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MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

TO MY FELLOW WORKERS:

Another enjoyable, company-wide picnic has passed into history. But I am confident its flavor will remain with many of us far into the future.

Throughout the working year our days are so devoted to the job in hand there is all too little time for the pleasantries and neighborliness which help round out our happiness in life. So, as I remarked during the after-supper program, there is no occasion of the year more significant than our annual get-together. It is one time when in relaxation and fellowship we can make new contacts, refresh former acquaintanceships and renew friendships that the passage of time has interrupted. Such an event has its special meaning to each of us.

For me our August picnic had two meanings.

First, it was an occasion by which Anvil Brand could express in some small degree its appreciation for the part which all members of the organization have played in our business development. Such a gathering, as in the past, provides the opportunity to acknowledge the many evidences of loyal co-operation between individuals and departments. And I always welcome such a means of personally talking with you and declaring my pleasure and pride in being part of an organization which, through individual and collective achievements, has gained widespread reputation not only for the products it manufactures, but as a good place to work.

This organization has recorded important forward steps in the march of progress of our company during the past twelve months. Within that time operations of the Sherrod Division have been almost completely integrated with those of Anvil Brand. It has required
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AT AWARDS PRESENTATION — President R. C. Kirchofer, at extreme left, is shown presenting watches to 10 of the 12 employees who this year joined the Anvil Brand 25-year-club. Left to right the Anvil Branders are Oscar Yates, Estelle Caviness, Osie Hensley, David Shepard, and Winnie Osborne. Standing in the rear, left to right, are William Horne, Sr., Leola Newell, Gladys Freeman, Georgia Priest, and Elsie White.

Fun Had By All; Picnic Successful

Anvil Branders are still talking about the annual picnic held at City Lake and Colored Parks on August 27, declaring it to have been the "best yet." Especially enjoyed was the evening entertainment provided by A. Coke Cecil, the magician. Even Production Manager Jack Rives, on the front row of the amphitheater, sat with his mouth open and eyes popping in amazement at the mystery man's dexterity.

Many are still wondering if the magic spell caster and Supt. H. T. Short were in "cohoots." If not, just how did Cecil manage to cut the superintendent's tie in several pieces and put it back together again? And how did Cecil get Short's watch and his pocketbook — out of which the magician offered to pay Short for his assistance?

Ossie Wright and her son-in-law, Lee Wade, also made good assistants during the magic show, helping to keep the audience in
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BOWLING AWARDS — Aline Carter, personnel director shown at left, on the night of the annual picnic presented, on behalf of President Kirchofer, bowling awards to Bill Roach and Bertha Ferguson. The trophies and savings bonds were presented to the man and woman employee who had won the company bowling championship for two consecutive years. Bill works with the Anvil Brand mechanics and Bertha is with the shirt department at the White division.

Changes Made In Hudson Parking

Hudson workers are being asked to please use only their own parking spaces in the parking lots. A lot of confusion is being caused by persons not doing so.

If you have not been assigned a parking space and need one you should contact the personnel office.

There is to be no more parking

in the fenced in lot adjacent to the shipping room's loading platform because so many different trucks, including Anvil Brand's own vehicles, must use this lot in loading and unloading merchandise. A new parking lot has been created under the water tank at the Hudson plant, with the entrance through the alley between the main plant and the cafe.