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MEET THE MANAGEMENT:

## **Nebraska Native Heads Important Kiewit Personnel Unit Operations**

Playing a major role in the construction job undertaken by Peter Kiewit Sons' Co. for the Atomic Energy Commission is the Personnel Unit, headed by Richard L. Coyne, unit manager.

Comprised of the Labor Relations Department, the Employee Relations Department, and the Medical Division, the unit represents a tremendous task in a project of this size. All employees are of course familiar with the Employment Division, having been processed through its various phases. Other divisions in the Employee Relations Department are Recreation, Wage and Salary, and Housing and Feeding.



R. L. COYNE

The Labor Relations Department handles the union negotiation work and other labor matters. The Medical Division directs the first aid and other medical services available on the project.

Dick Coyne got his first taste of construction work as a laborer during vacations while earning his law degree at the University of Nebraska. A native of Omaha, he spent three years in the U.S. Army Air Corps, seeing active duty during World War II as a B-25 bomber pilot in the Phillipines, Okinawa and Japan. He was discharged a first lieutenant in 1946.

Following his graduation from law school in 1950, Coyne worked as an attorney for legal firms in Lincoln, Nebraska and

Omaha before accepting broader responsibilities in the home office of Peter Kiewit Sons' Co. He was transferred to the Portsmouth project in May 1953 and has since lived in Jackson, Ohio with his wife and small son, Dickie.

Active in sports, Dick is a member of project bowling and softball teams, and admits to being a golfer of sorts. His association memberships include the Nebraska Bar Association, the Phi Delta Phi Legal Fraternity, and the Phi Kappa Psi Alumni Association.

## **Termination, Fine And Jail Sentence** Result From Theft

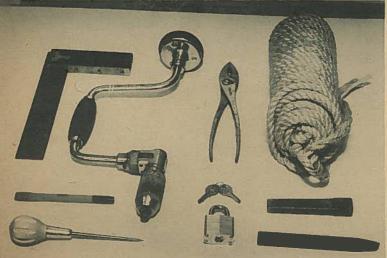
The theft of government property from the project has resulted in the loss of a job, a fine and a jail sentence for one project employee.

The employee, a foreman, was arrested by PKS Plant Protection Division personnel on Wednesday, July 21, and subsequently was tried and convicted of a larceny charge in the court of Mayor A. S. Keechle at Waverly.

The foreman was immediately terminated from his job. As a result of the later trial, he was fined \$100 plus court costs, and given a five-day sentence in the Pike County jail at Wa-

William Gillen, head of the Plant Protection Investigation Section, said that the total value of property stolen by the employee was far less than the fine levied by the court.

Project employees are again officials of the seriousness and used in completing the building. the consequences that arise from the theft of government property from the job.



The items shown above cost an employee his job, a \$100 fine and five days in jail. This government property was confiscated from a project employee who was arrested by PKS Plant Protection officials on the jobsite on July 21.



Pictured above are employees of the Bethlehem Steel Company's Pittsburgh Erection operation at the Portsmouth Area AEC project. In the top picture from left to right are: Field Clerk Lee Lawton, Field Supervisor Ted Wolfe, Field Supervisor Joe Morgan, Welding Superintendent D. M. Hood, General Superintendent J. B. Gibson, General Foreman John Kukoda, Field Engineer Jim Minnich, Office Manager Frank Zundt, Field Supervisor F. Kucharski, General Foreman Bill Shaw. Shown below are several hundred Bethlehem employees attending one of the weekly safety meetings being conducted by Superintendent J. B. "Jim" Gibson.

# Bethlehem Steel Co. Progressing Rapidly On Huge Erection Contract

As construction work at the Portsmouth Area AEC project nears the end of its second year, Pittsburgh Erection of the Bethlehem Steel Company is rapidly progressing on its contract

to erect over 35,000 tons of steel for one of the project's large process structures.

Under Superintendent J. B. "Jim" Gibson, a veteran of many years in the steel erection business, Bethlehem Steel had an employment of 335 men on the job at its peak.

Superintendent Gibson said the huge structure was being erected entirely with bolts. As reminded by Plant Protection estimated 1,125,000 bolts will be Of this number over 900,000 will be the new high-tensile type

> The basic principle of the bolted joint is to clamp steel together tightly enough to hold the loads by friction. This is accomplished by the use of the tensile bolt containing a high amount of carbon.

