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The Sherwin-Williams Code of Principles

1. To win on our merits by making products of only the highest quality.
2. To be the best and most successful concern in our field.
3. To be broad, liberal and aggressive in our policies and methods.
4. To take pride in our Company.
5. To be loyal to the Company and to each other.
6. To foster fellowship among ourselves, and to take pleasure as well as profit out of our work.
7. To strive constantly for the improvement and advancement of the business and ourselves.
8. To be considerate and courteous in all our dealings within and without our own organization.
9. To grow in knowledge and character as well as size.



Strenuous problems
Confidence creates enthusiasm
Enthusiasm conquers the world

THE WESTERN REGION

Spectrum

*Colorful News of Western Region
Employees and Families*

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Western Region Promotions



J. J. O'Neal, Chicago Metropolitan Area Manager with wife, Ruth, daughter Shannon and son Kelly.

JAMES J. O'NEAL became Chicago Metropolitan Area Manager on December 1, 1962. Jim joined S-W on November 22, 1946 as Credit Manager at the Chicago-W. 79th St. Branch and on November 1, 1950 he took over the reins of Manager at the Chatham Park Branch, now known as the Chicago-E. 87th St. Branch. Jim's record as both Credit Manager and Manager has equipped him well for the position of Area Manager, and coupled with this his friendly personality will enable him to continue his successful record thus far established.



EUGENE F. IRMEN replaced Jim O'Neal as Manager of the Chicago-E. 87th St. Branch on January 1, 1963. Gene, a native of Minnesota, became associated with S-W as Credit Manager in the Min-

neapolis-Robin Center Branch on October 6, 1955. On April 15, 1956 he was transferred to the Regional Credit Department where he took over the duties of Relief Cashier and on January 1, 1958 he was promoted to Branch Credit Supervisor. On May 25, 1959 he took over as Manager of the Dubuque, Iowa Branch where he remained until his transfer to Chicago-E. 87th. Gene's years with S-W have taken him into many of the W. R. Branches, acting as relief Credit Manager & Manager, and instructor as he sought to train new Credit Managers in their duties. With this diversified experience his latest assignment offers another challenge to prove his ability.

Gene is married and the father of three lovely children.





DALE H. HILLIER was promoted to Branch Manager at Antigo, Wisconsin on January 1, 1963. Dale was employed as Cashier Trainee on December 26, 1956 and on June 1, 1957 he took over as Credit Manager in Sault Ste. Marie, Michigan where he remained until his transfer to Antigo.

PHILLIP J. CODLING was recently transferred to Dubuque, Iowa as Branch Manager. Phil was employed in December 1958 as Dealer Representative at Moline, Illinois and on August 16, 1960 he was promoted to Branch Manager of the new Rock Island Branch, from which position he was transferred to Manager of Dubuque on January 1, 1963.



DONALD W. DENNIS, employed as Credit Manager, Mattoon, Illinois, November 18, 1959, was promoted to Branch Manager of Paris, Illinois on December 24, 1962.

CRAIG E. KING, employed September 10, 1962 as Combination Representative, Rock Island, Illinois, was promoted to Branch Manager on February 16, 1963 to replace P. J. Codling.



KENNETH G. SHULL became Branch Manager at Lebanon, Indiana on December 17, 1962. Ken was employed as Bookkeeper, Kokomo, Indiana on July 16, 1962.

GEORGE E. LORD became Branch Manager at Kalamazoo-Cork Lane on February 6, 1963, having worked previously as Stockkeeper at Grand Rapids-Main since March 7, 1960.



■ In Memoriam



Faye F. Kuhlman

The many friends of FAYE F. KUHLMAN were saddened by his death on February 2, 1963, following a short illness.

Faye was Branch Manager at Henderson, Kentucky from 1944 to 1948 and Rockford, Illinois from 1948 to 1958. In 1958 he started his own business as an S-W Dealer in Rockford, with his wife, Emily, also a former S-W employee, as Interior Decorator. As such, this team of husband and wife built quite a going business.

Faye served his country as a member of the Armed Forces in both World War I and World War II.

A man of highest integrity, Faye worked in a quiet manner throughout his life, giving of his time and talents in many and varied ways without the thought of recognition. He had an insatiable desire for perfection.

Following a short memorial service in Rockford, Faye's body was returned for interment in his family lot at Pittsfield, Illinois.

