



GATES STUDIO REVIEW

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Les Sieleman Attends Credit Conference

Les Sieleman, Mgr. of the Credit Department, attended the Quad-State Credit Conference of the National Association of Credit Men at St. Louis on October 16 and 17. At this meeting the various speakers, including bankers and heads of industry, painted enthusiastic pictures of business conditions for the next nine months.

The speakers were almost unanimous in their opinion that business conditions for the next five or ten years should be good. This optimism did not discount the fact that there would be some low spot in our economy. However, no one seemed to feel that a depression is indicated. Factors controlling the general business prosperity will be dictated by continuation of good farm crops and income and an easing of the tax situation.

It was admitted that the consumer demand for some items such as cars and some other hard goods items may taper off. This slack should be taken up by the increased demands of our larger population. Furthermore, such requirement as more schools and more modern and adequate roads will be definite must projects in years to follow. Such projects will take up any slack in employment caused by a tapering off in the armament program. Such projects, unlike military expenditures, will add to the wealth and welfare of our country.

It is obvious that any reduction in taxes will leave more dollars in the hands of individuals and business to purchase goods they need.

In the words of J. W. McAfee, President of Union Electric Company of St. Louis, "If our economic and political attitudes are right, business will remain good and there can be no over-production."

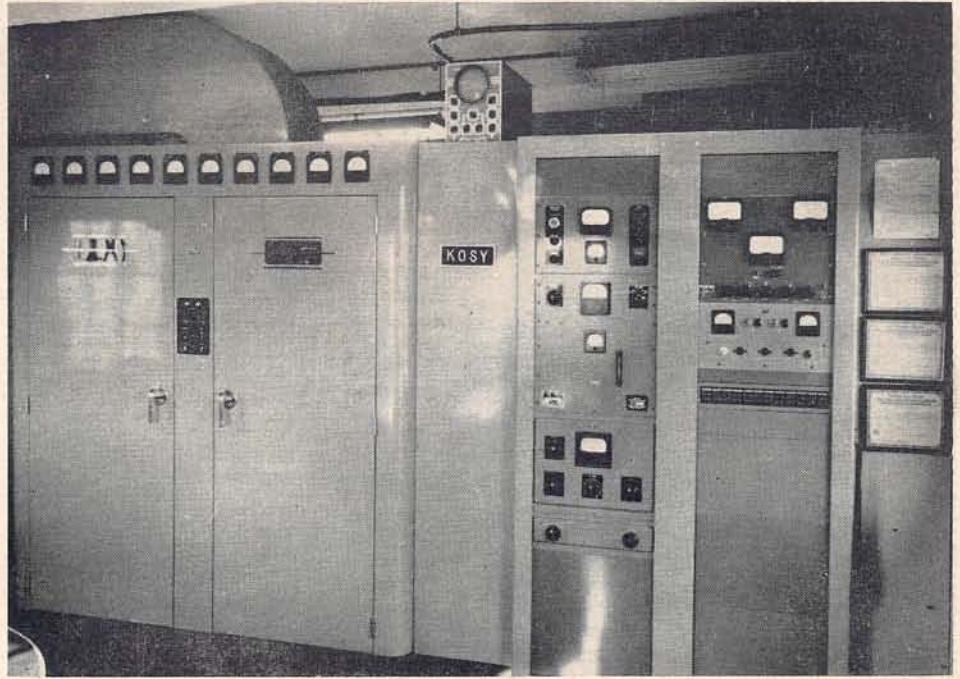
Shipping Department Tidings

By Alvina Rice

The push of business has required the Shipping Department to acquire additional facilities. A warehouse has been rented between Jersey and York on Second Street. Ray Hudnut has been put in charge of this operation.

Foreman Bob Flotkoetter and his family spent their vacation in Detroit, Michigan.

KOSY, Texarkana, One of Southland's Best



On the border of Texas and Arkansas there is a famous city which we all learned about in our geography books, called Texarkana. Station KOSY operating on 790 Kc, 1000 watts, with its complete complement of modern Gates equipment sends a strong signal into the four states of Arkansas, Texas, Oklahoma and Louisiana. Top illustration shows Gates BC-1F air-conditioned transmitter with MO-3066 accessory cabinet and second accessory cabinet with phase monitoring and patch panel equipment. Bottom illustration shows a view of the main control room with Gates SA-50 dual console, CB-14 transcription turntables, Presto disc recording equipment and Magnecord tape recording apparatus.