High tensile bolting has three distinct advantages—adaptability, strength and economy. Bolting is also the fastest method of steel erection. High tensile bolts properly installed are fasteners with a permanence equalling the life of the structure.

Being employed for the first time on the Portsmouth job by Bethlehem are 10 new 40-ton Lima 703-SC erection cranes. These units were especially designed for Bethlehem Company steel erection work.

Of special significance in the Bethlehem operation on the Portsmouth Area project is the excellent safety record compiled

Gibson attributes the company's safety record to what he calls "Good consistent safety meetings and practices and the overall cooperation of the men on the job". Gibson personally conducts the two half-hour safety sessions with his entire force each week, one at the unloading yard and one at the structure

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	TOTAL EN	PLOYMENT
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	14	15

## **Control Barriers** Will Be Installed To Divert Traffic

In an effort to speed up the flow of traffic and eliminate congestion in the Construction Area during shift changes, O. H. Folsom, director of the PKS Project Services Department, has announced a network of control barriers will be put into operation within the next two weeks.

Folsom said control barriers and guards would be used during the shift change periods betweeen 6:30 and 8:00 A. M. and 4:00 and 5:30 P. M.

Employees who arrive and leave from various locations in the Construction Area at these hours should prepare for the new traffic plan to be put into effect in the near future.

Folsom said the new plan is being instituted to force all traffic to flow directly from parking lots to the Perimeter Road without crossing the Construction Area.

All employees parking in lots east of Pike Avenue will be forced to reach the Perimeter Road by travelling only east when the new plan goes into operation.

Employees parking in lots west of Scioto Avenue will be forced to reach the Perimeter Road by moving north, south or west upon operation of the new



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#### "ON CLIMBING OAK TREES"

"There are two ways to get to the top of an oak tree. One is to sit on an acorn; the other is to start climbing." I believe we can all agree that the second method is the only one that promises much hope of success.

Few, if any, of us have a driving ambition to climb oak trees, but I am sure that there are many of us who want to get ahead in

There are two approaches to this problem, too. We can either depend on others, on "luck" or "breaks" (like sitting on an acorn); or we can make a personal effort to increase our knowledge and skill and thus qualify for greater responsibility (like climbing the tree).

This project offers an excellent opportunity for growth and development. Many are assuming more responsibility than would be possible on the average job and have a chance to prove their ability to handle important work. All of us have a chance to increase our ability in whatever job we are assigned.

Taking full advantage of this opportunity is a sound investment in the future. The reward is increased self confidence and personal worth. Both have a direct bearing on our earnings in the years ahead.

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

## **Attendance Expected To Be Large At 2nd Annual Project Family Picnic**

Portsmouth Area employees and their dependents are reminded to make plans to attend the gala 2nd annual Project Family Picnic to be held at the Lucasville Fairgrounds on Saturday afternoon and evening,

Highlighting the afternoon activity will be contests and prizes for young and old alike in front of the grandstand, a project-wide beauty contest and the afternoon. a championship softball game

August 28.

leagues.

Evening events will feature free bingo with prizes and a round and square dance. Families are urged to bring their own picnic basket for the evening meal. However, concession stands will be open on the grounds.

On the list of events in front f the grandstand during the afand greased pig contest, a turtle | Country Club course.

race for the youngsters, nail driving contests and numerous other races and contests that will be fun for all. A singles and doubles horseshoe tournament will also be conducted during

Free pony rides and mechanibetween the top teams in the cal swings will be available on PKS Recreation Division the grounds for the youngsters. Plan now to bring the entire family to the Project Family Picnic on August 28. The Lucasville Fairgrounds are located on old Route 23, one and onehalf miles north of Lucasville.