*Death is the Golden Key that
opens the gates to Eternity.*

Augustus H. Holloway



AUGUSTUS H. HOLLOWAY became the victim of an automobile accident on March 4, 1963, thus terminating his sojourn here on earth.

"Gus," as he was lovingly known to his many friends, was a Representative of Territory 6202 of the Midwest Automotive Zone and "Gus" serviced his customers with all the loyalty he possessed for the Sherwin-Williams Co. He could well have been termed a "born salesman" for he enjoyed immensely the calling he followed.

"Gus" was employed as O. K. Salesman for Lowe Brothers on June 26, 1944 and on September 1, 1948 he became Midwest Automotive Representative. His ready smile and helping hand garnered for him many friends throughout his territory, as well as throughout the Company itself. He was a man on whom one could depend and he was often found going out of his way to be of assistance to someone.

"Gus" had been warned to slow down but that just wasn't his nature and although he had been on sick leave since

November 1962, his interest was ever constant with S-W Automotive Zone.

Our sympathy to Mrs. Holloway and other members of the family in the loss of their beloved husband and father.

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Sherwin-Williams to Open Plant in Puerto Rico

CLEVELAND, O., Nov. 27—The Sherwin-Williams Co. of Puerto Rico, a recently-formed subsidiary of the Sherwin-Williams Co. here, today completed arrangements with the Puerto Rico Industrial Development Corp. for lease of a building to be used as a paint manufacturing plant. The new facility is located in the municipality of Bayamon near San Juan, P. R.

Situated on a two and three-quarter acre tract, the 23,000 square foot factory, office and warehouse is expected to be in production early in 1963. Initially, the plant will employ approximately 37 persons and will be capable of producing about one-half million gallons of paint products annually.

The new corporation is a venture of Sherwin-Williams and Suc. de A. Mayol & Co. of San Juan. The concern will manufacture such familiar Sherwin-Williams paints as Super Kem-Tone, Kem-Glo, SWP House Paint and certain industrial maintenance and product finishes. Distribution will be through the Mayol organization which has distributed Sherwin-Williams products in the island for more than 50 years. An outgrowth of a company established before the turn of the century, Suc. de A. Mayol & Co., Inc., is now the largest such distributing company in the Commonwealth and sells a sizable proportion of the paints used there.

E. Colin Baldwin, president of Sherwin-Williams, is president of the new company. W. D. Roland, plant manager of the Sherwin-Williams Co. of Cuba before that property was expropriated by the Castro government in 1960, is vice president and general manager. The eleven-man board of directors is made up of representatives of the cooperating firms.

Commenting on the venture, Baldwin said: "We are highly pleased to be partners with Mayol principals in this undertaking and grateful to the Puerto Rico Economic Development Administration for their efforts in helping to set it up. Sales in the island have increased steadily during the many years of our association and the new production facilities will insure our staying ahead of the market.

"The full resources of our research facilities and production experience will be at the disposal of the new company so it may readily meet the increasingly complex technical requirements created by the expanding economy of the island."

Suc. de A. Mayol & Co., Inc., services more than 100 paint dealers in Puerto Rico. The firm also distributes builders hardware, plumbing supplies and a variety of other building components.



SOON THERE WILL BE ANOTHER symbol on this map that shows the locations of Sherwin-Williams plants throughout the world. The new Puerto Rican installation is expected to be in operation early in 1963.

H. H. Albrecht Celebrates 25th Anniversary with S-W



Harold Albrecht receives watch from Mr. D. W. Drummond

SURPRISE! SURPRISE! SURPRISE! Well, it's pretty hard to do these days when an S-W employee completes his 25th Anniversary with the Company. However, we know that's just exactly the reaction HAROLD ALBRECHT, Manager of our Springfield, Illinois Branch, felt when he opened the Branch at 7:30 on the morning of February 7.

Bill Reed, Credit Manager, and George Stokes, PBM Representative, had arrived at the Branch at 7:00 o'clock—set up the coffee table and received the flow-

ers that arrived at 7:10. By 7:20 the coffee was brewing, donuts were out and the flowers arranged (the office had been decorated the previous evening after hours), so the two of them locked the Branch and left. Then when Harold arrived he no doubt had the biggest surprise of the day . . . office fully decorated—coffee table invitingly ready for all callers.

