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## W. J. Stolp Retires; Wants To Live Nearby

**Netherlands Native  
Came To Y-12 In 1944**

After eight years of conscientious work in Y-12 with only one day of absence charged, William J. Stolp, Sr., chief stock keeper in the special stock warehouse in Bldg. 9204-1, Manufacturing Office Division, formally retired last Wednesday, April 30. He is 66 years old and originally was scheduled for retirement last year, but because of the importance of his work in checking out old equipment he remained on the job for an additional 12 months.

### Likes Climate Here

Tall, erect and with flashing blue eyes, holding an almost continual smile, Stolp has one immediate ambition. He wants to settle right here in East Tennessee and build his own home—then start a garden, his main hobby. The climate of this section and cheap electric power for heating and other purposes are the main attractions drawing the former Y-12er to plan his residence around these parts.

Stolp came to work in Y-12 on March 1, 1944, and successively held the positions of store foreman, material engineer, inventory clerk and stock keeper group leader. In his department during the past few years a staff of 150 persons originally required to handle spare parts has dwindled to five.

Born in Van Valkenburg, The Netherlands, March 1, 1886, Stolp came to the United States at the age of four years. He was one of eight children, all under 14, brought across the Atlantic by his mother to join his father, who had preceded the family to the United States. The family then moved to Covington, Ky.

Stolp later took a short course at Ohio State University, where he was a varsity football player for two years—in 1905-06. He is most proud of that milestone in his career and more or less tolerant in criticism of the present-day game involving the two-platoon system.

### Old Football Described

"In those days we played two halves of 30 minutes each and anybody taken out of a game with less than 45 minutes of service, except when badly hurt, was insulted," he said. "Then, too, the

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Y-12 Photo By Vince Moore  
**ON THE JOB UNTIL HIS last day before retirement April 30 was W. J. Stolp, Sr., of Stores, shown above checking supplies at Bldg. 9201-4.**

## Engineers And Public Invited To ACE Day

All Y-12 engineers and members of their families as well as others interested in engineering have been invited to attend ACE Day, sponsored by all branches of the University of Tennessee College of Engineering, on Saturday, May 10. The Association of College Engineers Day program will consist of an open house on the main campus at the university in Knoxville with all engineering buildings being open for inspection.

Class rooms, laboratories and equipment will be open for view by the public. Exhibits of both practical and unusual character will be shown in the laboratories, including an airplane jet engine, an Allison aircraft engine, engineering and testing equipment. There also will be an exhibit by university military engineers of miniature bridges, trucks and other army equipment.

### U. S. BRASS EMBARRASSED

High United States officials are reported by Newsweek Magazine as being "embarrassed" because several German scientists brought here for research work want to go home when their contracts expire. It is feared they might leak information to Soviet agents.

## ACS To Hold Meeting At Carson-Newman

**Session Is Last Of  
Season For E. T. Group**

The final meeting of the season for the East Tennessee Section of the American Chemical Society has been set for next Tuesday night, May 13, at Carson-Newman College, Jefferson City, Tenn. The business session will start at 8 p. m. and will be preceded by a dinner at the college at 6:45 p. m.

### Invited By Dr. Bahner

The meeting is being held at Carson-Newman on invitation of Dr. Carl T. Bahner, professor of chemistry at the institution and past chairman of the East Tennessee Section of the ACS.

Dr. Otto Eisenschiml, a professional consultant from Chicago, Ill., will be the principal speaker at the session. His topic will be "Present Day Problems of Our Profession."

### Wives Are Invited

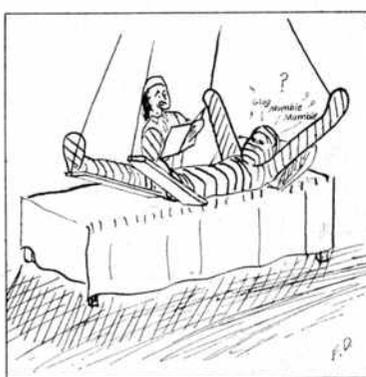
Y-12 members of the section are invited to bring their wives to the meeting next week as the session will be open. All members also are asked to bring ACS members who have recently moved into the East Tennessee territory from other sectional areas and who have not yet joined the local group.

Y-12ers wishing dinner reservations must make them on or before Saturday, May 10, with A. B. Meservy, of K-25, telephone 8793.

## Washing Dynel Blankets Easy, Drying Is Speedy

Blankets made from the new fibre, Dynel, are easy to wash and quick to dry, according to the Cleanliness Bureau of the American Soap and Glycerine Producers, Inc., New York. Even fruit juices and body stains wash out easily with soap and water.

Dynel blankets should be washed with plenty of soapsuds, using water as hot as the hands can stand. The operation should be repeated in a second clean suds. Blankets then can be rinsed and squeezed out. The satin binding may be pressed with a warm iron, but the iron should be kept off the nap.



**PROBABLY THE Y-12ER who recently neglected going to Medical for treatment immediately after receiving a welding burn did not end up in as bad a fix as the victim in this cartoon by Y-12 Cartoonist Floyd Downs—but remember—"It Can Happen Here."**

## Camera Club To Hear Talk, Hold Contest

Joseph Jernigan, of the Jernigan Photo Studio, Elza Gate, will speak at the May meeting of the Carbide Camera Club on next Tuesday night, May 13. The meeting will be held in the Camera Club headquarters, Y-12 East Portal building, at 7:30 o'clock. A black and white print contest on the subject of scenes and landscapes also will be held at the meeting.

Jernigan's talk will be on how to improve printing techniques. He has been on previous Camera Club programs.

The print contest will be judged by Francois Kertesz, of the Y-12 Materials Chemistry Division, a member of the club.

R. M. Schroeder, president of the club and in the ANP Division in Y-12, has urged all members to attend the session and extended an invitation to all employees of the three Carbide units in Oak Ridge who are amateur photographic enthusiasts to join the organization.

