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DR. ROBERT C. SEAMANS, JR., Administrator of the Energy Research and Development Administration (ERDA) issued the following statement in response to press reports about a petition sponsored by the Union of Concerned Scientists. The petition called for curtailment of nuclear power plant construction. "Inasmuch as I have not received a copy of the petition, my comments can only be based on reports in the press.

"The potential of nuclear power is too great and our future energy needs too demanding to let our determination now lag because of the problems remaining to be overcome. The implications of a nuclear slowdown are alarming to the long term energy well-being of the Nation. We need not only this energy source, but also clean-burning coal, synthetic fuels, solar, fusion and all the other promising energy sources as well as an aggressive conservation program.

"Nuclear energy ranks in the forefront of these sources. The state of engineering development now is certainly adequate to justify greater use of nuclear power plants in the years ahead as we continue to work out the remaining uncertainties."

ENERGY CONSERVATION has been demonstrated in many unique fashions. J. R. HOWERTON, D-761; D. E. MAUK, D-701; and L. J. SAVAGE, D-761, decided to demonstrate their support of energy conservation and get some exercise at the same time. On July 31st they walked from plantsite to Savage's home in Lucasville in approximately four hours.

WE ALL KNOW how hard it is to fight temptation and save our money. But when you buy United States Savings Bonds through the Payroll Savings Plan where you work, the fight is over. Before you know it, you're sitting on a nest egg for all those "human" things that always come along. Like education, retirement or that dream vacation. The Payroll Savings Plan. It's temptation proof.

V. J. DeVITO, D-510, completed 25 years of service on August 10 and J. L. BLAKEMAN, D-424, achieved the 20-year plateau on the 15th.

UNIQUE AND UNUSUAL GIFTS, from Blimp jewelry to racing jackets, can be ordered through Recreation from the "Goodyear World of Rubber" gift center in Akron. To see the large list of items available, see JIM HAMILTON.

DAVE DONER of Lake Worth, Florida, former Manager of Industrial Relations and retired Director of Personnel for Goodyear U.K., played in a tennis tournament during a recent visit to Wolverhampton, England, on a holiday. He and his partner won the doubles competition.

LIGHTNING! GOLFERS BEWARE! Lee Trevino, Jerry Heard, and Bobby Nichols recently found out the hard way what every golfer should know -- the golf course is no place to be during a lightning storm. The three professionals were lucky. They received only minor injuries after being struck by lightning during the recent Western Open Golf Tournament in Oak Brook, Ill. Many other golfers aren't as lucky.

There are ways to avoid possible injury from lightning while on the golf course. When a lightning storm threatens, take cover, preferably in a building. Stay away from small sheds in exposed areas and isolated trees or clumps of trees. Golfers should abandon their carts and clubs during a storm and remove shoes with spikes. Do not raise an umbrella or carry a club, as both are excellent conductors of lightning. If lightning should strike a person, he should be given immediate first aid.

PROGRESS IS BEING MADE to modernize the telephone system at GAT. We presently have on order an electronic switching system (ESS) which makes available the latest in modern-day telephone service and results in much more efficient service.

WHO'S WHO IN MANAGEMENT

JOHN G. (JACK) CRAWFORD, Superintendent of Uranium Operations, is responsible for decontamination, oxide conversion facilities, uranium recovery operations, chemical cleaning, converter stabilization, laundry, aluminum melter, feed vaporization, fluorine generation, and uranium materials handling. He reports to C. A. MENTGES, Manager of the Production Division.

A graduate of West Virginia University in 1951 with a Bachelor's degree in Chemical Engineering, Jack was hired as an Assistant Foreman in the process area in September 1953. He made subsequent moves to Foreman in May 1954; Assistant Cascade Coordinator in February 1955; General Foreman, Process Area, in April 1955; Cascade Coordinator in April 1956; Supervisor of Chemical Operations in September 1963, and to his present position in June 1974.



Jack and his wife, Joan, live at 307 East Third Street in Waverly, Ohio. His son, John, Jr., and daughter, Marianne, are students at Ohio State University. This time of year Jack's favorite hobby, swimming, takes up most of his free time. He is the Pike County Chairman of the Red Cross Water Safety Program, in addition to being a Certified Water Safety Instructor and Director of the Pike County Swim Club.

GAT NAMES AND FACES IN THE NEWS



H. D. BAUMGARDNER



N. H. HURT



J. EYRE



S. SECREST



A. REMY

H. D. BAUMGARDNER completed thirty-five years of Goodyear service on August 19. Harry is Supervisor of the Cashiers Department in the Finance Division.

N. H. HURT has been named to the Board of Directors of the Ross County Medical Center.

JOE EYRE is Camp Program Chairman for the Chief Logan Reservation (Ross, Pike, Jackson and Vinton County Area Scout Camp). It was recently the recipient of a National Standard Flag, emblematic of the highest possible ranking.

SID SECREST has for the last several years been the Camp Director for Boy Scout Camp Oyo of the Scioto Area Council.

AL REMY has been made the Commanding Officer for the Naval Reserve Surface Unit 4-107M in Portsmouth, Ohio.

THE INCREASE in information about fellow employees is appreciated.

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