Throughout the day a number of Harold's friends stopped in to offer congratulations, among whom were H. M. Fry-



The Harold Albrecht family



Mr. C. E. Rutledge presenting Album of Letters

off, Paul Holland, William White, Henry Meyer, J. E. Neighbors, Virgil Gray, E. H. Cramer, Ed Davis, John Rhodes, C. V. Roberts and others. Many cards and telegrams were also received during the day.

That evening a dinner was held at the Hotel Leland to honor Harold, with the following in attendance: Mr. D. W. Drummond, Regional Director; Mr. C. E. Rutledge, Mgr. Credits & Accounting; Mr. & Mrs. J. E. Halterman, Peoria Area Manager; Mr. & Mrs. Larry Durbin, De-

catur Branch Manager; Mr. & Mrs. Richard Griefe, Jacksonville Manager; Mr. & Mrs. Joe Little, Taylorville Manager; Mr. & Mrs. C. R. Schroder, Decatur-Brettwood Manager; Mr. Paul Mills, Bloomington, Illinois Manager; Mrs. Pat Fatheree, Bookkeeper, Springfield; Mr. & Mrs. John Dickerson, Dealer Salesman, Springfield; Mr. & Mrs. Gene Bayse, Stockkeeper, Springfield; Mr. & Mrs. George Stokes, PBM Representative, Springfield and Mr. & Mrs. William Reed, Credit Manager, Springfield. Also



L. to R.—Joe Little, George Stokes, John Dickerson and Mrs. Dickerson.



L. to R.—Patricia Minas, Harold Albrecht, D. W. Drummond, J. E. Halterman, Mrs. Albrecht and Rickie



L. to R.—Mrs. Albrecht, C. E. Rutledge, Harold Albrecht, Joe Little, Bill Reed, and Mrs. Reed



L. to R.—Mrs. J. E. Halterman, Mrs. C. R. Schroder, Paul Mills, and Mrs. John Dickerson



Just a little idea of what Harold's office was like. (Wish you could have seen the colored picture from which this was made.)

Far right—Harold and Mrs. Albrecht pose at the beautifully adorned desk.



in attendance were Harold's wife, Patricia, daughter Patricia and grandson Rickie.

Mr. Halterman presided over a very interesting and informative program, and, as usual, the honoree came in for his share of good natured puns.

Harold received a number of gifts from his many friends throughout the Company, including a Transistor Radio, silver cuff link and tie clasp set, pen and pencil set, Polaroid Camera complete with film and flash bulbs, seat belts for his car and a silver serving tray. Mrs. Albrecht received a billfold and key case set.

After a day filled with one surprise after another for Harold, the evening ended on a very happy occasion, and the following day found Harold returning to the workaday tasks of running the Branch, with his eye toward the completion of another 25 years.

Harold, a graduate of Bradley Poly-

Institute, Peoria, Illinois worked as Asst. Cashier in the Peoria Branch from February 1936 until January 1938, at which time he left S-W, returning on February 7, 1938 as Cashier at our Decatur, Illinois Branch. On November 20, 1939 he was transferred to Springfield as Credit Manager and on March 23, 1943 he became Manager of our Henderson, Kentucky Store. April 10, 1945 he was returned to Springfield and this time in the capacity of Branch Manager, which position he successfully holds today.

From what we have heard, the experience of celebrating one's individual 25th Anniversary with the S-W Company becomes a highlight of his career, and the memory of the occasion long-lingering.

Our congratulations to Harold Albrecht on the completion of his 25th Anniversary with S-W, and to Mrs. Albrecht for the part she played in her husband's career.

L. to R.—Mrs. Richard Griefe, Mrs. Larry Durbin, Paul Mills and Mrs. Joe Little



TOP ACHIEVEMENT WINNERS

Branch Managers



D. W. Drummond presenting Annual 1st Place Branch Manager Award to LARRY B. GOW, Manager Muscatine, Iowa.



D. W. Drummond presenting 2nd Place Branch Manager Award to E. C. HEFLIN, Manager Kokomo, Indiana.



Mr. Drummond presents 3rd Place Award to J. R. MATTHEWS, Manager Muskegon, Michigan.

