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## A Statement

Elsewhere on this page is a copy of a letter recently mailed to the International Union of Mine, Mill and Smelter Workers, C.I.O. The intent of the letter is clear. It can be no surprise to employees of the Main Plant and Waterville Division who know well our feelings on Communism in general and Mine, Mill in particular. Mine, Mill has long been accused in the public press, in Congressional Committees, and by C.I.O. itself as being largely under the influence of Communist policies. As a consequence, we want none of this Union.

At no time has a majority of our employees belonged to Mine, Mill if the number of employees checking off is a true measure. Its influence has reduced greatly in recent months so that this past April only 681 employees in the Main Plant and 207 in Waterville checked off. Of these totals, 589 were men and 92 were women in the Main Plant. In Waterville, 175 were men and 32 were women.

What of the future? There appear to be two possibilities. Either the contract will terminate with no Union in the plant, or some Union or Unions will petition the N.L.R.B. for an election. In such event, employees eligible to vote could vote either for a Union or for "no Union". Should a Union win such an election, the Company will negotiate with it in good faith. In any such negotiations, the Company's position will be the same as in the past. We will expect to meet the generally accepted local practices on level of wages and working conditions. We will not be greatly out of line on the high side or the low side in these matters.

Our prime responsibility is, and will be, to maintain the Company in such condition as will permit us to do business in the competitive market places. No restrictions on Management can be negotiated with any Union that will interfere with such a program. The job opportunity of our employees largely depends upon this.

Should "no Union" be the final outcome, all of our employees will continue to be paid wages comparable to those paid in the community. They will work under conditions usual in industry today.

*Alan C. Curtis*  
Vice-President

## Kids' Day Camp Will Open July 11

The SERA Kids' Day Camp is scheduled to open on Monday, July 11, at the Woodtick Recreation Area. The camp will operate daily Monday thru Friday.

Mr. Harry Grover and Miss Harriet Velms, both qualified and experienced counselors, will be in charge of the group. They will meet the children at the SERA Clubhouse at 8:00 a.m. and will guide and supervise their activities until 5:00 p.m. when they will be back at the Clubhouse.

The cost for the first week at Camp is \$5.00 per child, for each additional week the fee is \$4.00.

Detailed information on the activities of the Camp and application blanks may be had by contacting the Employee Activities Office, phone 834.

## New Assignments Mills Division

Mr. John J. Hoben, Works Manager of the Mills Division, has announced the following appointments:

Effective May 30, 1949, the following are appointed foremen in the Continuous Strip Mill:—Theodore Balunas, Leonard Corrado, James Hoben and Elbert Sperring. They will report to Mr. Kenneth Tingley, Assistant Superintendent of the Continuous Strip Mill.

## Five Retirements

William Cramer

WILLIAM CRAMER, Tool Room No. 1, has been placed on the Special Retirement List as of May 30, 1949.

Mr. Cramer first entered the employ of Scovill on December 14, 1894 in Tool & Machine as a toolmaker. After a brief period away from the Company, he returned in October, 1914 to start his more than 34 years of continuous service. Since 1930, he had been employed as a toolmaker in Tool Room No. 1.

Dennis Synnott

DENNIS SYNNOTT, Repair Room, has been placed on the Special Retirement List as of May 9, 1949.

Mr. Synnott has thirty-six years of continuous Scovill service. He was first hired in the Buff Room as a buffer on January 16, 1913. Since February 23, 1948 he has been a sorter in the Repair Room.

Anthony Menturowich

ANTHONY MENTUROWICH, Repair Room, has been placed on the Special Retirement List as of May 16, 1949.

With Scovill for twenty-seven continuous years, Mr. Menturowich has served as a press operator in Blanking, a production helper in Case No. 5 and a sorter in the Repair Room, the work he was doing at his retirement.

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## New Electrical Transformer Installed



Scovill maintenance departments, with the assistance of a mobile crane, recently lowered a large transformer into the courtyard between Buildings 23 and 53 on Mill Street. This transformer will be a part of the new electrical sub-station now being built in this area.

## Woodtick Area Open For Summer Activities

Woodtick — the recreation area for Scovill employees and their families — was officially opened for summer activities on Saturday, May 28. Several family groups were on hand for their first picnic of the season. Due to weather conditions, swimming was not permitted over the weekend.

