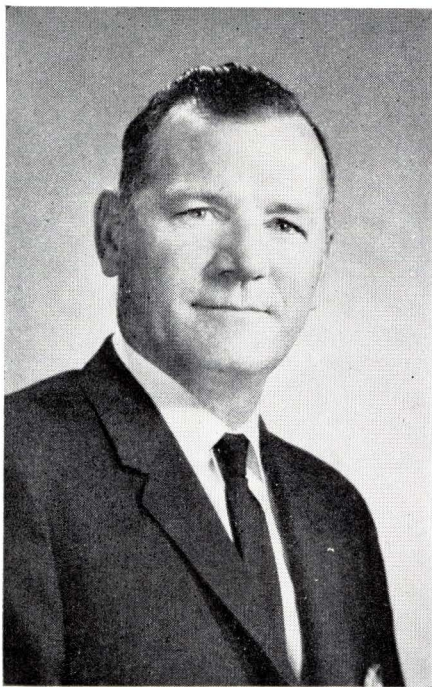


The Foundry Roundup

OCTOBER, 1967





From the PRESIDENT'S DESK...

Fellow Employees:

There is a certain quality in some people which makes them a good team member whether it be at play or in the workshop. This quality is usually inherent in a Winner.

In a football game, the coach would call it "team spirit." On the school campus, the student or professor refers to it as "school pride." In the armed services, the soldier or sailor expresses it as a phrase called "esprit de Corps." But in this work-a-day world, it is merely called "loyalty."

On the wall in Mutt Barr's office is a plaque containing these famous words by Elbert Hubbard:

"If you work for a man, in heaven's name work for him; Speak well of him and stand by the institution he represents. Remember, an ounce of loyalty is worth a pound of cleverness.

If you must growl, condemn and externally find fault, why—resign your position.
And when you are outside, damn to your heart's content—But as long as you are part of the institution do not condemn it.

If you do, the first high wind that comes along will blow you away and probably you will never know why."

I don't believe there is another quality more important to the success of an organization than the loyalty of its employees. Let us strive to make and keep our Company and ourselves a winner in this game of competition by working together with a loyal attitude, and doing our job each day to the best of our ability.

ROBERT L. POLAND

Homemade ORNAMENTS Brighten YULE TREE...

IT'S not too early to be thinking about Christmas, especially so far as the women are concerned. THE FOUNDRY ROUNDUP offers the idea of doing something just a little different.

This year why not make ornaments that the Christmas tree can wear during the holidays and you can wear later as jewelry when the tree is long gone. They are merry, they are "mod" and the cost of the making so modest. What's more, it's so simple, such fun and currently so IN to turn out boutique-type trinkets that every member of the family, from youngest to oldest, will want to get in the act.

Here's how to proceed. First, make a clay which is concocted of two of your household staples—baking soda which you use in baking, as a dentifrice, for cleaning and whatnot, and cornstarch.

Combine thoroughly in a saucepan 2 cups of the baking soda and 1 cup of the cornstarch; then add 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ cups cold water. Mix until smooth. Bring to boil over medium heat, stirring constantly. Cook a minute longer or until mixture resembles moist mashed potatoes. Transfer to a plate and cover with a damp cloth.

When cool enough to handle, knead a little, roll out to $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch thickness on a board and start creating. Since you can use cookie cutters for your shapes—stars, triangles, circles, animals, etc.—no particular talent is needed and even the smallest hands can turn out pieces worthy to be hung on the tree with pride.

For a bas relief effect, cut out smaller pieces with aspic cutters or bottle caps or mold free hand, moisten and press into pre-cut larger shapes. Etch patterns with tip of knife or paper clip. Insert a twisted loop of wire into one edge for hanging.



ORNAMENTS for the Christmas tree to wear now, and which you can wear later as jewelry when the tree is gone, are made of clay concocted of baking soda and cornstarch. The whole family can get in on the fun of making them

Ornaments will harden overnight. To hasten process, place on wire rack in warm (350 degrees) turned-off oven for a half hour.

Paint in swinging shades with water color or tempera; and for a ceramic-like finish, dip in clear shellac, spray with clear plastic, or brush on clear nail polish.

Now onto the tree they go for gay, carefree (they're fireproof) adornment. When dismantling day comes round, instead of packing them away in a carton for year-long hibernation, tuck them into milady's jewelry box. The larger pieces can be worn as pendants with a chain or a length of velvet ribbon strung through the twist of wire. Or glue a pin to the backside for a big, brazen brooch. Smaller pieces can dangle fashionably from ears, hooked onto Five-and-Dime-bought earring backers. They're frivolous, fun and IN accoutrements to accent a wardrobe or to give as gifts for birthdays or as donations to charitable sales and bazaars.

Shop Talk

JAMES MATTHEWS, Machine Shop, second shift, had two dates to celebrate in the same week. His wife baked a birthday cake and sent it to James and his co-workers on October 1. Then on October 5, he and his wife celebrated their second wedding anniversary. The shop boys thought it was a good idea about the birthday cake, and wish other wives would take the hint.

We extend our sympathy to the DiStephano family in their recent bereavement. VICTOR DiSTEPHANO, Tool Room, lost his brother, Pete DiStephano. Also, the deceased was the father of CHARLES DiSTEPHANO, a new employee on second shift, Trailer Division.

There are several ways to get ahead in this world, but one of the oldest is to be Johnny-on-the-spot to your supervisor—or at least that's what they tell us. Not taking any chances on the truth of that statement, PAT PARRISH, Machine Shop, was on hand to greet his boss, AL MALLONEE, when he arrived at the airport from his vacation. He carried Al's luggage which consisted, among other things, of golf clubs, balls, and assorted recreational tools, to his car and drove Al home.

As Pat says, a little courtesy always pays off—one way or the other!

We all were saddened to learn of the death of PFC George Edward Overshine, who was killed in Vietnam on September 29. He was the son of WEBB OVERSHINE, Foundry department. Webb himself has been off from work for many weeks with a serious eye injury.

PFC Overshine was the third casualty of the Vietnam War from Angelina County. He was buried in Augusta, Texas, with military honors.

