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Y-12 Medical Director, Secretary



Dr. Charles R. Sullivan, Y-12 Medical Director, is shown above dictating to Hazel Lane, his secretary. More pictures on Page 3 and Page 4.

19 Y-12 Employees Split \$153.90 In Suggestion Awards Last Week

A total of 19 Y-12 employees divided \$153.90 in rewards last week for having their suggestions on improving plant efficiency accepted by the Company, it has been announced by the Suggestion Office.

Top award for the week went to H. C. Garner, Dept. A17N, General Plant Maintenance, who was presented \$25 for Suggestion No. 57408. Dennis W. Davis, Dept. M-13C, won \$15 for Suggestion No. 59937. R. E. Meadows, Dept. M12P, was awarded \$11.40 for Suggestion No. 60153.

Recipients of \$10 awards, their department and suggestion numbers included Ralph Stanfil, M13B, 57624; Harry A. Keen, M12P, 59083; C. W. Sheridan, M12P, 59670; and O. B. Rudolph, H12L, 59942.

T. C. Jones and B. R. Keys, both of Dept. A13N, divided an award of \$7.50 for their joint Suggestion No. 59553.

Robert S. Toomey, Dept. M13C, won two awards of \$5 each for Suggestions No. 44036 and 59932. Other \$5 award winners were Virginia P. Ammons, M13B, 59537; Ralph Stanfil, M13B, 57651; George W. Evans, M12P, 50311; Myrtle Leach, M12P, 60310; R. E. Meadows, M12P, 59667; L. V. Smith, M12P, 55874; Helen F. Sisson, A-12N, 58323; Manford C. Bays, A-12S, 56679; and H. R. Lowrey, A-12M, 58395.

Four Y-12 Employees Take Honors In Color Contest

Four Y-12 employees won places in the Carbide Camera Club color slide contest held recently at the East Portal. Foster Calloway took first and second places in the miscellaneous class as well as first in landscapes. K. O. Johnson and R. Kenneth Bernander took second and third, respectively, in the landscapes.

Don Ross was second place winner in the classification of people. Paul Vanstrum and Miriam Jolly, both of K-25, won first and third places.

The next meeting, scheduled for 8 p. m. Tuesday, July 8, at East Portal, will be given over to a laboratory session. The shutter testing gadget devised by Don Ross will remain at the darkroom and will be available to those who wish to check the speeds of their shutters.

Two Leagues Formed In Attendance Race

A new system of rating absenteeism throughout the plant has been placed into operation to give the smaller departments recognition. In the future the absenteeism standing will be divided into two groups; the first being composed of departments with more than 50 employees, the major league, and the second comprising departments with from 15 to 49 employees, the minor league.

The complete standings of both groups will be found on Page 4 of today's Bulletin.

In the standings for the week ending June 21 four departments in the minor league had perfect records. They were M12M, Material Control; A19N, Laundry; A12A, Janitors; and A12J, Industrial Services. In the major league the standings were topped by Dept. A-12W, Engineering, with .4 per cent of its employees absent.

The plant absentee average for the week ending June 21 was 2.7, which is .2 per cent higher than the preceding week.

J. D. Raulston Becomes Y-12 Chief Snake Handler As Real Reptile Puts In Appearance In Mail Room

Snake handlers have invaded Y-12, but so far as can be learned, their activities are legal and involve only the non-poisonous variety of serpents. J. D. Raulston, Chief Clerk, Mail and Telephone, Dept. A12M, has achieved a certain degree of dubious fame as Chief Snake Handler as a result of an episode which occurred last week.

Ruth Turnbull, an employee of the department, was startled when she saw a snake slither from behind a filing case in the mail room in Bldg. 9723-4. She reported the incident immediately but Raulston thought she was "seeing things."

Dispensary Staff Keeps Employees In Good Health; Many Examinations Given

A healthy employee is an alert employee and an asset to the Company. One who is ailing for any reason is a liability, both to himself and fellow employees.

So that's the job of the Y-12 Dispensary—to keep the folks healthy on the job; to treat minor injuries and illness and to carry out the old adage of "an ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure" in endeavoring to halt any physical ailments at the beginning and keep them from becoming serious.

Health Conditions Excellent

The degree of success of this program is reflected in the general excellent health conditions prevailing in Y-12 and the low rate of illness of the employees.

The principal functions of the Dispensary are:

1. Diagnosis and treatment of personal injuries and diseases.
2. Control of various health conditions in the plant in cooperation with the Safety Department.

8,000 Examinations Are Given

During the past several months the Dispensary has been a busy place, being charged with the physical examination of some 8,000 persons since January 1. About 6,000 of these examinations were given in connection with the termination program that followed the curtailment in operation of the plant. Then during the past several weeks similar examinations have been given around 2,300 employees who transferred to the employ of Carbide and Carbon Chemicals Corp. from Tennessee Eastman Corp.

These examinations have been carried on by the Dispensary staff of approximately 30 persons, headed by Dr. Charles R. Sullivan, Medical Director. All of the staff personnel are highly trained, many of them being specialists and technicians with years of experience in their particular fields of work.

Dr. Sullivan was Captain in the Army service he saw action with the 164th Infantry Regiment which supported the Marine landings at Guadalcanal. During his

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WEDNESDAY IS DEADLINE FOR JULY 8 BULLETIN

Wednesday, July 2, is the deadline for news to be published in The Y-12 Bulletin issue of July 8. The advancement of the deadline one day is made necessary because of the July 4 holiday schedules of printers and engravers.