KOSY is affiliated with the Mutual Broadcasting System and is owned by Dr. W. Decker Smith and A. L. Davis. Engineering was done by the Broadcast Engineering Service of Shreveport, Louisiana. Chief Engineer is Charles Mathis, Jr., and General Manager is Tom Dillahunty. In asking Mr. Dillahunty, Manager of KOSY, as to any comment he might wish to make, his words were like those of all southern gentlemen, brief and to the point, "Doing very nicely, thank you."

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Sales Engineers Meet In Quincy For Three-Day Sales Conference

On Thursday morning, October 9, all Gates Sales Engineers and Office Sales Personnel met at Spring Lake Country Club to open a three-day conference.

President P. S. Gates opened the meeting with the welcome and introductions. He also outlined a bit of the company's thinking on future sales plans and then introduced the first speaker, Mr. Tom McNeil, President of the Quincy 7-Up Bottling Company. Mr. McNeil gave a very outstanding presentation, complete with charts, on the subject of "Human Relations in Business."

The next portion of the program was handled by our Plant Manager, Kell Todd, who brought the Sales En-



As the Sales Engineers arrived at the office, they were greeted by the above new display hanging in the office lobby. Each man is pictured with a piece of Gates equipment and the territory he covers is indicated.



President P. S. Gates opens the meeting with welcome and introductions.

gineers up to date on production problems and what was being done to improve the entire production set-up. He was assisted by Mr. Bob Stahlhuth, Production Control Manager; Mr. John Anderson, Foreman of the Radio Assembly Department; Mr. Tom Lovett, Foreman of the Sheet Metal Department, and also Mr. Ray Jochem, Assistant Purchasing Agent.

Before the meeting adjourned for lunch, Mr. Walter Marsh and Mr. Del Hornbogen of the Magnecord Tape Recorder Company of Chicago gave us the story on their products and what could be expected in the future.

Following lunch, Mr. Nibs Jochem



All Foremen, Department Heads, and Engineers joined the Sales Department for dinner.

spoke briefly on our new Audio Gear and then Mr. Gates gave an up-to-date picture on the TV situation and also how the McFarland Act affects the entire broadcast field.

Credit is always an import subject at all meetings and our Credit Manager, Mr. Les Sieleman, handled that before the meeting broke up for a short recess.

In the late afternoon session, Mr. Jim Myers of the Chicago Transformer Company spoke about their pro-



At the speakers' table we found Plant Manager Kell Todd, Executive Vice-President L. I. McEwen, President P. S. Gates, Attorney Harold Lewis, and Personnel Director Rog Veach.

duction and pointed out many new developments.

He was followed by Jerry Lainer of our international office in New York City. He acquainted us with their world-wide operations and how it fits into the distribution of our products.

The late afternoon session was concluded by our Executive Vice-President, Mr. L. I. McEwen, who spoke on the subject of "Our Guarantee," which backs up every Gates product. This guarantee which stands for Gates quality has played an important part in our company's development and growth.

In the evening, a fine chicken dinner was served to all sales personnel

as well as all company foremen and department heads.

Following a short talk by Personnel and Public Relations Director, Rog Veach, the balance of the program was taken over by the Gates Artistic Players who presented an appropriate skit on sales, credit and delivery problems. In case you are wondering who the Gates Artistic Players are—they are John Haerle, Nibs Jochem, Ralph Patterson of the office sales personnel, Bob Ware of the field sales force and Mr. George Thompson of the engineering department.

During their presentation there were many surprising interruptions which brought to light some of the activities of our men. They are displayed better in pictures than we can tell in words.

