### **Blood Donors Give 413 Pints**

Staley men and women responded generously in April to the two-day visit of the Red Cross Bloodmobile by donating 339 pints of blood for free distribution to patients in Macon County hospitals.

Donations from Staley neighbors and Mississippi Valley Structural Steel employees brought the two-day total to 413 pints.

Since the Red Cross Blood Program began in Feb. 1948. much of its support has come from Staley people. Employees have contributed 7,156 pints, representing 12.8 percent of total donations. The One-Gallon Club lists 266 Staley people. nong top blood program don-

3 are Floyd Adcock and Huert Crum, each with 56 pints, Don Adcock, 44 pints, and Robert Cline and Elmer Ford, each with 41 pints.

In April 1958, Staley employees and their neighbors donated 666 pints, setting a new one-day record for industrial collections in the Red Cross Midwestern Area of 16 states.

Ed Skelley (seated), Tin Shop mechanic, gave 7,000th pint of blood collected from Staley employees. With Skelley are (l-r) Bob Cline, representing Local 837; Mrs. R. H. Mueller, Blood Program Chairman, and Dick Hopkins, Staley safety director. Vol. 5, No. 4



A. E. Staley Manufacturing Co., Decatur, Ill.—Return Requested

# **Increases To Add** Over \$1 Million In Pay, Benefits

More than a million dollars will be added to pay and benefits earned by Decatur and Painesville plant hourly employees under new two-year contracts negotiated this summer.

These two two-year settlements could pave the way for a much longer period of peaceful Company Inion relations, free of stress and strikes which interfer with normal

> plant operations and cause employees to lose time.

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Both contracts were negotiated in good time, within the Company's long-standing policy of paying wages equal to or better than rates prevailing in the plant communities and competing industries, and without resort to strike action.

But it was the calm judgment of the members of Allied Industrial Workers Local 837, casting ballots in a strike vote called by the Union, that dispelled the threat of a long and costly work stoppage at Decatur.

And it was the Company's proposal to add more than a million dollars to paychecks and insurance contributions over the next two years, rather than waste it on inefficient multicraft mechanical assignments and inflexible job descriptions, that made the settlement make

Under terms of the Decatur agreement signed July 3 after two months of negotiations, all Decatur hourly employees received an 8-cent rate increase July 1, and will receive an additional 7-cent wage boost on July 1 next year.

With the current increase, Decatur base rates range from \$2.25½ for starting male labor to  $$2.95\frac{1}{2}$  for senior mechanics.

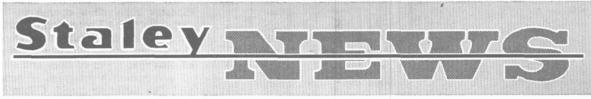
The Company is also increasing its contribution to the Fellowship Club employee insurance program by an additional 2 cents per hour.

In Painesville, negotiations with the Feed and Grain Processors Union Local 236 began three weeks later and were settled three weeks earlier on June 12.

The existing contract was extended for two years, with no increase in any fringe benefits, but with 6-cent wage increases on July 1 this year and next, making the current Painesville pay range from \$2.25 for laborers to \$2.801/2 for senior maintenance men.

The differences in pay increases and rates at the two plants are in line with the Company's policy of taking into account competitor industries and prevailing local wage levels.

Decatur processes both corn and soybeans in a more diversified industrial community, while Painesville competes in the hard-times soybean industry, processing soybeans only for meal and crude oil.



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### Ten 'Free Share' Winners Named

The quick verification and return of their Staley Credit Union statements paid off in free \$5 shares for ten members last month.

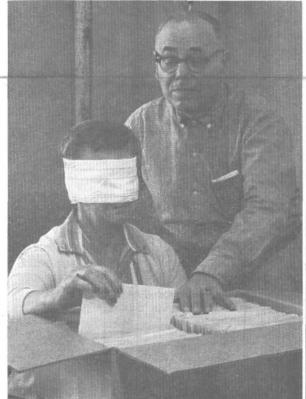
This was the second year the Credit Union fered the opportunity for a free share to embers, hoping 80 percent would respond by ne May 24 deadline. Illinois law requires an annual verification of at least 80 percent of the Credit Union's accounts.