### MORE HOUSING PLANNED

Sen. Burnett Maybank (D. S.C.) is quoted in the Columbia State as saying 315 more housing units, costing about \$2,500,000, will be built at Aiken, S. C., to care for employees at the Savannah River Plant of the Atomic Energy Commission.

## Carbide Is 'Still In The Scrap' To Ease U. S. Metal Shortage

Carbide and Carbon Chemicals Company, with other Units of Union Carbide and Carbon Corporation, has been right in the forefront in easing the nation's present shortage of scrap metal—particularly the Carbide organizations in Oak Ridge. Recently compiled

figures for 1951 show substantial contributions of scrap metal by Oak Ridge Carbide installations and a general increase of other UCC units in their scrap sales in 1951 over previous years.

During 1951 the three Carbide plants in Oak Ridge sold a total of approximately 3,439 gross tons of scrap metal. This included 557,708 pounds of copper, 6,560,512 pounds of the all-important scrap iron, 322,829 pounds of stainless steel and 263,706 pounds of brass. This totaled 7,704,755 pounds.

The Oak Ridge figures exceeded the total of three other Carbide plants—Texas City, Institute, W. Va., and South Charleston, W. Va. From those Carbide units a total of 3,237,100 pounds, or 1,445 tons, were sold.

This campaign for scrap metal, particularly steel, is the result of the increased demand for steel for military and civilian uses. For

every two tons of new steel produced steel companies estimate that they need one ton of scrap.

Y-12ers and employees of other Carbide installations in Oak Ridge have been cooperating in the successful Union Carbide campaign to get all available scrap on its way back to the steel mills. By so doing Carbide employees are greatly aiding in the defense efforts of the nation—in addition to the many government projects on which they are working.

In Y-12 the salvaging of scrap has been efficiently conducted for a number of years—as it has in other Oak Ridge Carbide units. Obsolete, damaged or worn items have been carted off to the big warehouse near Elza Gate for consignment to dealers and mills where the scrap can be put to the best use—and the efforts to keep scrap metal moving are still going on.

A substantial collection of valuable scrap metal was made in Y-12 during Clean-Up Week.

So it can be seen that Carbide is still in the scrap—not so much for the gold in the scrap piles—but for the support of the country.



## Three Accidents In Late April Swell Y-12 Total

**Lost Time Disabilities  
Held Preventable; Year's  
Score Boosted To Five**

Three more accidents involving Y-12ers that resulted in loss of time from work were reported in quick succession the latter part of April to threaten the good plant safety record started during the first quarter of the year. These mishaps, added to a lost time accident reported April 7, brings the total of such accidents to five for the year to date. Only one lost time accident was reported for the first three months of 1952.

### Accidents Were Preventable

Case information received by the Safety Department indicated each of the three accidents occurring during the latter part of the month were preventable and resulted from a lack of observance of safety procedures. The disability suffered by one of the three followed failure of an employee to report an apparent minor burn injury to the Medical Department with the result that an infection developed that sent the employee to the Oak Ridge Hospital.

Here is the Safety Department description of this mishap:

"On April 10, a welder from Dept. 2003 (Maintenance Shops) burned left elbow from a hot weld spark. The employee did not report the injury to the Medical Department or Supervision. On April 18, 1952, while working on a weld table with a millwright, the employee was doing work with right hand with left arm resting on the weld table when the millwright hit weld table with a heavy hammer, causing aggravation to the previous injury. The employee did not report this incident until two days later when his arm began to hurt with a serious infection. He will be absent from work for a few days."

### Using Short Cut Costly

Use of a short cut instead of established roads and sidewalks brought a strain injury causing lost time in another of the late April accidents. The Safety Department report says:

"On April 24, 1952, a chemical operator in Dept. 2617 (Administrative Product) but assigned temporarily on a loan basis to Dept. 2108 (Health Physics) was taking a short cut across a ditch and open lot rather than to go a further distance around by way of a road and sidewalk. The employee's left foot apparently turned or gave way, causing the employee to jerk or twist left side."

A safety meeting called soon  
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## Danish Scientist To Talk At Seminar Meeting Today

Y-12 technical and scientific personnel interested in meetings of the Oak Ridge Physics Seminar have been notified of a change in the usual meeting time of the group this week. The weekly meeting is scheduled for 4 o'clock this afternoon, Wednesday, May 7, in the East Lounge of the Ridge Recreation Hall, instead of Friday.

The speaker this week will be Dr. Yorgen Koch. He is from the Universitets Institut for Teoretisk Fysik, Copenhagen, Denmark. His topic will be "Mass Spectroscopic Separation of Noble Gas Isotopes."

## More Than 20 Youngsters Of Y-12ers In Recital Cast

More than 20 young daughters of Y-12ers are cast in a dance recital to be given Saturday and Sunday, May 10 and 11, by students of the Dana Estabrook Dancing School. The recital will be presented at 8 o'clock Saturday night and 2:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the civic auditorium in the Oak Ridge High School.

The recital is being sponsored by the Oak Ridge Junior Chamber of Commerce with proceeds going to the youth welfare and Boy Scout fund of the Jaycees. Admission will be 35 cents for children and 75 cents for adults at both performances.

Jerry Goldberg, of the ANP Division in Y-12, is the Jaycee chairman in charge of arrangements for the recital.

## Daughters Of Y-12 Dads Win Scholastic Honors In Competition; Joan Upchurch Gets Art Scholarship, Nancy Croft Third In Bee

Two Y-12 dads last week were mighty proud of the scholastic accomplishments of their young daughters. One of them won a four-year collegiate art scholarship and the other finished third in a group of 26 entrants in the Southern Appalachian Spelling Bee at Knoxville.