After cautious search it developed the viper was very definitely present and alone. Raulston grabbed a stick and pinned the intruder to the floor. The reptile, almost two feet long, immediately spread its head and started hissing. Chief Snake Handler Raulston and a number of others immediately identified the species as a "spread-head" or spreading adder.

Raulston then released his prisoner with a plea that its life be spared. "It's non-poisonous," he assured an excited and dubious office force. However, no one desired to become chummy with the snake

Holiday Motorists Urged To Drive Cars Carefully; Accident Causes Noted

With the long July 4 weekend just ahead, a record number of motorists is expected to yield to the lure of the open road, fill the old, or possibly new, jalopy with gasoline and oil, pile the family and baggage into all the available space and set out for a trip. Many Y-12 employees are among the millions of Americans who are planning to go somewhere by automobile over the holiday period and thereby become exposed to the hazards of the heavily-travelled highways.

At the recent second annual Highway Safety Conference in Washington, President Truman pointed out that the nation's death rate from traffic accidents is showing a definite downward trend but still tragically high. As on all holidays when traffic is heavy, the July 4 weekend toll is expected by authorities to again be topheavy and caution is urged of every motorist to exercise care and common sense in operation of motor vehicles.

Observance of Laws Urged
Observance of all traffic laws and courtesy rules of the road, together with a thorough inspection of an automobile for any defects, such as old or faulty tires, before a trip is started will enable drivers to make a round-trip instead of one-way journey to a doctor or undertaker. Such precautions can mean the difference in a "Grand and Glorious Fourth" or a possibly unhappy and tragic period.

How many drivers know that they literally are "betting their lives" when they start out for a visit to Aunt Susie up the road a bit or a journey to some far away destination? The answer is "not enough," as evidenced by the accident figures of last year and even the recent Memorial Day weekend when more than 500 persons met violent death—more than 200 of whom perished in traffic accidents.

Carelessness Causes Most Mishaps

During 1946 the majority of the 33,900 persons killed in motor vehicle accidents were victims of carelessness, according to a survey by a leading insurance company. Fewer than 10 per cent of the vehicles involved in fatal and non-fatal accidents during 1946 were found to be mechanically defective. On the other hand, two out of every three mishaps involved mistakes by drivers.

Speeding was the direct cause of 9,460 deaths and 230,760 injuries on streets and highways of the nation in 1946. An automobile becomes a lethal weapon when operated at such a high speed that it is not immediately under control of the driver. When proceeding at excessive speed even a small bump might send the vehicle careening off the road to end up in a mass of twisted metal and humanity against a bank, (Continued on Page 4)

You Bet Your Life When—



... You become impatient and attempt to pass on a curve or hill.

Weekly Employees Get Pay Thursday

Since July 4 is a holiday in the plant, arrangements have been made for hourly and weekly salaried employees to receive their payroll checks at the regular pay points on Thursday, July 3, instead of Friday, July 4. This change in schedule is effective for this week only.

Only such employees whose presence at work is necessary to assure continuous operation and protection of the plant will work on Friday, such as the skeleton forces that are required to work on Saturdays and Sundays.

Absences occurring on the days immediately preceding or following this holiday will not be excused except when evidence is presented to the Division Superintendent indicating that unavoidable circumstances necessitated the absence.

Mr. Spreading Adder Outside.

(Editor's Note: Authorities at the University of Tennessee Extension Service identified the spreading adder as a non-poisonous variety of snake. "His chief characteristic is that he looks ugly and mean, but he is perfectly harmless," they said.)

Upon reaching the outside, the snake crawled up underneath the chassis of a Y-12 mail car and was lost to sight.

The mail car started for the Y-12 garage and the snake was dislodged en route.

Bulletin Now Being Mailed; Address Change Report Urged

Beginning this week, The Y-12 Bulletin is being mailed to the homes of all employees.

Employees failing to receive the Y-12 Bulletin are requested to telephone Wage Standards, 7-8288, to see if that department has their correct mailing addresses and to provide the correct address if an incorrect one is on file.

All employees who change addresses are urged to report the new address immediately to Wage Standards so that Company files may be kept up to date.

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WENDOLKOWSKI—OWENS

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Joyce Winifred Owens, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy B. Owens, of Benham, Ky., to Walter S. Wendolkowski, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Z. Wendolkowski, of DeFuniak Springs, Fla., which was solemnized at noon, Saturday, June 21, in the Chapel-On-The-Hill. The double ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. B. Harris.

The Chapel was decorated with white gladioli and tapered candelabra against a background of Oregon fern and palmetto palms. Wedding music was sung by Mrs. Lynn C. Owens, sister-in-law of the bride, with Miss Helen Chastain at the organ.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a white gown of imported net and chantilly lace, fashioned with a fitted bodice, a sweetheart neckline and leg o' mutton sleeves. The full skirt, which fell from the fitted bodice, ended in a short train. Her veil of English illusion was double tiered and was caught by a tiara of orange blossoms. She carried an arm bouquet of white roses centered with gardenias and showered with ribbon.

Mrs. Karl R. Daniel, Jr., cousin of the bride, was her only attendant. She was attired in a lime green taffeta gown fashioned with a fitted bodice and a full skirt. She carried an arm bouquet of yellow roses.