Dealer Representatives



E. S. LANES, Dealer salesman, Duluth-Main, receiving 1st Place Annual Dealer TAC Award from **D. W. Drummond**

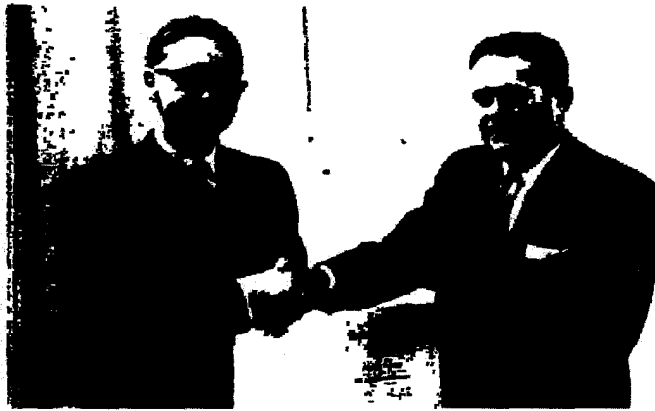


W. H. KLAUITTER, Bloomington-Pontiac, Illinois Salesman, receiving 3rd Place Annual Dealer TAC Award from **Mr. Drummond**. (Second place was won by **J. W. Cook**, deceased, salesman Kokomo, Indiana)



L. to R.—**Warren Klawitter**, **D. W. Drummond**, **Larry Gow**, and **Ev Halterman**—four very pleasant looking gentlemen.

PMI WINNERS



E. L. COLBURN, PMI Representative, Muskegon, Michigan, receiving 1st Place Annual PMI Award from **D. W. Drummond**



R. D. ANDERSON, Minneapolis-Main, receiving 2nd Place Annual PMI Award from **R. G. Strandquist**, Area Manager



T. J. WALZEL, Chicago-Main, receives 3rd Place Annual PMI Award from **D. W. Drummond**



L. to R.—J. R. Matthews, Muskegon Branch Manager winner, **Maynard Sward**, proud Michiana Area Manager and **E. L. Colburn**, Muskegon PMI winner



L. to R.—J. J. O'Neal, Chicago Metropolitan Area Manager, **Ted Walzel** and **D. W. Drummond**

WESTERN REGION MEETINGS

During the past several months a number of meetings have been held throughout Western Region—Dealer meetings, PMI meetings and Credit meetings. These meetings play an important part in the overall success of our Company because they tend to be informative, stimulating and productive, and at the same time allow a much needed period of fellowship so that the men may have an opportunity to meet and become better acquainted with others whose interests are shared by one and all.

Pictures taken at these meetings tell their own story. You may get a glimpse of a Branch Manager absorbed in a demonstration put on by a PMI Representative. You may find a Credit Manager apparently listening intently, and then again you may see a group in a gab session during a coffee break. There is always the leader who seems to be holding the interest of his listeners, and that may be because he is informing them of something new with S-W. Of course, we point with pride to the men who have received special recognition for their accomplishments in the field of sales this past year, whom you will see in several pictures.

So . . . whatever the scene, we hope you will appreciate afresh the time and efforts of those who have made the gathering possible . . . for it is all in the best interest of a greater Western Region through more enthusiastic and informed members of our one big family.



Chicago Dealers Meeting Dixie Governor Hotel — March 7, 1963



Mr. E. C. Baldwin (right), President, and Frank Flynn, Chicago City Salesman, seem to be in earnest conversation . . . Frank queries "What do you mean—my expense accounts are ridiculous?"



Jim O'Neal, left, and Mr. E. C. Baldwin, and Jim questions- "Did you really start this way?"

Jack Vaupel, Manager Oak Lawn, Illinois Branch . . . "I really need the money!"

Minneapolis Dealer Meeting
St. Paul Lowry Hotel, Feb. 28, 1963



Harry Wilson, Western Region Branch Operating Supervisor, takes time out after a timely presentation.



R. G. Strandquist, Minneapolis Area Manager, leads discussion.

INDIANAPOLIS DEALER MEETING



Groups in attendance at Marriott Hotel on February 26.

ILLINOIS AREA PMI MEETINGS

Kewanee, Illinois — January 22, 1963



Don Henke, Asst. to Supvr. Br. PMI, Ind. Sales, leading program



Ev Halterman, Area Manager, getting shot in arm from Harry Wilson, Regional Branch Operating Supervisor.