On Friday the entire day was spent in attending the annual Tri-State Sales Conference sponsored by the Sales Executive Club of Quincy. This meeting, held at Hotel Lincoln-Douglas, was an outstanding program with



During the meeting, Ray Welch, Quincy Chief of Police, and one of his men came out to question Sales Engineer Stan Whitman about some old parking tickets. Stan's face was quite crimson for a while.

nationally known speakers from all over the country. They were Mr. Al N. Seares, Vice-President and Director of Domestic Sales and Service for Remington Rand, Inc.; Dr. Samuel N. Stevens, President of Grinnell College; Mr. Arthur A. Hood, Vice-President of Vance Publishing Corporation and Editor of "American Lumberman"; Mr. Gene Flack, Sales Counsel and Director of Advertising of Sun-



Our bachelor Sales Engineer Larry Cervone was paid a surprise visit by one of his old Quincy girl friends. She turned out to be Liz Peterson of the Production Control Department.

shine Biscuits, Inc.; Mr. James Q. Maxwell, District Manager of Curtis Circulation Company; and Mr. Tom Collins, Publicity Director of the City National Bank and Trust Company, Kansas City, Missouri.

Mr. Seares, Mr. Hood and Mr. Flack are all past Chairmen of the Board of the National Sales Executives.

Door prizes were given throughout the day and no one figured out how



Sales Engineer Bob Ware was too busy singing to his lady friend to answer the telephone call from the home office. Lady friend was Geo. Thompson of Engineering Department.

he was able to do it but Mr. Ken Neubrecht, our Sales Engineer from the Michigan, Indiana, and Ohio territory, won two of these—an electric clock and also a sun lamp. He should not get that 'faded look' this winter with this new sun lamp.

Saturday started with ham and eggs at 7:30 a. m. at the Lincoln-Douglas Hotel and the balance of the morning was spent with a tour of the company plants at Second & Hampshire, the airport plant and the new plant site at Thirtieth & Broadway. The tour was made in a city bus and a stop was also made at Quincy Memorial Park, East Broadway, to place a wreath on the grave of our former Sales Manager, Mr. Fred Grimwood.

For those who were able to stay, golf was enjoyed at the Quincy Country Club on Saturday afternoon.

The Sales Engineers attending the conference were: Bob Kuhl, San Fer-



In the Sales Skit John Haerle played the part of the tough Credit Manager, Les Sieleman. Nibs Jochem acted as both President P. S. Gates and also Executive Vice-President, L. I. McEwen, and Ralph Patterson managed the "Blue Sky" Sales Department.

nando, Calif.; Bob Blanchard, Denver, Colo.; Wayne Marcey and Joe Woods, Houston, Texas; Stan Whitman, Waterloo, Iowa; Bob Ware, Quincy; Ken Neubrecht, Detroit, Mich.; O. J. McReynolds, Washington, D. C.; Larry Cervone, New York City; and Jack Price, Washington, D. C.

New Industrial Engineer

October 16, Mr. Fred Hronicek started with us as Industrial Engineer. He comes well qualified to handle this position. In addition to graduating from Iowa State College, he has also taken other courses in graduate work and in trade schools at Washington U.



Fred will soon be joined in Quincy by Mrs. Hronicek. They will reside at 2208 State Street.

News from East Sub-Assembly

By Elva Watts

Velma Balzer has asked that we thank all those who remembered her with flowers and cards while she was in the hospital and at home recovering from a recent illness.

The entire department sends "get well wishes" to Art Krauth who is ill at home. It is reported that Art may have to go to Chicago for further examination and treatment.

Anna Young is now residing at her new address of 6491 $\frac{1}{3}$ Hampshire Street.

Edna Mason and family are now located at their new home near Payson.

Viola Mangold returned to work recently after spending several weeks recuperating from a recent operation. She too says "thanks" to all for flowers and cards.

Foreman Glenn Foster and Jim Gibson of the Radio Assembly Department spent their vacation taking a 3500 mile trip east through the Smoky Mountains. From there they went south to Miami, Florida and then back through Tampa, Florida and Atlanta, Georgia. On the trip they visited many points of interest, such as Oak Ridge, Tennessee; Cypress Gardens, Daytona Beach and Miami Beach, Florida.

Latest Scoop from Sheet Metal and Allied Departments

By Virgil Hall

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hamann are the proud parents of a baby boy, Larry Edward, born September 17, 1952. This makes three boys—two more Don and you'll have a basketball team. Congratulations to Don and Mrs. Hamann.

Bill Weed, Jr., reports that his son, Robyn, who has been in a Springfield hospital with polio is coming along in good shape. We're all hoping that Robyn will be home in the near future.

Lewis Phillips tells us that he is building a new home at 1522 Adams Street. At the present time Lewis and his family live in Mendon. They expect to move into their new home soon.