Congratulations to Kenneth Ray Robertson, son of CLAUDE ROBERTSON, Machine Shop, who was married to Janice Lee Childress last month.

Our sympathy is extended to SEYMOUR CURTIS, Foundry department, upon the death of his daughter, Mrs. Betty Jo Groves.

Our congratulations to CLIFFORD LEE HAMILTON, Engineering department, upon his engagement and ap-



MR. & MRS. JAMES MATTHEWS
... celebrating 2nd. wedding anniversary

proaching marriage to Barbara Ann Stringer. They will be married November 24. Clifford is the son of Mr. and Mrs. CHARLES C. HAMILTON; Charlie is manager of the Trailer Parts department.

When GUY POWELL retired on September 29, his fellow workers on the pumping unit assembly floor of the Machine Shop gave him a surprise going-away gift certificate. A. J. HAVARD, foreman, and thirty-some-odd men in that department got together at the close of the shift and wished Guy a long and happy retirement, presenting him a gift certificate to buy something that would brighten his leisure hours. The report is that Guy was truly surprised and pleased.

An employee brought us the following bit of good reading, and we are passing it on to you. It's entitled "A SHORT COURSE IN HUMAN RELATIONS."

"The six most important words: I admit I made a mistake.

The five most important words: You did a good job.

The four most important words: What is your opinion?

The three most important words: If you please.

The two most important words: Thank you.

The one most important word: We.

The least important word: I."



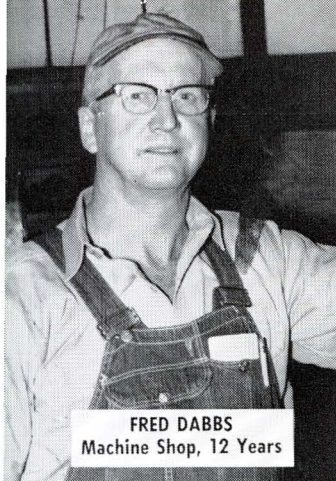
GUY POWELL, center wearing white shirt, was presented a gift certificate upon his retirement by his co-workers on the pumping unit assembly floor in the Machine Shop

Left: **BARBARA ANN STRINGER** and **CLIFFORD LEE HAMILTON** . . . to be married November 24

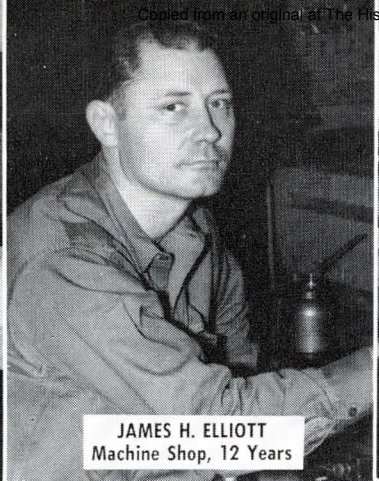


The "Big B Jamboree" held every third Saturday night at Burke is still going great guns. They have enlarged the building, and still there is standing room only when the folks down that way come to listen to the picking and singing. Many Foundry employees take part in the program as well as fill lots of the seats as listeners. W. F. CRAGER, Welding & Structural Shop, is master of ceremonies, and extends everyone a welcome to come to the Jamboree. There is no admission charge, which is most unusual these days. Folks who have attended the event say this is the most entertainment at no cost to be found in the state of Texas.

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FRED DABBS
Machine Shop, 12 Years