Winners in this year's drawing were: Charles P. Butler, retired; Louis J. Borchert, 111 Building; Grace A. Broadbear, widow of W. H. Broadbear; Charles D. Burdick, Electric Shop; Dwight J. Butterfield, 20 P; Charles W. Moran, Grocery Products; Mildred R. Kaminski, 20 S; Benita May Spellman, wife of Jack Spellman, 59 Building; Ray L. Virden, 9 Building; and Floyd J. Wheeler, Pipe Shop, as trustee for his son's account.

The drawing of the names was by Margaret Lupton, 20 Building, one of last year's winners.

Over 4,800 statements were mailed and over 3,500 were returned.

In celebration of its 32nd anniversary June 6, the Credit Union announced that it would open a \$32 trust fund for each baby born to Staley parents between midnight June 5 and midnight June 6. It was a generous gesture, but as the Staley News went to press a futile one. No Staley babies had been reported born in Decatur during the 24-hour period, and there was reasonable doubt that Painesville and U B S employees would save the day.



Carl Bomball, Credit Union vice president and Scale House supervisor, reads names of freeshare winners as Margaret Lupton, 20 Building, draws ten verifications from more than 3,500. returned.

### **Staley Hourly** Wage Rates Above Average Hourly wage rates at Staley

are higher than the average of those paid by 15 Decatur industries and 20 major companies in the corn milling and soybean industries, according to figures compiled last month.

A comparison of average senior mechanic wage rates-made before our increase—showed Staley over three cents high locally, almost three cents above the corn milling figure, and over two cents above that reported for the soybean firms.

Compared to figures reported by the Bureau of National Affairs, average gross weekly pay at Staley was \$14 above that for other Illinois industries, and almost \$20 above the national average.

The 8-cent increase will add about \$3.20 to the Staley weekly average.

Staley rail tankers are taking on a modern look with the adoption of a new shield design by the Company earlier this year. All tankers will be given the new look as they are reainted over the next five years

# **Rail/Tankers Repainted**

One-by-one, Staley rail tankers are taking on a more modern look as the result of the Company's adoption of a new shield design earlier this year.

About 700 tankers will eventually be repainted, a job that is estimated to take 4-5 years. The basic color of the cars is still white with the Company's identification and a broad band around the middle of the tankers in midnight blue.

Keeping Staley rail tankers clean and in good repair is a continuing job, especially during the above-freezing temperatures of the warm summer months.

The tankers usually run about four years before requiring a new paint job. The major offender in keeping them clean is road dirt, especially an oil spray thrown by the tankers' wheels, but necessary to the lubrication of the car's running gear. Some of the newer Staley rail tankers have oil spray deflectors, similar to fenders, to protect the cars and maintain their appearance.

When the cars require washing, they are parked on the loading rack sidings at 17 Building and 29 Building.

The rail tankers are the property of North American Car Corp. of Chicago, and leased by Staley on a long-term basis.



## Twenty-Seven Begin New Duties After Promotions are Announced

Promotions have recently been announced for 24 Staley people, among them new assignments for the 14 men pictured.

R. E. Bomball, promoted from assistant foreman to packaging foreman in Production, began his Staley career on the Extra Board. A native of Decatur, he has worked in the Manufacturing Division since 1951.

Dr. D. S. Cobbledick, promoted to senior development chemist in Applications Research, was hired in 1958 as a development chemist. A native of Huntington, W. Va., he graduated from the University of Florida.

Dr. George W. Cogswell has been promoted to senior development chemist - project coordinator in Applications Research. He joined Staley as a senior development chemist in 1958. Dr. Cogswell is a native of New York City, and a graduate of CCNY and Fordham University.