The Picnic Area (behind the old factory building) has been cleared, a fireplace added and the tables rearranged to make it an ideal picnic spot.

Several departmental picnics are already being planned for Woodtick. If you are planning one, be sure to contact the Employee Activities Office soon for available dates. The scheduling of facilities at the Area is under the direction of this office.

## "Stripper" Fashions Designed by Scovill

"Stripper" Fashions, a new collection of fashion clothing has been designed by Scovill and is now being introduced by top-flight retail stores throughout the country. The fashions are designed for action and are the perfect answer to the need for casual garments for leisure and resort wear.

Scovill has long been an authority on metal fasteners and closures for the garment industry. These new "Stripper" Fashions use Scovill closures— notably a new *Gripper Fastener* application that employs a patented thumb-strip idea for easier closing and also the new *Gripper Zipper*.

"Stripper" Fashions make their debut in the form of expertly tailored

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## The Letter

May 26, 1949

International Union of Mine, Mill and Smelter Workers, C.I.O.  
24 Grand Street  
Waterbury 3, Connecticut

Gentlemen:

We hereby notify you that, in accordance with the terms of Article XVII, Company-Union Agreement effective August 2, 1947, the Company wishes the Agreement to terminate at the end of the effective period, midnight August 1, 1949.

We do not intend to negotiate for a new Contract with the International Union of Mine, Mill and Smelter Workers, C.I.O. In the first place, the Union does not represent a majority in the bargaining unit of the Main Plant and Waterville Division. Second, we believe the Union to be influenced by Communistic doctrines.

Very truly yours,  
SCOVILL MANUFACTURING COMPANY

*Alan C. Curtis*  
Vice-President





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## Flag Day - June 14

"I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America and to the Republic for which it stands, one Nation indivisible, with liberty and justice for all."

### The History Of The American Flag

The first flags created in the American colonies were designed by Benjamin Franklin in 1747 for military companies organized to resist threatened French and Spanish attacks. With the pre-Revolutionary controversies with Great Britain, the rattlesnake, pine tree and other flags with defiant mottoes made their appearance.

When General Washington assumed command of the colonial forces at Cambridge, January 2, 1776, the "Grand Union" flag, consisting of 13 red and white stripes with a British Union Jack in a blue canton, was raised. This flag was generally used by the Revolutionary forces. It was also known as the "Continental Flag".

It was not until June 14, 1777, almost a year after the adoption of the Declaration of Independence, that the Continental Congress adopted a design for the national flag. It was resolved that "the flag of the United States shall be 13 stripes alternate red and white with a union of 13 stars of white on a blue field, representing a new constellation".

With the admission of Vermont, Kentucky and subsequent states, additional stars and stripes were incorporated until Congress, on April 18, 1818, voted that the Flag should contain 13 alternate red and white stripes representing the original 13 States and that a star should be added for each new state on July 4 following its admission.

### Don't Be 'Backward'

### "Stripper" Fashions

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slacks, shorts, long shorts, jackets, skirts and halters (see photo at right). They mark the beginning of Scovill's entry into the high-fashion field.

The *Gripper Fasteners* used in this collection have a sturdiness one expects to find in clothes meant to see hardest wear, yet they close with a gentle press of the finger tips. The thumb-strip application eliminates the need of pressing the fastener against the body. The closing is easily accomplished by placing the thumb inside the thumb-strip opening and pressing the snap fastener together with the thumb and forefinger.

Scovill's new *Gripper Zipper* is used on the placket openings of the shorts and skirts. It was designed for a smoother and easier operation and yet has the extra strength necessary in garments subject to frequent laundering or dry cleaning. All closures used in the garments are made of brass, a metal not subject to rusting.

After many months of research, designing and planning, the program is now ready for launching in retail stores. The June issue of Harper's Bazaar features this collection of highly attractive and practical "Stripper" Fashions editorially. "Stripper" Fashions are now being offered for sale in Peck and Peck's forty shops across the country as well as by Neiman-Marcus in Dallas.