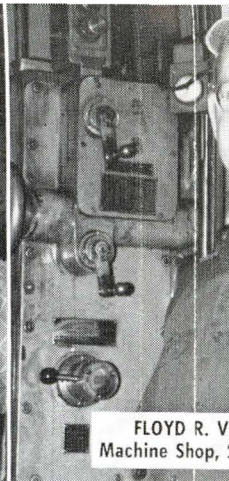
JAMES H. ELLIOTT
Machine Shop, 12 Years



BARBARA PLETCHER
Mill Supplies, 18 Years

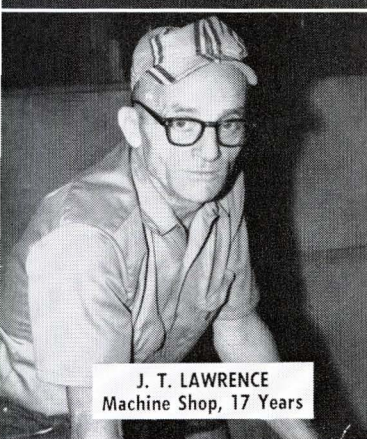


VICTOR STEPHANO
Tool Room, 16 Years

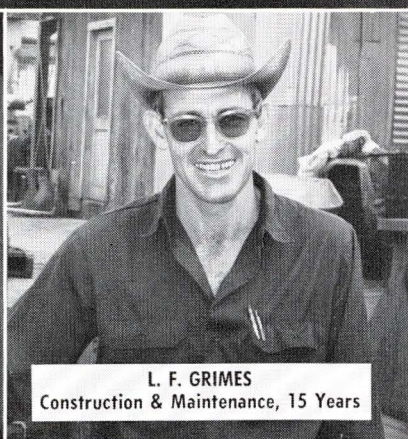


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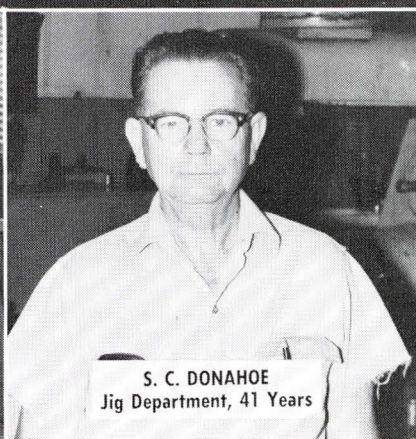
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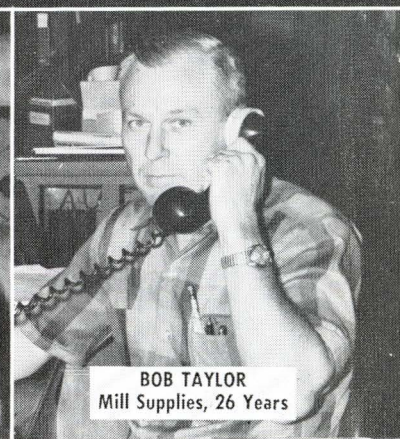
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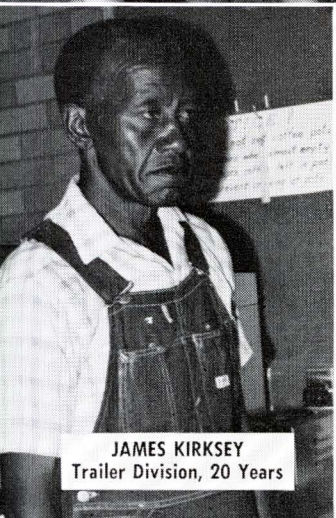
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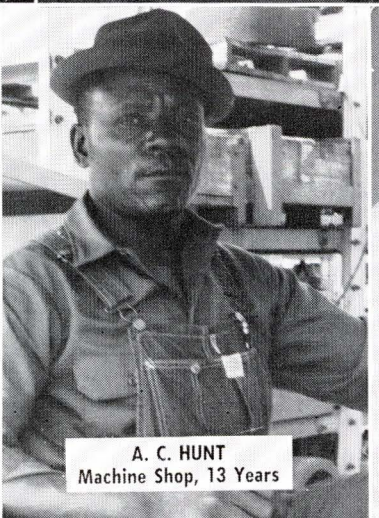
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Jig Department, 41 Years



BOB TAYLOR
Mill Supplies, 26 Years



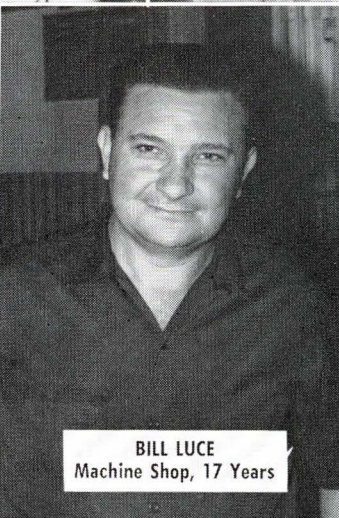
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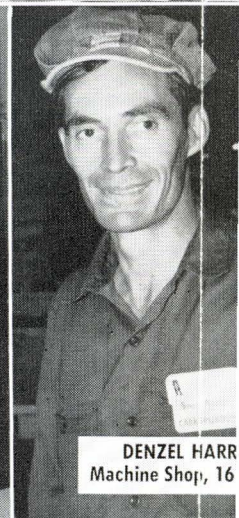
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Machine Shop, 13 Years



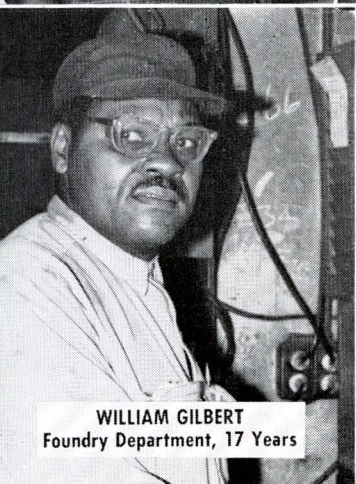
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Accounting Department, 20 Years



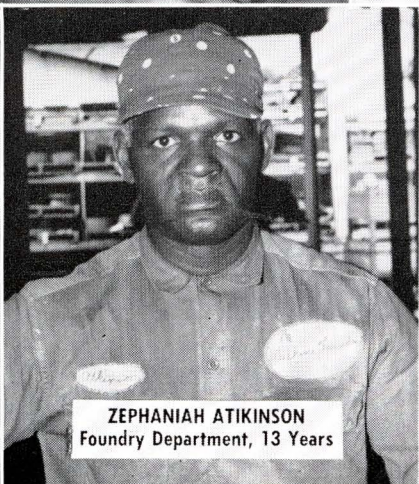
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Machine Shop, 17 Years



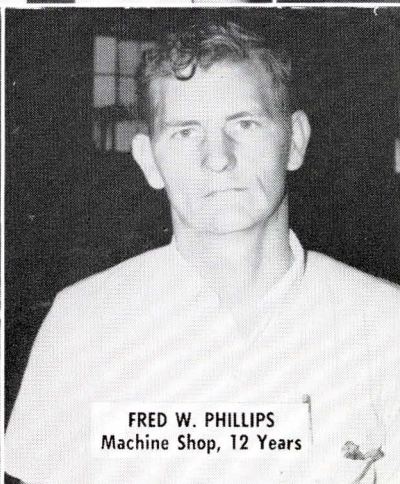
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Machine Shop, 16 Years



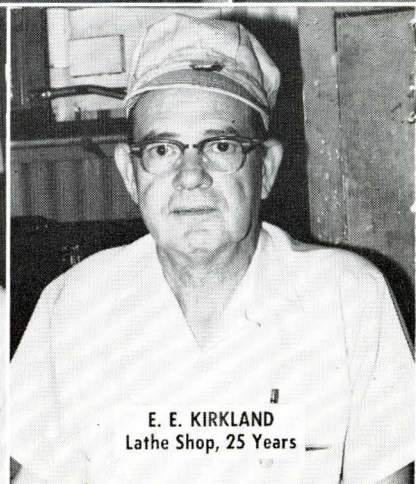
WILLIAM GILBERT
Foundry Department, 17 Years