D. E. Eichinger, promoted to laboratory head, Chemical Product Development, from senior development chemist, is a native of Wich-

ita, Kan., and a graduate of the University of Wichita and University of Minnesota.

P. A. Grasemann has been promoted to laboratory head, Consumer Product Development. He was hired in 1958, and is a graduate of New York Universi-

David J. Hopkins, new assistant manager at Painesville, began his Staley career on the Extra Board in 1939. Before his promotion, he was special assistant in Systems & Procedures.

John F. Jones, promoted from materials coordinator to shift foreman in Engineering Research, was hired as an Extra Board employee in 1946.

Robert E. Kretzer, also promoted to shift foreman in Engineering Research, is a native of Decatur. He was hired on the Extra Board, transferred to Engineering Research in 1958.

tra Board, has been promoted to shift foreman, Boiler Room. He is a native of Camp Point, Ill.

Dr. Robert M. Powers has been promoted to group leader,



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SCHIMANSKI

















J. W. Robinson, promoted to

Leo T. Schimanski, whose ca- versity. Paper Research Laboratory. A reer began in 1936 on the Extra graduate of Emory University, foreman, Boiler Room. A native Dr. Powers was head of the In- of Decatur, he was relief forestrumental Analysis Laboratory. man in the Boiler Room.

ROBINSON

University of Illinois.

Roy E. Shay has been pro-Charles H. Lefringhouse, who applications chemist from assoc- moted to manager, Labor Relaalso began his career on the Ex- iate development chemist in Ap- tions. He was hired in 1942 on plications Research, was hired the Extra Board, later worked in 1954. He is a graduate of the in the Syrup House, Personnel, Grain and Control divisions. He is a graduate of Millikin Uni-

C. W. Turner, promoted to apnative of Bogalusa, La., and a Board, has been promoted to plications chemist from associate development chemist in Applications Research, joined Staley in 1954. He is a graduate of Knox

> Ray M. Herron has been promoted to materials coordinator in Engineering Research. A native of Columbus, Ind., he was hired in 1941 on the Extra Board.

Other promotions include:

Donald L. Brown from shop relief clerk to I & C relief clerk Engineering and Maintenance.

Delbert D. Burke from inbound grain and statistics clerk to teletype and ticker operator.

Marilyn J. Cooley from clerkstenographer, Union Relations to secretary, Corn Division.

Rue E. Copeland from junior transmitting machine operator Office Services, ,to secretary, Labor Relations.

Peter J. Dalmares from shop clerk-satellite to shop relief clerk, Engineering & Mainten-Richard A. Koppein from man-

agement trainee, Training, to compensation analyst, Placement and Salary Administration

Harold L. Pieper from demurrage clerk to record and demurage clerk, Quality Control.

Gerald Ward from allowance and adjustment clerk, Credit, to senior damage claims clerk, Domestic Transportation.

clerk to clerk-typist, Engineering man on May 31. His home adand Maintenance.

# Fire Wardens Try Fire-Fighting Skill



Morris Fisher demonstrates fire-fighting techniques for wardens.

Forty-five men who share the responsibility for the safe evacuation of employees from the Office Building in the event of fire or disaster received a course in fire-fighting techniques last month from the Plant Protection department.

Building Superintendent Don Rogers, responsible for training the Office Building's fire wardens, said last month's explanation of different types of fires and extinguishers to combat them is part of a continuing program of preparedness to safeguard employees and the building itself. Office Building janitors, who share fireprevention responsibilities with the fire wardens, also attended the

Two types of extinguishers were demonstrated by Morris Fisher, Staley fire chief. An Ansul extinguisher was used to combat an electrical, oil or grease fire, and a soda acid extinguisher was used on burning paper and wood.

Three fire wardens are appointed in each wing of the Office Building. In event of fire or disaster, they are trained to assist employees in evacuating the building according to a predetermined

Safety Director Dick Hopkins and Plant Protection Director Mike Paczak assisted in last month's training program.

