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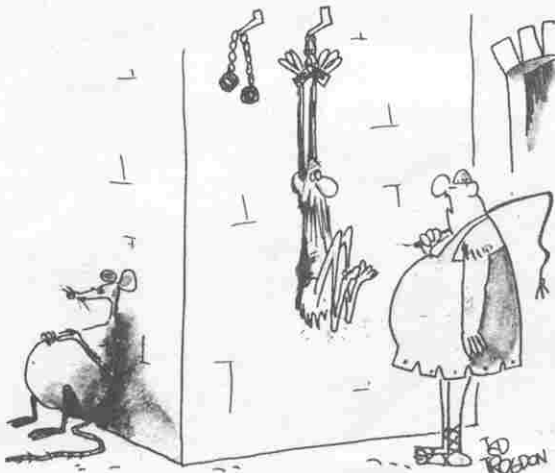
Friday, February 1, 1974



RETIREE

Pictured is HARRY JACKSON, third shift fireman in the Boiler Room, who retired on January 31. HARRY is 61 and has only been with us five and a half years, but is returning to his native Southern Illinois. Within the next few months he will be moving his family consisting of wife Geneva and children Randall 19 and Debby 16 to a new home being built near Herrin in "Bloody Williamson County." We wish him luck.

A young housewife was standing behind a flashily-dressed female in the bank, waiting to make her deposit. She watched as the other deposited a small fortune in obviously ill-gotten gains. When her turn came, the housewife handed the bank teller a lone bill and said, through clenched teeth, "Ten! The hard way!"



"Hey! Where the hell is Charley?"

NOTICE

IT IS YOUR RESPONSIBILITY TO SEE THAT WE, IN PERSONNEL, HAVE THE CORRECT INFORMATION PERTAINING TO YOUR DEPENDENT COVERAGE. HOSPITALIZATION CLAIMS WILL BE PAID ON ONLY THOSE PERSONS PRESENTLY ON YOUR CARDS IN OUR FILES.

ALSO:
FILING OF CLAIMS PROCEDURE HAS BEEN CHANGED. ALL CLAIMS MUST BE IN BY MONDAY MORNING PREFERABLY FRIDAY NIGHT. ALL CLAIMS WILL BE PROCESSED ON MONDAYS ONLY.

IT HAPPENS ON MONDAYS

"Bowling That Is"

by Harold Siefert

The CUTTING-IN team came up with the high series tonite, a nice 2984, but it was the MACHINE SHOP that took over first place from the TRUCKERS. The TRUCKERS fell into a second place tie with the OFFICE boys. But the night really belonged to WILL ESSINGTON. WILL is a steady bowler who never misses a night, and is a durable "Old Pro" with a capital "P". He takes his bowling seriously and he always comes to bowl, as his 169 average proves. WILL had games of 235-191-160 and it adds up to 586. It wasn't enough however to keep his TRUCKERS first.

The CUTTING-IN team took all four from the FORGERS, MACH. SHOP did the same from STORES, ASSEMBLY the same from SUBURBANS, OFFICE also took four from TOOL ROOM, and the WELDERS and TRUCKERS were the only ones nice about the whole thing because they split for the night at two and two.

Only seven bowlers managed a 500 series out of fifty, and I'm sure everyone will agree the alleys were real tough tonite.

Good games and series (and they are few) were by TOM BROWN 536, DON CHRISTER 506, THURSTON JONES 536, BOB SHOFF 201-212-551, JOE ARBOUR 202, DON BAYLOR 203, GALE ALBERS 558, DAN LAFOND 545, and WILL ESSINGTON 235-586. HANK REITMEYER got the 4-7 split, PETE GERACI 5-9-7, and DAN LAFOND the 5-10.

SERVICE PLATEAUS - FEBRUARY



OLD TIMER OF THE WEEK

This weeks "Old Timer" is HOWARD RANTZ. HOWARD started working here in 1935 in the Cutting-In Dept. He also has worked in the Forge Shop, Plating Dept. and spent several years on Supervision. After leaving Supervision he returned to a new job "Engine Mechanic" in the Experimental Dept.

HOWARD and his wife Bessie have been married for 41 years and have two sons and two daughters. Son Wayne lives in Santa Maria, Calif. following in his fathers footsteps by working in a cycle shop. Their son Keith also following the footsteps is a Supervisor at Ford in Chicago Hgts. and lives in Bourbonnais.

The two daughters, Darlene Cuttle and Lana Larson, also live in Bourbonnais. HOWARD and Bessie have been blessed with ten grandchildren.

HOWARD and wife like to travel and its very apparent since they have been in forty-five of the fifty states.

An expert Machanic who was well known for working on fellow employees cars but has since settled for working on his own. And spends a good deal of his time babysitting with the grandchildren.

HOWARD says he has enjoyed his 29 years of employment here and we personnaly wish he could stay another 29 years.

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SYMPATHY

Goes to the family of Joe Stith Sr., a retiree.

Also to John Bell, D/15 on the death of his sister.

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| | 39 Years | |
| Arnold Cremer | D/25 | 2-11-35 |
| | 38 Years | |
| Coleman Sheehan | D/70F | 2-06-36 |
| Walter Dominick | D/93 | 2-12-36 |
| | 33 Years | |
| Aloysius Lonergan | D/94 | 2-10-41 |
| Clarence Merten | D/93 | 2-11-41 |
| Theodore Potrzebski | Night Suprt. | 2-12-41 |
| Francis Kohl | Suprt. Main. | 2-25-41 |
| Arthur Pepin | Foreman 35 | 2-25-41 |
| Donald Blanchette | Empl. Supvr. | 2-26-41 |
| Edwin Cierycza | D/79A | 2-26-41 |
| | 30 Years | |
| Everett Reed | D/10 | 2-28-44 |
| | 15 Years | |
| Donald Bourassa | D/35 | 2-05-59 |
| Lawrence Cavender | D/67 | 2-09-59 |
| | 10 Years | |
| Walter Klenzak | D/10 | 2-05-64 |
| Roy LaMontagne | D/35 | 2-05-64 |
| Richard Condon | Design Eng. | 2-17-64 |
| | 5 Years | |
| John Wieliczko | Print Shop | 2-17-69 |

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