ZEPHANIAH ATKINSON
Foundry Department, 13 Years



FRED W. PHILLIPS
Machine Shop, 12 Years



E. E. KIRKLAND
Lathe Shop, 25 Years



R. VANN
Shop, 21 Years



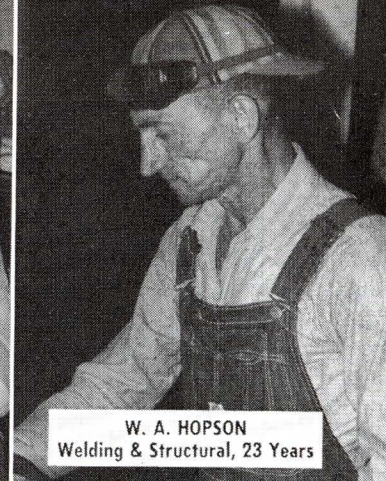
BILLIE T. BELL
Truck Driver, 20 Years



CLETIS FULLER
Engineering Department, 25 Years



T. L. VANSAN
Jig Department, 26 Years



W. A. HOPSON
Welding & Structural, 23 Years

20 YEARS OR MORE



C. M. RUBY
Machine Shop, 26 Years



ROBERT BURROUGHS
Mill Supplies, 15 Years



BURNICE SCARBOROUGH
Trailer Division, 17 Years



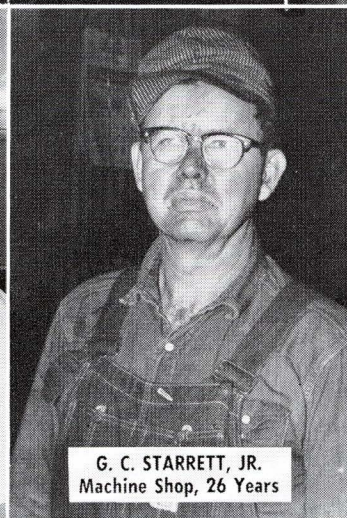
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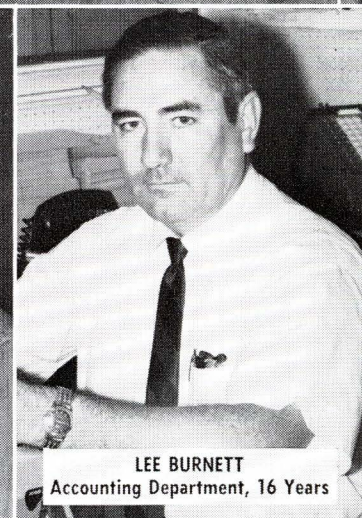
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Shop, 16 Years



EARL DOVER
Trailer Division, 12 Years



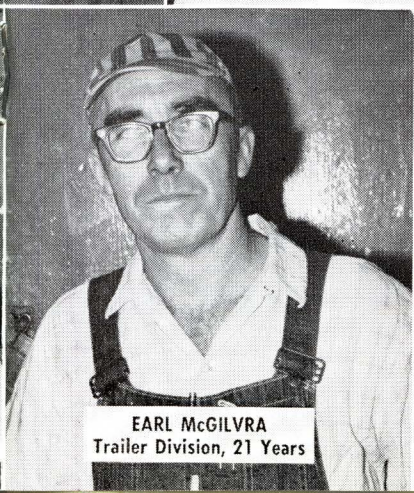
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Machine Shop, 26 Years



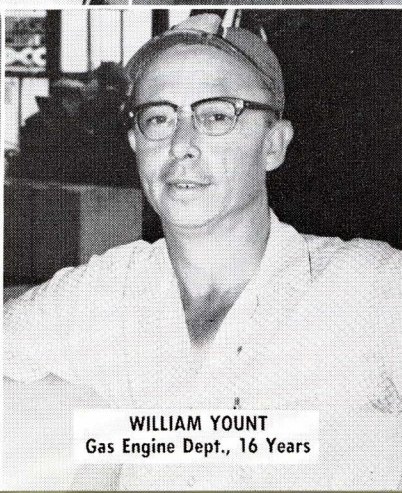
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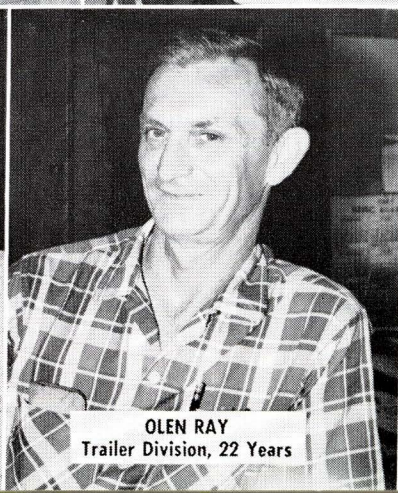
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Lathe Shop, 28 Years



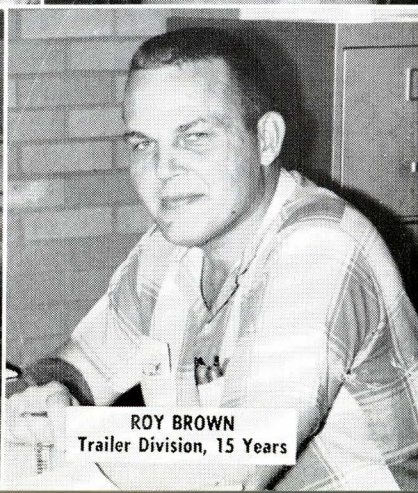
EARL MCGILVRA
Trailer Division, 21 Years



WILLIAM YOUNT
Gas Engine Dept., 16 Years



OLEN RAY
Trailer Division, 22 Years



ROY BROWN
Trailer Division, 15 Years



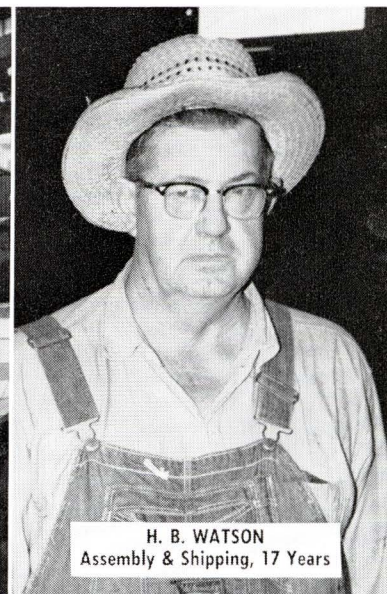
TONY ADKINS
Foundry Department, 17 Years