The winner of the art scholarship was Joan Upchurch, 17, step-daughter of M. R. Skidmore, of the Y-12 Isotope Research and Production Division. The scholarship at Wesleyan College, Macon, Ga., is worth \$300 per year for a four-year course. She will enter the institution—the oldest women's college in the country—in the autumn.

Joan, a senior at Oak Ridge



Joan Upchurch Nancy Croft

Picture of Miss Upchurch courtesy of The Oak Ridger. Picture of Miss Croft courtesy Knoxville News-Sentinel.

High School, won the honor with a sketch of a five-inch vase, completed in five minutes. She has done considerable sketching with

pencil and charcoal at school. Born in Burkesville, Ky., she first went to school in New York City where her father was stationed at Columbia University in the early days of the atomic energy program. She came to Oak Ridge with her dad in November, 1944, and entered Elm Grove School.

In high school circles Joan is active as a member of the student council, is band sponsor, member of the Penguin Club and secretary of her class room. She has studied art for three years under Irvin Gross.

Her mother is a teacher at the Pine Valley School.

Nancy Croft, 13, daughter of C. R. Croft, of the Materials Chemistry Division, took third place in the Knoxville spelling contest and a \$10 cash prize. She was pitted against the leading spellers in the Southern Appalachian area and lasted 24 rounds before dropping out on the word "amortization." Winner of the contest was Shirlene Rogers, 13, of Knox County, and second place went to Ben Brabson, 12, of Sevier County. The winner will receive a trip to the national spelling contest in Washington and an encyclopaedia set.

Nancy is in the eighth grade at Jefferson Junior High School and has compiled an excellent scholastic record. She plans to enter Oak Ridge High School next autumn.



Clarence Johnson, of Safety, and his wife, Elizabeth, of General Administrative, accompanied by Winnie Miller, of Personnel, and Miss Marion Gaul, of Knoxville, motored down to Miami, Fla., last Friday p. m. They planned to stay in Miami until Tuesday and then fly over to Jamaica for the remainder of their two weeks of vacation.

Wilma Miller, of Research Engineering, flew to Atlanta, Ga., over the week end to visit friends there.

G. J. Angele, of Y-12 Engineering; and W. C. Tunnell, ANP Division; commander and past commander of the Oak Ridge Power Squadron; were week-end visitors in Charleston, S. C., April 26. They were dinner guests of Adm. William O'Reagan, commander of the Atlantic Mine Craft Forces, when the admiral received word of the sinking of the minesweeper Hobson in the Atlantic, costing 176 lives. The Y-12ers also visited Charleston Power Squadron members . . . J. Clyde Bowles and Mrs. Bowles had her father, Lea King Donaldson, of Morristown, visiting recently.

Edith Scott, of the Laundry, is enjoying a two-week vacation at home in Knoxville . . . The department extends sympathy to Daisy Renner whose sister, Mrs. Liddie Widener, died last week in Straight Creek, Ky. . . Get-well

wishes go to Ann Kennedy who was off ill last week.

Norma Mayes, of the Fire Department, spent last week in Arizona, visiting a relative who is ill.

W. R. McGill and his wife spent a recent week end at Fort Benning, Ga., visiting her brother, Sgt. Robert Leitch, who is in OCS training there. Sergeant Leitch has just returned from Alaska where he had been stationed.

E. A. Hauther, of the Manufacturing Offices, is vacationing at home in Knoxville, this week . . . Loretta Johnson spent last week vacationing at home in Clinton.

Unkindest remark of the week: Y-12er was enjoying a snack of a tepid carbonated drink and some Girl Scout cookies. The carbonated drink burped and backfired and the guy complained, "Why did they put so much yeast in those cookies?"

Wayne Groppe, formerly in Research Engineering, and son of Al Groppe, has been assigned to duty aboard the USS Delta, a naval attack repair ship, the Y-12 father was informed last week. Wayne's address is care USS Delta, AR 9, Div. 9, Fleet Postoffice, San Francisco, Cal.

J. H. Humphrey, of Utilities Maintenance, is off on a two-week vacation . . . E. M. Baird is vacationing this week.

Charles Baer, of Field Maintenance, with his wife and son, have returned from a week's vacation in Miami, Fla. . . Folks on vacation from the department—who didn't tell their reporter, C. Green, where they were going—this week are H. C. Laudermilk, C. A. Scarborough, L. A. Turpin, J. K. Olmsted, D. E. Lane and G. E. Berney.

B. F. Hope, of Property Sales, and his family visited his daughter in Evansville, Ind., while on vacation last week . . . Hazel Tompkins is vacationing at her home over in Foust Valley this week to be with her daughter, Lieut. Ruby Tompkins, who is home on a 15-day leave. Lieutenant Tompkins is stationed at Westover A. F. B., Chicopee Falls, Mass. . . Floyd McClure is vacationing at home in Kingston, this week . . . John Jenkins is doing some work on his home over at Kingston while on vacation this week . . . The department welcomes J. W. Stevison to their roster.

M. R. Redmon, of Tools, is vacationing for two weeks at home in Wartburg.

The Medical Department wishes a speedy recovery for Virginia Guetner's father who is a patient in the Oak Ridge Hospital. . . The department extends the best of wishes to Virginia Smith Key and for Frances Haase, who resigned last Friday.

Capt. Raymond Ledford, of the Guard Department, expects to get a lot of fishing done while on vacation this week . . . O. D. Cloyd and T. O. Scruggs are both on vacation this week . . . While E.



"GOSH, HE'S ALMOST AS big as me," is what little Nancy Whitson apparently is saying about the 12-pound bass caught by her dad, Bill Whitson, of Chemical. This is the first vacation picture handed The Bulletin this year — and just what the doctor ordered. You vacationers send us some more.



