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Personnel

George H. Nichols has been promoted to General Foreman, Material Distribution & Control, within the GCEP Recycle/Assembly Division. He reports to E. V. Clarke Jr., supervisor.

Cassandra N. Spradlin has been promoted to Supervisor, GDP Environmental Safety and Health, reporting to R. L. Shepler, plant manager. Donald E. Bossow Jr. has been promoted to Supervisor, GCEP Environmental Safety and Health, reporting to R. A. Burkley, plant manager.

Effective April 1, several individuals have been promoted to the position of Shift Superintendent, reporting to R. A. Burkley, GCEP plant manager. They include John D. Delabar, H. G. Johnson III, Franklin R. Perry, William F. Potts, John F. Wettstein and Howard L. White.

Doy L. McCrary has been promoted to Supervisor, Process Maintenance (D-156), for GCEP, reporting to J. J. Eyre, manager, GCEP Maintenance Division.

Alvin D. Officer has transferred to Organizational Effectiveness (D-062), on special assignment. In this position, he reports to R. A. Steinberg, supervisor.

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Alan R. Thompson, Computer Operator II (D-446) to Programmer, Trainee (D-447).

Teresa K. Osborne, Personnel Clerk II (D-621) to Secretary II (D-010).

Jeanne M. Galford, Clerk II (D-366) to Personnel Clerk II (D-621).

Cynda A. Lightle, Mail Clerk (D-454) to Computer Operator I (D-446).

Jean M. Moorman, Data Entry Operator II (D-446) to Peripheral Equipment Operator II (D-446).

Gail E. Wolfe, Secretary I (D-116) to Secretary II (D-210).

Degrees, Honors and Awards

Paul E. Cross, section head, Process Systems Engineering, Central Engineering (D-563), received a master of science degree in chemical engineering from Ohio University on March 19. Paul completed the graduate degree program with a 4.0 grade average.

Larry D. Williams, Industrial Relations (D-611), received a "Cubmaster of the Year" award for Shawnee District, Boy Scouts of America, at a district recognition dinner April 7. Larry now serves as Cubmaster for Pack 53 at South Webster.

Andrew N. Herron, supervisor, Test & Inspection (D-210), received a Meritorious Service Award in March from the Eaton Crossroads (Tennessee) chapter of Ruritan Club. The Ruritan Club is a national organization, similar to Kiwanis, which serves rural communities. Drew joined the Eaton Crossroads chapter in 1977 and has served as vice president, president and on the board of directors. The Eaton Crossroads chapter supported various community groups and is responsible for the construction and maintenance of an eight-acre community park.

Clubs and Organizations

The Goodyear Atomic Top Ten Club visited Marysville Feb. 24. A total of 24 club members toured the Honda motorcycle plant in the morning and then the Goodyear Marysville belt plant that afternoon.

Community Activities

Mary Idzakovich (D-151) and Romaine Newsome (D-004) were responsible for presenting the Secretary of the Year award at the Office Education Association awards luncheon at Lake White on March 24. Both are officers in Professional Secretaries International (PSI).

A total of 427 Pike County residents "put their best foot forward" to walk a total distance of 16 miles in the annual March of Dimes "Walk America" conducted in Waverly March 27. The activity raised \$11,000. Goodyear Atomic employees participating included Buck (D-313) and Shirley (D-452) Walter, Bob Neeley (D-533), Rhonda Ogden (D-843), Millie Rucker (D-568), Bonnie Brohard (D-533), Debby Young (D-851) and Jerri Ragland (D-816). The Goodyear Atomic team, in competition with 10 other Pike County businesses, finished first in the Team Walk category by completing the 25-kilometer walk in four hours. Members of Bob Neeley's Waverly Boy Scout Troop 76 received a Community Service Award for their efforts in the activity.

Jim Armstrong (D-551), Arturo Cardenas (D-521), Roger Jackson (D-551) and Norman Reiter (D-521) volunteered their time to judge Southeastern Ohio Regional Science Fair projects in the junior and senior divisions at Ohio University, Athens, on Saturday, April 9.

Dave Nickel (D-623) and Paul Seufzer (D-520) participated in judging the senior level Science Fair at Bishop Flaget High School, Chillicothe, on March 19.