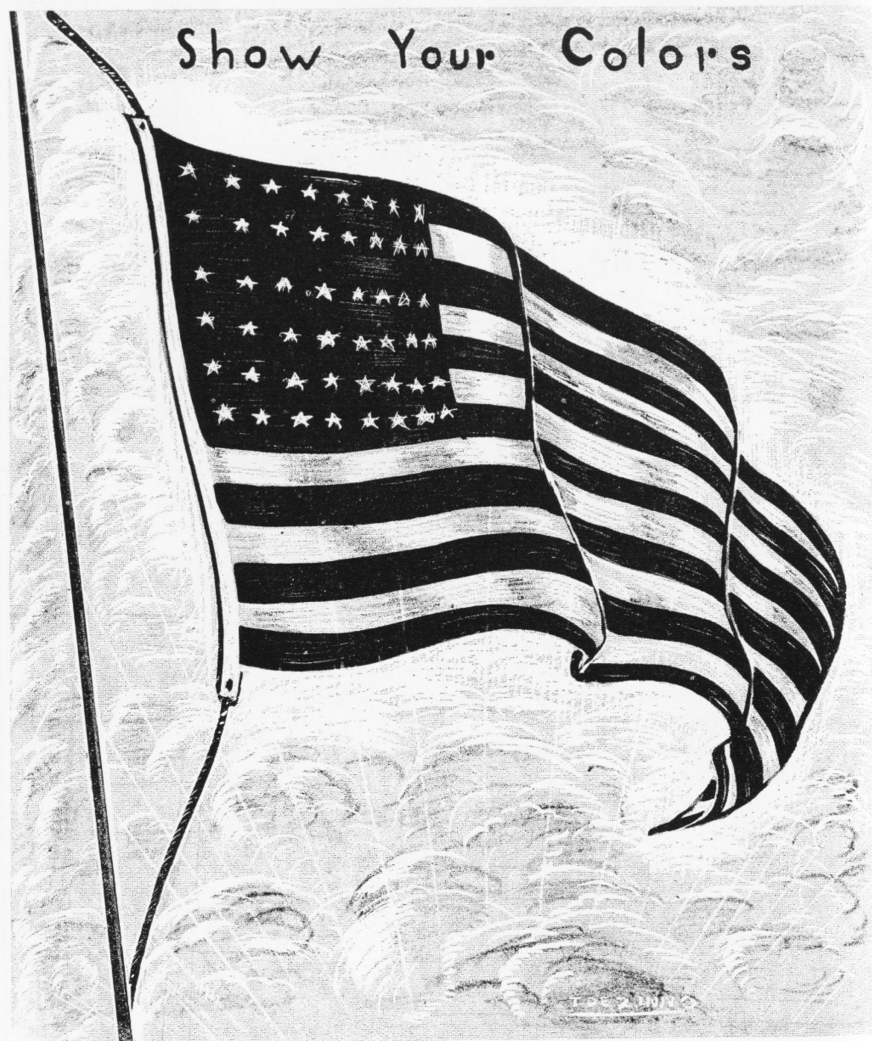


"Hold it!" is Art Boucher's warning to Antonio Guerrero who is coming dangerously close to Art's truck. The boys posed for this picture to illustrate how easily accidents can happen when a load is pulled backwards.

Pulling loads backwards is unsafe business. Some employees have fallen down or been caught between things while walking backwards.

Recently a toolsetter suffered severe injury to his thumb when a heavy die key block fell as a result of his table striking a scrap box while he was pulling the table backwards.

The important thing to remember is to face forward in the direction of travel. Don't back into an accident!



### Rod & Gun Club News

The Scovill Rod & Gun Club will hold its annual fishing competition, for members only, at Woodtick on July 23. Drawing for boats will be held July 19 at the monthly meeting.

### Scovill-Designed "Stripper" Fashions



This long-shorts and jacket combination is but one of the highly attractive and practical sets of the new collection of fashion clothing recently designed by Scovill.

"Stripper" Fashions also include expertly tailored slacks, shorts, skirts and halters. *Gripper Fasteners* (see story on Page 1 about the new thumb-strip application) and *Gripper Zipper* are used on all garments.

The entire collection is designed in topsail cloth, because it tailors to perfection and is stoutly durable. In addition, it takes and retains color stably. The styles are available in a color array that includes sunlit gold, spruce green, signal red, sailing blue and oyster white.

### Calendar of Events

#### Monday

Inter-Dept. Softball (National)  
(Brass Mill Diamonds—6:30 p.m.)  
Varsity Softball  
(Fairmont Diamonds—6:00 p.m.)