On Wednesday morning, September 23, at 9 a. m., George Ellsworth was united in marriage to Miss Norma Jansen. George is a member of our sheet metal day shift and Mrs. Ellsworth has been employed by the Quincy Beauty academy. Best of everything to Norma and George.

SYMPATHY

We extend our sincere sympathy to Mr. Kell Todd on the death of his brother.

HAPPENINGS OF A SUB-ASSEMBLY FLOOR

By J. M. (Dusty) Rhodes

A sub-assembly floor is one of many varied operations and to successfully accomplish the job, it is necessary that all personnel be somewhat of a jack of all trades. If anything of greatest importance should be singled



Foreman J. M. "Dusty" Rhodes seated at his desk — complete even with flowers.

out, it would be that of cabling. The cabling section of Gates has grown a great deal in the past several years. Now in this section are nine people who also are called upon to handle



Assistant Foreman Kenny French, in charge of the cable section, is shown starting the layout of a new cable. In the background Lavina Fahey and Gertrude Gish are busy numbering and putting lugs on wires.

other assemblies from time to time such as edgewise coils, antenna, tuning equipments and the delicate assembly of transcription turntable motor equipment. All cables are made



Rose Ballow, Clarence Kinder and Katherine Dorsey are all working on cables for 250 GY Transmitters. A small portion of wire stock can be seen hanging on racks in background.



Elma Hobbs is using the new wire cutter and stripper which is located in front of a wire rack. Derotha Pusey and Margaret Marksbury are working on 250 GY Transmitter cable.

on a pre-arranged cable board or what resembles a pin board. The layout is made according to prints and specifications supplied by the engineering department. The wires of all sizes and various grades of insulation



Lola Shank, Daphne Dingle, Marjorie Stone and Marie Carter are assembling 250 watt Communication Transmitters. In the background can be seen two cabinets for the 250 GY Transmitter and also the wire rack for the cable department.

are then stripped and a special Scotch tape number is attached to each wire so that it may be identified with a terminal board used on the particular equipment involved. All lugs are at-



Assistant Foreman Clarence Moritz instructs while Mary Ellen Rupp and Helen Metzger assemble R. F. section for 250 GY Transmitter. In the background is one of our new parts bins for small hardware. The detachable bins can be lifted from the rack and attached to the bench rack at each assembly point.

tached to the cables by approved joint Army-Navy specifications. Some cables are held together by linen lacing cable wire, others with waterproof tape.



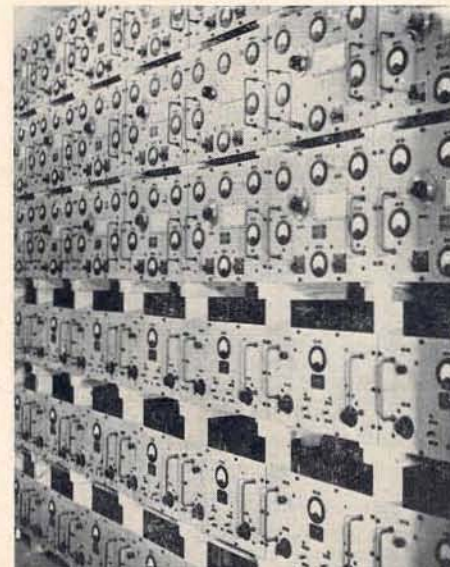
Lurene Winkler and Luellen Pryor are assembling controls and modulator panels for 250 GY Transmitters.

Cables, when finished, are entirely preformed and ready to fit snugly into the completed equipment.



Omer Walton, who was recently promoted to the Quality Control Department, and Technician Dick Wellman are pictured giving the modulator and R. F. deck on Navy Beacon Transmitter a preliminary test.

Saving of space is always of prime importance in a manufacturing procedure. Assistant Foreman, Clarence



A bay of tested decks waiting for final assembly in cabinet.

Moritz, suggested a new device on which to hang the large heavy panels for radio transmitters. This new rack will handle twenty panels in the same space that originally accommodated four.