Herbert Tabor of Oak Ridge was best man. Ushers were Lynn C. Owens, brother of the bride, and Albert W. Batten.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held in the East Lounge of Ridge Recreation Hall. Misses Juanita Fugate, Betty Maxwell and Vivian Huddleston assisted in serving.

The couple left for a wedding trip to the Smoky Mountains after the reception.

The groom, who recently received his B.S. degree in chemistry from Mississippi College, Clinton, Miss., is employed by Carbide and Carbon Chemicals Corporation in K-25. The bride is employed in Y-12. The couple will live in Oak Ridge.

LEE-CORBIN

Miss Doris Arlenia Corbin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Corbin, of Gneiss, N. C., became the bride of DeWayne A. Lee, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Lee, of Pelican Rapids, Miss., at 4 p. m., Saturday, June 21 at the home of the parents of the bride. Mrs. Lee is a former Y-12 employee and the groom is with Carbide and Carbon Chemicals Corp., at the K-25 plant.

The marriage ceremony was performed by the Rev. Charles E. Parker. The vows were spoken in front of an improvised altar of greenery, white gladioli and seven-branched candelabra. The bridal procession entered through an aisle formed by white aisle posts decorated with white rosebuds.

Before the ceremony, Mrs. Henry Cabe, pianist, played "Liebestraum" by Liszt; Schubert's "Serenade," "I Love Thee," by Grieg and "By The Waters of Minnetonka," by Lieurance. Mrs. Wetzel Lee, sister-in-law of the groom, sang "Because" and "If God Left Only You." The Lohengrin wedding march was played for the processional and "Claire de Lune" was played during the ceremony. Mrs. Lee sang

Carbide Employees Participate In Beautiful June Nuptials



Several present and former Y-12 employees took part in June 21 weddings. At left are Mr. and Mrs. DeWayne R. Lee after their marriage at Gneiss, N. C. The center picture shows the principals in the Wendolkowski-Owens wedding that took place in the Chapel-On-The-Hill in Oak Ridge. Left to right they are Albert W. Batten

and Lynn C. Owens, ushers; Mrs. Karl R. Daniels, matron of honor; the bride and groom and Herbert Tabor, best man. At the right are Mr. and Mrs. Graydon Duane Whitman, who also were wed in the Chapel-On-The-Hill.



Seven Y-12 employees were reported as being on the sick list at the Oak Ridge Hospital last week. They were James W. Jackson, Dept. A14J; Charles P. Riner, Dept. A-17N; Floyd H. Wright, Dept. A-14N; Hazel V. Wiggins, Dept. M-12T; Dorothy Mellen, Dept. H12L; Richard M. Mustin, Dept. M14C; Christine E. Dean, Dept. M13C.

"The Lord's Prayer" as the benediction.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a white satin wedding gown, fashioned with a fitted bodice, full skirt that lengthened into a train and long sleeves tapering to points over the hands. The yoke of the bodice was of marquisette with seed pearl embroidery. Her finger tip veil of illusion fell from a coronet of orange blossoms. Her only ornament was a string of pearls, a gift from the groom. She carried a white Bible topped with a white orchid.

Miss Otela Bryson, of Asheville, N. C., was maid of honor. Her gown was of blue taffeta, fashioned with a high neckline, cap sleeves, fitted bodice and full skirt. She wore matching gauntlets and a picture hat and carried a nosegay of mixed flowers.

Little Miss Kay Vinson, cousin of the bride, was flower girl. She wore a frock of blue taffeta, a miniature of the gown worn by the maid of honor, and carried a basket of mixed flowers.

Wetzel Lee, of Pelican Rapids, Minn., brother of the groom, was best man. Ushers were Duane Darrow and Frank Forbes, of Oak Ridge.

A reception was held immediately following the ceremony. The bridal table was centered with a three-tiered wedding cake and decorated with a miniature bride and groom surrounded by white roses. Assisting in serving were Miss Blanche Corbin, Mrs. W. E. Carter, Mrs. Garland Harbin, Mrs. Haskell Poore and Mrs. Sam Bryson, Jr., cousins of the bride, and Miss Anne Cabe. Miss Margaret Carter, also a cousin of the bride, was in charge of the bride's book.

Following the reception, the couple left for a wedding trip through the Rocky Mountains. For traveling, the bride wore a beige Palm Beach suit with beige and brown accessories. They will live in Oak Ridge.

Mrs. Lee is a graduate from the University of Tennessee while Mr. Lee is a graduate of Concordia College, Moorhead, Minn.

Highway accidents prove you CAN hit 'em when you can't see 'em.

Strictly Confidential..

Leah Gene Wilson and her husband, Tom Wilson, both of Analytical Laboratory, are vacationing at Denver, Col., Rocky Mountain and Glacier National Parks, Hoover Dam, the Grand Canyon, Salt Lake City and Carlsbad Caverns, N. M. Traveling by car, they plan to return via Texas and New Orleans, La. . . . Debora Hubbs is vacationing at Daytona Beach, Fla. . . . Charles Harrison has gone to Memphis, Tenn., for his vacation. . . . Anna Bishop is vacationing at Fort Loudoun Lake . . . Earline Smith is spending a vacation at Travelers Rest, S. C.