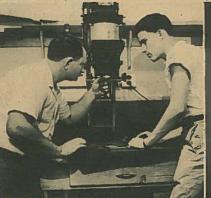
#### BREED. BRUMLEY WIN

Ellis Breed of PKS and Joe Brumley of AEC have advanced to the finals in their respective flights in the annual Portsmouth Elks golf championship ternoon will be a greased pole being played over the 18-hole Donald J. Landstrom. The sec-



Selected to appear in this edition of THE ATOMIZER as a result of its job performance and excellent safety record, is this PKS labor crew. The above crew is employed in the X-330 and X-326 process buildings on stripping cell floor forms. Pictured front row left to right are: H. Barnett, D. Toliver, F. L. Mullins, W. H. Caudill, J. W. Mullins, H. T. Cole and Asst. Craft Superintendent D. Oakley. Back row: Foreman P. W. Bailey, E. W. Ritchie, J. C. Miller, C. W. Miller, E. L. Walls, D. Goad, H. G. Pierce, D. E. Wilson, O. V. Maggard, A. Howard, C. Smallwood and K. Brown.













Shown above are employees of the PKS Photographic Section, under the supervision of Don Landstrom, and some of the processes being performed by that section. In the top photograph are employees of the Badge and Pass Group. Front row left to right are: Jo Lynn Priester, Doris Jean Kelley, Betty Callahan, Peggy Sue Firebaugh, Caroline Seymour and Alice Rice. Back row: Joanne Blevins, Margie Montgomery, Georgie Stokes, George Kennard, George Stone, Jr., Bill Maynard and George Puckett. In the second series of pictures, three of the important jobs being performed by Photographic Section personnel are shown. At left, Glenn Dearing (left) and Paul Leedy check an enlarger in the photographic lab. Center, George Stone (right) is shown fingerprinting George Puckett and at right George Kennard is pictured operating a laminating press. In the lower right photograph are employees of the Photographic Section Group. Pictured in front are C. L. Shrader, Jr., (left) and Betty Lu Russell. Shown behind, left to right, are: Glenn Dearing, Paul Leedy, Harold Parker and Vernon Squires. In the lower left-hand photograph, Photographic Chief Don Landstrom (left) is shown looking over file cards with Badge and Pass Group Supervisor Hal Slaten.

Each of the more than 22,000 various employees currently EXCEED 20,000 MARK employed at the Portsmouth Area AEC project must have an identification badge. This tremendous job, along with the finger

printing of all employees and furnishing practically all industrial, technical and pictorial photographs on the project is the job of the PKS Photographic Section.

A part of the Plant Protection Division, the Photographic Section is under the supervision of tion is divided into Photographic and Badge and Pass groups.

Due to the turnover of employment, clasification changes and loss or mutilation, over 75,-000 badges have been turned out by the Badge and Pass Group since it began operation. To furnish this number of badges, identification cameras have snapped approximately 90,000 exposures.

About one half of the number of exposures made by identification cameras are made into badges and delivered to the employees within a matter of minutes.

On file in the Badge and Pass office and available at a moment's notice, is information on each employee's clearance, identification and badge issues. sible.

This information is particularly necessary when employees lose or misplace their badge.

The Photographic Section also takes hundreds of photographs to keep constant record of job progress for overall reports and special reports to show claims and damages.

Another one of the many tasks performed by the Photographic Section is the taking and printing of nearly all photographic work appearing in each edition of THE ATOMIZER.

The Photographic and Badge and Pass offices are located in the temporary Personnel Building. A photographic lab is also maintained in the Plant Protection Division's security wing.

#### **GLOBETROTTERS IN COLUMBUS**

Ticket arrangements for the giant basketball doubleheader, featuring the Harlem Globetrotters, the NBA All-Stars and Bevo Francis, at Red Bird Stadium in Columbus on August 15, can be made through the PKS Recreation Division. Person wanting tickets or additional information should contact the Recreation Division as soon as pos-

# FORCES ON PROJECT

Figures released by Portsmouth Area AEC officials showed construction employment at the Pike County A-Plant exceeded the 20,000 mark during the month of July.

The construction forces, including cost plus and fixed price contractors, totalled 20,230 on July 17. Of this figure the prime contractor, Peter Kiewit Sons' Co., had 7,848, Grinnell Corporation 6,279, Reynolds-Newbery 2,940 and George Koch Sons 865.

The total manual and nonmanual employment for PKS and the CPFF subcontractors stood at 17,932, with 2,298 being employed by fixed price subcontractors.

