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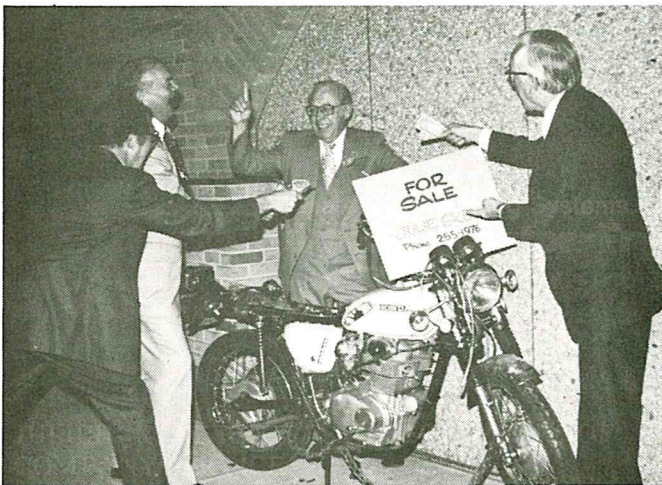
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## JULIUS SKENE RETIRES AFTER 31 YEARS OF COMPANY SERVICE . . .



Honored at his retirement party, held Wednesday, October 12, Julie Skene shares the limelight with his wife Judy.



“Going to the highest bidder” — one slightly used motorcycle which Julie Skene never really learned to ride. A fractured shoulder prevented him from attaining professional ranking.

THE SUBJECT IS . . . “Surface Preparation Systems and Technology” (including discussion on Shop and Portable Blast Cleaning Systems) as presented by “Duke” Mallory, Manager, Technical Development-Marketing, early last week at the 26th Paint Short Course — University of Missouri, Rolla Extension Division. The five-day course was presented to painting contractors, paint inspectors, maintenance engineers, paint specifiers and architects.

FINISHING '77 was the theme of the recently held seminar by the Society of Manufacturing Engineers. Fred Baldauf, Industry Manager-Transportation, and Carter Dreves, Manager of Public Relations, addressed the group on the “Principles of Blast Cleaning” with an emphasis on steel plate cleaning.

ITT GRINNELL, Statesboro, Georgia requested an In-Plant Training Session for their plant personnel and we obliged with instruction by Gene Tarabek, Ardee Freeman, Kate McKeown and field personnel Hank Gibson and Gary Weil. In two, four-hour sessions over 60 ITT personnel participated in the training sessions.

AND, THIS WEEK in Phoenix, Arizona, Al Van Huffel, Product Manager-Portable Systems addressed the Industrial Committee of the American Painting and Decorating Association on “Centrifugal Blast Cleaning Systems” — emphasizing the development and use of the Blastrac systems.

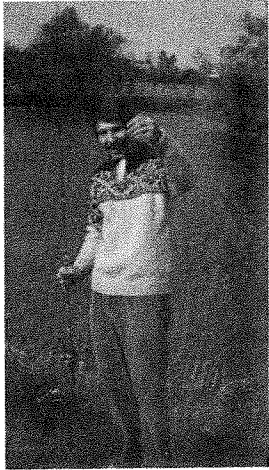
JACK WEISS, General Sales Manager-Balcrank Products, has been elected to the Board of Directors, Reid Tool Supply Company, Muskegon Heights, Michigan.

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY to STANLEY R. HARKINS (Olsen Balance Machine Operator-Machine Shop) who celebrates 15 years of company service tomorrow.

NEW FACES . . . Welcome aboard to: MARY LOU MULDOON, Accounting Clerk; DANNY L. CAIN, Cost Accountant; DENNIS L. SOMERVILLE, Draftsman; LARRY A. WILCOX, Manager-Production and Inventory Control; PHILIP S. HICKS, District Manager-Blastrac; NANCY A. SABADE, Blueprint Machine Operator; and CYNTHIA L. OSZA, Clerk-Engineering (Co-op Student).

THOSE WHO SAY they know everything have not yet begun to learn something.

DOWN ON THE FARM . . .



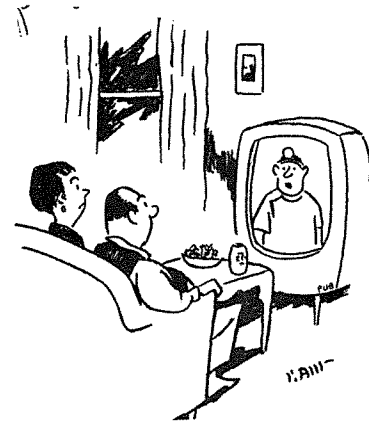
Sales Trainees Mike Dingman, Jr., and Kate McKeown displayed new talents several weeks ago when, along with other Trainees, they enjoyed a day in the country at Service Trainee Wayne Zumbaugh's farm. (Mike — we hope you threw that poor little fish (?) back in the pond!"

ON THE SPORTS SCENE . . .

**TUESDAY BOWLING LEAGUE** — Engineers (L. Baker, R. Kanouse, G. McNeile, D. Soviak, K. Rohleder) and Checkmates (R. Rothy, R. Barrier, J. Jenczewski, H. Mayes, C. Barnes) have tied for the lead. High Team for 3 Games: Stockroom (B. Trytko, C. Bargo, R. Celie, J. Medich, G. Scott, A. Kristowski) with 2851. High Team Games: Inspection (S. Griggs, D. Karnes, R. Holbert, D. Maloney, R. Kronewitter) with 1058. High Individual 3 Game Series: With a 633, Ben Trytko. High Individual Game: B. Trytko and H. Mayes tied with a 244. 200 Games for the Week: B. Trytko (206), A. Kristowski (201), M. Rutkowski (207), and L. Baker (202).

**DOING THE WORK OF THE LORD . . .** A politician said to Horace Greeley one day: "I am a self-made man." "That, sir," replied Greeley, "relieves the Almighty of a terrible responsibility."

**YOU CAN SUFFOCATE** a thought by blanketing it with too many words.



"Feeling tired, headachy, listless, worn out? Then why don't you shut off the TV and go to bed?"

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