Willie Fowler, of Office Services, has returned from a two-weeks vacation . . . Sympathy is extended to E. A. Hauther, whose 12-year-old-son, Jimmy Ray, died unexpectedly last week in Knoxville. . . . On vacation from the department are Helen Cunningham and Orel C. Hartman.

Henry Buttram, of Research Development, has gone to Birmingham, Ala., for a vacation . . . Leo Caldwell has returned from a two weeks vacation spent in Mississippi and in Washington, D. C.

On vacation from Electrical Equipment, Repair and Maintenance Dept., are Louise Roberts, at Pikeville, Tenn., who came down with the mumps after starting on hers. Also, R. E. Freeman, A. K. Johnson, W. I. Weatherford, R. E. Stanfill, C. W. Kidd and M. C. Gore.

N. L. Tibbatts, of Shops Maintenance Personnel, has acquired a new sport. If he can't catch fish, he brings back chiggers. He recently demonstrated this pastime to Avery Kendig, Elmer Greene and J. J. Holznecht at the Andersonville boat dock . . . Christine Sparkman, of the Division Office, has been on a trip to New York City and Washington, D. C. . . . Emma Russell, of Planning and Estimating, has been on a week's vacation which she spent at her home in Sparta, Tenn. . . . C. B. Hopkins has been seeking someone to assist him in physical culture exercises. It is rumored that he gained 20 pounds while on a recent vacation.

Mrs. Irene Elmore, of Planning and Estimating, is vacationing in Virginia with her husband . . . Sam Fouts, of the Pine Shop, recently went home to Birmingham, Ala. Then, succumbing to the lure of the wanderlust, he went on to Pensacola, Fla. . . . Wishes for a speedy recovery are extended to E. S. Dean, who has been in the Oak Ridge Hospital. . . . W. C. Laughlin is on vacation.

D. E. Lewis, of the Millwrights, is on vacation. . . . J. R. Pitts, of Elevator Maintenance, recently underwent a tonsillectomy in Knoxville . . . Mrs. Helen Sisson's husband was released from the hospital recently.

On vacation from Stores are W. C. Davis, H. F. Eubanks, P. I. Fawver, W. E. Golden, A. D. Phillips, A. N. Potter and B. N. Strunk.

Vacationers from Property Dept. include H. I. Esty and Y. Payne . . . Cafeterias Accounting Office vacationers are Edith McCord and Mildred L. Porter.

Best wishes for a speedy recovery are extended by employees in the Stores Dept. to P. H. Redmon, of Wartburg, Tenn., who recently was released from the hospital . . . Levoid Duncan is ill with the mumps . . . Kay Orton, Manufacturing Offices, has returned from her vacation, spent in Union City, Tenn.

Nancy Gasaway, Emma Barnes and Charles Sweeten, of the Cafeterias and Canteen, have left for their vacations.

R. E. Getgood, of Electrical Equipment, Repair and Maintenance, has left on his vacation, during which he will visit Lexington, Ky., and points in Indiana . . . E. W. Means, a former employee, has returned to the job.

Fellow employees of Fred Maneschmidt, Research and Development, are extending sympathy because of the illness of his wife, who is a patient in the Oak Ridge Hospital . . . Best wishes for a speedy recovery have been extended to Dorothy Mellen, who also is a patient in the Oak Ridge Hospital . . . Fred Hurst has been called home to Jackson, Miss., because of the illness of his mother . . . Mr. and Mrs. John Schmitt are in Jeanette, Pa., where they are visiting his parents. . . . Ruth Draughn will return soon from Myrtle Beach, S. C., where she is vacationing.

Roscoe Wade and J. S. Orr, of the Experimental Process Equipment Maintenance Dept., are vacationing.

H. H. Neal, of the Guard Dept., is vacationing. . . . Capt. H. L. Dickenson spent a recent long week-end visiting at Morristown, Tenn.

Fire Chief J. W. Hughey was in Memphis last week to attend the wedding of his sister-in-law. . . . Shift Capt. H. W. Krouse is on vacation.

Shirley Brown, of the Insurance Office, who is on vacation, is visiting her sister at Barberton, Ohio.

Ruth Law, of Employment, recently shed some epidermis as the result of a sunburn which sneaked up on her during an unguarded moment . . . Avo Hammond spent a recent weekend in Jamestown, Tenn. She also played golf with Mozelle Kennedy at Harriman last weekend.

Paul C. Ziemke, Safety Engineer, and Mrs. Ziemke recently were visited by their sons, Donald and Myron, who have been attending Defiance College in Ohio. Ruth Ziemke, also a student at Defiance, will spend the summer with her parents at 101 Kimball Lane, Oak

Hospital List

The Oak Ridge Hospital reported births for four Y-12 families last week. They include Mr. and Mrs. William Robert Carver, a son, June 19; Mr. and Mrs. Edward M. Whitaker, a daughter, June 19; Mr. and Mrs. John Lee Horton, Sr., a son, June 20; Mr. and Mrs. Newman V. Smith, a daughter, June 20.

Officers Chosen By Y. W. C. A. Body

Mrs. Paul C. Tompkins was elected chairman and Velma Hinton co-chairman of a provisional group for an Oak Ridge Y. W. C. A., at a recent meeting held recently in the Red Cross Lounge. Mrs. W. Ross McGehee was chosen treasurer, while Mrs. Clark Center is housing chairman; Mrs. H. M. Rossman is membership chairman and Margaret Kunz is personnel chairman for the group.