#### Tuesday

Inter-Dept. Softball (American)  
(Brass Mill Diamonds—6:30 p.m.)  
Inter-Dept. Golf  
(East Mountain—5:15 p.m.)  
June 7—Retired Folks—(Woodtick)

#### Wednesday

IRA Horseshoe—  
(Stadium Courts—6:00 p.m.)  
Tennis Instructions—  
(Hamilton—5:15 p.m.)  
(Contact Employee Activities Office)  
Bocci—(Woodtick—6:00 p.m.)

#### Thursday

Camera Club—(2nd & 4th Thursdays)  
(Spencer Block—8:00 p.m.)

#### Friday

Skeet—(Woodtick—5:00 p.m.)  
Varsity Golf—  
(East Mountain—5:30 p.m.)

### 1949 Major Leagues Baseball Schedules

July 1 Thru July 31, 1949

(\* denotes Night Game)  
(\*\* denotes Double Header)

**Yankees — Yankee Stadium**  
Boston July 4\*\*, 5\*  
Washington July 8\*, 9, 10\*\*  
Cleveland July 25\*, 27, 28  
Chicago July 29\*, 30, 31\*\*

**Dodgers — Ebbets Field**  
Philadelphia July 4 a.m., p.m., 5\*  
New York July 8\*, 9, 10  
All Star Game July 12  
Cincinnati July 14\*, 15, 16  
Chicago July 17\*\*, 18\*  
Pittsburgh July 19, 20, 21  
St. Louis July 22\*, 23, 24

**Giants — Polo Grounds**  
Brooklyn July 1, 2, 3  
Philadelphia July 6\*, 7  
Pittsburgh July 14\*, 15, 16  
St. Louis July 17\*\*, 18  
Cincinnati July 19\*, 20, 21  
Chicago July 22, 23, 24

**Boston Red Sox — Fenway Park**  
Philadelphia July 8\*, 9, 10\*\*  
Chicago July 26\*, 27, 28  
Cleveland July 29\*, 30, 31



## Twenty-Five-Year Service Awards



*Lillian Crawford, Chicago Office, rounded out twenty-five years of continuous service on May 28, 1949.*

Always with the Chicago Office, Mrs. Crawford has served as secretary to Mr. Gerald G. Grant in D & C Sales and is now associated with Mr. C. W. Sharot under the management of Mr. Howard G. Dunn.



*Joseph Synnott, Wire Mill, completed a quarter of a century of Scovill service on May 22, 1949.*

Mr. Synnott has spent all of his years with Scovill in the Wire Mill. Since 1947 he has served as a foreman in the Die Division.



*David Labonty, Milling & Grinding, was scheduled to receive his service pin on May 20, 1949.*

During his years with Scovill he has been employed in Plating, Tool & Machine and, since 1943, he has been a grinder in Milling & Grinding.



*Charles Leogrande, Mfg. Eyelet Tool Room, completed twenty-five years of service on May 20, 1949.*

During his Scovill career, Mr. Leogrande has served as a machinist, tool-setter, toolmaker, floorman, hand screw machine operator, and toolmaker working supervisor. He has worked in several departments but most of his service has been with the Tool Division.

## Press No. 2

*By Frank and Bill*

MARY KOVAL KARASINSKI returned to work all smiles after an enjoyable honeymoon. MARY and her husband went on their honeymoon by car and spent time in New York City, Washington, D. C., Virginia and Mt. Vernon. Keep up the smiles, MARY.

NELLIE LYONS has been placed on the Special Retirement List after many years of Scovill service. We will all miss you very much, NELLIE. The gang all wish you good luck and good health.

LOUIE MONNERAT was an usher at JOHNNY MALONE'S wedding recently. JOHNNY is a former employee of Press No. 2. We all wish you good luck, JOHNNY.

EVA STEER has left us to work in the Slide Fastener Room and IRENE CAVANAUGH is replacing her in Press No. 2. Good luck to both of you girls.

## ROD MILL TOPICS

*By Dom Polo*

Congratulations to MR. and MRS. JOE DESTEFANO who recently became the parents of a baby boy.

Yours truly saw ERVING (HONEY) HONYOTSKI recently and he looks grand. HONEY said that he expects to be back to work again soon. We're all happy to hear that.

JULIE SANTOPIETRO is no longer with us. We all miss you, JULIE.