Decatur, Illinois — January 24, 1963

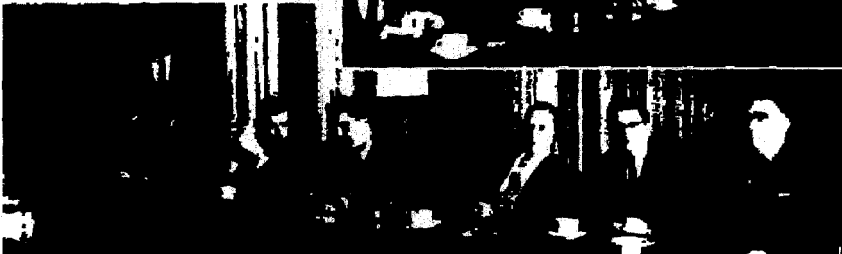


L. to R.—Jim Roach, Decatur, Ill., Don Dennis, Paris and Bill Farrell, Mattoon.



Mr. Drummond is ready to give the needle to some "lucky" guy.

Groups in attendance



IOWA-WISCONSIN PMI MEETINGS Madison, Wisconsin



The boys from Milwaukee

Group in attendance seems to be relaxing a moment



Paul Rush, Claude Lieburn, Manager Racine, Wisconsin and Don Henke (L to R)

Cedar Rapids, Iowa

Part of the group in attendance



L. to R.—D. Lewis and T. Ward, Salesman Ottumwa, Tom Haigh, Manager Oskaloosa and Merrill Miller, Manager Ottumwa.

MINNEAPOLIS PMI MEETING

February 7, 1963



W. E. Swenson, Manager Willmar and E. E. Sisson, Manager Minneapolis-Edina, try their hand at our new sanding varnish scaler.



Joe Karels, Manager St. Cloud, Minnesota, seems to be trying to convince Don Henke—on what we cannot tell.

Jack Merriman, Supvr. Br. Pt., Main., & Ind Sales, Southwestern Region, Kansas City, Missouri, was a guest speaker at Minneapolis meeting.



Duluth, Minnesota, February 5, 1963



L. to R.—J. R. Skamarycz, Superior, Wis.; R. W. Dahlen, Duluth, Minn.; E. O. Ebert, Brainerd, Minn.; James Grettum, Little Falls, Minn.; Don Henke, Chicago; Paul Rush, Chicago; R. G. Strandquist, Minneapolis; E. E. Branch, Ashland, Wis.; W. F. Owens, Virginia, Minn., and Eric Lanes, Salesman, Duluth.

James Grettum, Don Henke and Dick Dahlen, with Bob Strandquist watching their brushing application.



INDIANAPOLIS PMI MEETING

Marriott Hotel, February 14, 1963



Our guests from Kimm Paint Company—Ed O'Connell, Ron Oxley, Kenton Kimm, Dick Johnson and our own Lou Hasseld



Guests from Vonnegut Hardware—Roy Sproul, Russell Strope, Richard Wehlage and Kenneth Hornbrook

Terre Haute, Indiana; February 12, 1963



L. to R.—Bill Neal, Jim Tabor and Ronaki Townes



Frank Pate, Tom Cobb and Al Shidler



Darlo Rush, Bill DeArmond and LeRoy Bivins



Glen Vandergriff, Delmon Shake and John Rogers

MICHIANA PMI MEETING

Kalamazoo, Michigan; Holiday Inn, January 15, 1963

South Bend, Indiana; Randall's Inn, January 17, 1963



Lamont Tufts, St. Joseph; Les Barnes, Dowagiac and Bob Gee, Niles



Roger DeWeerd, Holland, Michigan Manager (right) gives Paul Rush another problem to solve.



The fine product merits close inspection and Len Everett, Gary-Glen Park Manager, does just that, while Wright Beasey, Gary Dealer Salesman handles the brush like an expert.



Don Hadley, Paint Dept., Manager of our Ft. Wayne, Indiana Distributor, Schlatter Hardware, with Lefty Hennig (right) Dealer Rep. Ty. 172, Ft. Wayne, Ind.



L. to R.—Dick Johnson, South Bend; Ora Sanders and Bill Clutter, Hammond; John Tuckek, Gary and Joe Holtzclaw, Plymouth, in the background



An attentive group

CREDIT MEETINGS

Kalamazoo, Mich.; Holiday Inn, February 12, 1963



Geraldine Miller, seated, Niles, Michigan; J. P. Borger, Three Rivers; Wally Berg, St. Joseph and Almond Borrusch, Grand Rapids, Michigan



Betty Stover, Dowagiac, seated; George Bitner, Holland; Gordy Emmons, Grand Rapids-Wyoming Park; Jayne Kain, Plymouth, Indiana and Lyn Huling, Mishawaka, Ind.