A total membership of at least 1,000 is anticipated after final organization plans are completed.

WOMEN POSTPONE MEETING

The Oak Ridge College Women's Club, which was scheduled to meet Wednesday, July 2, has postponed the session until Wednesday, July 9.

Ridge, before returning to school. She is employed in the accounting section of the Oak Ridge Recreation and Welfare Department.

Word has been received from Alberta Pennington, formerly of Research and Development, that she is now a student at Tennessee State Teachers College in Murfreesboro.

Weddings or attendance at marital functions are proving popular for Research and Development personnel. Dee Wayne Lee of the department and Doris Corbin, formerly of Y-12, were united in a garden ceremony held June 14, at 4 p. m., in Gneiss, N. C. The couple left for a honeymoon in Colorado and adjacent states shortly afterwards . . . Virginia Spivey attended the wedding June 14, of Martha Lou Jones, formerly of Y-12, to Kenneth Riddle, which was solemnized at Attalla, Ala. Following a reception at the home of the bride, the couple left for Sea Island, Ga. . . . Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Brady, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. House, Mary Barnes, Dorothy Mellen and Reba Justice were guests at the wedding of Ann Buchanan, formerly of Y-12, to Ray Treleven, on June 14 at the Methodist Church in Harriman. Following the ceremony, the couple left on a honeymoon trip to Lake Louise, Canada.

Don Ewing, a former employee in Research and Development, recently rejoined the department . . . L. E. Burkhart and Leo Chelius have returned from Columbus, Ohio, where they attended sessions on spectroscopy held at the University of Ohio.

Dispensary Staff Keeps Y-12 Healthy

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 duty in the South Pacific he was stricken with malaria and returned to the United States and spent five months in the Valley Forge General Hospital in Pennsylvania.

The Y-12 Medical Director entered the army in April, 1941, and was assigned to Fort Devens, Mass., later going to New Caledonia with the 52nd Evacuation Hospital. He is a native of Pittsfield, Mass., and is a graduate of Colgate University, Hamilton, N. Y. He received his medical degree from the Albany (N. Y.) Medical College.

Equipment Is Modern
 To aid the staff in carrying out the functions of the Dispensary, it is provided with the most modern hospital equipment obtainable and adapted particularly to the medical problems arising in Y-12. As a result, the Dispensary is fitted to handle all types of cases from sniffles to surgery.

In the mass of physical examinations recently conducted by the Dispensary every employee was thoroughly checked with chest X-Rays, blood tests, blood pressure and temperature readings, height and weight measurements, eye tests and other laboratory examinations and inspections.

75 Patients Call Daily

During the peak of the terminations from 200 to 250 employees were examined every day over a considerable period of time. All this was done in addition to the routine work of the department in handling an average of about 75 patients daily who come to the Dispensary for treatment of various ailments and injuries.

It is the general policy of the Dispensary to give such patients immediate relief as far as possible through preliminary and first aid treatment. If further treatment is necessary the patient is given medical advice and also instructed to consult with his family physician.

Beds Available At Dispensary

In case brief hospitalization is desirable, a number of beds are available at the Dispensary. In more serious cases, patients are sent from the Y-12 Dispensary to the Oak Ridge Hospital or to their homes if they so desire.

The inoculation and vaccination program provides preventive measures against typhoid fever and smallpox to any employee.

Practically all of the laboratory work necessary in carrying out the work of the Dispensary is handled on the spot by trained employees. An exception is the blood test. Blood analyses are made by the Tennessee State Board of Health in both Knoxville and Nashville.

Dr. Robinson Assistant Director

In addition to Dr. Sullivan, the medical needs of Y-12 are administered by Dr. Anne W. Robinson, Dispensary Staff Physician, who has been in Y-12 for more than three years. Dr. Robinson is a graduate of the University of Minnesota Medical School and a former member of the Summit, N. Y. Hospital Staff. Head nurse in the Dispensary is Margaret B. Wills, while Assistant Head Nurses are Dixie McCaleb and Louise Worthington. Shifts are arranged so that the Dispensary is open 24 hours every day to give its service.

Other nurses on the staff are Virginia Smith, Lois Greene, Vashti V. Goode, Lois Goudy, Myrtle Lee, Esther Barrett, Ruth Roberts, Mary Kearley and Penny Keene. The latter is the X-Ray technician who at times has turned out more than 250 films per day in the course of the physical examinations.

Other Personnel Is Listed

Eye tests are conducted by Cordia Bledsoe while the bulk of the laboratory work is conducted by Oral White and Clarice McWhirter. An important function of the Dispensary in preventive work is that done by John Stephens, industrial hygienist, who periodically inspects the plant to guard against medical hazards that might arise.

At the reception desk of the Dispensary are Jodie Brown, Esther Moody and Lillian May who care for the records of all patients given treatment.