There's just no limit to what some people will do. FRANKIE SABIS, our great golf enthusiast, has a small son who has not started school as yet. FRANKIE bought him the younger set size golf bag, clubs, etc. and has started to teach him the "art" of playing golf. Guess FRANKIE wants one good golfer in the family. One day last week, the young lad was seen on his front lawn with a very serious look on his face. He had the golf bag slung over his shoulder and was dragging it to the next hole.

We all extend our deepest sympathy to CARMINE ROSATO who lost his father.

## Trim And Knurl

*By Betty Young*

We are all happy to hear that KITTY STACK is coming along fine. Here's hoping she will be back with us soon.

BOB CURRIE is sporting a beautiful tan. He is quite a lawn bowler and spends most of his spare time on the Green.

Our timekeeper, BARBARA, plans to go on her vacation soon. Have a wonderful time, BARBARA.

OZZIE MEYER is some fisherman. Recently he went fishing and came home with enough fish to open a market.

JULIO CORDELLI is quite a gardener. Spending all his free time on his garden, he has done a great deal of planting. All he needs now is a lot of sunshine.

HAROLD STAPLETON is very much missed by all his fellow workers.

JOE FABIANO's son, Anthony, played at a concert at St. Joseph's Hall several weeks ago and made a big hit.

## Ten-Year Awards

The following employees received the silver service pin for ten years of continuous Scovill service:

Giovanni Salerno, Extruded Rod, as of May 20; Jane Perkins, Millwrights, as of May 31.

## Waterville Division

*By Helen*

AL STEPONAITIS is proud of his pal, AL CYBULSKI, who caught a 14" Bull-head. Tell us the place so that we can go fishing there sometimes, AL.

Glad to see GEORGE BASSI, CARMINE STANGO and RALPH DELEPPO back to work after recent illnesses.

The Buff Room is wishing JOE CARUSO and PURCELL KNOX speedy recoveries and hope they will be back with us soon.

The Receiving Room employees wish to extend their best wishes to CHERIE EBERT who is now recovering from a recent illness.

## Girls' Club News

*By Dora Mori*

### Wonderful Time Had By All

The bowling banquet was held at Hornbecker's on May 17 and it was a "howling" success, figuratively and otherwise. The girls looked lovely — the food was delicious — spirits high — what more could we have had but a wonderful time.

When awarded their prize, what team got the warmest and loudest hand of the evening? Why, IVA, MARGARET, LILLIAN and CATHERINE of the 32 Division Team of course!

### Committee News

Our new president, BETTY AFFELDT, has chosen the following to head the different committees: LUCILLE PEPIN of B & F Production — Chairlady of Entertainment; ANNELIESE HUELSTER of Sales Records — Sick Committee; MARSHA DZUBAY of Planning — Membership and Card Sales. Congratulations to all!

### For The Crocheting, Knitting Crowd

Art classes are now being held on Thursday evenings at 7:30 at the Girls' Clubhouse. Those interested, please bring crocheting, knitting or even a pack of cards. TEDDY OVERTON is to be the instructress. Everyone is welcome.

### Additions To The Fold

A very hearty welcome to CARMELLA SARNI, Waterville, FRANCES LASKY, Shell Department and MARGARET MURRAY, Slide Fastener. How about getting acquainted at our next event?

### Odds and Ends

Here's a bit of good news. The Hot Dog Roast this year will be held on June 14. Further information on this later.

## Lucy Ruggerio



*Lucy Ruggerio of Brooklyn, New York is the five-month old niece of Sal Pitino of Slide Fastener. Emanuel, Casting Shop, is her grandfather.*

## Looking Out East

*By Harry Shewbridge*

Just about five months ago, HELEN LOY of Class "96" Office was taken to the hospital, a very sick girl. However, we are happy to report that she is up and around again. We sure have missed you, HELEN.

Speaking of getting around, we hear that Chucking Dept.'s CLARA RABTOY, LILLIAN LIVERMORE, SARAH LAUDANO, and MARIE LERZ went to see "South Pacific" on the 21st. Lucky girls! They tell us that the show is everything it's cracked up to be.

And while we are speaking of the Chucking Dept., a very large orchid to SARAH LAUDANO who celebrated her 34th wedding anniversary on May 27.