### HASTON - WILSON

Mrs. Lee Haston, of Cummingsville, Tenn., has announced the engagement of her daughter, Miss Margaret Louise Haston, to Charles A. Wilson, of the Y-12 Guard Department. A May wedding is planned.

Wilson is the son of Mrs. Estella Wilson, of Jefferson City, Tenn., and the late Major Charles Wilson.

The bride-elect is with the New Facilities Design Department of the Oak Ridge National Laboratory.

### MARSHALL-MESSENGER

The engagement and plans for marriage in the early autumn of Miss Barbara Marie Marshall, of the Y-12 Stores Department, to James Messenger, son of a Y-12er, has been announced by parents of the bride-elect.

Parents of the bride-elect are Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Marshall, of 108 Plymouth Circle, Oak Ridge. Marshall is with the K-25 plant. Messenger is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Messenger, 117 South Hickory Lane, Oak Ridge.

Both Miss Marshall and Messenger attended Oak Ridge High School. They plan to live in Oak Ridge after their marriage.



The following Y-12 employees were patients in the Oak Ridge Hospital last week: Roy E. Hale, Manufacturing Office; Earl W. Smith, Carl B. Bracht, Ray W. Presson, Othel W. Breedlove, Robert L. Loy and Kyle A. Boland, Administrative Normal; Clarence V. Taylor and Robert H. Bradshaw, Maintenance Shops; Mary B. Long, Health Physics; James S. Arrington, Chemical; William L. Harper, Analytical Laboratory; Arthur O. Phillips and Doyle A. Karraker, Stores; Frank M. Scheitlin, Isotope Research; Samuel E. Burkhalter and Harry L. Garrett, Field Maintenance; Edd Webber, Receiving and Shipping; Robert McKinney, Administrative Product.



Y-12 Photo By Vinc Moore

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THIS CUTE BUNCH OF YOUNGSTERS ARE MEMBERS OF the Mrs. Dana Estabrook Dancing School who will appear in a recital May 10, 11. Many of them are daughters of Y-12ers. Seated, from left, are Beryl Estabrook, Susan Stephens, Barbara Spangler, Tommie Sue Byrd, Debbie Sue Nichols and Barbara Stetson. Standing are Ginny Butler, Carol Livingston, Lou Roe, Frannie McCall, Claudia Plumlee, Helen Arnold, Glenda Jo Thomas and Jewell Ann Crocker. Missing Y-12 youngsters when picture was made were Dana J. Estabrook, Deborah Kaylor, Gwen Sue Griffin, Wynne Watson, Nancy Watson, Patty Kaylor and Carla Coley. Jack Estabrook, husband of Mrs. Estabrook, works in the Y-12 ANP Division.



Three Y-12ers were listed as parents of babies born recently at the Oak Ridge Hospital. Herman L. Fennell, Administrative Product, became father of a boy April 25. Wilburn D. Cunningham, Maintenance Shops, became father of a girl April 26. James C. Sharrock, Administrative Normal, became father of a boy April 26.

# RED BIRDS, ROBINS OPEN LOOP PLAY MAY 12-13



Y-12 Photo By Vince Moore

**WINNERS OF THE FIRST HALF OF THE SEASON IN THE D League of plant Bowlers, the Grocers, above, cross their fingers for luck as they are scheduled to meet the Toppers, second half victors, for the season's championship this week. Sitting, from left, are Don Ward, Ray Duckworth and Leland Mann. Standing are Brice Kinyon, Al Crindell and Lloyd Wilson.**

## Toppers Top Vectors For Last Half Title In D League; To Meet Grocers For Crown

The Toppers did just that—topped the Vectors for the championship of the second half of the season of the D League of plant bowlers last week. The last round titlists had plunged ahead for several weeks and gained a tie in the last night of the regular schedule. In the roll-off the Toppers took two straight from the Vectors, who had led the league for about a month.

## Controllers Clinch W Loop Runner Up Spot With Victory

The Controllers bowling team in the Women's League clinched second place in the final round of play and on the last night of the season by taking the loop championship Woes for a two out of three game victory. The Striketettes, tied with the Controllers prior to last week's bowling, dropped to third place when they were trimmed by the Kemps for two games. The Make Ups blanked the Mix Ups for three games to tie the Kemps for the fourth spot. The Hi Balls downed the Cracker Jax in the other league engagement.

Juanita Kirwan, rolling for the Controllers, contributed considerably to her team's victory by posting a 201 scratch game and 239 handicap game. Mary Brown, of the Make Ups, had the top series scores with a 482 scratch and 590 handicap.

The Kemps had the best team scratch scores of the night with a 731 game and 2040 series. The Hi Balls' 970 handicap game was tops as was the 2781 handicap series by the Make Ups.

The final standings for the second half of the season follows:

Team	W	L
Woes	31	17
Controllers	27	21
Striketettes	26	20
Kemps	24	24
Make Ups	24	24
Mix Ups	22	26
Cracker Jax	21	27
Hi Balls	17	31

## Y-12 Dodgers Plan Drills Thursday

Manager Leon T. Coleman of the Y-12 Dodgers, the crack plant Negro baseball team, has called the first practice session for his charges from 8 p. m. to 10 p. m. tomorrow night, Thursday, March 11. The drill will be held at the Gamble Valley park and all Y-12ers wishing to try out for the team are urged to be on hand.

The Dodgers last year has a splendid record, winning a great majority of their games by large margins. Although little opposition has been indicated from other Oak Ridge sources, Manager Coleman plans to organize his club to meet all comers.

By trouncing the Vectors the Toppers won the right to meet the Grocers, first half champions, in a roll-off for the season's championship. This match was scheduled to be rolled Tuesday night of this week. Winners of this engagement will meet the champions of the other three men's leagues for the plant title.

In their triumph over the Vectors the Toppers rolled scratch games of 782 and 832, boosted to 952 and 1002 with the team's 170 handicap. The Vectors posted scratch games of 715 and 646, which with a 234 handicap came to 949 and 880.