MARSHALL DAILEY
Trailer Division, 21 Years



JAMES R. McDUFFIE
Trailer Division, 12 Years



H. B. WATSON
Assembly & Shipping, 17 Years

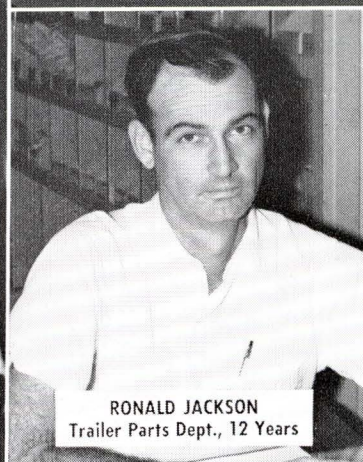


JOHN FORNEY
Foundry Department, 22 Years

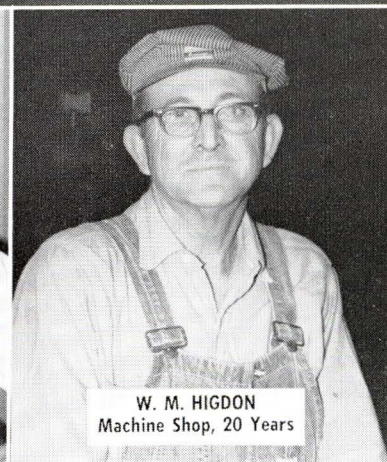


R. C. PROCTOR
Foundry Department, 25 Years

MORE ANNIVERSARIES..



RONALD JACKSON
Trailer Parts Dept., 12 Years



W. M. HIGDON
Machine Shop, 20 Years



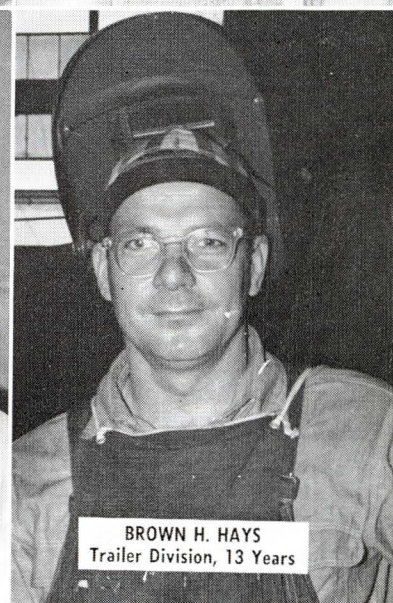
DELMAR MCGAUGHEY
Foundry Department, 14 Years



HAYWOOD HENDERSON
Foundry Department, 15 Years



FLOYD WILEY
Foundry Department, 22 Years



BROWN H. HAYS
Trailer Division, 13 Years



J. L. DAY
Foundry Department, 26 Years



C. E. HICKS
Trailer Division, 29 Years

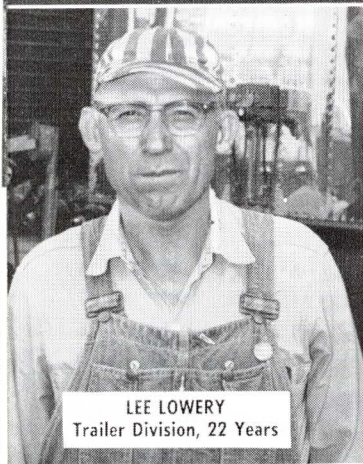


OREN G. RICE
Trailer Division, 15 Years



ODIS GARNER
Foundry Department, 17 Years

S. . . 12 YEARS OR MORE



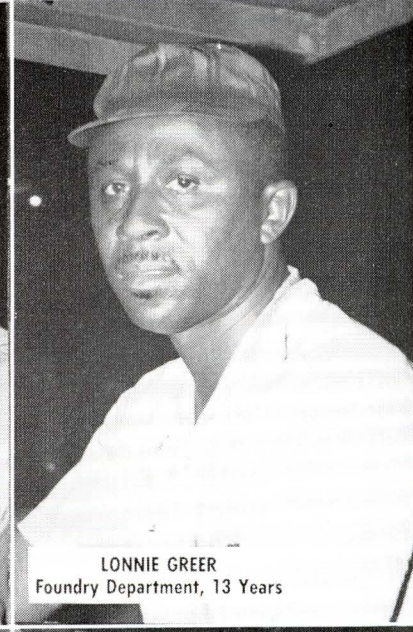
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KENNETH MURRELL
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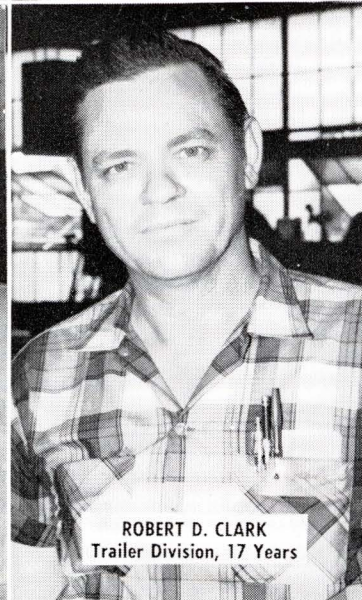
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Foundry Department, 20 Years



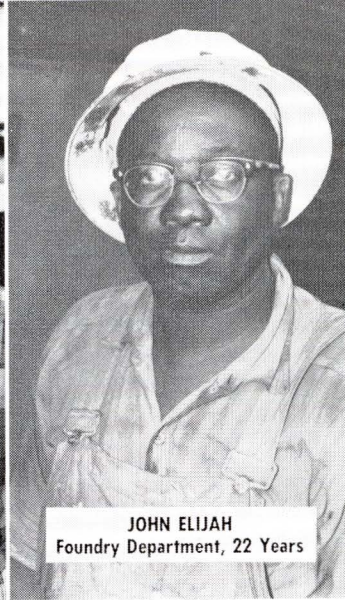
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Foundry Department, 13 Years