The overall employment at the Portsmouth Area project on July 17, including AEC Goodyear, Architect Engineers and Carbide and Carbon, totalled 22,416.

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# SCHUERMAN FIRES 76 TO WIN PROJECT GOLF TOURNA

#### **Smooth-Playing Kiewit Engineer Cops Crown** For 2nd Straight Year

Jack Schuerman of the PKS Construction Engineering Department toured the 18-hole Portsmouth Elks Country Club course in a four over par 76 to lead 50 other golfers in the PKS Recreation Division's second Annual Project Golf Tournament played on Saturday, July

The win was the second for Schuerman who copped last year's low-gross prize by shooting an 80. Schuerman's identical rounds of 38 with a sixstroke handicap gave the smooth-playing engineer the top low-net score of 70. The tourney was played using the Callaway handicap system.

Schuerman's 76 was four strokes better than the 80 gross card turned in by runner-up Clyde Blackburn.

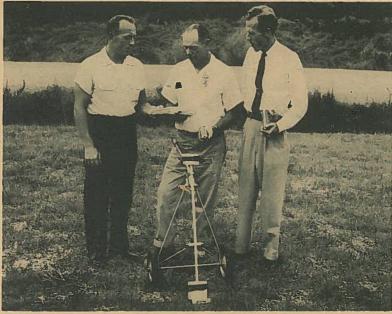
Second low-net honors went to Tom Whitworth, of the PKS General Accounting Division, who posted a net 71.

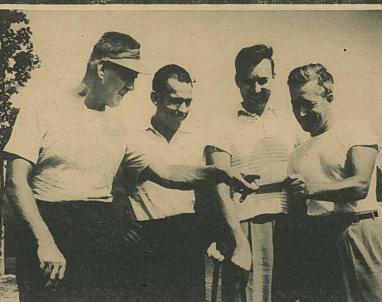
Other awards made by the Recreation Division went to Schuerman who chalked up the most pars (12), Al Larsensecond most pars (10), Ab Wright-most birdies (3), Ellis Breed — second most birdies (2), Cliff Skinner-high gross and Whitworth and Stan Spaulding who tied for second

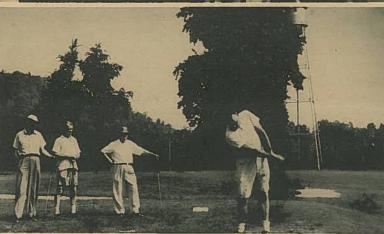
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#### **SHOOTING MATCH SET AUG. 22**

The Sunfish Gun Club, organized and operated by project employees residing at Sunfish Trailer Court, has completed plans to hold its first rifle and trap shooting match, open to all area personnel at the club's range on Sunday afternoon, August 22. Additional information on the match will appear in the next edition of THE ATOMIZER.







Shown above are the winners and some of the activity that took place in the second annual PKS Project Golf Tournament, held at the Elks Country Club course on July 31. In the top picture lownet and low-gross winner Jack Schuerman (center) of the PKS Construction Engineering Department, is pictured receiving his awards from Jack Feck, of the PKS Recreation Division. Looking on is Tom Whitworth of PKS General Accounting Division, who posted the second low-net score. In the center picture shown looking over their scorecard after completing 18 holes of play are, from left to right: Al Larsen, Ron Givens, Bill Noren and Larry Horning. In the lower photograph Phil Stape is shown teeing off, while looking on from left to right are: Tom Hill, Gerry Cline and J. P. Carr.

## **Recreation Division Announces Plans** Winter Bowling

The PKS Recreation Division has requested all employees and their dependents interested in participating in Recreation Division sponsored winter bowling leagues to contact the office as soon as possible.

Recreation Division Chief Luther F. Poling said an effort is is shown. being made to start all of the winter leagues at the same time so that a Project Bowling league and drawing up sched-Sweepstakes, open to teams in all leagues, might be arranged at the end of the regular season.

Tentative plans call for men's loops to be organized in Portsmouth, Jackson, Waverly and Chillicothe. Women's leagues during the day will be formed in Chillicothe and Waverly in addition to couples leagues in Chillicothe and Waverly.