Individual scores for the Toppers were Tyree 200, 121; Hogg 121, 183; Wallace 150, 143; McGoige 145, 177; and Webber 166, 208. The Vectors scoring was Noey 145, 90; Hill 148, 153; Moynihan 106, 143; King 157, 124; and Smith 165, 136.

## Y-12 Slow Pitchers Practice Tonight; Open Slate May 21

Manager Elmore Koons' Y-12 slow pitch team will begin action at 6 o'clock tonight at the Middletown park with a practice game against the K-25 Pale Blues in preparation for opening the season on May 21 against the Oak Ridge Hospital. Another practice session is set for 8 o'clock next Wednesday night, May 14, when the Y-12ers will meet Oak Ridge National Laboratory.

Manager Koons has urged all Y-12ers wishing to try out for the slow pitch team to report for the practice games tonight and next Wednesday. The game is not quite as strenuous as the fast pitch game and offers a lot of fun to players not as agile as youngsters on the fast pitch outfit.

The Oak Ridge Slow Pitch League this year will be composed of eight teams with triple-headers scheduled each Wednesday night at Middletown. In addition to Y-12 teams will represent Management Services, Hospital, Atomic Energy Commission Employees Association, Jewish Congregation, Oak Ridge National Laboratory, Oak Ridge Institute of Nuclear Studies and K-25. The 1951 champions from the Recreation Department will play under the colors of Management Services this year.

Be alert at railroad crossings.

## Plant Softball League Support Urged Of Fans

### Second Week Of Play Opens Monday; Three Games Offered Nightly

The Y-12 Plant Softball League competition will roll into the second week of its three-week round robin schedule next Monday night, May 12, at Pinewood Park, home grounds for all league games this season. The round robin play has been arranged in order to divide the 15 teams originally entered in the league into two leagues to equalize play between the plant athletes. The division will be made on the won and lost record for the first three weeks of play.

The league schedule for the remainder of this week provides for triple-headers each night at Pinewood Park with games starting at 5:45 p. m., 7:15 p. m., and 8:45 p. m. Admission to all games is free and fans are urged to turn out to give vocal support to their favorites on the diamond.

The objective of the league, of course, is to provide recreation and fun for all employees of Y-12 with no premium being placed on the particular ability of any one player. In past seasons the Plant League competition has been keen with fine sportsmanship exhibited and indications point to the 1952 season being the banner one in the history of the plant.

Schedule for the week beginning May 12 follows:

- Monday, May 12**—5:45, Health Physics vs Rusty Nine. 7:15, Hobslurps vs Grocers. 8:45, Engineers vs UCJV.
- Tuesday, May 13**—5:45, Bums vs All Thumbs. 7:15, Bldg. 9211 vs 49ers. 8:45, Guards vs Bldg. 9212.
- Wednesday, May 14**—5:45, Grocers vs Sparks. 7:15, Engineers vs Duds. 8:45, Rusty Nine vs Short Circuits.
- Thursday, May 15**—5:45, UCJV vs Bldg. 9211. 7:15, Hobslurps vs Guards. 8:45, Health Physics vs Bums.
- Friday, May 16**—5:45, Short Circuits vs Duds. 7:15, All Thumbs vs Bldg. 9212. 8:45, Sparks vs 49ers.

## Turf Riders Climb To Top Of Golf Loop With Victory

The Turf Riders shot their way into undisputed possession of first place in the Y-12 Golf League last week with a two-point victory over the Fat Boys. Other triumphs, all by the same margin, were gained by the Rippers over Bldg. 9212, Grand Slammers over Four Woods, Eagles over Four 100s and the Rebels over Hooks. The Rebels are a new team in the circuit, filling out the vacancy that existed in the loop. Filmore Koons is captain of the Rebels, which will catch up on the schedule by meeting teams that previously had drawn byes.

The schedule of play for next week, beginning Monday, May 12, is Four Woods vs Rough Riders, Grand Slammers vs Rebels, Fat Boys vs Bldg. 9212, Rippers vs Eagles, Hooks vs Shankers and Turf Riders vs Four 100s.

In play last week Les Cater, Carl Dorr and Jake Birchfield tied for the top scratch individual score, each shooting a par 36. Ward Foster had a 33 handicap score for tops. The Eagles and Turf Riders tied at 171 team scratch score and the Eagles had a 146 handicap for tops.

League standing follows:

Team	W	L
Turf Riders	6	0
Rippers	4	0
Rebels	2	0
Grand Slammers	4	2
Fat Boys	4	2
Eagles	4	2
Shankers	2	2
Hooks	2	2
Four 100s	2	4
Bldg. 9212	0	4
Rough Riders	0	4
Four Woods	0	6

## Y-12 Netters Open Season; Drill Called

The Y-12 men's team in the Oak Ridge League were slated to begin competition for the season on Tuesday afternoon of this week against the Atomic Energy Commission Employees Association. The women's league has not yet been organized but an early meeting is expected to be called for this purpose.

The men's circuit is composed of teams from Y-12, AEC, Oak Ridge National Laboratory, and K-25.

Prospects for winning teams in both leagues are bright for Y-12, Nate Smith, Oak Ridge champion last season and one of the best netters in these here parts, will be the backbone of the team. Other capable tennis players expected to turn out for the squad include Fred Hurst, Jack Ransohoff, Vince Moore, George Wells, Charley Barton, Leland Mann, John Byrd, Francois Kertesz, Bill Davis, H. F. Ballinger and Tudor Boyd. All of these players and any new Y-12ers wishing to play with the team have been asked to report at the Jefferson courts at 5:30 o'clock Friday afternoon, May 9. At this time plans will be laid for a ladder competition to uncover the best players in the plant to play on the team.