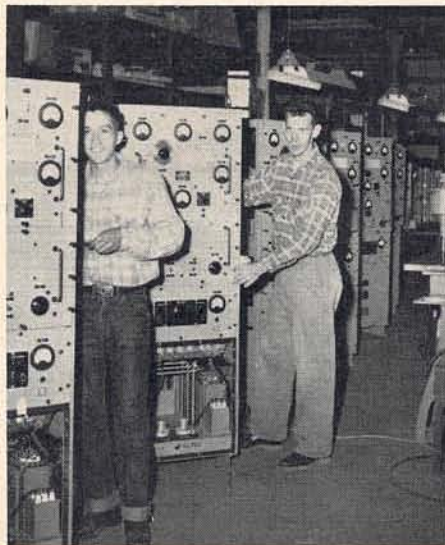
Sub-assembly has as its major demand the dove-tailing of the many and varied individual assemblies so that they can come out on schedule to go into the final assembly without delaying final fabrication and shipment. This not only involves produc-



Elvin "Blue" Ballow, Jim Medlin and Loren "Curly" Bohannan assisting with final assembly work.

tion problems but complete and successful liaison with the purchasing and expediting departments, as well as stock section, to make sure that all materials are made available as called for.

Production of transmitters has accelerated constantly to where a very satisfactory schedule has been maintained, the exact amount not being disclosed because of Security restrictions.



Jim Wells and Group Leader Jim Havermale are busy on final assembly of Navy Beacon Transmitters.

More New Co-Workers To Get Acquainted With

There have been many new additions in various departments. Make it a point to get acquainted with our new people and help them feel at home and a part of our expanding Gates family.

Esper J. Medlin, Loren L. Bohannan, Richard G. Koenig, Helen M. Spidle, Harold E. Bennett, Albert J. Dawson, Lurene M. Winkler, Elizabeth Peterson, Kenneth E. Weed, Sr., Virgil M. Alderton, Martha L. Hesse, Luella M. Snyder, Herbert B. Griffith, Wayne M. Kropf, Ray E. Daniel, Glen W. Stewart, Dorothy M. Smyser, Juanita Berry, Frances J. Zanders, Ruth E. Wilkey, Edward Boyer, Betty E. Cate, Marilyn Halloran, Charles C. Taylor, Edgar J. Lowary, Charles R. Case, Robert L. Manley, James R. Kesler, Edward Kabrick, Edward R. Mackison, Dick A. Gibson, Donald L. Shepard, Thomas W. Saxbury, Raymond W. Cantrell, Robert D. Gray, Arthur L. Treaster, Hazel F. Brinkman, Hazel F. Oenning, Arnold O. Curtis, Fred H. Hronicek, Cecil A. Larimore.

Vacation Journies

During the vacation period Gates people were scattered from coast to coast. A couple of trips we heard about were those taken by Mr. and Mrs. August Kaufmann and Mr. and Mrs. Roger Bolt. Space won't permit our giving all the details but here are some of the highlights.

Mr. Kaufmann, our Watchman on the midnight shift at the airport, tells us that he and Mrs. Kaufmann travelled to Minneola, Kansas, to visit their farm. Wheat is their chief crop but they also have oil leases on the land so perhaps before too long, we'll have an oil man in our midst.

On the way, they visited many historical points of interest including Ozark Country, Boot Hill Cemetery and Museum of Dodge City, Kansas.

Rog Bolt of our airport operations crew and his good wife headed for Iowa, Nebraska, and the Rockies of Colorado. There they saw Big Thompson Canyon, Trail Ridge Road, Iceburg Lake, Mt. Evans, which has the world's highest mountain highway, Echo Lake, Buffalo Bill's Grave and Museum at Lookout Mountain, Red Rock National Park, Central City, Colorado Springs, Garden of the Gods, Royal Gorge, Santa Fe, Rio Grande Valley, and many other spots.

They came back through New Mexico, Texas, Oklahoma, and Missouri. After a long trip like this, home looks pretty good and Rog tells us that the Missouri Ozarks and the Lake of the Ozarks were as fine as anything they saw.

Now Mrs. Herman J. Schulte



On September 10, 1952, Olive Jane Boss was married to Mr. Herman Schulte in Springfield, Illinois. Mr. Schulte is employed by the Moorman Manufacturing Company and according to Olie is interested in sports—and attempts to give her some pointers on Wednesday night before she leaves for bowling. Olie is employed in the Machine Shop and is a member of the Transcripettes in the ladies bowling league.

Congratulations to Olie and Herman!