\* Now that Spring is here, you tennis players might ask ART ROBERTS for a word of advice — he's an expert on rackets. Maybe he'll teach you the racket song.

They tell us that the Slide Fastener Dept. has been limping along without BARBARA LaFLAMME who has been vacationing in New York State with her folks. Happy days, BARB.

And we all say Happy Birthday to MARY RENNA who celebrated it on June 1. May she have many, many more.

## Graduated From Training Course During May



1. Elmer Bouffard graduated on May 29, 1949 as a Draftsman. He has been assigned to the Drafting Room. George of Transportation is his father.

2. Earle Gendron graduated as a Toolmaker on May 22, 1949. He has been assigned to the Oakville Division. His father, Otto, is employed in the Automobile Department.

3. Armand Lavigne graduated on May 1, 1949 as a Toolmaker. He has

been assigned to Hot Forge Tool.

4. Vincent Campoli graduated as a Toolmaker on May 22, 1949. He has been assigned to Mfg. Eyelet Tool. Joseph, X-Rod, is his father.

5. David Knauf graduated on May 15, 1949 as a Draftsman. He has been assigned to the Chucking Tool Design.

6. Eugene Moriarty graduated as a Machinist on May 29, 1949. He has been assigned to the Button Tool

Room. His brother, John, is employed in the East Machine Room.

7. Paul Pavlik graduated on May 22, 1949 as a Toolmaker. He has been assigned to the Mfg. Tool Room.

8. Walter Walesky graduated as a Toolmaker on May 8, 1949. He has been assigned to Gen. Training Tool.

9. George Sauer graduated on May 1, 1949 as a Machinist. He has been assigned to the Button Tool Room.



## Five Employees Receive Cash Awards For Prize Winning Suggestions



\$25.00  
Joseph Romanus  
Hot Forge Tool

\$25.00  
George Nix  
Press No. 2

\$10.00  
Rocco Morano  
Button Tool Room

\$5.00  
Louis Mastracchio  
West Machine Room

\$5.00  
Samuel Tropasso  
West Machine Room

### Four Men Succumb

JOHN SCHLOSSER, retired, died at his home on May 18, 1949.

Mr. Schlosser had a fifty-seven-year continuous service record with Scovill when he was retired on March 17, 1947. His last place of employment was in the Dip Room as a dipper.

He is survived by his wife and a brother.

The funeral was held from the Alderson Funeral Home on May 21. Burial was in new Pine Grove Cemetery. Patsy Perrotti and Jerry Sparzo attended as Company representatives.

EUGENE BALLARD, retired, died at his home on May 25, 1949.

Born in Vermont, he is survived by his wife, two sons, a daughter, two grandchildren and two sisters.

Mr. Ballard had thirty-two years of continuous service with Scovill. He was a gauge and tool inspector in Milling & Grinding when he was retired on September 10, 1945.

The funeral was held from the Alderson Funeral Home on May 27. Burial was in new Pine Grove Cemetery.

GEORGE YAKAITIS, General Training, died on May 18, 1949.

Born in Waterbury, he is survived by his parents and two sisters.

On February 17, 1948, George came to Scovill. He was a trainee in the General Training Room.

The funeral was held on May 21 from the Stokes Funeral Home. Burial was in Calvary Cemetery.

JAMES F. TUCKER, Waterville Division, died on May 22, 1949.

Mr. Tucker had thirteen years of continuous Company service. Since 1946, he had served as sales supervisor in Industrial Fastener Sales.

Born in Torrington, he is survived by his wife, two sons, a daughter, his parents and two brothers.

The funeral was held from the Bergin Funeral Home on May 25. Burial was in old St. Joseph's Cemetery. Company representatives were William H. Hill and Arthur H. Goepel.

### For Sale

Piano accordion, 120 bass, Italian make, good condition, \$175. Call 4-2587.

Scrap wood, \$10 a load, delivered; building lumber; truck; Plymouth coupe; tractor, plow, stone board, all for \$200. Call at 13 Shelly Street off of Wall.

Girls' summer dresses, sizes 8 - 11. Call 3-7615.

Great American lawn mower, one-year old. Call Cheshire 2770.

Folding baby carriage; Taylor-tot; 4 x 5 Burke & James press camera with 4.5 Wollensak Rapax lens, complete with flash gun, pack holder and cut film holder; 20" three-tube fluorescent lamp. Call 4-2918.