Several of the women netters who brought the Oak Ridge title to Y-12 for the past two years are ready to go for the season. Included in the list are Mozelle Rankin, Virginia Coleman, Lovelle Thompson, Jeanne Rogers, Desma Hutcheson and Mary Freestone. An early announcement of plans for practice are expected for this group.

## Sportsmen Arrange Rifle Tournament, Fish Fry May 10, 11

Big doings are planned by the Oak Ridge Sportsmen's Association over the coming week end at the club grounds on the Turnpike west of the city limits.

The association will conduct its fifth annual small bore rifle tournament on Saturday and Sunday, May 10 and 11. Two Y-12ers, Harry Hoy, of Electromagnetic Research, and Bill Rathkamp, of Isotope Research and Production, will be chief range officer and statistical officer, respectively.

The first public fish fry of the season by the association will be held Saturday at the group's picnic grounds. Jim Rose, of Y-12, has tickets for the event and can be reached at plant telephone 7453, Bldg. 9739.

## Cooper Is Official Of Amvet League

Carl A. Cooper, of the Y-12 Personnel Division, has been elected secretary-treasurer of the Amvet Junior Baseball League of Oak Ridge for the coming season. William J. Ladniak, of Oak Ridge National Laboratory, is president of the circuit. The league expects to have eight teams composed of youngsters in the 12-19 year age group ready to begin the season about June 1. Games will be played at the Gamble Valley stadium.

Prof: "What is a paradox?"  
Stude: "Two doctors."

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## Mascot, C'ton Are Opponents At Middletown

### Attractive Out-Of-Town Slate Is Arranged For Y-12 Varsity Softies

The Y-12 Red Birds and Robins, plant varsity softball teams in the men's and women's divisions of the Knox-Ridge League, will formally open their loop seasons next Monday and Tuesday nights at Middletown park. The Red Birds will meet the Mascot nine in the circuit inaugural on Monday night and on the following night the Corryton lassies will travel to Oak Ridge to play the Robins.

Roy Roberts, 1951 manager of the Red Birds, will return to the helm of the club this season. In practice sessions to date the team has looked good and Manager Roberts expects it to make a good showing in the strong circuit this season. No pilot had been picked for the Robins up to press time of The Bulletin last week. The girls have assembled a strong aggregation this season and also should make a good showing.

Roy Roberts

Following the opening tilts on Monday and Tuesday, the first double header of the season is slated for Friday night, May 16, when the Y-12ers will take on their old rivals from K-25. The first game will start at 7:30 o'clock and the second at 9 o'clock.

In addition to the tough league schedule this season, the Y-12 Recreation Office has arranged an attractive slate of outside opponents for the season. Other games may be added as the season progresses to give the Y-12ers an opportunity to test their strength against top-notch foes and also to take some trips.

Here is the slate of games scheduled so far with outside teams:

May 10—Men and women at Canton, N. C.

May 17—Women at Athens, Tenn.

May 18—Canton, N. C., men at Oak Ridge, 8:30 p. m.

May 23—Peerless Mills, Rossville, Ga., men at Oak Ridge as part of double header. Y-12 women play Inskip (Knox-Ridge) at 7:30 p. m. Y-12 men vs Peerless at 9 p. m.

June 7—Men at Chattanooga, Tenn., vs Chattanooga Wreckers.

June 15—Athens women at Oak Ridge, 7 p. m., National Cash Register Co., Dayton, Ohio, men at Oak Ridge, 8:30 p. m., double header.

June 21—Chattanooga Wreckers, men, at Oak Ridge.

August 2—Men at Rossville, Ga., vs Peerless Mills.

## Y-12ers Will Sail Under New Colors

Y-12 sail boat enthusiasts who have been competing under the colors of the Oak Ridge Power Squadron in racing events on Ft. Loudoun Lake at Concord will be sailing under new auspices this year. The recently organized Concord Yacht Club will sponsor the summer series of races and has invited all Y-12 and Oak Ridge wind jammers to enter the events.

Two Y-12ers, George Lockhart and Dr. Charlie Winters, are members of the new club. These two and G. J. Angele, commander of the ORPS; and Bob Schroeder, of the ANP Division, are Y-12ers expected to enter boats in the races this summer. Lockhart is secretary of the new club.

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## The Great A-Bomb Robbery

# Truman Blanched With Horror When Told Of Fuchs' Work

This is the seventh article of an 11-part series telling the story of "The Great A-Bomb Robbery" by Soviet Russia.

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Harry Gold, the gentle-mannered atomic spy, used his hard-won vacation from the Pennsylvania Sugar Co., of Philadelphia, for his trip to Santa Fe, N. M., in June, 1945, to pick up priceless atomic information from Dr. Klaus Fuchs.

It was inconvenient for him, and costly, too, for the Russians never gave him enough to pay his expenses as one of their top couriers in this country. Gold willingly paid the rest, usually about half. That had been the case since he formed his alliance with the Reds.

If there was any distress connected with the Santa Fe trip it was financial, chiefly. Gold was short of funds, as usual, for he was a notorious "soft touch" around the sugar company laboratory where he worked.

Partly because of this financial limitation, and his inborn sense of covering his tracks, he trained by upper berth to Albuquerque, then took a bus from there to Santa Fe, arriving in that city Saturday, June 2, 1945, barely half an hour before the meeting which had been planned nearly half a year before.

As he stepped off the bus Gold, although earnestly acting in the interests of the Communist intrigue, made the costliest decision of his life. Fearful even to ask a passer-by how he might get to Castillo Street bridge, he dropped into a museum and, in the manner of a carefree visitor, picked up a souvenir map of Santa Fe. That map was to be his doom, a long time later.

### No Warning of Doom

But there was no warning of that doom at that time. Fuchs appeared on the bridge exactly on time, driving a battered Chevrolet coupe. He waved to Gold, who hopped in.