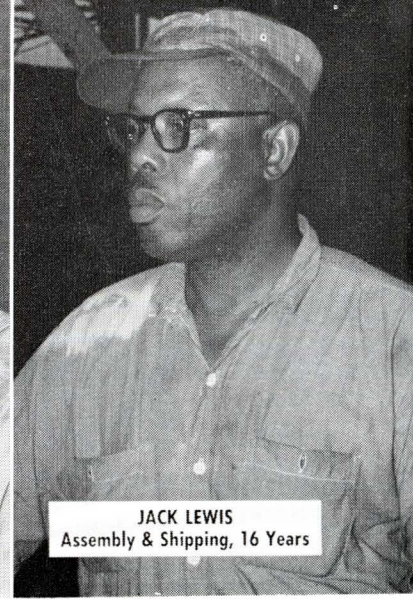
ELBERT J. KIRK
Trailer Division, 16 Years



ROBERT D. CLARK
Trailer Division, 17 Years



JOHN ELIJAH
Foundry Department, 22 Years



JACK LEWIS
Assembly & Shipping, 16 Years

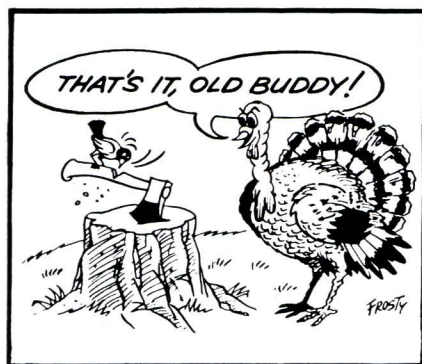
SHOP TALK *continued*

EARL DOVER, Trailer Division, had a nice surprise Saturday night, Oct. 21. He received a telephone call from MAURICE WILSON, former timekeeper in the Trailer Division, who was in Hawaii on a short rest and relaxation period from his duties in Vietnam. Maurice has been in Vietnam for six months, and he has about five more months to go. His wife flew to Hawaii to be with him during his brief vacation from the fighting. Earl reported that the telephone connection was good and he had no difficulty in hearing Maurice, who sounded happy. We've sent Maurice copies of THE FOUNDRY ROUNDUP and he told Earl it certainly was good to get the news from home about the fellows he worked with.

Our sympathy goes to RAYMOND McCOLLUM and his wife on the death of Johnnie Stubblefield. Raymond works in the Welding & Structural Shop, third shift. Mr. Johnnie was his father-in-law.

HOUSTON DAVIDSON, Brass Foundry department, is happy that his son, John, has finished his tour of duty in Japan and has been discharged from the Service. He is enrolled now in Stephen F. Austin State College.

Foundry hunters are oiling and cleaning their guns in anticipation of the deer season which opens November 16. THE ROUNDUP would like to use as many pictures of deer kills as we can get. If you don't have a camera with you to take the picture, drive by THE ROUNDUP office and we'll take the picture for you, and give you a copy to keep. We can use only black and white pictures in the magazine.



MARKING AN ANNIVERSARY

MACHINE SHOP

	Employment Date	Years With Co.
S. C. Donahoe	Oct. 22, 1926	41
George Haygood	Oct. 14, 1939	28
C. M. Ruby	Oct. 2, 1941	26
G. C. Starrett, Jr.	Oct. 14, 1941	26
T. L. Vansau	Oct. 27, 1941	26
E. E. Kirkland	Oct. 26, 1942	25
Floyd R. Vann	Oct. 14, 1946	21
W. M. Higdon	Oct. 13, 1947	20
J. T. Lawrence	Oct. 4, 1950	17
Bill Luce	Oct. 26, 1950	17
Denzel Harris	Oct. 10, 1951	16
William Yount	Oct. 11, 1951	16
Victor Stephano	Oct. 30, 1951	16
L. F. Grimes	Oct. 28, 1952	15
A. C. Hunt	Oct. 27, 1954	13
Jim E. Fenley	Oct. 6, 1955	12
Fred Dabbs	Oct. 18, 1955	12
F. W. Phillips	Oct. 27, 1955	12
J. H. Elliott	Oct. 28, 1955	12
Joe C. Deal	Oct. 8, 1956	11
T. L. Nerren	Oct. 25, 1956	11
S. E. Denman	Oct. 9, 1961	6
C. W. Foster	Oct. 10, 1961	6
Edward Gardner	Oct. 11, 1961	6
J. E. Arnold	Oct. 16, 1961	6
D. W. Giles	Oct. 18, 1961	6
Billy C. Rice	Oct. 24, 1961	6
Gary Greening	Oct. 24, 1961	6
Lloyd E. Elkins	Oct. 17, 1962	5
R. R. Anthony	Oct. 31, 1962	5
Wesley Cloudy	Oct. 7, 1963	4
James T. Cates	Oct. 28, 1963	4
G. E. Reynolds	Oct. 28, 1963	4
J. E. Youngblood	Oct. 2, 1964	3
John D. White	Oct. 14, 1964	3
James E. Cole	Oct. 22, 1964	3
M. W. Shuell	Oct. 27, 1964	3
M. T. Wilson	Oct. 1, 1965	2
R. C. Strickland	Oct. 5, 1965	2
W. D. Wright	Oct. 5, 1965	2
H. R. Dominey	Oct. 25, 1965	2
E. G. Cloudy	Oct. 3, 1966	1
William Williams	Oct. 4, 1966	1
H. D. Marshall	Oct. 17, 1966	1
W. A. Sheldon	Oct. 25, 1966	1
A. D. Reynolds	Oct. 31, 1966	1

FOUNDRY DEPARTMENT

	Employment Date	Years With Co.
Henry Mantooth	Oct. 21, 1937	30
R. C. Proctor	Oct. 12, 1942	25
Floyd Wiley	Oct. 9, 1945	22
John Elijah	Oct. 22, 1945	22
John Forney	Oct. 22, 1945	22
Wilson Burney	Oct. 21, 1947	20
W. M. Gilbert	Oct. 10, 1950	17
Odis Garner	Oct. 24, 1950	17
Kenneth Murrell	Oct. 25, 1950	17
Haywood Henderson	Oct. 14, 1952	15
Delmar McGaughey	Oct. 13, 1953	14
Zephaniah Atkinson	Oct. 8, 1954	13
Lonnie Greer	Oct. 11, 1954	13
Steve English	Oct. 9, 1956	11
Melvin McFarland	Oct. 17, 1962	4
Lenard Anders	Oct. 22, 1962	4
Elmo R. Scott	Oct. 7, 1964	3
W. W. Swindle	Oct. 25, 1965	2
R. C. Bivins	Oct. 1, 1966	1
R. A. Noel	Oct. 19, 1966	1

