

DEPARTMENTAL NEWS

CELLOPHANE DIVISION

MAINTENANCE

By George Ryder



December has come and nearly gone; Christmas is almost here, and most of the maintenance men will be repairing tricycles and wagons as well as motoreducers and shaft bearings. Ralph Baumgarner has been keeping the

Electric Department full of Christmas cheer with his rendition of "Rudolph". Will Santa bring Boyd Lyday any more tools? All he needs now is a drill press in his tool box to complete it.

It is time now to start turning over a new leaf and make our annual resolutions. Too many of them are the same ones we made last year! Lets all resolve that this year will be as difficult as the last, if not more so. We are no longer an infant plant, but rather a mass-producing industry. It will take all of our efforts to keep it that way.

We lost an employee and friend to Uncle Sam last month. John Michael left for military service. We miss you John, and hope that you will be back soon. Bob Korstian, our Supervisor, took his vacation. He is back feeling fit and ready for another year. We have two new employees: Jack Bryson from the Standby Crew and Linton Lanning from Finishing. We hope you like our clan, fellows,

We have two proud hunters this month who



Clyde Whittington and his five point plan to beat the high cost of groceries.

made contacts: Jim Allison and Clyde Whittington (see cut). Among the shirt-tailless club members are Donald Scruggs, Johnnie Harris, Hank Bailey, Leonard Cousins, and Arthur Barton.

Why do George Sexton and Leonard Cousins take their bowling so seriously? Could it be that they like to bowl or is there more at stake?

That's all the news I have now, but I'll be back next month with more gossip.

TECHNICAL

By Jack Smathers



There appears in this column a picture of Howard Daniels, Fish, and Wendell Austin. Since it is highly improbable that both gentlemen caught the same fish, one must assume that said fish was loaned for the occasion.

Howard Daniels has been recalled to active duty with the Navy, effective January 15, 1952. A farewell party will be held January 11th at 6:00 P. M. The party will be held at Howard's house.

Cleaves Johnson is considering the possibility of taking piano lessons since he is now the owner of a piano. Betty McGuire is planning to do the same. Expect an invitation to a joint recital very soon, "Chopsticks" with four fingers!

The exciting event for the week of December 1st was Mrs. Frisk being locked out of the house. For the week ending December 7th, exciting event was Mrs. Olan Hall detecting slowly escaping air, commonly known as a flat tire.

Effective January 1st, Hazel Zachary is available as a baby sitter since she has no husband to sit home with these days. Rates are cheap and no one over age 18 need apply. Satisfaction guaranteed.

The noon debating society of Chemical and Mechanical Engineers has resolved that political situations will change. Chairman and acting President, Al Kriek, predicts that a president will be elected in 1952. A minority group composed of Bruce Brown and Olan Hall and George Yehling stubbornly insist that taxation will continue, with or without representation.

Welcome to Edward Bell, latest new employee of the Tech. Section, and a farewell to John Michal, who went back to the Marines, and Bill Crary, who was transferred to Maintenance.

A near casualty occurred as Jim Winget was