Fuchs was full of new information, written and verbal. A test of the A-Bomb, he reported, had been scheduled for the following month but he told Gold it was his personal opinion that the bomb would not be ready until some time in 1946. Many difficulties still had to be worked out. All these secrets he imparted to Gold, who happily returned them to New York, and "John." ("John" was Anatoli Yakolev, vice consul at the Russian consulate at New York and Gold's boss.)

### Last Meeting At Church

Fuchs and Gold had their final meeting on September 19, 1945, at the door of a church on the outskirts of Santa Fe. Fuchs was late. He had had trouble getting rid of several friends in the project. But he was jubilant.

He described to Gold the violence of the test of the first A-Bomb at Alamogordo, which he had witnessed along with some of the most respected scientists in the world—Conant, Fermi, Tolman, Lawrence, Bohr, Wigner, Kistiakowski, Szilard, Oppenheimer and others. He had miscalculated the efficiency of America's engineering and scientific personnel, he said, but was not unhappy about it. For he was in possession of all there was to know . . . and now Gold had it, written and verbal.

### Door Closed On Fuchs

At the end of their ride into Santa Fe, a cloud furrowed Fuchs' brow. Everything had gone well, he conceded, but there was a worry or two. The Americans, he said, were closing doors on him and other foreign physicists, now

the war was won. He would soon return to England, he reported.

Anyway, Fuchs shrugged as his meeting with Gold ended, he would remain loyal to Communism. He would continue to work on atomic matters and deliver whatever he learned. He asked Gold to arrange with his superiors to have a new courier (British) named to contact him.

### Recognition System Planned

The men agreed on a recognition system—as involved as the one by which they themselves had met and formed a union which changed the history of mankind.

This was it, according to Gold's subsequent testimony before he was given 30 years in prison:

"Beginning on the first Saturday of every month after it had been determined that Fuchs had returned to England, at a stop on the British subway Fuchs was to be carrying five books bound with strings and supported by two fingers of one hand; he was to be carrying two books in the other hand.

### Author Is Enraged

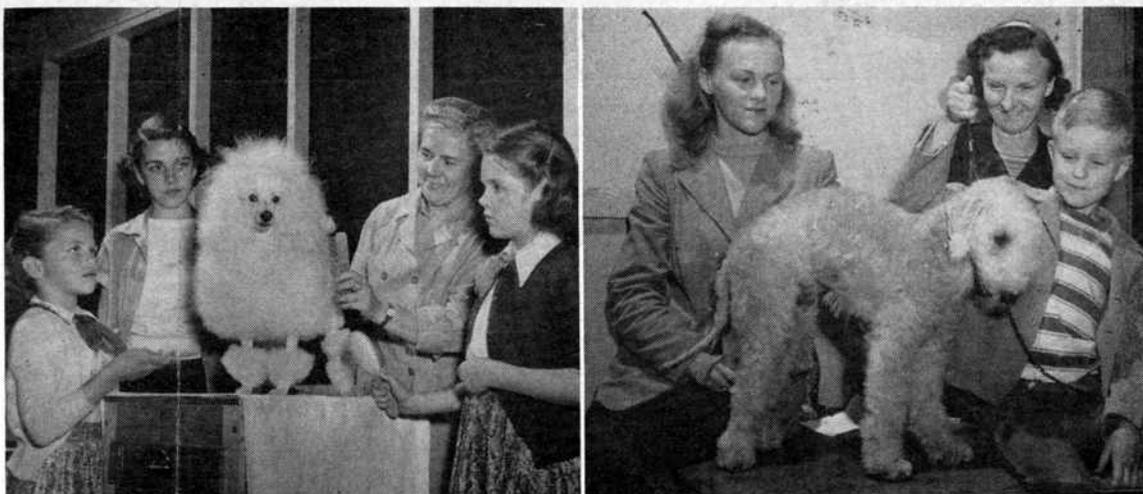
"His contact, whoever that would be, was to be carrying a copy of a Bennett Cerf book, 'Stop Me If You Have Heard This'."

This was testimony which later justifiably enraged Cerf, a respected United States publisher, on several counts. One was that he naturally was an innocent part to such a scheme, and another was that Gold misnamed one of his best sellers: "Try and Stop Me."

Fuchs and Gold parted, master and messenger in a catastrophic plot which, when its evil fruits were laid before the eyes of President Truman, caused the Chief Executive to blanch in horror.

### Public Will Never Know

The public has never been told—nor will it be told—just how much information Fuchs gave away. That it was an enormous amount was seen vividly on September 23, 1949, when President Truman announced that the Russians had successfully tested an A-Bomb—an event which such authorities as Lieut. Gen. Leslie R. Groves, who headed up the United States bomb effort, did not



SOME RATHER APPARENTLY PUZZLED YOUNGSTERS OF Y-12ERS PROBABLY ARE asking "So these are dogs, what?" as they inspect a couple of entries in the recent canine show staged by the Oak Ridge Kennel Club. At left three daughters of W. J. Ebert, Chemical, see what a real "poodle do" looks like as they look over an entry handled by Mrs. Phil Marsh, of Ft. Wayne, Ind. The little girls are, from left, Carol, Ann and Linda. Their dad is vice president of the ORKC. Young Bruce Anderson, son of Duane P. Anderson, also of Chemical, and his mother peer at a Bedlington handled by Mrs. Marie Holub, Miami, Fla., right. Bruce spent considerable time of late, while ill, in studying various types of dogs and was well acquainted with the types of entrants—enough to know that the pup wasn't "Mary's Little Lamb."

Y-12 Photos By Vince Moore

## Three More April Accidents Reported

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after the mishap strongly recommended that employees discontinue the practice of taking the short cut.

