—Riders to Jackson on 8:00 to 5:30 shift. Contact *Mr. Toothacher*, Ext. 578.

**WANTED**—Riders from Portsmouth to jobsite on 8:00 to 5:30 shift. Leave Portsmouth at 7:00. Contact *J. W. Gura*, Ext. 694.

**WANTED**—Ride or riders from Portsmouth on 7:30 to 5:00 shift. Contact *J. T. Turner*, Ext. 799.

**WANTED**—Ride or riders from Latham to jobsite on 8:00 to 5:30 shift. Contact *Dianna Mustard*, Ext. 171.

**WANTED**—Riders from Portsmouth in vicinity of Chillicothe Street at the underpass, on 8:00 to 5:30 shift. Will make stops at Adm. Bldg. and Area 92. Contact *A. E. Byrnside*, Ext. 420.

**FOR RENT**—Sleeping room with board in West Portsmouth. Ride to jobsite also available. Contact *J. E. Horsefield*, Ext. 745 or West Portsmouth 6253.

**FOR SALE**—2 story home, 3 bedrooms and bath up, shower down. 2 room basement. Lot in back. Contact *R. Locke*, Ext. 392.

**WANTED**—Ride or place in car pool from Pomeroy, Ohio, on 7:30 to 5:00 shift. Phone *Mr. Wallace*, Ext. 297.

**WANTED**—Riders from Portsmouth to jobsite. 8—5:30 shift. Contact *A. M. Rhudy*, Ext. 64.

## Experienced Staff, Complete Hospital Facilities Enable Medical Division To Meet All Emergencies

Hospital and emergency first aid facilities, which are a must on any construction job, are adequately afforded employees of the Portsmouth Area AEC project by the prime contractor, Peter Kiewit Sons' Co., through its Medical Division.

Included at the jobsite, in addition to a modern well-equipped temporary hospital in the Personnel Building, are ten emergency first aid stations. These posts are strategically located throughout the area and are manned by experienced first aid attendants.

The hospital is staffed with two physicians, registered nurses and first aid attendants. Qualified personnel remain on duty 24-hours a day. Diagnostic facilities include an X-ray department and laboratory. Hospital Superintendent Eugene J. Smith said the present set-up will enable the Medical Division to handle any type of illness or injury that might arise on the project.

Smith said the primary function of the Medical Division is to treat employees involved in compensable accidents occurring on the jobsite. Emergency attention will, however, be rendered when required and the patient referred immediately to their personal physician.

Heading the PKS Medical Division is Dr. E. H. Stanley of Jackson. Dr. Stanley received his degree in medicine from the University of Louisville and was engaged in private practice in Jackson before coming on the Portsmouth Area job.

Another Jackson native, Dr. Harold Long, is the other phy-

sician on the staff. Dr. Long graduated from the Ohio State University School of Medicine and served with the Philadelphia General Hospital prior to employment here.

Hospital superintendent for the division is Eugene J. Smith of Savannah, Georgia. He received B. S. and M. A. degrees in public health from Seton Hall and Columbia Universities. Smith also served in a similar capacity with PKS on the Thule, Greenland air base project on which Kiewit was the sponsor company of the joint venture that made up the North

Atlantic Constructors.

In charge of the field first aid stations for the Medical Division is former Army Captain Jim Gronna. Jim is a native of North Dakota and recently completed several years of service with the Army Medical Corps.

### KOCH CHIEF IN HOSPITAL

A. O. Brockriede, chief of Geo. Koch Sons' Relations Division, was admitted to Portsmouth General Hospital on Saturday, September 12, and underwent a major operation on the following Tuesday. Brockriede's condition was reported as good.

*Obey the Signs*

**SLOW SCHOOL**

**Give 'em a Brake!**



### BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn D. Dearing announce the birth of a seven-pound eleven-ounce son named Michael Duane on September 14, at Portsmouth General Hospital. Glenn is employed in the PKS Photographic Section and is a member of "THE ATOMIZER" photography staff.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil C. Ekbe announce the arrival of an eight-pound five-ounce son on September 21, at Mercy Hospital in Portsmouth. Neil is chief of the Indoctrination Branch of the PKS Employment Division.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Phegley announce the birth of an eight-pound two-ounce son named William Joe on August 29 at Mercy Hospital in Portsmouth. Joe is employed as a supervisor in the Accounts Payable Division.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Miller announce the arrival of daughter at Chillicothe Hospital on September 13. The newcomer, named Regina, weighed five-pounds 14-ounces. Miller is employed as a master mechanic with the R. C. Mahon Co.

### WEDGE'S CONDITION IMPROVED

Donald R. Wedge, an interviewer in the PKS Employment Division is convalescing at his home in Carey, Ohio, following several weeks of hospitalization in Portsmouth and Columbus, as a result of a collapsed lung.