## Six Retire, Represent Over 200 Years Work

Six Staley veterans retired recently, their combined careers representing over two centuries of service to the Company.

Senior employee of the six was Ernest P. Reich, assistant foreman in the Pipe Shop. Mr. Reich, whose seniority date was June 17, 1919, retired April 30. He spent his 42 years in the Pipe Shop, advancing from helper to senior mechanic. He lives at 1335 E. Whitmer in Decatur.

Howard L. Winings, a 40-year veteran, retired as traffic manager at Painesville. His career began in Decatur, then shifted to Painesville in 1939. A native of Long Creek, Ill., his home address is 76 Lincoln Boulevard, Painesville, Ohio.

Lawrence E. Durbin, who retired May 31 after 40 years'

service, was hired as a starch dumper in the Kiln House. He spent his entire career in this phase of the Company's operation, retiring as a vacuum and dry starch pump operator. He lives at 1636 E. William in De-

W. R. Fields retired May 4, ending a career that began 39 years ago in the Package House. A native of Edwardsport, Ind. Mr. Fields worked the last 17 years in 17 Building, retiring as a loading gang foreman. His home address is 1514 E. Johns in Decatur.

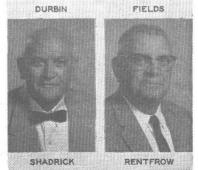
Ernest A. Shadrick's employment by Staley began in December 1932 on the Extra Board. Most of his career was in the Syrup House where he worked as a line operator, floorman, label operator, and retired as a package line machine man. He lives in Argenta, Ill.

Edwin L. Rentfrow was hired in August 1933 in the Company's Yard department. A native of Shumway, Ill., Mr. Rentfrow worked as a clerk, reliefman, and Staley Clubhouse custodian be-Linda S. Weakly from shop fore retiring as a rigger leaddress is 5427 E. William St. Rd.





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How Much Do You Know About . . .

### Your Group Insurance

The following questions and answers are based on information contained in the booklet, "Group Insurance Plans of The Staley Fellowship Club For Its Members and Their Dependents." More detailed information for members is available at the Fellowship Club office. You are invited to send your questions for this column to the editor of the Staley News.

Question: How are surgical benefits determined when multiple procedures are performed?

Answer: The answers to this question are found in paragraphs 3 Grain. and 4 on page 10 of the Fellowship Club booklet. However, the following examples based on the \$200 Surgical Schedule will help clarify them.

A. Tonsillectomy and removal of a tumor from the face while confined in a hospital. Since the surgical procedures are from unrelated causes, an allowance of \$30 for the tonsillectomy plus \$25 for the removal of the tumor are allowed. Paragraph

B. Removal of part of stomach and goitre removal. Since these are two separate procedures and are from unrelated cause, \$200 would be allowed for the stomach and \$150 for the goitre. Paragraph 3, page 10.

Fractures of the skull, an arm and thigh bones received as the result of an automobile accident. Since the fractures were the result of a "related cause," the accident, the amount allowable would be \$200 for the skull fracture, this being the maximum benefit.

Had these fractures been received as the result of separate accidents, which would have been from unrelated causes, the allowance would have been \$200 for the skull, \$75 for the thigh, and \$25 for the arm. Paragraph 3, page 10.

D. Correction of hernia and removal of appendix. Since these two procedures were performed during the course of a single operation, one incision, the allowance would be \$100. Paragraph 4, page 10.

# Ninety-Six Celebrate Anniversaries | Painesville Honors Its















KOPETZ



Ninety-six Staley men and women celebrated service anni-aries during May and June. Their combined careers represented C. Paul Reinhold, Yards, Jun. 11 versaries during May and June. Their combined careers represented 1,625 years of service to the Company.

