

the Wheelagram



Materials Cleaning Systems Division
Wheelabrator-Frye Inc.

VOL. I NO. 4
MAY 13, 1977

IMPROVED BLASTRAC PRODUCTION FACILITIES COMPLETED . . . Increased working area, created by combining two "in process" staging areas, is now in use; equipped with multi-tiered storage racks (taking advantage of high ceiling height) for added storage capacity without substantially increasing floor space. Floor area formerly occupied by one of the staging areas, now being used for production and testing of Blastrac machines.

SIGNIFICANT SALES IN SAND RECLAMATION SYSTEMS . . .

Dussault Foundry, Lockport, New York — jobbing shop producing small castings; Goyne Pump Co., Inc., Ashland, Pennsylvania — manufacturing pumps for coal mines and other energy-related fields; and Wellman Dynamics, Creston, Iowa — producing high-integrity aluminum and magnesium castings for the aircraft industry. Increased activity in this market has been influenced by the Sand Reclamation Seminars recently held in Mishawaka for all equipment sales engineers.

WE'RE NO. 1 . . .



Larry Renbarger (r), Treasurer of the Irish Youth Hockey League, presents Ralph Sanford (l), Manager of Industrial Relations, a plaque in recognition of Wheelabrator's sponsored team winning the Midget Division Championship.

NOTHING IS QUITE SO ANNOYING as to have someone go right on talking when you're interrupting.

LET'S PARTY! . . . tomorrow night at the ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION ANNUAL SPRING DANCE — BK Club, 9:00-1:00 A.M. — ONLY \$4.00 per couple.

FOND FAREWELL . . .



ENOCH FETERS, Auto Truck Mechanic-Maintenance, surrounded by well-wishers at his retirement farewell last Friday. "Roundy" has 36 years of company service.

CELEBRATING COMPANY ANNIVERSARIES this week are . . . W. H. Doty (Steel Shop) 35 years; F. G. Brown, R. L. Britton, C. W. King (Steel Shop), C. K. Melton, E. O. Ridenour (Stores and Receiving), E. J. Nietek (Assembly) 15 years. **HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!**

ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEMBERS . . . Chet Herman, Superintendent-Steel Shop Fabrication and John Vasein, Chief Welding and Metallurgical Engineer, have been appointed members of the "Advisory Committee" to the Welding Program of the South Bend Community School Corporation's Central Career Center. Advisory Committee activities are directed toward closer cooperation between business and education in providing vocational training and placement for young people in our community.

TUESDAY, WHEELABRATOR's Bud Halle, Larry Holcombe, Rick Kanouse, Bob Melkey and Gene Tarabek at-

(Continued on back page)

tended a foundry maintenance seminar — sponsored by Industrial Belting and Supply, South Bend — on maintenance and operation of bulk handling conveyor systems.

FRED BALDAUF, Industry Manager-Transportation, spoke on "Applications of Centrifugal Blast Cleaning Equipment" this week at the Society of Manufacturing Engineers' '77 International Engineering Conference and Tool & Manufacturing Exposition, Detroit.

APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS . . .

Ward Correll, most recently Supervisor of Applications Engineering, has been named Manager of Engineering Services. Ward will work closely with the functional areas of the Division as we progress with Parts Classification, modification to our Bill of Materials system, changes in Part Numbering card, and evolution of an Engineering Graphics system.

Tom Burmeister has been appointed Supervisor of Applications Engineering. Most recently Tom had served as Project Manager in the Engineering Department.

Dave O'Dell has been promoted from Product Engineer of Balcrank Products to Project Manager, Engineering Department.

Tom Fritz has been promoted to Financial and Marketing Systems Manager. Tom was recently recruited from Clark Equipment Company. Since joining us he has concentrated on improving our payroll systems, converting Garden City Fan to our computerized payroll systems and developed and implemented an improved automated pension system.

Linda Goodrich has been promoted from Invoice Audit Clerk, Accounting to Expediter, Purchasing.

Lucy Winnie has been promoted from Clerk-Typist to Senior Purchasing Clerk.

Norman Baloun has been promoted from Scheduling Supervisor to Production Planner.

BALCRANK AREAS 1821, 1831, 1841, 1851, 1871, and 1881 APRIL SAFETY CONTEST WINNERS. Congratulations!

LIGHTS, CAMERA, ACTION! . . . Personnel from the Air Pollution Control Division were in Mishawaka last week to film segments for a capabilities film. Filming took place in Manufacturing and R & D.

SMOKE DETECTORS — AND WHERE TO PUT THEM . . . If you've been pondering whether to purchase a

smoke detector, a new government pamphlet may be helpful. The eight-page guide explains how smoke detectors work, how they're powered, and how and where to install them. For your free copy, write to "Detectors," Consumer Information Center, Pueblo, Colorado 81009.

DEFINITION OF A BOSS: "A man who comes to the office late when you're early and early when you're late."

FROM THE WORLD OF GOLF . . .

TWILIGHT LEAGUE — May 2 and 4 results — Everything stable this week — none of the Low's were topped. At this point, after three weeks of play, Team 3 (D. LaPlace, B. Gibbens, R. Coleman, S. Sinders) is in First Place with 8 points.

DAWN LEAGUE (Finally hitting the links after being rained out for two weeks) — May 9 results — Individual Low Scratch-45 Cal Barnes; Low Team Scratch-94 (R. Hensel, C. Barnes).

BOY SCOUT SHOW AND CAMPOREE . . . TOMORROW, 4-H Fair Grounds, 12:00 Noon-8:00 P.M., \$1.00 donation for "non-Scouters." Bob Miller, Personnel Director, is Ticket Chairman for the event. Go out and see Scouting in action!

HAWAII + SUNTAN OIL = BLASTRAC? . . . That's right — you read it here! A 1-8D is removing suntan oil from Hawaiian hotel patios — night air causes the oil to become damp and slippery — a safety concern.

LOST AND FOUND . . . Missing your car keys? A set was turned in last Friday to Margaret Ping, Personnel. For that matter, Margaret seems to be the keeper of a number of unclaimed items. Worth a check to possibly recover a long-lost treasure.

LIFE IS FUNNY . . . If you're rich and you have two jobs, you're diversified. If you're poor, you're moonlighting.

FORECAST . . . Not to be undaunted by the jeers and the razz following last week's forecast — we predict continued fair and mild weather, low in the 50's, high in the 80's.

Published weekly by and for employees of Materials Cleaning Systems Division.

Wheelabrator-Frye Inc.
400 South Byrkit Avenue
Mishawaka, Indiana 46544

Del Tenney, Editor Ext. 397