The Recreation Division will also make arrangements for

"duck pin" bowling competition in Piketon if sufficient interest

Meetings of team captains, for the purpose of organizing each ules, will be set during the last two weeks in August. Plans call for all leagues to begin competition during the first two weeks in September.

Persons interested in entering a team or bowling in any of the areas mentioned are urged to contact the Recreation Division, Extension 3442, or stop by the Recreation Division office in the Personnel Building.

- DRIVE CAREFULLY -

#### **Additional Swimmers Receive Certificates** In Aquatic Program

Certificates have been issued to an additional 107 individuals who completed the second "Learn To Swim" program sponsored by the PKS Recreation Division at Lake White.

A total of 39 adults passed the second course, along with 68 children of project employees. Certificates were awarded to 117 children at the end of the first two-week course.

The final test for passing the youngsters was to jump into 15 feet of water and swim 50 feet to safety. The adults entered the water from a boat 100 feet from shore and performed the same feat.

Don Wedge of the PKS Recreation Division said registration for a third two-week program would begin at 9:00 A. M. on Monday, August 9, at the Beachcomber at Lake White. If sufficient interest is present classes will begin the following day. Wedge said perfect attendance during the two weeks was necessary to pass the course.

Following is a list of adults who completed the "Learn To Swim" course:

Mrs. Chester Barnes, Norma Bell, Gary Buckingham, Iona Buckingham, Norma Brown, Danny Burns, Mildred Coffingham, Ed Detillion, Bobbie Dugans, Ann Fleenor, Jo Gregory, Dorothy Gates, Jean Hook, Virginia Hoyt, Elec-nor Holthaus, Vera Johnson, Helen Kephart, Laura League, Janie Martin.

Roberta Pate, Irene Loudon, Lillian Peasant, Evelyn Reppert, Lillian Plue, Dale Paimer, Eloise Rausch, Ada Robinson, Frank Robinson, Eva Mae Shaw, Freda Stout, Willa Smith, Ann Smith, Edna Crew, Elsie Evenson, Betty Horn er, Shirley Calaway, Geraldine Boesen, Anna Hill and June Wright.

Following is a list of children who completed the second "Learn To Swim" course:

Glenn Dugans, Linda Robbins, Ken Barnes, Francis Barnes, Charlotte Chase, Cathleen Costley, Joanne Costley, Susan Donnelley, Jerry Etzell, Deb-by Fish, Cassy Foill, Vicki Gillum, Cin-dy Gates, Marsha Hammons, Mary Hankins, Thomas Locke, Eddie Robbins Marilyn McCann, Carol McDaniel Frank Martin.

Jimmy Pendland, Melody Pickett, Fred Perry, Robert Plue, Wayne Stevens, Frazier Salisbury, Billy Ryan, Bernadette Turner, Roger Turner, Mike Scott, Chris Way, Johnny Weisser, Jack-elyn Brown, Vickie Horner, Lynn Ran-som, Danny Adams, Gerald Arith, Betty Burns, Ronny Bass, Larry Barker, Edward Brown, Leroy Burchwell, Edith Chase, Diane Eastlee, Sharon Eastlee, Linda Edwards, Larry Frizzell, Terry Joyner.

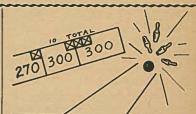
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If you ever see a maintenance man working on a plank that's too thin, or if there's a clear weakness anywhere in his setup,

TELL YOUR FOREMAN B). about it so's to save the guy an accident

THE GREATEST undeveloped territory in the world lies under your own hat.



PORTSMOUTH MEN'S LEAGUE

I EAW	W	L	Pts.
Recreation	24	6	32
Schmidt's T. P.	183	1136	243
Scioto Ranch	181/2	1132	231/2
Dodgers	151/2	141/2	2235
G & V	16	14	21
Subcontracts	15	12	21
High. Equip.	16	14	21
R-N	14	16	20
Medical	1435	151/2	19%
Grinnell	9	21	12
By Jupiters	81/2	181/2	10%
Tin Knockers	732	2235	835
KIEWIT WOM	EN'S	LEA	GUE
TEAM	W	L	Pts.
Spotters	23	13	31
Ten Pins	21	15	28
Atomic Bowl'rs	17	19	23
Old Scioto	17	19	22
Ranchers	15	21	21
Stewburners	15	21	19