WELDING & STRUCTURAL

	Employment Date	Years With Co.
W. A. Hopson	Oct. 18, 1944	23
Jodie Gleen	Oct. 23, 1956	11
Harvey Graham	Oct. 5, 1961	6
J. D. Foster	Oct. 27, 1961	6
J. G. Stephenson	Oct. 6, 1964	3
J. W. Courtney	Oct. 8, 1965	2
S. D. Swindle	Oct. 25, 1965	2

ASSEMBLY & SHIPPING

	Employment Date	Years With Co.
H. B. Watson	Oct. 3, 1950	17
Jack Lewis	Oct. 10, 1961	16
C. H. Stone	Oct. 27, 1961	6
Sherman Farr	Oct. 15, 1962	5
James W. Allen	Oct. 17, 1962	5
D. F. Rivers	Oct. 19, 1962	5
I. L. Hollis	Oct. 4, 1966	1

SECURITY GUARD

	Employment Date	Years With Co.
Johnnie D. Rowe	Oct. 10, 1966	1
Mathey L. Lightfoot	Oct. 11, 1966	1

TRAILER DIVISION

	Employment Date	Years With Co.
C. E. Hicks	Oct. 19, 1938	29
Lee Lowery	Oct. 17, 1945	22
Olen Ray	Oct. 22, 1945	22
Earl McGillyra	Oct. 7, 1946	21
Winston Richard	Oct. 14, 1946	21
James Kirksey	Oct. 28, 1947	20
Burnice Scarborough	Oct. 3, 1950	17
Hollis Burnett	Oct. 3, 1950	17
R. D. Clark	Oct. 4, 1950	17
E. J. Kirk	Oct. 4, 1951	16
Oren G. Rice	Oct. 15, 1952	15
Roy Brown	Oct. 27, 1952	15
Brown H. Hays	Oct. 11, 1954	13
Ronald Jackson	Oct. 5, 1955	12
J. R. McDuffie	Oct. 6, 1955	12
Earl Dover	Oct. 24, 1955	12
Jerry Palmore	Oct. 16, 1963	4
Jimmy Allen	Oct. 12, 1964	3
Charles Gault	Oct. 26, 1964	3
Wilburn Hance	Oct. 11, 1965	2
C. A. Carenza	Oct. 4, 1966	1
D. B. Carroll	Oct. 4, 1966	1
Chester Hodge	Oct. 24, 1966	1

ELECTRICAL DEPARTMENT

	Employment Date	Years With Co.
C. G. Hargis	Oct. 12, 1964	3
J. W. Hines	Oct. 18, 1966	1

MATERIAL CONTROL

	Employment Date	Years With Co.
J. N. Laird	Oct. 17, 1956	11
A. L. White	Oct. 9, 1961	6

INDUSTRIAL ENGINEERING

	Employment Date	Years With Co.
Richard Smelley	Oct. 16, 1961	6

PATTERN SHOP

	Employment Date	Years With Co.
Larry Stringer	Oct. 13, 1966	1

MAIN OFFICE

	Employment Date	Years With Co.
Cletis Fuller	Oct. 12, 1942	25
Leroy Willmon	Oct. 27, 1947	20
Lee Burnett	Oct. 24, 1951	16
Sherman Cole	Oct. 30, 1951	16
T. C. McMullen	Oct. 25, 1957	10
Patricia Southern	Oct. 3, 1966	1
Patricia Kent	Oct. 3, 1966	1
James Mora	Oct. 10, 1966	1
Judy Talton	Oct. 10, 1966	1
Janell Miller	Oct. 27, 1966	1

MILL SUPPLIES

	Employment Date	Years With Co.
Bob Taylor	Oct. 27, 1941	26
Barbara Pletcher	Oct. 18, 1949	18
Robert Burroughs	Oct. 15, 1952	15
Harold Scroggins	Oct. 8, 1956	11
Bill Myers	Oct. 1, 1951	10
Jurl Heaton	Oct. 2, 1961	6
Kenneth Holt	Oct. 1, 1964	3
Ray Neal	Oct. 8, 1964	3

OILFIELD SALES & SERVICE

	Employment Date	Years With Co.
Robert Spaulding	Oct. 8, 1937	30
T. A. Banta	Oct. 26, 1949	18
Jerry Mullen	Oct. 14, 1963	4
R. M. Quintero	Oct. 19, 1964	3
W. C. Sherman	Oct. 1, 1965	2
Lois Kauffman	Oct. 1, 1965	2
Janet Hertzler	Oct. 25, 1965	2

TRAILER SALES & SERVICE

	Employment Date	Years With Co.
J. E. Walker	Oct. 7, 1954	13
R. W. Boyd	Oct. 1, 1955	12
Ernest Dailey	Oct. 22, 1956	11
J. K. Marshall, Jr.	Oct. 7, 1963	4
R. L. Harvick	Oct. 21, 1963	4
B. F. Mayfield	Oct. 26, 1964	3
J. I. Bryant	Oct. 11, 1965	2
Othel Haynes	Oct. 25, 1965	2
D. H. Thrasher	Oct. 10, 1966	1
Lee D. Freeman	Oct. 12, 1966	1
J. T. McPherson	Oct. 24, 1966	1

CREDIT UNION NEWS

Are You LOSING Money On Insurance Coverage?

WHY is it that Lufkin Foundry and Machine Company employees borrow money from many places and are charged higher interest rates rather than borrow from LFM Federal Credit Union?

That's a good question!

Probably there is no one answer, but there is an answer that fits most of the time. They just are unaware of how often and in how many ways the Credit Union can help them.

If you're thinking of buying a new car, or a used car, check with your Credit Union and see how easily you can borrow the money and at low interest rates.

Perhaps your house seems too crowded; a new bathroom or family room is needed to thin out the traffic jam. The Credit Union is the place to go to get the money to do the job.