DAMERY

The senior employee to observe a service anniversary was Fred F. Emert, Jr., whose career began May 15, 1922, in the Yard department. He soon transferred to Reclamation, then to the old M&L department in 1923. Since then he has chosen to continue in this phase of the Company's operation, now called Instrument

and Control, as a mechanic.

ME GARRY

His son, Donald Emert, also celebrated a service anniversary in June. A Pipe Shop mechanic, he had been with Staley 15 years on June 24.



AUGUSTINE

Fred F. Emert

Mr. Emert is a native of Vandalia, Ill. He lives on R.R. #7 Decatur.

Other service anniversaries are:

40 Years A. B. May, Yards, Jun. 27

35 Years
Earl Beals, 13-21 Bldg., Jun. 25
Omar Best, Boiler Rm., May 23
W. B. Bishop, Sr., Ofc. Fac. Plan., Jun. 15 Carl Sheets, Sh. Insp., May 19

Hurschel Taylor, Boiler Rm., Jun.

30 Years Patrick J. McGarry, Sh. Inspt. Jun. 3

25 Years Ralph Augustine, Chem. Eng., Jun.

William Damery, Tin Shop, Jun. 11 Willard Duncan, Eng. Rm., Jun. Albert Kopetz, Elec. Shop, Jun.

Sam Robinson, lll Bldg., Jun. 19 Frank Waller, Eng. Rm., Jun. 13

20 Years

Jesse Angel, 29 Bldg., Jun. 13

Harry Atkins, 20 Bldg., May 20

Clarence Bailey, 5-10 Bldg., May

20

Robert Bohn, Elec. Shop, May 25 Lester Chaney, Plt. Cleanup, Jun. 13

Harold DeJanes, Plt. Prot., May 11 Ralph Dombroski, Chicago ofc., May 15

May 15
Huston Dorsey, 20 Bldg., May 20
Lucille Fain, 17 Bldg., May 6
Wayne Glosser, Storeroom, Jun. 13
Vern Gregory, Paint-Roof, Jun.

Melvin Grolla, Mach. Shop, May Clyde Henley, Storeroom, May 25 Arlie Hines, Sh. Insp., May 14 Roy Hornback, Yards, May 11 Paul Howard, Grain, Jun. 1 Edward Kushmer, Plt. Prot., May

Louis Martinie, Cont. Lab., Jun. Ira McIntyre, Boiler Rm., May 20

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William Peterson, Pipe Shop, May Elmer Randall, Mach. Shop, May

Fred Ridlen, 20 Bldg., May 14 George Roberts, Cashier, May 14 Frank Russell, Yards, Jun. 13 Kenneth Schuman, Rsch., May 20 John Springer, Groc. Prod., Jun. 1 James Tate, Mach. Shop, May 20 Kenneth Waite, Chem. Eng., May

Orville Watkins, Paint-Roof, Jun.

15 Years Joe Anderson, Maint., May 26 Earl Beauregard, Groc. Prod., Jun.

Walter Bledsaw, Mill Hs., Jun. 26 Lloyd Bowrey, 20 Bldg., Jun. 3 C. Dean Burdick, Elec. Shop, Jun.

William Cross, 9 Bldg., May 1 Donald Emert, Pipe Shop, Jun. 24 David Freeman, Mill Hs., Jun. 26 Jack French, Blacksmith, Jun. 19 Leo Frey, 5-10 Bldg., May 20 Thomas Hall, Roundhouse, May

Donald Harvey, 101 Bldg., Jun. 3 James Holman, 20 Bldg., Jun. 19 Florence Kessler, First Aid, Jun.

Jack Kunzeman, Garage, May 7 William Lindsten, 20 Bldg., May 7 Clifton Martin, I & C, May 27 Robert McNulty, I & C, Jun. 10 Donnas Wyant, Soybean, Jun. 18

James Robertson, Storeroom, Jun.