Five Generations



Our Matron Clara Hart has the distinct honor of being a member of a family with five generations. Seated next to Clara is her mother, Mrs. Mary Reinold, and standing behind her is her daughter, Mrs. Inez Gill, who used to be a member of the Gates organization. Standing to the right is Clara's grand-daughter, Mrs. Phyllis Ann Bufford and great grand-daughter, Nancy Ann Bufford.

THE STAFF

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Grace Daniel Honored By Legion Auxiliary

At a recent meeting of the Quincy Unit No. 37, American Legion Auxiliary, Grace Daniel was elected President.



Grace has been very active in the auxiliary for several years and for the past two years has served as Membership Chairman with an outstanding

record of 100% membership for each year. She has served in many other capacities and has always done an outstanding job.

We, here at Gates, aren't surprised at this report as Grace is also doing a good job for us in the payroll section of the Accounting Department.

All of us join in wishing her a successful year in this new office.

Joins Engineering Staff

On October 7, Mr. Bob Gray joined our Engineering Department. Bob



has had a great deal of practical experience in the electronic field — both in commercial work and also in the Navy. For his formal education, he graduated from Oklahoma A. & M.

Quincy was Bob's

home before entering the Navy so this has meant getting back home for him.

Bob's family is made up of Mrs. Gray and their three month old boy, Michael.

Ronnie Gaskill Home On Furlough

On October 14, Ronnie Gaskill stopped in to see us. He is now stationed in Tripoli, Lybia, in North Africa, which is the connecting point between the Atlantic and Pacific divisions of the Military Transport Service, better known as MATS, which was recently written up in Life magazine.

Ronnie is a Traffic Specialist on a C-124 transport plane. He tells us that the total weight of his plane and the load is 92 tons on take-off. His job is to see that the plane is loaded properly, sign for registered mail and classified cargo, and take care of passengers. Their passengers are military personnel, G. I. dependents and in some cases USO troupes. Peter Lorre and others have been included in his trips.

Ronnie has been in the service two

GATES HONORED AGAIN BY VISITORS FROM PAKISTAN



John D'Cruz and Abdul Rauf, from left to right, are inspecting a Gates 5-kilowatt television transmitter. Gene Hildebrandt of the television department can be seen behind Mr. Rauf and television engineer Bill Parker is making the explanation.

Earlier this year Basheer Ahmad, deputy director of engineering for Radio Pakistan visited us and now recently Mr. John D'Cruz and Abdul Rauf, representatives of the Pakistan government, spent three weeks with us. This was a part of their tour of the United States to study the assembly of radio transmitters.

They came here on the United States' Point Four program of technical assistance to underdeveloped countries. The FCC arranged their trips and made out their itineraries. Before coming to Quincy Mr. Rauf and Mr. D'Cruz spent some time in New York, Chicago, Oklahoma City, Fort

years now and has 1500 hours in the air to his credit. The crew on these large planes is a total of twelve men.

Along with the good times and extensive travelling, they have also had some narrow escapes. They had one plane catch on fire and burn on take-off, but they were all able to get out before the final explosion. There have been other experiences of running out of gas, bad weather, etc.

We are always glad to see you Ronnie, and come back again any time.

Worth, and New Orleans. When they left Quincy they went to the New York City area and then to Washington where they were to start their flight home about October 23.

While in Quincy they enjoyed many new sights and experiences. Many members of the Gates organization entertained them in their homes and also took them to various events that were going on in the community at the time of their visit. In addition to seeing bowling for the first time at the Gates Men's Bowling League, they also saw their first football game between Quincy High and Woodruff High of Peoria, Illinois. Of course, they have many sports in their homeland and among them are soccer, field hockey, cricket, tennis, and badminton, etc.

Mr. Rauf also attended the Ringling Bros. & Barnum & Bailey circus here at Quincy and reported that they had circuses comparable only on a smaller scale.

We hope that Mr. D'Cruz and Mr. Rauf had an enjoyable time while in Quincy and we are positive that all of the Gates people thoroughly enjoyed having them here and finding out more about the new country of Pakistan.

Happenings in West Sub-Assembly Department

By Mary Ellen Rupp

Gertrude Gish is recuperating at the home of her daughter. From all reports she is coming along in good shape after her recent operation.