# SOFTBALL

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1	TEAM	W	L	Pct.
	Heavy Const.	11	2	.846
	Grinnell Eng.	10	4	.714
	Cashiers	9	4	.692
ı	Clerks	7	6	.538
	Steel Supply	7	6	.538
	Geo. Koch Sons	7	7	.500
1	Procurement	6	6	.500
•	Engineers No.	1 5	7	.417
	Grinnell Fiscal	1	10	.091
l	Engineers No. 2	2 1	12	.077

PIKETON LEAGUE

TEAM	W	L	Pct.
Building Ser.	3	1	.750
Schmidts	3	1	.750
Grinnell Fitters	3	1	.750
Hunter's Ct.	2	2	.500
Waverly	2	2	.500
IBEW	1	2	.333
Piketon PHA	1	2	.333
Given's Ct.	0	2	.000
Goodveer	0	3	000

#### JACKSON-WELLSTON

LEA	GUI	2	
TEAM	W	L	Pct.
PKS	6	0	1.000
Grinnell	6	1	.857
R-N	6	2	.750
R-N Estimating	2	6	.250
Goodyear	2	6	.250

#### **MIXED LEAGUE STARTS AUG. 29**

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The Portsmouth Mixed Bowling League will begin its third season of competition on Sunday evening, August 29 at the Classic Lanes in Portsmouth, it has been announced by league President Ray Sommers. Other officers for the 12-team loop are: Vice Presidents Kay Pressler and George Barber; Secretary George Pressler; Treasurer "Shanty" Rutherford; and Sergeant-at-Arms Sam Horton, Employees wanting to bowl in the Sunday Mixed League should contact the Recreation Division on Extension on Ext. 3442.

- DRIVE CAREFULLY .

### CLASSIFIEDS

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

Phone 3442 or 2887

WANTED—Riders from Cole Grove, Ohio to jobsite on 7:30 to 5:00 shift. Call Robert Barker, Cole Grove 4544W.

WANTED-Riders or to form car pool from Huntington on 7:30 to 4:30 shift. Call Elmer Schaffranek, Ext. 3318.

WANTED-Riders from Portsmouth on 7:30 to 5:00 shift. Call Jim Tracy, Ext. 3531.

WANTED-Two cars to join pool from New Boston or Sciotoville on 8:00 to 4:30 shift. Call Ray Walker, Ext. 3679.

WANTED - Riders from Meades Road or Minford area on 7:30 to 4:00 shift. Contact Phyllis Copley, Ext. 3593.

WANTED — Riders from Columbus on 7:00 to 4:30 shift. Call William F. Gordon, Ext. 2864 or CApitol 10389 Colum-

WANTED — Five riders from Columbus on 7:30 to 5:00 shift. Call UNiversity 9092 after 7:00 P. M. or Ext. 3220.

WANTED-Ride from Sciotodale, Preston Street off Shela Blvd., on 7:30 to 4:00 shift. Call Jolene Hogan, Ext. 3429.

WANTED-Ride from Portsmouth on 7:30 to 5:00 shift to Adm. Bldg. Call C. G. Watkins, Ext. 2502, or Portsmouth 5-

WANTED—Riders or to form car pool from Chillicothe to Adm. Bldg. on 8:15 to 4:45 shift. Call J. J. Komoroski, Ext.

WANTED-Ride for to form car pool from Jackson to Pipe Fab Shop area on 8:30 to 5:00 shift. Call A. L. Asbury, Ext.

WANTED—Riders from Portsmouth on 7:30 to 5:00 shift. Call E. Vasko, Ext. 3260.

WANTED—Riders from New Boston on 7:30 to 4:00 shift. Call Fred Adkins, Ext. 215 or

WANTED—Riders from Rosemont Rd. or en route to jobsite on 8:00 to 4:30 shift. Call Phyllis Bennett, Ext. 206 or 215.

WANTED—Three riders from Waverly on 7:00 to 4:30 shift. Contact Faunce, Column 58P in X-330 Bldg. or at Brown Derby in Waverly at 6:15 P. M. WANTED—Ride from Hunt-

ington on 8:00 to 4:30 shift. Call Halley, Ext. 3338 or Huntington 24759.