Daniel Robinson, Yards, Jun. 12 John Short, 20 Bldg., May 1 Gerald Sims, 101 Bldg., Jun. 17 Henry Skane, Groc. Prod., Jun. 10 Walter Smith, Garage, May 13 Robert Spelbring, I & C, Jun. 19 Thomas Stone, Boiler Rm., Jun. 24 Lawrence C. Trolia, 20 Bldg., May

Helen Wangrow, Ind. Sales, May

10 Years

Donald A. Barnes, Ind. Sales, May

Mary Blacet, Maint., May 2 Herbert Keeney, Painesville, May Thomas McEvoy, Purch., May 27 Gerald Nelson, Groc. Prod., Jun.

Raymond Servitto, Groc. Prod.,

5 Years

Keith Allen, Field Whse., Jun. 3 Lester Baribo. Rsch., May 6 George R. Beck, Groc. Prod., May

Mildred Bowman, Order, May 13 Kenneth Damp, Corn Div., Jun. 3 Richard Fiala, Chem. Eng., May

Theodore Friedlein, Eng., Jun. 3 William Hall, Ind. Sales, Jun. 10 Marjorie Miller, Overseas, May 27 Harvey Moore, Jr., Painesville, Jun. 14

Kathleen Reedy, Order, Jun. 17 David R. Smith, Rsch., Jun. 3 Catherine Swaim, Ofc. Serv., May Donald Winter, Corn Div., Jun.

# Veteran Employees

Forty-five Painesville employees representing 768 years of service were honored in April at the Ohio plant's Seventh Annual Service Award Dinner.

The Award Dinner also honored Howard Winings, a 40year veteran who moved from Staley in Decatur when the Painesville plant opened in 1939. Retiring with him was his typewriter, the same one he had when he started his Staley career in Illinois.

Painesville manager Thomas Longbons, a 42-year employee, acted as toastmaster at the dinner and presented service awards at the close of the pro-

County sheriff Edwin Cunningham presented the program, demonstrated an alcometer, walkie talkie, and pocketsize radio.

Painesville feed sales manager L. F. Wiegand gave the invocation.



Painesville feed sales manager L. F. Wiegand (1) discusses Seventh Annual Service Award Dinner with Sheriff Edwin Cunningham, guest speaker.



Among 10-year employees to receive service awards were (I-r) Lester L. Varner, Jr.; Bertrand H. Ray; Corwin O. Acker; and Raymond B. Cole. Forty-five Painesville employees were honored.

# Staley Paper Industry Sales Meeting Staley Returns Silver Dollars



At paper industry sales meeting were (first row, 1-r) C. C. Gehring, Dayton; R. J. Grimm, Cincinnati; W. E. Trennepohl, Decatur, Ga.; W. C. Gallagher, Charlotte; K. C. Damp, Mobile. Second row: L. A. Willoughby, Kimberly, Wis.; J. W. Rose, Pleasanton, Cal.; W. J. Shaughnessy, Albany; A. B. O'Neill, Pt. Pleasant, N. J.; W. E.

Hall, West Monroe, La. Third row: R. E. Kilty, Wellesley, Mass.; J. F. Walsh, Danvers, Mass.; J. H. Beaumont, Decatur; M. L. Smith, Kalamazoo; E. R. Layman, Pittsburgh. Fourth row: G. R. Virgil, Greensboro; J. R. Easterly, G. A. T. Moore, Decatur.

# To Housewives

Thousands of shiny silver dollars will be mailed to housewives this summer in a "Silver Dollar Payoff" to promote "Sta-Flo" liquid starch, "Sta-Puf" "Sta-Flo" laundry rinse, and spray starch.

Front panels from the labels of these three products entitle the buyer to a silver dollar refund if they are mailed to "Silver Dollar Payoff, St. Paul 4, Minn." before Aug. 31 when the offer expires.

Staley salesmen will be elegible for prizes for help in promoting the "Payoff."



# Teamwork, Products In 'Best Interests'

Answer,' "That's a tough one!"

