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THE BLOODMOBILE'S semi-annual visit to plantsite will be on September 22 and 23. To eliminate long waiting periods, pre-scheduling will be handled by calling Extension 2505 on September 16 and 17 for an appointment time. On the day of the visit, donors not pre-scheduled will have to call Extension 2238 to determine when they can fit into the schedule. Please donate and insure the continuation of our Company's blood program.

ERDA expects to award a construction contract in the near future to Titan Southern Services Construction Company on the basis of the company's low bid of \$4.9 million for the new Environmental Sciences Laboratory in Oak Ridge, Tennessee, which will house the staff and research facilities of Holifield (Oak Ridge) National Laboratory.

U. S. ENERGY production during the first 5 months of 1975 was 4 percent below the same period last year. Natural gas showed the greatest drop, 9 percent, while crude oil was down 5 percent. Partially offsetting these declines was a 2 percent rise in coal output. Although nuclear power contributes only 3 percent of our energy production today, it increased 71 percent over the first 5 months of last year.

BY HOLDING driving speeds down to the new 55-mph limit, Americans have done more than save gasoline. According to Jack Recht, statistics manager for the National Safety Council, traffic deaths on our highways dropped from 55,800 in 1973 to 46,200 last year -- 17 percent or 9,600 human beings. Recht also said that two out of three drivers prefer the 55-mph limit and are continuing to observe it.

MICHAEL ORLETT (D-521) recently received a U.S. Patent in work he had done at Eli Lilly & Co. before he came to work at GAT. The patent number is 3,725,661 and was issued on "Dinitrophenylazides as Herbicides."

THE 1975 ALL-IN-ONE CAMPAIGN will be held from October 2 through the 9th. SUZANNE ADKINS of D-542 will assist in promoting this year's campaign as Miss All-In-One. JOE RHEA of the UPGWA, BOB ISAAC of the OCAW and KEN ZEIGLER will be the Co-Chairmen of the Company's Fund Drive. Pledge your fair share when you are contacted.

W. S. COOLEY, D-541, will complete twenty years of service on September 19.

FEDERAL ENERGY ADMINISTRATION has expanded a program designed to prevent unlawful gasoline price hikes during this month's peak summer driving period. FEA compliance officers have been ordered to make more spot checks at gasoline stations to assure dealer compliance with new regulations calling for clear and accurate posting of octane levels and gas prices on each pump. In addition, 48 telephone numbers around the country have been opened to handle consumer complaints and inquiries about gasoline prices and availability. Offices are open from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. Our nearest location is Chicago, Illinois, and the phone number is 312-353-8779.

JOHN HOWERTON, D-761, Chairman of the Jenny Wiley Trail Conference in South Shore, Kentucky, will be responsible for handling a \$150,000 project to develop the trail into a public recreation site.

DURING International Women's Year and in connection with our Nation's Bicentennial celebration, I offer the following question. Who was the first woman to appear on a United States postage stamp? Since the establishment of the U. S. Postal Service, relatively few American women have been honored by having their picture appear on a postage stamp. The first woman to receive this honor was Martha Washington whose portrait was placed on an 8¢ dark lilac stamp issued on December 6, 1902.

WHO'S WHO IN MANAGEMENT

JOHN A. BRACKEY, Superintendent of Plant Engineering, is responsible for engineering assignments associated with plant modifications and additions. This includes engineering estimating, cost control, and scheduling. General, Mechanical, Project, Electrical and Instrument Engineering are other vital parts of our plant operations under his direction. Mr. Brackey reports to G. D. ALTHOUSE, Manager, Plant Engineering and Maintenance Division.

John received his Bachelor of Science degree in Electrical Engineering from the University of Wisconsin. He was employed by Goodyear Atomic in 1953 as Supervisor of the Electrical Engineering Department of Plant Engineering. In 1962 the Instrumentation Engineering Section was placed under his supervision. In March of 1971 he was named to his current position.



John and his wife, Edna (Secretary to GAT's Deputy General Manager, N. H. HURT), live at 3330 Seneca Drive, Portsmouth, Ohio. They have a son, Thomas, and are members of the Trinity Methodist Church. John spends most of his free time working on home improvement projects.

GAT NAMES AND FACES IN THE NEWS



R. J. REED



R. W. BROWN



V. J. DeVITO



C. FERGUSON



G. WILLIAMS

R. J. REED, Manager, Finance Division, spoke to the Goodyear Women's Christian Fellowship for their August meeting. Mr. Reed's message was on the attitudes of people today.

R. W. BROWN will be the guest speaker at the Chillicothe Kiwanis Club on September 30.

VINCENT J. DeVITO has prepared a paper entitled "Material Surveillance and Verification Program at a Uranium Enriching Plant" which is to be included in one of the sessions at the International Symposium on Safeguarding of Nuclear Material in Vienna, Austria, October 20-24, 1975.

CARL FERGUSON has been named a member of the Ohio University Public Broadcasting Advisory Council. Its function is to oversee the University's radio and television programming and objectives.

GORDON WILLIAMS decided to postpone his GAT Men's Championship Match until he and his son, Eric, arrived in the State of Florida, where Eric is going to attend college. This was possible because his son was his opponent. Gordon was the victor and won an expense paid trip home.

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