LOST—Pair of glasses between X-533 switch house and Headhouse 5. Call D. V. Queen, Ext. 2885, if found.

FOUND - Pair of glasses in Parking Lot D on Friday, July 23. Owner contact Jackie Neff, Ext. 2533.

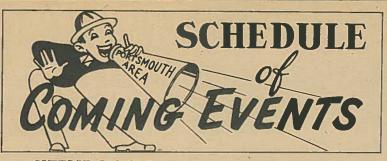
LOST-Gold masonic ring with raised silver emblem. Lost in X-530 parking lot. Finder please return to George W. Fortner, Ext. 2267. Reward offered.

LOST-Gruen wrist watch with Spidel band, disappeared from desk. Please call R. B. Keeler, Ext. 3540.

LOST — Gold ring with ruby stone. Finder please call A. O Brockriede, Ext. 3368.

LOST-Or misplaced by error in wrong car in Parking Lot D —Tennis racket, shoes, tennis balls and clothing. If found, please return to Recreation Division office of contact Dick Miller, Ext. 3530.

WANTED—Riders from Portsmouth on midnight to 8:00 A. M. shift. Call E. L. Minch, Ext.



SATURDAY, AUGUST 7 Piketon Area Picnic—Lake Margaret

Final Day of Scioto County Fair Lucasville Fairgrounds MONDAY, AUGUST 9

Portsmouth Softball League Grinnell Fiscal vs Geo. Koch Sons —No. 3 Field—6:30 P. M. Procurement vs Clerks—Riverside 8:00 P. M.

Piketon Softball League Goodyectr vs Schmidts—8:30 P. M. Givens vs Piketon—8:00 P. M.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 11
Portsmouth Softball League
Cashiers vs Grinnell Engineering—
No. 3 Field—6:30 P. M.
Clerks vs Engineers No. 1—Riverside—8:00 P. M. Piketon Softball League

Grinnell Fitters vs IBEW—6:30 P. M. Hunters vs Schmidts—8:00 P. M.

Wellston Softball League R-N Estimating vs Grinnell Opera-tors—7:30 P. M. WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 11

Portsmouth Softbail League Engineers No. 1 vs Geo. Koch Sons Legion Field—6:30 P. M. Cashiers vs Grinnell Fiscal—River side—8:00 P. M.

Wellston Softball League PKS vs R-N Estimating—7:30 P. M.
Men's Bowling League — Classic
Lanes, Portsmouth—8:00 P. M.
THURSDAY, AUGUST 12
Portsmouth Softball League

Procurement vs Heavy Construction
—No. 3 Field—8:30 P. M.
Engineers No. 1 vs Steel Supply— Riverside-8:00 P. M.

Piketon Softball League Piketon PHA vs Hunter's Court-6:30 P. M. IBEW vs Waverly Jerboans-8:00

Wellston Softball League
Grinnell Operators vs ReynoldsNewbery—7:30 P. M.
MONDAY, AUGUST 18
Portsmouth Softball League

Procurement vs Clerks-No. 3 Field -6:30 P. M.

Cashiers vs Grinnell Engineering Riverside-8:00 P. M. Piketon Softball League Goodyear vs Grinnell Fitters-6:30

Waverly Jerboans vs Hunters—8:00

TUESDAY, AUGUST 17 Portsmouth Softball League Engineers No. 1 vs Geo. Koch Sons No. 3 Field—6:30 P. M. Grinnell Fiscal vs Heavy Construction—Riverside—8:00 P. M.

Piketon Softball League Waverly Jerboans vs Givens—6:30

Piketon PHA vs Building Services 8:00 P. M.

Wellston Softball League PKS vs R-N-7:30 P. M. WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 18 Portsmouth Softball League

Grinnell Engineers vs Procurement
—Legion Field—6:30 P. M. Clerks vs Steel Supply—Riverside —8:00 P. M. THURSDAY, AUGUST 19

Piketon Softball League IBEW vs Goodyear—6:30 P. M. Schmidts vs Givens—8:00 P. M.