What could be done to promote the best interests of the Company during the next 12 months? All employees agreed that it was a question of continuing importance, and most cited product development and teamwork as being two essentials.

#### L. E. Hebenstreit—Elev. C



Well, I think if we find a few more products and new outlets for soybean oil and meal, it would help promote our best interests as a Com-

pany. You've got to remember that we have to have products that customers want and need -and we've got to also remember that we've got competitors, so we've got to make Staley products better than theirs.

#### George A. T. Moore-Paper Sales

I believe we're moving in the right direction now by increas-



ing sales of established products thro aggressive merchandising, diversification through acquisition and growth through research.

Developing and maintaining an atmosphere which will encourage and nourish creativity, originality and initiative is the best catalyst management can use for our common good.

#### T. C. Shane—Research

Part of our job in research is to find answers, but the answer to that is tough. I think develop-



ment of new and better products through research is a must, and I think we are beginning to reach many of our goals.

I think research is one of the most important divisions in the

#### Staley's Welcomes

The following new employees: Kathryn F. Adams, Chicago Clearing, Telephone & Teletype Operator.

Gloria A. Becker, Quality Control, Clk Typist.

Henry E. Berkheimer, Chem.
Rsch., Sr. Research Chemist.

Johanna Byers, Engr. & Maint.,
Shop Clerk.

Wilma M. Downey, Quality Contral, Key Punch Opr.

Marion S. Emery, Ind. Sales, Chicago, Salesman.
Cynthia J. Furry, Ofc. Serv.,
Trans. Mach. Opr.

Harding, Law, Ass't. Legal Secretary.

Linda K. Hilberling, Ofc. Serv.,

Messenger.

Ruth A. Hollar, Place. & Salry.

Admn., Stenographer.

Brigitta V. Jentsch, Ind. Sales,

N.Y. Ofc., Stenographer.

James C. Johnson, Appl. Rsch.,

Appl. Chemist.

Edward J. Koval, Engr. Rsch., Group Ldr., Process Develop. Robert L. Kraudel, Appl. Rsch.,

Rsch. Tech.
Teresa Lamb, Ofc. Serv., Sr.
Trans. Mach. Opr. Donna K. Lourash, Ofc. Serv. Sr. Trans. Mach Opr.

Mary A. L. McKinley, Qual. Cont., Clk Typist. Margaret Payton, Order, Dis-

patcher. Charles E. Rothwell, Engr. Rsch., Technician.

John H. Scherer, Qual. Cont., Relief Record & Demurrage Clk. Howard W. Smith, Process Engr., Jr. Chem. Engr. William W. Stoner, Ofc. Serv.,

Messenger. Leonard F. VanderBurgh, Chem. Rsch., Rsch. Chemist.

As one employee commented | Company, and certainly neceswhen asked this month's 'Flash sary to promote its best inter-

#### Jacque DeVore-Market Development

All I know about is the work



carried on in our department and the products that come through. We have a lot of products for the food, chemical, textile,

and paper industries, and I'd like to see a broadening of our product line for these companies, as well as new products.

#### George Nickell-18 Bldg.

There's a hundred different things, I suppose, but I can think of one right now. I think



we should have a bigger advertising program for grocery products. Television and magazine advertising, and giving

prizes seems like the best advertising any more. Our products aren't as well known in some parts of the country as I think they should be.

#### David Weybright 22-47-48-49 Building

Everybody's going to have to work together and get along. If they don't, they'll pull apart and



that's not for the best interests of either the Company or its employees. We all know we've got plenty of competition. For

every man in our plant there's another in a competitor's plant doing the same thing. We've got to be good enough and get along well enough to beat him.

#### **Deaths**

William N. Carter, hired in 1927 and retired in Feb. 1958 with 31 years' service, died Mar. 18. He was open convertor and neutralizer operator at retirement.

Clinton E. Childress, a 35-year Staley veteran employed as a senior mechanic in the Tin Shop, died April 21. Mr. Childress was hired Mar. 7, 1927.