The West Sub-Assembly floor cooperated with all other floors to promote the cake and card shower for Clementine Moritz on her birthday which was October 3. Many different ones have been out to see Clementine and she is doing very well.

We have heard of many strange incidents but Daphne Dingle had one of the strangest happen to her the other morning when she yawned and dislocated her jaw. It wasn't very funny at the time because it was necessary to take Daphne to the hospital and administer an anesthetic so her jaw could be put back in place. From all reports, Daphne is being rather careful with her yawning these days.

Lavina and Ed Fahey and their daughter, Charlotte, spent their vacation at the Lake of the Ozarks. Like most vacationers, they brought back some good fish stories.

Clarence Kinder spent his vacation travelling through Indiana, Ohio, Tennessee and Kentucky. In addition to visiting Cleveland, Cincinnati, Lexington and Chattanooga, he also saw Lookout Mountain, and the great Smoky Mountains and also the Blue Ridge Mountains. Before returning to Quincy he stopped in St. Louis to see the municipal opera "Annie Get Your Gun."

Virlee Thyson has returned to work after taking a thirty-day leave to take a vacation with her husband who just returned from Korea.

In New Home



Harry Haley, our Head Draftsman, is now pleasantly located with his family in their new home at 1631 Melrose Drive. In addition to drafting, Harry has spent considerable time getting their lawn in shape. He also tries to tell people he's a bowler. (Some of us can set you straight on that.)

The Haley family also includes Mrs. Haley (Corinne), Karen, 3, and Steven, 8 months.

New Building Progress



After a period of inactivity at the new building site at Thirtieth & Broadway, the arrival of some of the necessary steel has resulted in some long-hoped-for action. Most of the steel has arrived, but two key items are still holding up further construction. The missing items are scheduled for shipment in early November. The picture on the left was taken from the southwest corner and shows some of the foundation walls and some of the roughed-in plumbing. The other was taken from the south and it shows the entire building at its present state of completion.

The building is 100 feet wide by 237 feet long. It will be used entirely for manufacturing. Accordingly, our many customers may anticipate more high quality Gates products. Our personnel are looking forward to working in Quincy's newest manufacturing plant.

Additional details and pictures of the new building will be in later issues of the Studio Review.

GATES EQUIPMENT IN THE "BATTLE OF WORDS"

Gates manufactured equipment is playing a large part these days in the so-called "Battle of Words" being conducted by various agencies in the United States to combat Russian propaganda. Large purchasers of Gates equipment for this service include Radio Free Europe, the American Committee for the Liberation of the Peoples of Russia, and the U. S. State Department. The new extensive Voice of America at Tangiers is largely equipped with Gates speech input equipment throughout. Radio Free Europe, with its ever expanding activities in highly effective propaganda, has greatly enlarged its operations and has added scores of Gates items in its broadcasting program.

The American Committee for the Liberation of the Peoples of Russia is apparently one of the newer organizations which intend to do a highly effective job of radio broadcasting.

The question is often asked as to why the need for several different agencies all programming to Russia or Communist satellites. This was answered rather capably recently by one individual very influential in this type of broadcasting, who stated that the different agencies use an entirely different approach, and as there are obviously different kinds of people behind the Iron Curtain, the different approaches are very necessary.

For example, the Voice of America deals substantially with the advantages of democracy, while another agency, not government-affiliated, may deal in what is known as "black propaganda," or in short, calling a spade a spade. One thing is very certain—if, when history is written, the Battle of Words is won by these var-

ious agencies above referred to, plus others too, of course, then it will eliminate a battle of guns and save millions of lives.

Three Gates One-Kilowatters For Hot Springs

The three recent 1000-watt daytime grants at Hot Springs National Park, Arkansas, namely, to the Resort Broadcasting Company, the Hot Springs Broadcasting Company, and the National Park Broadcasting Company, were all purchasers of almost identical equipment consisting of the Gates BC-1F air-conditioned transmitter for 1000 watts, Gates console type speech input equipment, transcription turntables and monitors, along with accessory apparatus. Three grants were made at Hot Springs within a very short period of about two weeks. Due to the fact that Hot Springs National Park is not only a top business section of the state of Arkansas but is a nationally known resort and health area, retail sales are substantially higher, thus justifying additional broadcasting facilities. All three of the above stations hope to be on the air before the year's end.