Other Dispensary employees include Hazel Lane, secretary to Dr. Sullivan, and Lillie B. Clas, chauff-

Photographic Story Of Activities In Y-12 Dispensary



Dr. Anne W. Robinson, of the Y-12 Dispensary, interviews a patient in the picture to the left. At right, Dispensary employees at the reception desk prepare records for employees who are to take



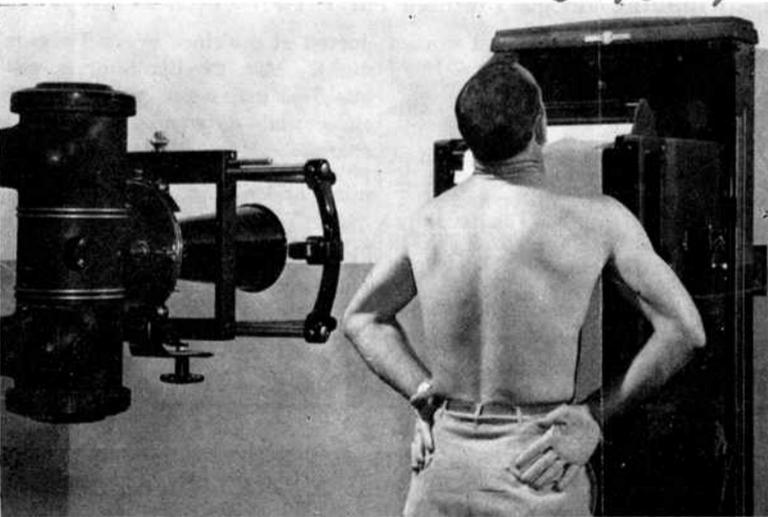
physical examinations. Behind the desk are Jodie Brown, Esther Moody and Lillian May, Dispensary employees. The others are A. B. Worley, Margaret Johnson, Roberta Ramsey and Martha Allen.



Nurse Dixie McCaleb is shown in the picture at the left ready to examine the throat of Robert Cantrell. To the right Nurse Louise Worthington, left in picture, is showing how oxygen is ad-



ministered while Head Nurse Margaret Wills is taking the pulse of the patient, C. S. Hoffman.



Arnold Tiller, Supervisor of Recreation, is the patient being given a chest X-Ray during the course of a physical examination.



He is shown at the left while at the right Penny Keene, X-Ray technician, is shown at the control panel of the X-Ray instrument.

feurette.

Firemen Operate Ambulances

Although the vast majority of the patients treated at the Dispensary arrive and depart under their own power, some of the more seriously ill are brought in by ambulances operated by the Y-12 Fire Department. The crews of the ambulances are especially trained in caring for and moving emergency cases from the scene of mishap to the Dispensary.

In line with the objectives of the Dispensary, Dr. Sullivan and other members of the staff urge every employee to take advantage of the facilities offered and obtain treatment or advice at the first signs of illness or immediately after an injury, no matter how slight. In fact it is a direct rule that any employee suffering any kind of

injury shall report immediately to the Dispensary for examination and treatment. Such immediate treatment frequently prevents a minor injury from developing into a serious condition with possible infections and complications.

KENNEL CLUB SETS PICNIC

The Oak Ridge Kennel Club will give a picnic Saturday, July 12, at Concord Park. The affair will be an evening supper party and will begin at 4 p.m. Members, their families and guests will attend the picnic.

Sonny: "Pop, what's a debtor?"
 Pop: "It's a person who owes some money."
 Sonny: "And what's a creditor?"
 Pop: "He's the fellow who thinks he's going to get it"

Instrument Group To Hear Talks

P. S. Buckley and D. M. Boyd, both of Clinton Laboratories, and G. R. Jamieson, of K-25, will be speakers tonight at the meeting of the Oak Ridge Section, Instrument Society of America. The session begins at 8 o'clock at Grove Hall.

Buckley will discuss "Gimmicks"; Boyd will talk on "Foxboro D. C. Dynalog"; and Jamieson's subject is "Uses of Capillary for Measurement of Small Flow."

Son: "What is 'college bred?'"
 Pop: "My boy, they make 'college bred' with the flour of youth and the dough of old age."

STORES TO PICNIC

An all day outing for the Stores Departments of Y-12 and K-25 will be held at Concord Park, Saturday, July 12. A buffet luncheon will be served at 2 p.m. All employees of these departments are urged to attend and all those who plan to go are asked to notify their supervisors.

COUNCILMAN RESIGNS

Barney C. Bohanan, of K-25, is resigning as chairman of Oak Ridge Town Council and will leave July 15 to become personnel director of the Southern States Equipment Corp., at Hampton, Ga. He has been department head in charge of personnel in the K-25 Maintenance Division.

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First Place In Ridge Women's Softball Loop Will Be Prize When Unbeaten Y-12 And Hospital Lassies Collide Tonight

First place in the Oak Ridge City League of women softballers will definitely be at stake when the high-flying Y-12 lassies meet their old foes, the Hospital nine, at 6 o'clock tonight on the Fairview diamond.

The Y-12 outfit, in fact, had a clear-cut claim to the loop lead at the end of play in the second half of the season last Thursday night. The Blue and White had won two contests without a loss while the Hospital girls had won but one game, that from Monsanto. In a clash between Hospital and K-25 last Thursday umpires were forced to call the game at the end of four innings because of expiration of

time limit on the field with the Hospital out in front, 17 to 7. As a result, it was called an unfinished game.

The Y-12 girls have not been able to trim the Hospital team this season, although giving the first half winners a stiff battle on all occasions and coming within one run of upsetting the front runners in one scrap.

