



13-INCH TIRES for the new American compact cars and for foreign cars were among the new or improved products introduced last year.

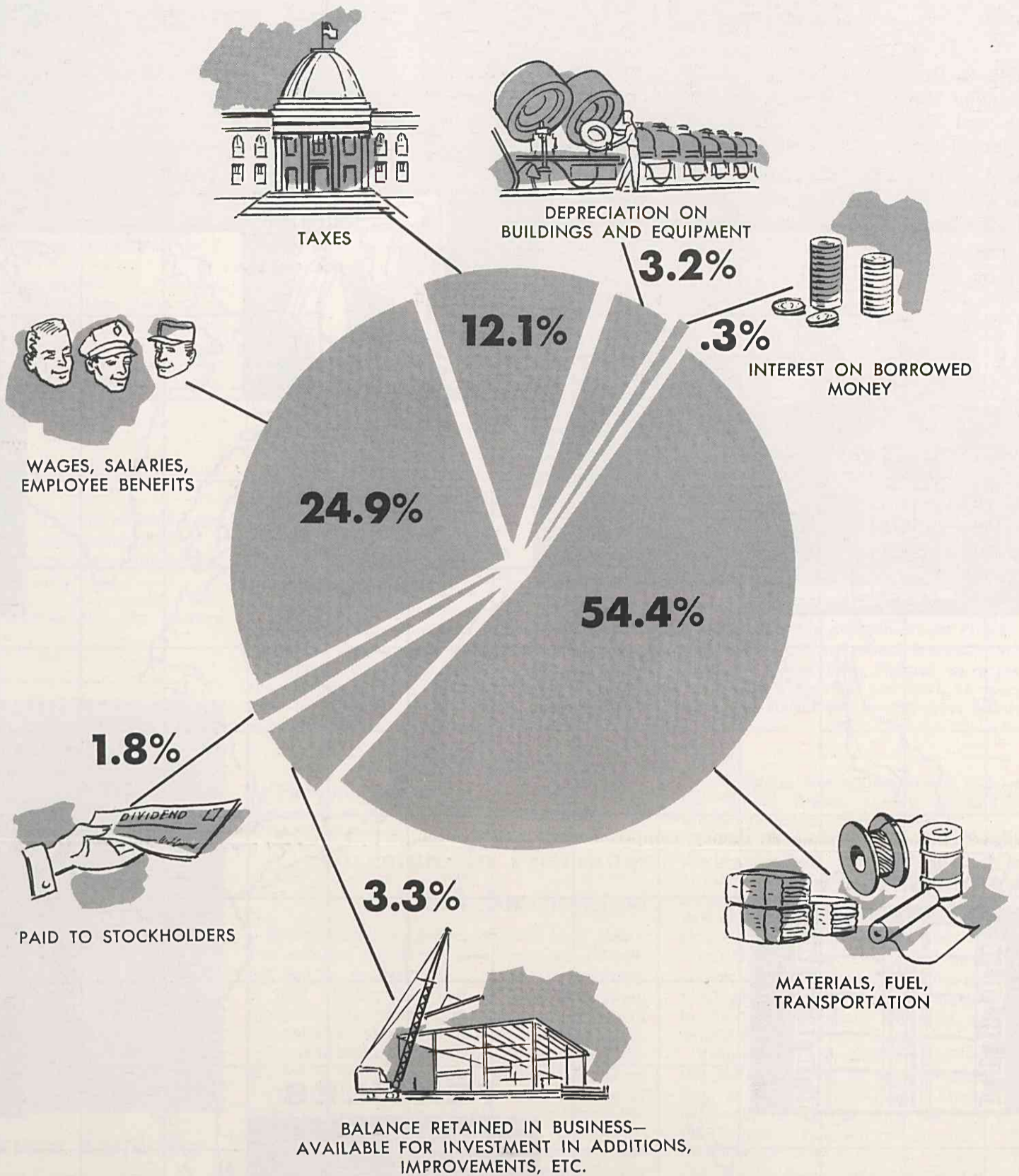


THOUSANDS of independent dealers have built permanent and successful businesses with the Firestone Franchise. Typical is Earl C. Jost (seated), Akron dealer since 1928 and former employee, who was honored for 50 years of service with the company and congratulated by Lee R. Jackson (center), vice chairman, and Raymond C. Firestone, president.



AMONG THE WORLD-WIDE operations of the company is the plant in Singapore which celebrated its 40th anniversary last year. Above, an Asian stencil girl at the Singapore plant shows her handiwork which identifies the contract number and the destination for a bale of natural rubber.

DISTRIBUTION OF FIRESTONE'S 1959 INCOME



INCOME

From Customers for Goods Sold	\$ 1,187,784,024
From Customers for Excise Taxes	68,516,728
From Other Sources	6,169,404
	<u>\$ 1,262,470,156</u>

DISTRIBUTION OF INCOME

Materials, Fuel, Transportation and Other Expenses	\$ 686,293,587
Wages, Salaries and Employee Benefits	314,407,636
Taxes	152,486,795
Depreciation on Buildings and Equipment	40,661,088
Interest on Borrowed Money	4,024,202
Cash Dividends	22,456,162
Invested in the Business	42,140,686
	<u>\$ 1,262,470,156</u>