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THE MATERIALS CLEANING SYSTEMS DIVISION WAS HOST TO 23 GUESTS FROM JAPAN'S ACME INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY.

Directly tied to South Bend's Acme Institute, the Japanese division specializes in Tool and Die design.

In addition to 15 of Acme's students from Japan, also on hand for the visit were an instructor, an interpreter and a representative from the company which prints the text-book materials for the school's educational program.



Ken Rinkenberg (I) and John Earl (r) explain the "Wheelabrator Way."



## SERVICE ANNIVERSARIES . . .

Executive Secretary **Ruth Rohleder** was honored by Accounting co-workers September 14, the day marking her 30 years of company service.

To Ruth, Glen, and Bill: Congratulations!



Glen Martin Semi-Layout, Steel Fabrication 40 Years (Sept. 10)



William Koontz Manufacturing Foreman, Plant 2 25 Years (Sept. 12)



Ruth Rohleder Executive Secretary Accounting 30 Years (Sept. 14)

Dine and Dance . . . At the WFI Athletic Association's Fall Dinner Dance, Saturday, October 4, St. Patrick's Parish Hall, 308 South Scott Street, South Bend. Only \$15 per couple. (Dinner reservations and monies must be turned in to your AA rep no later than Tuesday, September 23.)

"IT'S A SMALL WORLD"... But it will be a big crowd at the Julianna Club's card party if we all support its fund-raiser. Scheduled for Thursday, October 2, 7:00 p.m., Marian High School. Patron Tickets are selling for \$1.25 each, Admission Tickets \$2.25 each. See the following gals today for your tickets: Wanda Stutzman, Elaine Grau, Karen Sikora, Willie Parker, Kay Catanzarite, Lorrie Pfender, Laurie Hardy, Lucy Brunson, Helen LaDow, Barbara Moon, and Rena Lester.

# PLANS FOR UNITED WAY DRIVE UNDERWAY . . .

Members of our employee United Way Committee are turning their attention to directing the annual United Way drive scheduled for October 13-14.

Last year "we beat our best" with 10.7 percent increase over the previous year's contributions and a 6.8 percent increase over our 1980 goal of \$60,600. Wheelabrator employees went over the top as they pledged a total of \$64,721.84 to the campaign. Let's have a repeat performance!

Our year-round United Way committee members include:



(Photo 1 to r) Howard Snyder, Mary Lou Rethlake, Karl Zimmer, Millie Boehnlein (hidden), John Gottlieb.



(Photo 1 to r) Ed Walesiewiez, Larry Arndt, Kelly Tucker, Chuck Johnson, Sophie Kinney, Al Skwiercz

#### **PUZZLE CORNER**

Henry and Mary are newlyweds. He is 24 and the odd thing is that he is twice as old as Mary was when he was as old as she is now. How old is Mary?

### Solution to the September 12th puzzle:

If eight men smoke eight cigarettes in eight minutes, how long will it take seven men to smoke seven cigarettes?

Answer: Eight minutes!

#### WINNERS VS. LOSERS

**THE WINNER** is always part of the answer **THE LOSER** is always part of the problem

THE WINNER always has a program THE LOSER always has an excuse

THE WINNER says "LET ME DO IT FOR YOU"
THE LOSER says "THAT'S NOT MY JOB"

THE WINNER sees an answer for every problem
THE LOSER sees a problem in every answer

THE WINNER sees green in every sandtrap

THE LOSER sees two or three sandtraps near every

THE WINNER says "IT MAY BE DIFFICULT BUT IT'S POSSIBLE"

THE LOSER says "IT MAY BE POSSIBLE BUT IT'S TOO DIFFICULT
BE A WINNER!

#### TIPS FOR ENERGY SAVERS — In the laundry room:

You can save considerable amounts of energy in the laundry through conservation of hot water and by using your automatic washers and dryers less often and more efficiently

#### **Washing Machines**

Fill washers (unless they have small-load attachments or variable water levels), but do not overload them

Use the suds saver if you have one. It will allow you to use one tubful of hot water for several loads.

Don't use too much detergent.
Follow the instructions on the box.
Oversudsing makes your machine work harder and use more energy.

Pre-soak or use a soak cycle when washing heavily soiled garments. You'll avoid two washings and save energy.

Wash clothes in warm or cold water, rinse in cold. You'll save energy and money. Use hot water only if absolutely necessary.

#### **Clothes Dryers**

Fill clothes dryers but do not overload them.

Keep the lint screen in the dryer clean. Remove lint after each load. Lint impedes the flow of air in the dryer and requires the machine to use more energy.

Keep the outside exhaust of your clothes dryer clean. Check it regularly. A clogged exhaust lengthens the drying time and increases the amount of energy used.

Separate drying loads into heavy and lightweight items. Since the lighter ones takes less drying time, the dryer doesn't have to be on as long for these loads.

If drying the family wash takes more than one load, leave small, lightweight items until last. You may be able to dry them, after you turn off the power, with heat retained by the machine from earlier loads

Save energy by using the oldfashioned clothesline. As a bonus, clothes dried outdoors often seem fresher and cleaner than those taken from a mechanical dryer.

Dry your clothes in consecutive loads. Stop-and-start drying uses more energy because a lot goes into warming the dryer up to the desired temperature each time you begin.

#### Ironing

Remove clothes that will need ironing from the dryer while they still are damp. There's no point in wasting energy to dry them thoroughly if they only have to be dampened again.

You can save ironing time and energy by "pressing" sheets and pillow cases on the warm top of your dryer. Fold them carefully, then smooth them out on the flat surface.

Save energy needed for ironing by hanging clothes in the bathroom while you're bathing or showering. The steam often removes the wrinkles for you.

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