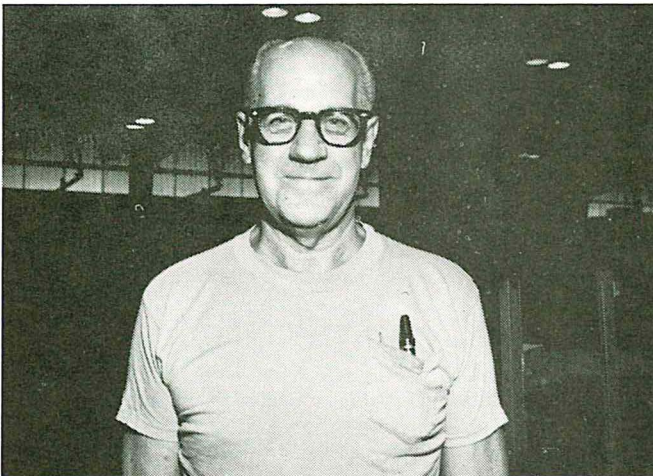
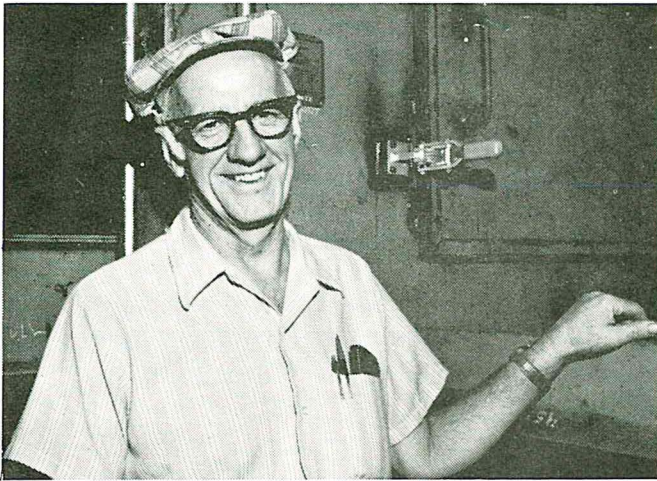


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BIDLACK AND SMITH CELEBRATE 35 YEARS OF COMPANY SERVICE . . .



Joe Bidlack (top), Assembly Foreman and Ralph Smith (bottom), Carpenter-South Shipping, marked 35 years of company service last week. Congratulations Ralph and Joe!

LYNCHBURG FOUNDRY, Virginia was the scene early this week for a two-session "In Plant Training" for all the foundry's operating and maintenance personnel. Conducting the sessions were Ardee Freeman and Gene Tarabek, Mishawaka and Hank Gibson and Gary Weil, Southern Region.

LAST CHANCE . . . Last chance to see your Athletic Association rep and buy your ticket for the Annual Picnic — TOMORROW - Wander Conservation Club - 12 Noon-6:00 P.M. — ONLY \$2.00 per family.

ALTERNATE FUEL SYSTEM FOR WHEELABRATOR . . . Installation of two 30,000 gallon propane tanks and accompanying equipment is underway. **Objective:** To increase our ability to have operations functioning as efficiently as possible during natural gas curtailment periods. Expected completion date — August 27.

APPOINTMENTS . . .

James M. Converse has been named Manager of Plant #2. Jim comes to us from Clark Equipment Company, Buchanan, Michigan, where he held a number of positions; most recently, Manager of Clark's steel foundry. Jim holds a B.S. degree from Central Michigan University and has completed graduate courses in industrial engineering. He is a member of the American Foundrymen's Society, currently serving on the Board of Directors for the Michiana Chapter.

Bill Blazak, former Manager of Plant #2, will concentrate on special projects, pending reassignment within the company in the near future.

ADIOS AMIGOS . . .



To strengthen our Latin American marketing efforts, Jesus de la Garza (l.), General Line Sales Engineer-Wheelabrator de Mexico, S.A., and Luis Carlos (r.), Sales Manager-Wheelabrator Sinto do Brazil, were specifically selected, because of their abilities, to come to Mishawaka and learn firsthand about our marketing know-how. The men returned this week to their respective countries.

ZAKROCKI BIG WINNER . . .



Chester Zakrocki (Light Assembler-Balcrank) won first prize (\$100 Savings Bond) in the recent Julianna Club Plant Raffle. l. to r. Ruth Rohleder, Club Treasurer; Bob Miller, drawer of the lucky names; Chet; and Alta Myers, Chairman of the Raffle. Other winners include: Mary Dentino and Ann Claeys, \$50 Bonds; Orval Nappier and Lori Pfender, \$25 Bonds. All proceeds from the raffle go to the Julianna Club Scholarship Fund.

ON THE SPORTS SCENE . . .

DAWN GOLF LEAGUE — August 1 results — Low Individual Scratch-41 J. Christy; Low Individual Net-33 C. Wallace; Low Team Scratch-87 Team 6 (C. Barnes, R. Hense!); Low Team Net-74 Team 2 (B. Karling, C. Wallace). **Don't forget** to contact Tom VanDeWalle or Mike Hillebrand regarding reservations for the League Outing September 11.

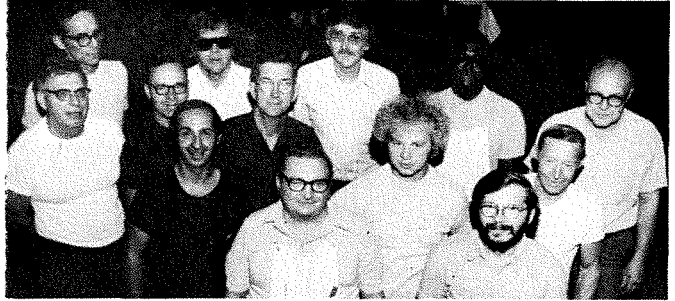
TWILIGHT GOLF LEAGUE — July 25 and 27 results — Tie for Low Individual Scratch-39 John Baker and Chet Herman; AND a tie for Low Individual Net-31 Will Young and Bill Klein.

WFI's PROFIT SHARING PLANS REVIEWED . . .



The Administrative Trustees of WFI's Profit Sharing Plans held their quarterly meeting in Mishawaka last Friday. The men reviewed Plan performance and considered advice from Wes McCain (Investment Advisor) regarding investment strategy. From l. to r., J. E. O'Callaghan, Wesley McCain, Thomas Loughlin, Paul Montrone, Marc Stern and Peyton Houston.

JUNE SAFETY CONTEST WINNER . . .



Congratulations to Team 5, winner of the June Safety Contest. Team 5 is comprised of Machine Shop Turret Lathe Operators from all three shifts. Representing the team, for our photographer, are men from the first shift.

LOCAL BOY MAKES GOOD! Don't forget to catch Tony Peters' act at the Pletcher Village Art Festival — Art and Craft Marketplace — Thursday-Sunday, August 11-14, 9:00 A.M. till twilight daily, Amish Acres (1 mile west of Nappanee on U.S. Highway 6).

FORECAST . . . Continued warm with widely scattered thunderstorms both days (but not between noon and 6:00 P.M. Saturday!), highs in the 80's, lows in the 60's.

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