Fannie Haynes, Coldwater, Michigan; Dennis Airgood, Wabash, Ind.; Harold Bach, Muskegon and George Mallett, Kalamazoo-Main



John Reynolds, Battle Creek, Michigan; Ron Beyer, Ionia and H. E. Moore, Auditor Roosevelt Hotel, Cedar Rapids, Iowa, Feb. 14, 1963

Peoria, Illinois; Pere Marquette Hotel

February 19, 1963



L. to R.—Pat Fleming, Canton; Jacqueline Perry, Mattoon;
Dorothy Farnsworth, Dixon; Julia Madden, Urbana and
Mary Baker, Champaign, Ill.

Cedar Rapids, Iowa; Roosevelt Hotel

February 14, 1963



L. to R.—Ken Hugen, Dubuque; Gus Setterquist, Moline;
Jack Barlow, Mason City and John Kennedy, Waterloo



Miss Twila Woodring, left, Des Moines-Main
and Betty Smith, Bettendorf, Iowa



L. to R.—Dennis Smith, Charles City and Brian
Ramsdell, Marshalltown, Iowa



L. to R.—Bob Niemeyer, Cedar Falls; Eileen Moore, Os-
kaloosa; Larry Buster, Muscatine and Lovey Mae Mondt,
Boone, Iowa



L. to R.—Bob Sloan, Davenport; Bill Wakeman, Ottum-
wa; Leroy Wescott, Iowa City and Bob DeLong, Cedar
Rapids

Mungovan-Radecki Nuptials

Barbara Mungovan and James Radecki were married on February 23rd at St. Sabina's Church in Chicago. The wedding was followed by a small reception.

The couple took a champagne flight to Las Vegas, Nevada for a week's honeymoon.

Jim is a Regional sales-trainee and Barbara is a practicing registered nurse. Mr. and Mrs. Radecki are at home at 5950 West Lake Street. Congratulations and many happy years of marital bliss.



Mr. and Mrs. James Radecki

Shirley F. Kalal, Bride of Blair J. Nuccio

Miss Shirley F. Kalal was united in marriage to Mr. Blair J. Nuccio, presently Cashier-Credit Manager of our Berwyn, Illinois Branch, in September 1962 at St. Blase Church in Summit, Illinois.

A large reception following the wedding was held at the American Legion Hall in Summit. Immediately after the reception the happy couple left for a two-week honeymoon in Northern Wisconsin.

Congratulations, Blair, and best wishes to you both for much happiness and success in the years ahead.



Mr. and Mrs. Blair J. Nuccio



S-W personnel present at the reception, pictured from left to right—Mr. and Mrs. Donald Melien, Credit Manager Downers Grove Branch; Mr. Miles Fort; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Payetta, Mgr. Western Springs Branch; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mahn; Mr. and Mrs. Blair Nuccio, Bride and Groom; Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Schoenbeck, Manager La Grange Branch; Mr. and Mrs. George Gradert, La Grange; Mr. Frank Lukas, Dealer in Westmont and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Andries, Manager Chicago-Grand Branch

Service Anniversaries

Our congratulations to the following employees who celebrated significant service anniversaries during the months of February and March.