1940 Ford two-yard dump truck with 1947 motor, good condition, \$650. Call 4-6526.

1941 Ford four-door sedan, good condition, reasonable. Call 5-4952.

Simmons studio couch, \$20. Call at 20 Crescent Street.

White icebox, good condition, reasonable. Call 4-4961.

Two copper screens, 24 x 55½, new; two adjustable Tel-O-Posts with built-in jack to fit any basement; two Army beds with springs, both for \$7. Call Watertown 482-J.

Whitall rug, 10' 6" x 8' 3", \$35; Silent Glow automatic control oil burner, used one year. Call 3-6346.

Like new, Marlin 22 rifle with 4 power Mossberg scope, \$25. Call 5-1358 between 6 and 7 p.m.

Girl's bicycle — very good condition. Call 4-7269 after 5 p.m.

For the young graduate — get a sable and white pedigree collie pup. Call 5-5775 after 4 p.m.

Grey baby carriage, excellent condition, \$18. Call 5-5533.

Table and four chairs, suitable for cottage; four suit coats for boy 12 years old. Call 5-1729 between 3:30 and 4:30 p.m.

Puppies for children or home, mixed breeds, healthy and clean, short or fluffy hair. Call 4-8232.

Playpen, Taylor-tot, crib, high chair, two three-wheel bicycles, reasonable. Call 5-3284.

Nine-piece Grand Rapids mahogany dining room set, excellent condition. Call 4-1552.

Speed Queen electric ironer, used six times, good condition, \$50. Call 5-3985.

### Classified Ads

White taffeta dress, suitable for child 10 - 12 years old, worn once, \$4; kitchen table, stainless porcelain top, white and blended with green, 56 x 33, \$20; several floor and table lamps. Call 3-8862.

Light-weight bicycle, very good condition. Call Thomaston 798 after 6:30 p.m.

1933 Chevy four-door, new battery, good tires, a good buy for \$100. Call Watertown 1925 after 6 p.m.

A few pin ball machines, \$10 and up. Call 4-2230.

Man's new tailor-made sharkskin suit, two-button, double breasted drape model, grey, size 37. Call 3-8546.

Three innerspring mattresses, one cotton mattress suitable for either summer cottage or home, excellent condition, clean. Call 3-2881 after 5:30 p.m.

Evinrude outboard motor, 22½ h.p., good condition, \$125. Call 4-8661.

Navy blue flannel graduation jacket, white Palm Beach trousers, size 16, practically new, reasonable. Call 3-4837.

Coal space heater, reasonable. Call 5-9336 between 5 and 6 p.m.

1936 Terraplane coupe, good tires, very reasonable. Call 3-3850.

### Lost

On Thursday, May 26, diamond pin in 71 building, reward. Call ext. 2375.

### Wanted To Buy

A putter or will trade a No. 7 iron for one. Call 5-5430.

Children's see-saw and slide. Call 5-1820.

Portable typewriter, good condition, reasonable. Call 3-7218.

Tricycle with chain drive, 16" wheel. Call 5-9336 between 5 and 6 p.m.

### Five Retirements

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#### Michael Kramarcsik

MICHAEL KRAMARCSIK, West Machine Room, has been placed on the Special Retirement List as of May 9, 1949.

Mr. Kramarcsik joined the Company on May 6, 1909 in Tool & Machine. He has also been employed in Button Tool and General Training as a floorman. Since 1930, he has been a machinist in West Machine.

#### Gottlieb Boner

GOTTLIEB BONER, Waterville, has been placed on the Special Retirement List as of May 2, 1949.

Mr. Boner entered the Waterville Division on March 26, 1920. Always in the same department, he has been a floorman, and packer, the work he was doing at his retirement.

### Our Display In "Our Children's World"



The use of Gripper Fasteners and Gripper Zippers on children's clothing was very attractively displayed in the Scovill exhibit at "Our Children's World" show held in Grand Central Palace, New York, from May 12 - 21, 1949.

In charge of the exhibit, Bill Spearrin of the B & F Sales Office was assisted at the show by Hooker Stoughton, Chris Poulsen, John Blake (pictured above) of the B & F Sales Office and H. David Ward, Edward Dillon, Joseph Stassen and William Pothier of the New York Office.

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