Nine employees served as judges in sectional olympics for VICA, Vocational/Industrial Clubs of America, at Pike County Joint Vocational School on March 5. Subjects judged were personnel interviews, extemporaneous and prepared speeches. Judges included Connie Eckhart (D-441), Joe Carver (D-477), Ed Hartnett (D-010), Joyce Hopper (D-621), Larry Latta (D-116), Mark Miller (D-116), Phyllis Sikorski (D-741), Kermit Prince (D-729) and John Schultz (D-733). All but Schultz and Hopper are members of the Capital Chapter of Toastmasters International, Waverly.

William R. Miller, vice president, Government/Personnel Relations for GT&R, has been elected to a three-year term for Blue Shield Ohio Indemnity Mutal Corp. Miller joined Goodyear Atomic as an engineer in 1953, and was transferred to the Tire Division as an instructor in 1962. He was elected vice president in June 1980. Miller serves on the boards of the Akron Roundtable, Akron Community Trust, United Way of Summit County, Children's Services Board, Goodwill, and on the advisory board of Atlanta University Center Science Research Institute.

James P. Spriggs, supervisor, Safety (D-376), was been selected for Voting Membership for a one-year term by the Ohio Society to Prevent Blindness. Voting Members of the Society meet semi-annually to elect directors, receive reports and transact other business.

Speakers' Bureau

V. J. DeVito (D-801) and E. R. Wagner (D-377), along with W. L. Walker and S. S. Perkins (both of DOE-PPO), presented a special continuing education seminar for elementary and high school teachers from the Kent, Ohio, area on Saturday, April 16.

Eugene A. Niziol, supervisor, Data Processing (D-446), participated in a Career Day at Northwest High School, McDermott, on April 8. More than 200 students expressed an interest in computers in their future during the program.

Connie A. Eckhart, Information Management (D-446), spoke at the March 30 meeting of 25 members of the Central Ohio Council on Office Automation (COCOA) in Columbus. Her discussion encompassed the office automation efforts at GAT and a slide presentation covering Goodyear Atomic and the nuclear industry.

Jane A. Wyskiver (D-842) and Patrick Donini (D-447) discussed nuclear industry careers during a career conference for 8th graders at Waverly High School on April 15.

Jane Wyskiver (D-842) and Donna Kniss (D-006), of Women for Energy, discussed America's energy future for Waverly chapter of American Association of University Women on April 19.

Obituaries

Robert F. Rickey, 61, Portsmouth, March 24. Rickey was foreman, Utilities Operations (D-852), with a continuous service date of June 22, 1953. He is survived by his wife, Marie.
 John C. Dirmeyer, 40, Papillion, Neb., March 28. Son of Samuel W. Dirmeyer, former GAT shift superintendent who retired in 1974. Samuel and Virginia Dirmeyer live in Waverly.
 Harry C. Langebrake, 86, Bradenton, Fla., March 31. Father of Clair O. Langebrake (D-551) and grandfather of Larry C. Langebrake (D-713).
 Frank E. Baker Jr., Waverly, April 2. Baker was an engineer, senior (D-562), who joined Goodyear Atomic in February 1968. He is survived by his wife, Carolyn.
 Elsie Collins, 78, Raleigh, N. C., April 8. Mother of R. A. Collins (D-001).
 Marilyn Cremeans, Wheelersburg, April 12. Wife of Maurice Cremeans Jr. (D-814).

Service Milestones

30	George H. Nichols	225	05/04/53	10	Dennis E. Adkins	422	05/14/73
	Everett C. Gearhart	720	05/11/53		Charles R. Brown	727	05/14/73
	Glen G. Kizer	725	05/11/53		Donald R. McGoon	728	05/14/73
	Howard M. Cutright	310	05/18/53		Beulah F. McQuesten	446	05/14/73
	James M. Pieper	071	05/25/53		Paul D. Phillips	731	05/14/73
	Clay B. Burkholder Jr.	566	05/25/53		Alonzo Schramm	752	05/14/73
					Adrian S. Kessinger	725	05/21/73
20	Daniel D. Adkins	823	05/01/63		James C. Montler	446	05/29/73
					Merlyn L. Hanson	535	05/29/73
15	Michael J. Orlett	521	05/01/68				
				5	James R. Boyce	310	05/01/78
10	Paul T. Adams	734	05/07/73		Chris Paolucci Jr.	450	05/08/78
	Okey T. Harrison	110	05/07/73		Hugh E. Ruel	713	05/08/78
	James E. Walker	828	05/07/73		Terry D. Boland	313	05/30/78