Walter R. Compton, retired coal dock bunker operator in the Boiler Room, died April 4. Mr. Compton, who retired Oct. 31.

Compton, who retired Oct. 31, 1951, had 28 years service.

Joseph M. Hedrick who retired Apr. 1, 1950, died May 6. Mr. Hedrick was a supply truck driver when he retired. He had 20 years of service.

William H. Randolph, Jr., a 31year employee when he retired July 31, 1953, died May 8. Mr. Randolph was a sales consultant in the Atlanta office. Charles R. Sheets, retired ion ex

change operator in 5-10 Building, died May 9. He had 19 the Boiler Room, died April 5. Mr. Wyant, who was hired Mar.

14, 1923, had 39 years of service at his death. Florence Yobski, hired in July 1931 and retired April 30, 1953, died Mar. 30. She had 21 years of service and was head end op-erator in 20 Building at retire-

#### Staley's Welcomes

The following employees returing from military service: Jon F. Hosler, Extra Board.

#### Good Luck

To the following employees on entering military service: David W. Miller . . Grain Division

Robert M. Welch, Credit, Accts. Rec. Bookkeeper.

James D. Wideman, Process
Engr., Chem. Engr.

Clara L. Wilhelm, Ofc. Serv.,
Trans. Mach. Opr. First Staley Bowling Tournament Results:

# Russ Dash Calls Tourney 'Success'; Clarence Moutray Wins Handicap

The First Staley Bowling Tournament was an enthusiastic success for the 128 Staley men and women who met to vie for prize money and trophies.

Top bowler in the Handicap Division was Clarence Moutray of Planning; his 96 handicap and 633 scratch score gave him a 729 total. Winner in the Scratch Division for men was James Parnell, 12 & 26 Building, with 686 pins. Winner in the Scratch Division for women was Dorothy Collins, Order Department, with 480 pins. Each bowler in the Tournament rolled three games.

The Tournament was organized and



directed by Russ Dash, supervisor of The Bowl was busier than usual when 128 Staley men and orders and shipments, Corn Division. women began the First "Staley" Bowling Tournament.



Pause for refreshment for Bob Mayberry, Charles Yonikus, Clyde Smith, and Gordon Jackson.



Clarence Moutray had reason to be happy as winner of Handicap Division

# Staley Bowlers Win DLIL Titles





years service when he retired February 28 of this year.

John Wyant, building foreman in (left to right) Jack Galloway, Jim Carter, Jim Coffey, Frank Koshinski, and Marion Bergandine.

# Five Among Millikin Graduates In Local Lincoln

In the long line of Millikin University graduates this month were five that the Staley News recognized as sons and daughters of employees.

Congratulations to:

Ernie R. Dash, BS in engineering administration, son of Russ Dash, Corn Division;

Walter E. Grant, Jr., MS in education, son of Walter Grant, Pipe Shop;

Phyllis Jean Thompson, BS in business and industry, and Bev-Ira B. Thompson, 75 Building. vision.

# Linda Jess Wins Essay Contest

Linda Jess, 18-year-old daughter of Bonnie Jess, messenger supervisor, Office Services, was named a winner in the annual Lincoln essay contest at Stephen Decatur High School.

Linda is feature editor of the student newspaper Observer, and is active in the school's Physics Club, Junior Red Cross, and National Honor Society.

Carol D. Wolfe, BS in fine arts erly Louise Thompson, BS in and science, daughter of E. E. arts and science, daughters of Rhodes, manager, Soybean Di-

Two division titles in Decatur's Largest Independent Bowling League (DLIL) went to Staley bowlers this year. Champs the National Division (le were Charles Ellis, Koran Ca shaw, Scott Page, Floyd Adcock, Paul Mrotzek, and Russ Dash.

#### Candid Camera Catches Heer



Retired packaging foreman J. Heer helps hang the washing at his Florida home. He retired in December 1960 after 36 years of service with the Company.

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