### Operation Recommended

In the last of the three accidents, the Safety Department reported:

"On April 28, 1952, a laborer and co-worker were loading a 75-pound crated line insulator on to a truck. Due to an awkward position and insufficient grasp on the crate, the employee sustained more than his equal share of the weight, causing severe pain in the abdominal region, resulting in a hernia. An operation has been recommended by a doctor. He will be absent for a few weeks."

The first April accident, on April 7, resulted when a rigger in Buildings and Grounds fell from a float truck, breaking his left wrist.

## Keglerettes Take Final Engagement

The Y-12 women's varsity bowling team closed out its season in the Oak Ridge City League last Thursday night by taking two out of three games from the Broad-acre Dairy lassies. The end of the season found the Y-12ers in fourth place with a record of 57 wins and 42 losses. The EAT team won the title with a mark of 79-20, Rickers was second with 78-21 and Norris Creamery third with 64-35.

In their swan song the Y-12ers dropped the first game by the narrow margin of 686 to 679 but rallied to win the next pair by 732-683 and 736-682. The Y-12 totals were 2147 to 2051 for the losers. Juanita Kirwan paced the winners with 146, 192, 157-495; followed by Margaret O'Neal 173, 149, 153 — 475; Betty Whitehorn 144, 143, 120-407; Ruby McGinnis 123, 121, 148-392; and Katie Williams 93, 127, 158-378.

## Fishing Licenses Expire On May 31

Y-12ers fishing for prizes in the Fishing Rodeo or the year long Fishing Contest—or just fishing—are reminded that their current state fishing licenses expire at midnight, May 31. New licenses may be purchased between May 15 and June 1. State authorities are planning a severe crack down on any violators of the conservation laws that require licenses to fish and hunt.

believe could take place until some time in the 1960's—if then.

(Next week: The man Harry Gold, his informant Sgt. David Greenglass, and the doomed Rosenbergs.)

## Rides Wanted And Offered

**Riders Wanted**—From Loudon or Lenoir City, straight day. C. W. Lunsford, plant telephone 7339.

**Ride Wanted**—From Wilder Place, East Knoxville, straight day. H. J. Nelson, plant telephone 7102, home telephone 2-5549.

**Riders Wanted, Or Will Join Car Pool**—From North and West Knoxville, two shifts, 7 a. m. to 3 p. m. this week and 3 p. m. to 11 p. m. next week. Ruth Huddleston, plant telephone 7436, home telephone 4-1184.



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Records, and her husband attended the May Day Festival at East Tennessee State College in Johnson City over the week end.

Health Physics extends congratulations to R. H. Tilley, who is the proud papa of a baby boy born April 28, in Harriman . . . A welcome to Sewell Howard, who has returned after an illness . . . Getwell wishes are extended to Mary B. Long, who was a patient in the Oak Ridge Hospital last week . . . Sandy Sanders and his wife are vacationing in Florida this week.

Harold B. Greene, of Isotope Research, and Mrs. Greene had as recent visitors her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Walker, and their three children from Grand Island, Neb. . . . W. R. Rathkamp has had his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Rathkamp, from Brooklyn, N. Y., visiting him here recently . . . A welcome back goes to Hugh Sadler, who has returned after a short illness.

Uranium Control and Computing welcomes Barbara Pullen to their roster . . . Flora Coefield spent the week end in Birmingham, Ala. . . . Christine McEvoy chose Myrtle Beach, S. C., for her vacation spot last week . . . Geneva Gearing flew out to San Diego, Cal., to visit her Marine husband, Paul, over the week end.

## Open Meeting Set Tonight By Instrument Society

An open meeting to which all Y-12 members and the public are invited will be held tonight, Wednesday, May 7, by the Oak Ridge Section of the Instrument Society of America. The meeting will be in the East Lounge of the Ridge Recreation Hall, starting at 7:30 o'clock.

Charles J. Swartwout, director of research for the company bearing his name at Cleveland, Ohio, will speak on "Electronic Transmission and Control."

## W. J. Stolp Retires; Wants To Live Nearby

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field was 110 yards long and we had three downs to make five yards."

He made his letter two straight years as left halfback on the Buckeyes.

Although an old timer in Y-12 himself, the senior Stolp was preceded to Y-12 by his son, W. J. Stolp, Jr., who came here in July, 1943, and left in October, 1945. The younger Stolp was in inspection work in the Beta building, Bldg. 9204-1. He now is with the Eastman Kodak Co., Rochester, N. Y. Stolp also has another son, Phillip, now with the Aero Products Co., Dayton, Ohio.

### Worked In Ceramics

After leaving Ohio State University the elder Stolp did considerable traveling in this country and in Canada on various jobs involving his college training in ceramics. His work carried him from Ludowici, Ga., to Des Moines, Iowa.; Detroit, Mich.; Alcoa, Tenn., and then Canada before he came to Y-12.

First on the agenda for the former Y-12er and his wife is a vacation trip to visit both of his sons and then begin the hunt for that homesite location in East Tennessee.

## Class B Softball Action Is Pending

Plans for action by the Y-12 Class B Softball team in the Oak Ridge City League will not be known until after an organizational meeting set for Tuesday night of this week at the City Recreation Department. Carl Yearwood, of that office, stated last week that eight or nine teams had expressed interest in the league and that at least six teams are expected to definitely enter the loop. Play may start in about two weeks after the loop is organized.

## Y-12 Keglers Clinch Second In League

The Y-12 men's varsity bowling team clinched second place in the Oak Ridge City League by trimming the third place Elks for three points in alley combat Monday night, April 21. The Y-12ers bagged a score of 891, 883, 980-2754; to 848, 902, 938-2718 for the Elks.

Jack Spears was the top pinman for Y-12 with 188, 199, 201-588; and was trailed by Len Hart 170, 143, 217-537; and Roy Roberts 199, 200-569; Frank Gragg 222, 170, 149-541; Ernie Cobble 177, 134, 172, 213-519.

Safety is ace high in life's game.