New Employees

April 11, 1983	Brent B. Potts	105	Engineer
	Rita Y. Morris	010	Industrial Relations Staff
	Bradley W. Teeters	556	Engineer
	Wanda G. Moore	441	Word Processor I
	Patricia A. Armmel	441	Word Processor I
	Robin S. Dunham	441	Word Processor I
	Frankie T. Coriell	105	Clerk I

Cost Reduction

The following employees submitted ideas through the Cost Reduction "I"dea Program March 28 through April 8, 1983: R. W. Smith (D-312), C. E. Whitfield (D-523), E. D. Dalton (D-641), M. T. Sparks (D-741) and M. D. Wickline (D-826).

New Arrivals

Daughter, Keri Ellen, Feb. 26, to Rick and Meleisa (D-477) Clark.
 Daughter, Lindsay Nicole, March 8, to Joseph (D-823) and Karen Howard.
 Daughter, Miranda Anne, March 13, to Michael (D-222) and Debra Johnson.
 Son, Bryan Allen, March 14, to Tony (D-712) and Robin Profitt.
 Son, Anthony Nathan, March 16, to Roy (D-460) and Peggy (D-447) Hatten.
 Daughter, Jennifer Marlene, March 19, to Teddy (D-110) and Donna Woodruff.
 Daughter, Hannah Elizabeth, March 26, to Randy (D-829) and Pam Evans.
 Daughter, Erin Elizabeth, March 28, to Robert (D-411) and Donna Cranston.

*m/c Peggy Junkin
 m/c Erwin Edison
 Fiber Class
 Shevoda's
 Call back
 office lunch*

Family

Mark Wagner, a sophomore at Ohio University and the son of Virginia L. Wagner (D-366), has been selected to receive a full tuition scholarship by the university. He was selected by Distinguished Professor of Chemistry William D. Huntsman, who selects one student for the scholarship each year. Mark also will receive one of the sophomore awards given by the Upper Ohio Valley Section of the American Chemical Society. Mark was graduated as valedictorian of Valley High School in 1971. He is enrolled in the pre-med curriculum, majoring in chemistry, at Ohio University.

David L. Mell, son of Stewart A. Mell (D-411), was graduated cum laude with a bachelor of science degree in mechanical engineering during recent commencement ceremonies at The Ohio State University. He plans to work as a nuclear power engineer with the Consumers Power Co. in Jackson, Mich.

Home and Auto -- News from Goodyear

The interest of Goodyearites in the American Motors 1983 model supplier employee purchase "S" Plan that can result in savings on the purchase of a new AMC, Jeep or Renault vehicles continues to run high across the country. Many, however, are encountering difficulties because they are not obtaining the purchase plan agreement claim form before making a deal as required. A car dealer's participation is voluntary, and Goodyear employees must determine whether a dealer will honor the plan in advance of signing a sales agreement. To participate in the automaker's "S" Plan, which allows you to buy at four percent above dealer cost, plus some additional charges, you first must obtain a purchase form from Goodyear's AMC Coordinator in Detroit. Then, after locating a participating dealer, take in the form and work out the price according to the instructions on the back of the form before signing the sales agreement. AMC advises you to see the factory invoice and fully review all charges with the dealer to assure you're paying the proper amount. Any trade-in allowance would be negotiated individually, and will be lower than normal because dealer margin is low on the new car deal. Goodyear advises that it probably would be to your advantage to sell your trade-in vehicle on your own. The program, offered only to personnel of AMC's major suppliers, is available to full-time employees with at least six months of service, retirees with at least 10 years of service and workers on layoff less than six months. Send your request for a purchase plan agreement claim form, complete with your name, address, Social Security number, job title, plant and years of service, to: Mr. Sid S. Holmes, The Goodyear Tire & Rubber Company, 6500 Mt. Elliott Avenue, Detroit, Michigan 48211. For additional information, contact Donna Gadwa at (313) 267-5538.

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