To Play K-25 Thursday

In addition to meeting the Hospital team tonight, the Y-12 combine will tackle K-25 at 6 o'clock Thursday night on the Pine-wood field. In the other game of the week Hospital and Monsanto will play Wednesday night at Pine-

wood, hostilities beginning at 6 o'clock.

On next Monday night Y-12 will battle Monsanto at Pinewood at the usual hour.

Y-12 0 0 0 2 5 1 x—8 7 1
 K-25 0 0 0 0 1 4 0—5 7 3
 Batteries: Y-12, Pat Roberts and Bonnie Roberts. K-25, Acres and Woody.

Y-12 8 0 1 0 7 9 x—25 18 8
 Monsanto 0 2 0 0 1 0 x—3 5 10
 Batteries: Y-12, Pat Roberts, Brown and Bonnie Roberts. Monsanto, Stewart and Bible.

Careful Automobile Driving Urged Of Motorists During Holiday Period

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in a ditch or up a pole.

The lives of 3,410 persons were taken and 120,060 others were injured last year through motorists driving on the wrong side of the road. This practice is particularly hazardous on winding highways and curves. It not only is embarrassing but sometimes extremely fatal to drive on the wrong side of a curve and meet another driver headon.

Violating right of way rules took 2,970 lives and injured 194,140 persons in 1946. This is a particularly impolite method of driving engaged in by stubborn motorists who just "have to get there first." The old rule of "give way to traffic on your right" is the easiest way to avoid being involved in such accidents. Cutting in and out of a traffic line is a similar practice that frequently has resulted in collisions.

Simple To Give Proper Signals

Another lack of driving courtesy that sent 530 persons to death in 1946 and hurt 71,430 more was the failure to give proper signals when preparing to turn, stop or back up. It is a very simple matter to give the proper signals—hand extended upward for a right turn, straight out for a left turn and downward for a stop. It might also be recommended that drivers to the rear also keep their automobiles under constant control so as to avoid crashing into a vehicle in which the driver gives a wrong signal or none at all.

Head-on and other types of collisions from passing on the wrong

side and passing on curves and hills also is a potent method of causing accidents. For instance a driver trying to sneak by the car ahead by passing on the right cannot see any signal that may be given with the result that more than fenders may be sent to the repair shop.

Pedestrians Also At Fault

Although much sympathy is expressed for pedestrians who are victims in traffic mishaps—the pedestrian at the same time has his faults. Jaywalking, the practice of crossing streets between intersections or at an angle at an intersection in the hope of saving a few extra steps, sent 2,950 persons to their graves in 1946. Crossing intersections against traffic lights brought death to 730 more.

It is particularly distressing to hear of children being fatally injured in motor mishaps and one of the most strict parental mandates should be against playing in streets. More than 870 children were killed in such accidents in 1946 and although all of them could not be blamed on reckless driving, it behooves every driver to be extra careful when approaching a group of youngsters at play.

Other Ways To Get Killed

Stepping from behind parked cars and hitching rides on vehicles brought sudden death to many adults and children alike in 1946.

Walking on rural highways, particularly at night, is a dangerous practice. In 1946, 1,960 persons met death in this manner — many of them no doubt ignoring the warning to "walk on the left of the road, facing traffic."

Another precaution that should be taken by all drivers whose automobiles become disabled is to move them off the traffic lanes to the sides of the road whenever possible. Many motorists have been seriously hurt while making repairs to vehicles parked in the road, particularly at night.

So when you gamble in driving you are usually dead wrong — and might end up just dead—period.

Badges should be worn in plain view at all times within the Y-12 area.

Three Teams Tied For Third Place In Plant Loop; Good Games Turned In During Past Week

The Y-12 plant softball team race developed into a real battle for third place last week with three teams being tied for that spot in the loop at the end of play Thursday night. The Has Beens, however, clung to the league top spot with a two game lead over their nearest competitors, Bldg. 9212.

Play this week will see a new team, the Calutrons, in action. This outfit is scheduled to make its debut tonight against the Bums in the only clash on the slate, the game being set for 6 o'clock at Oakwood Field, No. 2. The Calutrons are managed by Bill Cattrell and is representing Dept. H12E, Process Development.

The complete schedule from Wednesday night through Tuesday night of next week follows:

- WEDNESDAY, JULY 2
 Administration Field
 6 p. m., Wolves vs. Has Beens.
 7:30 p. m., Bums vs Y-11. 9 p. m., One-91 vs Maintenance.
- THURSDAY, JULY 3
 Oakwood Field, No. 2
 6 p. m., Bldg. 9212 vs Calutrons.
- MONDAY, JULY 7
 Administration Field
 6 p. m., Bldg. 9212 vs Wolves. 7:30 p. m., Maintenance vs Calutrons. 9 p. m., Ramblers vs Bums.
- TUESDAY, JULY 8
 Oakwood Field, No. 2
 8 p. m., Y-11 vs Calutrons.

Y-12 Workers Aid Golf Fans Build Course

Several Y-12 employees who are interested in the construction of a nine-hole golf course turned out recently when a group of volunteers started work on the project under the auspices of the Oak Ridge Golf and Country Club.

Four tees and one green have been staked out by the workers.

Officers elected by the group are A. J. Kessing, president; Walter Rodgers, vice president; W. C. Kaskie, secretary; D. W. Harrigan, treasurer; R. Dustin, grounds committee; Rodgers and D. Sawyer, membership; C. McNabb and B. Haynes, bylaws; and Bob Fowler, publicity.