Gates BC-5B For Jamaica

The Jamaica Broadcasting Company of Kingston, Jamaica, operating Radio Station ZQI on 880 Kc, has purchased a new Gates BC-5B transmitter complete with accessories, for delivery during January. This transmitter is constructed to operate on 40 cycles as this is the standard power line frequency in the country of Jamaica, necessitating certain alterations and increase in component size.

. . . A Tribute To All Gates Workers . . .

There are times when we all get the feeling that maybe our little individual bit doesn't amount to too much. Many of us aren't in a position to know just how well Gates equipment is received and consequently we can't possibly realize just how important each individual job is in this matter of quality.

Every week we receive several letters praising the quality of Gates equipment. As a tribute to your fine workmanship, we are printing excerpts from several of them.

"Our many thanks to you for the brochures concerning various remote equipments, as we have high regard for Gates equipment. The line amplifier we have at present has been the very heart of most of our larger jobs last year."

"We bought our other SA50 from you in 1948 and it has been giving us wonderful service ever since and have had no interruptions to program service in the last four years except for power line failures."

"The boys are particularly impressed with the fine performance we have gotten out of the turntables and those Gray arms. Accordingly, I lean towards Gates on replacing our turntables."

"I have noted with considerable interest the structure and operation of the one kilowatt broadcasting transmitter manufactured by your corporation and used in many radio stations."

"For your information, our Gates BC-1F rig installed simply without a bit of trouble and has operated perfectly ever since. Now with over 8000 hours it is still using the original tubes and has not lost one second of air time due to any difficulty with the equipment."

"Incidentally, the transmitter didn't even require tuning when set up, as it was already adjusted correctly for our frequency at the Gates factory."

"This is to thank you for the services rendered us by your Mr. Petery in tuning up the 5-B Broadcast Transmitter. It is rather unusual for a manufacturer to send out an engineer to show his guarantee of transmitter operation proof of performance and help tune-up the transmitter for the customer. Mr. Petery certainly loves his work and went to great length to show us all possible operating points of the equipment."

"Regarding the transmitter itself—it is a great piece of equipment. It tuned up and was put in operation about as easy as unpacking a receiver and turning it on. Operation and workmanship was an eye-opener to the staff and beyond description. I've

been in the engineering operation for twenty-five years and know whereof I speak. It's a fine piece of equipment."

"Some time ago we purchased equipment from you to equip our new speech and audiological clinic. I would like to say at this time that the GATES equipment is by far superior to any other equipment we have, both from the standpoint of operation and from the standpoint of ease of maintenance."

New Member of Accounting

Cecil Larimore joined our Accounting Department Staff on October 16.



Following his graduation at the University of Illinois, he took and passed the C. P. A. examination. Since that time he has been associated with a large industrial concern.

The Larimore family is made up of Mrs. Larimore (Pat), Sharon, 4, and Steven, 3. They are living at 1309 N. 5th Street. Both Cec and Pat are from the Quincy area so this is getting back home for them.

International Office Executives Traveling Around World

Messrs. Arthur Rocke and Doug Pleasanton of the Gates international office in New York left October 15th for a round-the-world business trip, visiting essentially all important countries in the world with the exception of South America, which was visited about sixty days ago on an extended trip through Latin America by Mr. Rocke. The entire trip is by air and scheduled return is December 23. Points to be covered include the British Isles, France, Germany, Belgium,

Our Parking Problem

Several different suggestions and comments have been made about our parking facilities, and it is a very definite problem for everyone. There is no immediate answer or solution, but perhaps there are some things that all of us can do to help each other.

First of all, the company has been able to get the use of the lot behind the Hollister-Whitney Company, and entrance to it may be made from the alley running north and south behind our own plant. Of course, many are already making use of this space.

We have a considerable amount of parking along the street, and in many cases several spaces are lost because we don't always pull up quite close enough to the driveway or to the alley or the car in front of us. This is something that all of us can think about and perhaps help make room for the next person.

Considerable parking is also done along the east side of our building, and for the most part it doesn't cause any trouble; however, once in a while the Shipping Department needs some extra space for a large truck or the spotting of a railroad car, and if you are in the habit of parking there please leave your name and license number with the telephone switchboard operator so that you may be called in case it is necessary to move your car.

We are not going to be able to whip this problem entirely, but with everyone's help and co-operation we can make it better.

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