



FOCUS ON GIVING



John

The 1981 Brevard Plant United Way Campaign was an outstanding success. My thanks to all those who helped make this possible. Thanks first to each employee who contributed. Your generosity resulted in total contributions of \$48,107, an amount that exceeded our goal by \$3,100. A special word of thanks to those

who worked as campaign chairman and solicitors. The names of those who did an exceptional job are too numerous to mention. A number of plant groups increased their giving over last year, which is a further tribute to all those who helped make the campaign successful.

Giving to United Way is one method of sharing a portion of our blessings with those who are less fortunate than we are. We should all feel good about doing our part. I am certain your generosity will once again prove that it is more blessed to give than to receive.

John Golden

Plant Manager

THE HIGH PRICE OF NOT SAVING: BONDS MAY BE BEST BUY

Notice how the cost of not saving keeps going up?

When you need cash and you haven't saved it, you have to borrow. You have to pay through the nose to use someone else's money.

That's why it makes so much sense to put away a few dollars each month in your Thrift Plan for U.S. Savings Bonds.

You can receive interest on your own money — Or you can pay it out on someone else's.



If you've been passing up the Thrift Plan and its 50 percent Company contribution because you think the Thrift Plan will tie up your money until you retire; if you would like to know how more than 25,000 DuPonters are receiving money through the Thrift Plan every year, with no penalty . . . read on.

Consider: Every dollar you put into Fund A returns to you through annual delivery of U.S. Savings Bonds each September after a two-year holding period. At the same time you can have the 50 cents the Company has contributed on each of these dollars (up to 6 percent of your pay) delivered to you as DuPont stock.

And . . . if you need more of your pay for a month or two, you can reduce or stop your savings. Your bonds will be delivered on schedule even if you've suspended your deductions.

These annual delivery features of the Thrift Plan give you your savings and the 50 percent Company contribution to help meet your short-term goals.

Employees with children have an

extra tax benefit. Savings Bonds bought in your child's name (with you as beneficiary, not co-owner) will be a tax-free investment until your child earns more than the zero bracket amount (\$3,300 in 1980). You just file a tax return for your child the first year to show your child intends to account for the interest on an annual basis.

Also, the Savings Bonds purchased in your child's name can be used for expenses other than education. They can be redeemed for any personal use by your child, such as clothing, travel or job hunting. The key is that your child must be the owner of the bonds; if you are the co-owner, you will have to pay taxes on the interest even if the bonds are used for the child's expenses.

Do you have several children? The Thrift Plan's new multiple registration feature lets you buy bonds for up to five children without having to initiate a new registration form.

For many, Savings Bonds offer a convenience and a return that's hard to beat.

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TENNIS COURTS COMPLETED

There's good news for plant tennis players: your DERA card now entitles you to tennis privileges on the new court which has been built at Lake DERA.

The new facility has room for two doubles matches, and it's first class all the way, from the careful grading and special pavement to the fencing which surrounds it. Rules will be posted, and present plans are for a clock which will be set by users to tell those waiting when the court will be free. Use will be first-come, first-served, but first-comers

are expected to be courteous.

Tennis shoes will be required. The contractor who surfaced the court says the surface may be ruined by regular street shoes. "Tricycles, bicycles, skateboards and such are sudden death!", he advises; "Jogging shoes will dig it up like spikes."

So it's "Tennis, anyone?", and tennis, only, please. If you're not an experienced, conditioned player, remember to take it easy on yourself the first few times out. Tennis is a strenuous game.

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