THIRTY-FIVE YEARS

H. C. COLLIER

Trade Sales Representative, Indianapolis, Ind.
February 6, 1928

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS

H. H. ALBRECHT

Manager Springfield, Ill.
February 7, 1938

FIFTEEN YEARS

R. A. SCHULTZ

Trade Sales Repr. Chicago, Ill.
February 9, 1948

S. R. RANK

Manager, Champaign, Ill.
March 23, 1948

H. F. TREACY

Dealer Salesman, Grand Rapids, Mich.
February 16, 1948

D. R. SCHRODER

Manager Beloit, Wis.
March 15, 1948

TEN YEARS

A. D. DUDASH

Credit Manager, Wausau, Wis.
February 1, 1953

J. H. FROST

Dealer Repr., Des Moines-Main
March 1, 1953

H. E. SCHOENBECK

Manager, La Grange, Ill.
March 2, 1953

JOHN PERKOVICH

Dealer Salesman, Milwaukee Main
February 2, 1953

R. A. GRIEFE

Manager, Jacksonville, Ill.
March 1, 1953

E. A. SHANK

PC&C Salesman
March 18, 1953

P. A. RIOPELLE

Manager, Marquette, Mich.
March 30, 1953

FIVE YEARS

R. C. ASHTON

Manager, Canton, Illinois
February 6, 1958

R. J. MAYNARD

PMI Representative, Grand Rapids, Michigan
March 1, 1958

F. J. BEST

Manager, Sterling, Illinois
February 10, 1958

D. R. FILSON

Trade Sales Representative 928
March 1, 1958

R. B. BEYER

Credit Manager, Ionia, Michigan
February 17, 1958

D. B. MYERS

Credit Manager, Kokomo, Indiana
March 17, 1958

J. L. LOBDELL

Manager, Ionia, Michigan
February 12, 1958

P. L. NELSON

Credit Manager, Aurora, Illinois
March 24, 1958

J. R. MATTHEW

Manager, Muskegon, Michigan
February 12, 1958

R. C. SIEFKES

Manager, Janesville, Wisconsin
March 3, 1958

C. H. VIVIAN

Manager, Butte, Montana
March 1, 1958

Eavesdroppin' and Pictures at Random



Our photographer caught L. T. White, Auditor, hard at work while making his audit of the Chicago Regional office.



And W. W. Tappan, Auditor, took time out for the photographer, also, while auditing the Chicago Regional office. Mr. White and Mr. Tappan worked together and we are happy to say that we enjoyed their visit.



Mr. R. D. Graham, Indianapolis Area Auditor, paid a visit to the Chicago office recently to meet Regional personnel and here we see him with C. E. Rutledge and R. W. Lacey, as they discuss Branch matters.

The Chicago office had a siege of hospital patients who are now back on the job, we are happy to say—Mr. F. P. Squibb and Eve Fee of the PC&C Department, Gisella Schrey, Trade Sales and Elna Trook, Branches, all underwent surgery within a short period of time.



George Criel, a part-time Western Region mail boy, shows off the third place bronze medal and white ribbon which he won in the recent all-city wrestling meet. George, who wrestled in the 154 weight class, is a junior at Carl Schurz high school. His high school awarded him a trophy for being the most improved wrestler, a wrestling letter and a sweater patch. This was George's first year in competition.

Our sympathy to Mary Mrkacek Frelichowski of the C&A Dept. in the recent death of her father, Mr. John Mrkack. Mary penned the poem you will find on the inside back cover of this issue.

Our sympathy to Mr. E. G. Williams, Regional New Dealer Sales Supervisor, in the death of his mother, Mrs. E. G. Williams, in Kingstown, Indiana.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Galen D. Westerfield, who are the proud parents of a baby boy weighing 8 lbs. 14 oz. Galen is Credit Manager of our Kenosha, Wisconsin Branch.

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Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hulse who are the proud parents of a baby boy who arrived at 4:38 A.M. March 8, 1963. His name is James Lewis and he weighed 8 lbs. 12 oz. at birth. According to his sisters, Lauri age 7, Lynn age 5, and Lea age 2, James is just about king of the hill. Mr. Hulse is Branch Manager at Marshalltown, Iowa.



On March 31, 1963, Betty Ann Rizzo, Western Region file clerk, announced her engagement to Robert Luck, Airman Second Class with the U.S. Air Force.

The couple plan a long engagement, with Betty Ann continuing her employment while Bob continues to serve his enlistment. He is presently stationed at Little Rock, Arkansas, where he is attending school to learn Titan 2 Missile Electronics.

A very lovely four-generation family with none other than our own Marge Carlson as the proud grandmother standing behind her mother, Mrs. Martina Anderson, and her daughter, Jeanne Van Oost, who is holding the youngest member and the recipient of all their affection, little Bryan Michael Van Oost at five weeks of age.

Your mission is through,
Your loved ones are blue.
Your time has come to go.

Those pearly white gates,
The kindness that rates,
Unlocks the door for you.

There are rainbows up there,
There is never a care,
The Lord is there with you.

The Angels will sing,
Their harps will surely ring,
And you'll be standing there.

The smile that you'll wear,
Will shine bright everywhere,
And we will smile too.

Now, you're in a new land,
I've heard tell it is grand,
It's what the Lord had promised you.

M. Frelichowski
G&A

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