Has your refrigerator about "had it?" Does your wife still have to wash in an antique washing machine? Does she hang out wet clothes on a drooping clothes line in the cold winter months and in bad weather, does she have to drive the wet clothes to a coin laundry to dry them?



HAS there been a change in your family? A new baby? A son or daughter who has reached the age of 19?

If you answer yes to any of these questions, there is another question to follow. Have you brought your insurance coverage up-to-date? If not, you may be losing money unnecessarily.

To have proper insurance coverage at all times, employees are reminded to notify the Insurance Department of any changes in the number of dependents.

Joe R. Perkins, insurance officer, says that the addition or loss of dependents will result in a change from one to another of the following classifications: Employee with one dependent or Employee with two or more dependents.

This has a vital effect upon the amount of deductions from an employee's pay check.

To make a change in insurance coverage, employees should drop by the Insurance Department in the Personnel building and sign a new card which will bring the number of dependents up-to-date.

On hourly employees' insurance, unmarried, dependent children from 14 days of age to their 19th birthday are covered. There is no coverage for the employee's dependent children after they reach their 19th birthday.

Such children are not dropped automatically by the insurance department when they reach 19 years of age. It is the employees' responsibility to sign a new card reflecting the number of dependents he has who are covered by the group insurance policy. If such a change is not made, and the 19-year-old child keeps the employee in the two or more dependents classification, the deductions continue to be taken from his pay check and he is paying for something he cannot collect on if the occasion ever arises.

Also, if there is an addition to the family of an employee and he is already carrying at least two dependents on his insurance, the new baby can be added to his coverage without additional charge. But the addition must be noted by the employee on a new card in the files of the insurance Department.

If additional information is needed by any employee concerning his dependents and his insurance coverage, he should come by the Insurance Department.

Is Christmas coming and you don't see any possibility of putting aside some of your paycheck for shopping?

Do you have kids in college and the bills keep rolling in and you wish you could find just a few hundred dollars to tide you through this school year?

There are hundreds of questions like these, and they all can be answered at your Credit Union. You'll be doing yourself a favor and helping the Credit Union, too, if you'll stop in to talk over your financial needs. It's most confidential, of course.

The Credit Union Office is located in the white frame building across from the Main Office. It is open two days each week—Monday and Friday—from 12 noon until 5:30 p.m.



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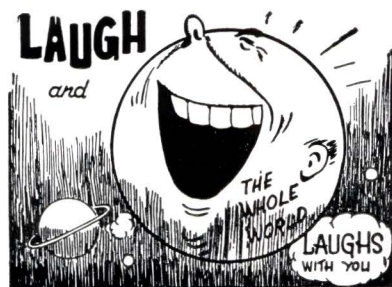
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There's a new gasoline that puts a rabbit in your tank—it's for short hops.

A woman tourist posed for a snapshot in front of the fallen pillars of an ancient temple in Greece.

"Don't get the car in the picture," she warned, "or my husband will think I ran into the place."

"Pa!"

"Yeah, Son?"

"How come Noah didn't swat both flies when he had the chance?"

"Were there any powder marks on the body of your dead husband?" asked the coroner.

"Certainly there were powder marks," said the wife, "that's why I shot him!"

"Father," asked the small boy, "which can go faster, horses or buses?"

"Buses, of course," replied the father impatiently.

"Then why," asked the boy, "don't you bet on the buses?"

Steve: "Have you heard about the man in Wisconsin who could turn grass into butter?"

Lee: "Nope. How did he do it?"

Steve: "All he needed was a cow and a churn."

Dad: "Now, son, I told you not to eat your peas with a knife."

Son: "I can't help it. My fork leaks."

Brownie: "Did you hear about the karate expert that joined the Army?"

Blackie: "No, what happened?"

Brownie: "The first time he saluted, he nearly killed himself."

And then there was this lady who applied to the Post Office for an unlisted zip code number.

Wife to husband: "You'll have to take me out to dinner tonight. I can't cook because the electricity is off."

Husband: "But we cook with gas!"

Wife: "Yes, but what about the electric can opener?"

Professor: "What's wrong with our football star; he looks so unhappy?"

Coach: "It's because his father is always writing for money."

"Gee, Mom," he complained, "none of the other guys are wearing lipstick."

"Shut up, stupid! We're almost at the draft board."

Bus Station Manager: "Did you miss the bus, sir?"

Disgusted Passenger: "No; I just didn't like the looks of it so I chased it out of the station."

Look out the window from the breakfast table and you see the bird after the worm, the cat after the bird and the dog after the cat. It gives you a little better understanding of the morning's news.

Proud Mother: "He's eating solids already—pencils, keys, newspapers, rubber bands, spiders and ashtrays."

Sign in public school: "In the event of atomic attack, the federal ruling against prayer in this school is temporarily suspended."

Doctor: "You're coughing more easily this morning."

Patient: I should. I practiced all night."

You can't fool all of the people all the time, but those highway interchange signs come pretty close.

We're constantly amazed at those young things with their fancy hair-dos and skin-tight pants. And the girls are even worse!

A perfect autumn day is one when the lawn no longer needs mowing and the leaves haven't yet started to fall.

There's nothing like a dish towel for wiping the contented look off a husband's face.

As the sexton said as he rang the bells louder and longer: "If they ain't coming to church, they ain't sleeping either."

Three men in the shop were discussing what most people wanted to get out of a new car.

"Dependability," said one.

"Styling," said another.

"Economy," answered the third.

About that time, a fourth man who recently had bought a new car entered the room. They decided to pose the question to him.

"What is the thing you'd like most to get out of your new car?" he was asked.

"My teenage son!" he replied.

A woman on a television audience-participation show was asked the name of her favorite author.

"Why, it's my husband," she answered.

"Your husband?" questioned the interviewer, "What does he write?"

The woman smiled brightly, then answered, "Checks."

She's such a poor driver the police gave her a season ticket.

In Russia the state owns everything. Over here, it's the finance companies.

You save a lot of unnecessary conversation if you remember that people are not going to take your advice unless you charge them for it.

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