Do you have a safety story or lesson to pass along? Let's have it.

Swimming Classes Planned For Y-12 Women Employees

Swimming classes for all women employees of Y-12 will be offered at the Oak Ridge swimming pool at Grove Center beginning this week.

A beginners class will be held at 6 o'clock Monday night with K. Kuykendall, H. L. Miller and F. T. Baldy as volunteer instructors. These classes are free to the Y-12 women employees after they pay the regular pool admission fee.

An advanced class will be con-

ducted at 6 o'clock every Thursday night. Mrs. Phyllis Blair, a well-qualified instructor, will teach this class and a small fee will be charged. Mrs. Blair majored in physical education in both swimming and diving.

All Y-12 women employees who are interested in enrolling in either of these classes are asked to communicate with the Recreation Office, North Portal, telephone 7-8252.

Plant Softball Standings, Results

One-91	4	0	3	0	1	7	2	—17	12	4
Y-11	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	—3	5	5
Ramblers	2	1	1	0	2	0	x	—6	9	4
Wolves	0	0	3	2	0	2	x	—7	10	2
Maintenance	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	—1	7	0
Bums	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	—2	4	0
Bums	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	—1	1	4
Wolves	2	0	0	2	0	0	x	—4	8	2
Has Beens	3	2	4	7	4	5	x	—25	17	5
Y-11	0	0	0	4	0	0	x	—4	6	3
Maintenance	2	1	0	0	7	4	1	—15	21	2
Ramblers	2	1	1	0	3	4	0	—11	13	3
Bldg. 9212	0	1	0	4	0	0	1	—6	7	0
One-91	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	—1	4	0

LEAGUE STANDING

Including games of Thursday, June 26

Team	W	L	Bums	Standing
Has Beens	10	2	7	5
Bldg. 9212	8	4	5	7
Maintenance	7	5	3	9
Wolves	7	5	1	11

Department Absentee Mark For Week Ending June 21

MAJOR LEAGUE (More than 50 Employees)

Dept.	Percentage Absent	Standing 6-21-47
A12W	.4	1
B12R	.8	2
A12G	.9	3
A12M	1.2	4
A12S	1.3	5
B13L	1.8	6
M13B	2.1	7
H12E	2.2	8
M12P	3.5	9
A17N	3.8	10
A16N	3.9	11
M13C	4.0	12
H12L	4.7	13
M15C	5.0	14
A14N	5.4	15
A13N	6.4	16

Group average absentee percentage is 3 per cent.

MINOR LEAGUE (From 15 to 49 Employees)

Dept.	Percentage Absent	Standing
M12M	.0	1
A19N	.0	1
A12A	.0	1
A12J	.0	1
B12A	.8	2
M12S	.9	3
M14C	1.0	4
A12R	1.2	5
A12T	1.3	6
A15N	1.4	7
A14J	1.4	8
A13T	3.3	9
A12D	3.3	10
A12L	3.9	11
A12N	4.2	12

Group average absentee percentage is 1.6 per cent.

Health Aides

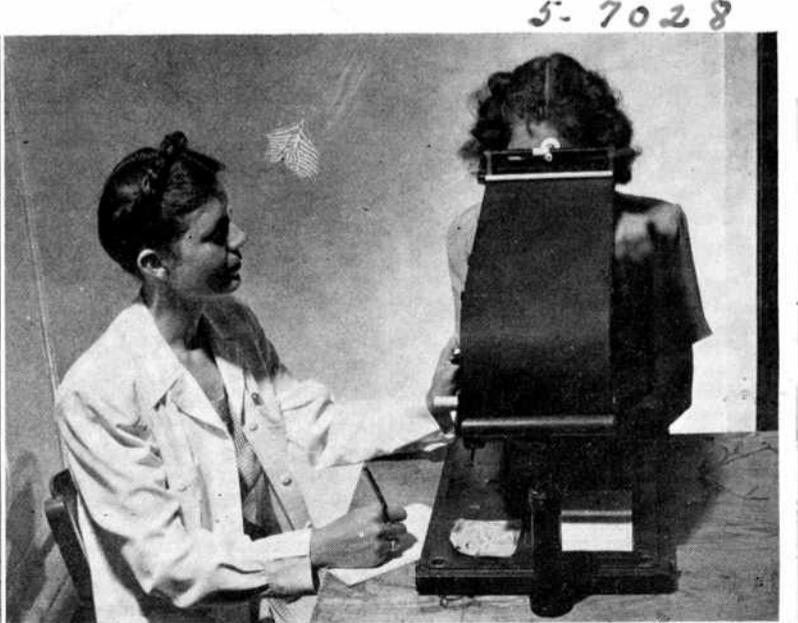


In the upper foreground Nurse Lois Goudy is taking the blood pressure of Lou Kelly while in the background Nurse Ruth Roberts is measuring the height and weight of R. P. Ward. Below is Lillie B. Clas, chauffeuette for the Dispensary.

More Pictures Of Activities In Y-12 Dispensary



Clarice McWhirter, foreground, is taking a blood specimen from Ruth Buttles, of the Insurance Office, while Oral White, back-



ground, is looking over other specimens in the picture at the left. To the right, Cordia Bledsoe is giving an eye test to Fern Ball.