

Strictly Personal Chattanooga

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NEWS ABOUT MUELLER CO. EMPLOYEES AND THEIR FAMILIES

Credit Union In New Building



A new building has recently been completed to house the administrative functions of Mueller Co. Employees Federal Credit Union.

The structure, located on North Hawthorne Street is well equipped and also more convenient to all employees. The parking facilities are more than adequate compared to the old quarters on Glass Street.

The Credit Union was initiated in March of 1959 and transacted the first loan in May of that year. At this date, a total of 17,694 loans have been made amounting to \$18,836,638.00.

At the present time the outstanding loan balance is \$1,192,746.00. This is made up in part from 910 loans made in 1977.

Mueller employee members earned a total of \$60,411.00 in dividends during the past year while adding an additional \$9,000.00 to the assets of the operation. The present total assets of the Credit Union amount to \$1,420,807.00.

In order to make loans available, someone has to provide the savings. This is made possible by the 871 members

whose Share Accounts total \$1,239,451.00.

At the annual meeting in January, the following officers were elected:

Board of Directors

Ronald Rogers, James Boston, James Johnson, Charles Bible, Edward Parham, Charles York, William Headrick

Credit Committee

Norma Counts, William Wright, Walter Walker

Supervisory Committee

Ronald Rogers, Roberta Tallent, Jo Ann Manning

Mary Barker Receives Doctorate

Mary Barker, wife of Jack Barker, Purchasing Agent, received her Doctorate of Philosophy, with a Major in English, at the University of Tennessee at Knoxville on December 9, 1977.

Dr. Barker had received her M.A. at Vanderbilt University in English in 1965, and is serving as Head of the Humanities and Social Science Division at Cleveland State Community College.

Christmas Spirit

Bill Denham, an Assembly Department employee donned his Santa Claus suit and jumped into his red Cadillac Convertible.

It seems that Bill wanted to spread a bit more of the yule-tide spirit during the Christmas Season so he made plans to do something about it.

He purchased his own attire; borrowed the car from a friend and spent many of his off-duty hours distributing candy and other goodies to small children everywhere. He graciously consented to many invitations from his friends and even strangers to play the role of that jolly old elf for many occasions.

Bill said that although he went to considerable expense and much physical effort, he was richly rewarded by seeing the happiness of many hundreds of people. He is already making plans to do even more next year.

SERVICE AWARDS

10 years: Richard D. Mason
Kenneth Shull
Robert D. Hickman
Ray R. Lowe
Robert W. Steele
Clyde Winnie
20 years: Jack D. Vincent
30 years: James A. Hood
40 years: Robert Lee Rhodes

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Caution: Be sure brain is engaged before putting mouth in gear.

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A good boss is a guy who takes a little more than his share of the blame and a little less than his share of the credit.

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Be kind. Remember everyone you meet is fighting a hard battle.

What's In a Name?

If you are one who believes that "It's all in the Name", then perhaps the Cleaning Room in Chattanooga should be above reproach. Since June 6, 1955 the Cleaning room has been supervised by a Pope (Jack Pope). Mr. Pope is retiring January 31 and will leave the job in charge of a Bishop (Leonard W.). Mr. Bishop's second shift supervisor is an Angel (George L.).

RETIREMENTS

Robert L. Buggs, iron pourer, iron foundry, 11 years, 9 months and 13 days, October 31, 1977 (disability).

John W. Griffin, Shell core machine operator, core room, 22 years, 3 months and 15 days, January 27, 1978 (80 plan).

Rolland T. Strickland, maintenance welder, 21 years, 9 months and 6 days, January 30, 1978 (80 plan).

Jack Pope, cleaning room foreman, 25 years and 24 days, January 31, 1978 (80 plan).

Howard Owens, stock boy and packer, shipping department, 24 years, 5 months and 7 days, February 1, 1978.

Clyde W. Grooms, quality control analyst, 19 years and 6 months, February 1, 1978 (disability).

John W. Griffin, Shell core machine operator, core room, 22 years, 3 months and 15 days, January 27, 1978 (80 plan).

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Business prophets tell what's going to happen. Profits tell what's happened.

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You never get a second chance to make a good first impression.

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People can be divided into three groups; Those who make things happen, those who watch things happen, and those who wonder what happened.

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