

# Ecusta Offers New Service To Employees

## A MODERN NEW VISUAL MACHINE HAS BEEN BOUGHT

Will Enable Employees To Check On Their Visual Skill And Test Their Eyes

Ecusta is fortunate to be among the few paper mills offering a new visual service to its employees through the introduction of Bausch and Lomb's new instrument called the Ortho-Rater. This new machine is the result of years of research by Bausch and Lomb in connection with the psychology department of Purdue University.

The purpose of this Occupational Vision program is threefold:

1.—To provide present employees with certain information regarding their visual skills and to let them know whether or not it would be to their advantage to go to a competent eye doctor of their own choice for advice.

2.—To make periodic checks of employee vision to determine whether or not the desirable visual skill is being maintained. Vision is a bodily function that is subject to change. If employees are advised periodically about their vision, corrective steps when advisable can be taken.

3.—To aid in the proper placement of new employees. Vision is an important factor in an individual's ability to perform a certain job, and it is desirable to have the new employee placed on the job for which his or her vision is best adapted.

Testing is done on an instrument known as the Ortho-Rater, a precision device developed and standardized by the Bausch and Lomb Optical company. It is considered outstanding for checking industrial visual skills. The testing system was worked out in collaboration with committees representing the National Associations of Ophthalmologists, Optometrists, and Opticians.

In preparation for the installation of this new equipment, the Company sent H. E. Newbury to Purdue University for a course of intensive training. This preparation is required of any company desiring the installation of the Ortho-Rater.

Plans are being made to give our present employees the benefit of an examination with this new equipment as a part of a coordinated program for the care of the eyes.

There has been fine cooperation on the part of all employees in all such programs, and a continuation of this fine spirit and the prospects of accomplishing much more in the future are anticipated.

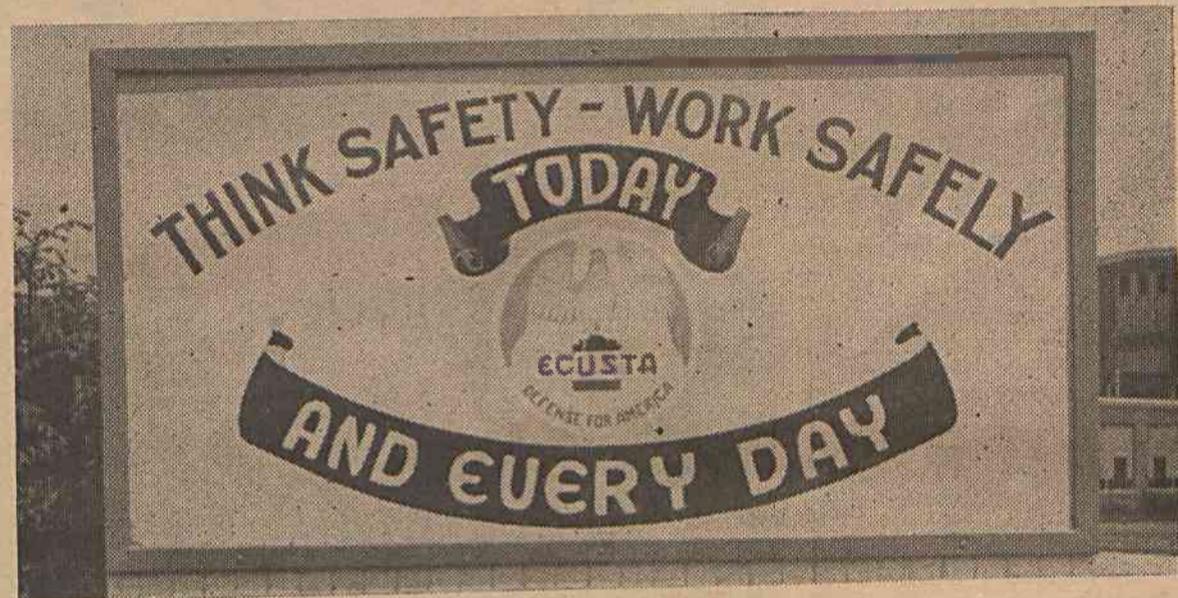
## MACHINE ROOM

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with five straight wins, while Pulping and Control are tied for 2nd place and Maintenance in last position.

Team	Won	Lost
Machine Room	5	0
Control	2	3
Pulping	2	3
Maintenance	1	4

## Ecusta Sign Department Goes All-Out For Safety



Sure, you've already noticed and no doubt admired these beautiful signs while you were going to and from work. They were designed and painted by Richard W. Pace right here in the Maintenance department, and full credit goes to Mr. Pace. Although it doesn't show up in the above pictures, these two signs are in numerous colors and Mr. Pace is to be congratulated for having done such a fine job. Let's not only look at them, but also let's remember the timely advice given! That's important!

## VICTORY GARDEN

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also had trouble with those seeds—some of them didn't come up."

Along with the eating, weeding and bugging, many gardeners have been planting the tender vegetables, and all of them have discovered that food and meats are scarcer this year than ever before.

Conversation about gardens has also turned to the awards program that the Company is sponsoring and already several are making claims of victory. The prizes offered for outstanding gardens are as follows: first prize, \$20; second prize, \$15; third prize, \$10; fourth prize \$5 and fifth prize, \$2.50. Ribbons will also be awarded.

In addition to these prizes, the Company plans to hold a Victory Garden display next September where employees may bring their prize vegetables and canned goods and enter them in a little fair contest for prizes.

### THE MORE THE BETTER

Captain: It gives me great pleasure to give you these two stripes, Private Green.  
Private: Why don't you give me three and really enjoy yourself?

## Control Won Bowling Championship For Season; Won Over Champagne

Won Final Series By Close Margin. To Hold Bowling Banquet Soon.

In an extremely close post-season match, Control defeated Champagne to win the season championship of the 1944-45 ten pin division of the Ecusta Bowling league.

Champagne won the second half by taking three games from Maintenance. And so the two half-season winners played it out for the championship. Control won four out of seven games and took the last one by only 12 points.

Trophies will be awarded to the three highest teams—Control, Champagne and Machine Room.

The winners were headed by Joe Laval, captain, and the other members of the team were Marj Bevacqua, Robert Head, Charles Colwell, Bob Matthews, Lloyd Harris, Doyle Wells and Alexander.

Walter Straus was captain of Champagne and team members were Tommy New, Conward Mc-

Clure, Chris Rogers, Frank Israel, Harry Rathje, Goode Loftis and Paul Roberts.

Plans are now being made to hold a banquet for bowlers in both leagues and at that time trophies and medals will be awarded.

The 1944-45 season was regarded as being a very successful one.

## PLANS NOW BEING

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Sapphire Well Suited For Picnic

The spacious grounds and other facilities at Club Sapphire make it the ideal spot for an Ecusta picnic. There will be many interesting contests including foot races, pig calling, rolling pin throw, hog calling, tug-o-war, boxing matches, rifle matches, swimming races, canoe races, fly casting contests, etc.

The day's program will open at 10 o'clock in the morning with a music program by the new Ecusta Children's Band and the Ecusta Music Makers.