Naomi Cooper and Jerry Beasley have announced their wedding at South Shore, Kentucky, on May 29. Jerry is employed in the PKS Concrete Department on the midnight shift.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Newman have announced the birth of a seven-pound four-ounce daughter named Tammie Lynn at Mercy Hospital in Portsmouth on July 23. Bill is employed as a dispatcher in the PKS Heavy Construction Division.

Martha Johns and Dale Downing are announcing their engagement of July 12. Martha is employed in the PKS Tabulating Department and Dale on the PKS Guard Force. No date has been set for the wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McKinney of Jackson have announced the birth of a seven-pound six-ounce daughter on July 13, at Chillicothe Hospital. McKinney is a principal engineer in the Grinnell Corporation's Planning, Scheduling and Control Divi-

WANTED-Riders or two cars to join pool from Latham on 7:30 to 4:00 shift. Call Diana Mustard, Ext. 3442.

WANTED—Riders from Waverly on 7:30 to 5:00 shift. Contact Rich Moore, Ext. 921 or Waverly 7R.

WANTED-To join car pool from Ashland, Ky., on 8:00 to 4:30 shift. Contact P. J. Hash, Ext. 3394.

WANTED-Riders or to form car pool from South Shore, Ky. to jobsite on 7:30-4:00 shift. Contact Charles Watts, Ext. 27-

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# **Project Operates 24 Days Without Lost-Time Injury**

Construction forces at the Portsmouth Area project completed 24 straight working days, totalling 2, 797, 520 man-hours, without sustaining a lost-time accident from June 25 through July 19, it has been announced by PKS Safety Department able to do. Chief J. F. Madura.

The total for the string of 24 accident-free days fell just short of the necessary 3,000,000 manhours and the 30 consecutive days required by the National Safety Council to be presented with an "Award of Merit".

Peter Kiewit Sons' Co. was presented a National Safety Council "Award of Merit" during 1953 when project construction forces worked from January 23 through March 23 inclusive, without a lost-time injury.

Madura expressed his thanks on behalf of PKS, to the supervisors and men of all contracting companies on the project for their untiring efforts in compiling the recent accident-free period of 24 days.

"Our department is doing everything possible to make working conditions safe on the job, but the men and supervisors in the field are the only ones who can actually prevent accidents," said Madura.

#### CHILLICOTHE BUS DISCONTINUED

Effective August 1 Greyhound bus service between the Portsmouth Area project and Chillicothe was discontinued due to lack of business. If sufficient interest should materialize in the future, officials said the service would be reinstituted. Employees should contact the PKS Project Services Department if they wish the service to start once again.



Shown checking a portable ladder platform being used by Reynolds-Newbery electricians in the construction area, is Electrician G. M. Wolfe (left) and Welder F. Shinn. The devices which are being made on the job enable electricians to work for longer periods of time and with much more ease on ladders. The stands which have been praised by the PKS Safety Department, will fit on any standard ladder rung.



Fate began to overtake Joe Joe we can finish this job 'way that Monday morning when he ahead of schedule." decided he could save time by not tying-off his ladder. It took five days to catch him. Yes, the seed of carelessness began to bloom in Joe on Monday. That Tuesday Joe was a little cocky because he had finished the shift the day before about six columns ahead of the other mem-

bers of his crew. His foreman didn't help matters any when he reach an extra foot and save mygave Joe a pat on the back for the extra work he had been This went on for a couple of more days. Then on Thursday

the foreman called his crew together for the weekly 10-minute safety meeting. After about 10 minutes, during which he served as a group discussion leader about the chances of the Dodgers and the Yankees, the foreman was heard to remark, "O. K. men, let's get back to work and lead out and start hustling like man."

The men went back to work. None of them mentioned that Joe had been breaking safety

regulations. Plenty of them thought about it though. Joe couldn't help grinning to himself as he scrambled up his ladder and began working with renew-"Hell," he thought, "I can

self moving the ladder twice every column, and I'll really give that foreman something to talk

Friday was pay day. Everybody was in a good mood-until Joe fell, that is. They already had a blanket over Joe when the ambulance arrived. He had been killed instantly when he hit head first on the concrete floor. Everybody was standing around not saying much. The foreman was there too. He was telling don't forget to work safe. And his superintendent, "it was a by the way, if you men get the tough break, Joe was my best



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