

# The Impeller

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A. R. Wilfley and Sons, Inc., Denver, Colorado

## LET'S ALL TAKE A BOW!

#### DORR-OLIVER INCORPORATED



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Mr. E. Tate, Sales Engineer
A. R. Wilfley & Sons, Incorporated
P. O. Box 2330
Denver, Colorado 80201

September 4, 1970

Dear Ed:

Re: Your <u>K-6726</u> K-7515

As you know, recently your plant manufactured and shipped to Holland for the Polimex Gdanske project replacement pump parts that were critically needed by our client. You also shipped a complete pump assembly to Ireland within three days to meet our requirement, which could be considered an unreasonable demand. In both cases your plant did not hesitate one moment to come to our assistance and went all out on a crash program basis to help us out of a predicament that could have caused serious strained relations with our customers.

In view of your personal attention and the excellent performance of your plant staff, we wish to extend our sincere thanks for a job well done. The time and effort spent by you and your Export Department to cut through the government red tape to obtain an emergency export license for the replacement parts going to Poland only indicates Wilfley's desire to help us at a time of grave emergency.

We are gratified to know that at times such as this we could depend on Wilfley as one of our major suppliers to understand our problem and realize the value of customer satisfaction. This line of thinking is appreciated and ultimately will strengthen our relationship and be to our mutual benefit.

Ed, it is always a pleasure doing busines with Wilfley, as you and your associates have always been willing and most cooperative in coming to Dorr-Oliver's assistance on more than one occasion and each time the result demands our compliments and thanks.

If you are ever in our area, please stop by to see us as we would welcome your visit and an opportunity to discuss future business.

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Best regards,

DORR-OLIVER INCORPORATED

Director of Purchasing

## WILFLEY PEOPLE

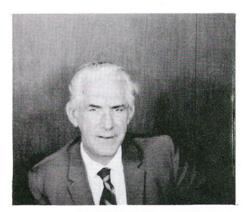
Congratulations to Wilfley employees celebrating 30 years with the Company: Harry Christensen, Leonard Forbes, Lulita Pritchett and Bob Wilfley. Congratulations to Jack Grimm on his 15th.



Harry Christensen



**Leonard Forbes** 



Jack Grimm

Sorry, but Miss Pritchett and Mr. Wilfley were not available for photographs at press time.

#### RETIRED

Ray Chacon - (Grinding Room)

Harmon Manning — (Plastics Dept.)

## YOUR PROFIT-SHARING PLAN TO RECEIVE SIXTH COMPANY CONTRIBUTION

December 5, 1970

A. R. Wilfley & Sons will contribute \$70,000.00 to your profit-sharing plan for this calendar year. The money will be paid over in early 1971. That's just over  $7\frac{1}{2}\frac{7}{9}$  of the total payroll covered and brings to \$402,000 the total contributed by the company. After payments to employees during 1970, and including the forthcoming company contribution, here's how the profit - sharing plan is putting its money to work today:

Chemical Fund, Inc.	\$104,705	
One Hundred Fund, Inc.	104,475	
Amber & Co., Ltd.	39,763	
Money Invested in the Stock Market:	(61%)	\$248,943
Standard Oil (N.J.) Bonds	88,000	
Company Contribution Payable	70,000	
Cash	530	
Money in Reserve:	(39%)	158,530
Total Money in Your Plan:	(100%)	\$407,473

Note: Since the investment funds themselves have modest cash positions, the total money in your profit-sharing plan is a little less than half in reserves, a little more than half in the market.

Investment work for the first eleven months of 1970 resulted in a loss in value of approximately 6%. This compares favorably to a loss of 18% for the averaged results of 505 mutual funds and a loss of 10% for the Standard & Poor's 500 stock average.

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"I'd like a stenographic position where spelling isn't too important."

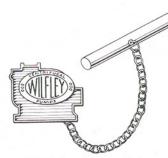
## **HOTLINE**

Anyone desiring additional education which would be beneficial in their work should solicit approval from management. If such approval is forthcoming, then the company will pay an amount to be determined by them to help with this education after the study or training has been completed. The amount to be paid will be based on the value and the degree of proficiency attained from the particular course.

In 1971 we will start awarding service pins to employees who have been with Wilfley over a period of years. Here's how it works:

- 5 years Gold Pin
- 15 years New Gold Pin with One Diamond.
- 25 years New Gold Pin with Two diamonds.
- 35 years New Gold Pin with Three diamonds.

You keep the original pin, get a new pin every 10 years, with a diamond. In other words, after 35 years, you have 4 gold pins and 6 diamonds!



Men's lapel pin or tie bar



## Orange Blossoms

A double ring ceremony by the Rev. Herbert Freiberg of Our Saviour Lutheran Church, Commerce City, Colorado, Saturday November 28, 1970, united Zach Cassidy and Mr. Paul Nichols. Zach has been employed by A. R. Wilfley and Sons, Inc. for approximately 7 years and Paul is assistant manager for Broomfield Lanes, Broomfield, Colorado.

### **NEW EMPLOYEES**



We omitted the name of our Southern Belle, Sherry Clark in the last Impeller. Sorry, Sherry.



Leslee Seese, a native Floridian is enamored with Colorado's spacious skies and rugged mountains. She said she would like the state a lot more if she could snow ski in her bikini. Editor: No comment.



John Wilfley is with us part time. We hear he is quite an assistant to the engineers. He also turns the girls on!

#### **HUMORESQUE**

The average teen-age girl, says the American Dietetic Assn., eats nine times a day.
And termites chew \$250,000,000 worth of damage to buildings in the U.S. every year.
The connection? Picture — if you dare — a 52" teen-age female termite. The mind beginner of the thought.

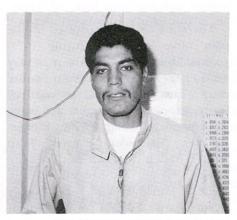
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Bernard Nuebel - Abrasion Test Plant



Jim Dennis — Plastic



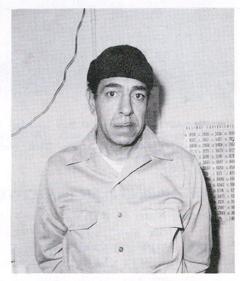
Tom Cisneros - Shipping



Jack Rickard - Machine Shop



Jerry Casson - Machine Shop



Eladio Perez - Grinding Room



Although Jim Studebaker is not a new employee, he is back among his friends in Denver. Welcome back Jim. He's latched on to Laura Aplin to insure that he will be put back on the payroll promptly.



The Woman's Lib Movement has invaded Wilfley! The gals in the office have been showing up Fridays in pant suits. The guys don't seem to mind it a bit. From left to right: Pat Wilson, Leslie Seese, Zach Nichols, Helen Harmuth, Eleanor Hill, Olivia Rukavina, Lee Dunahay.

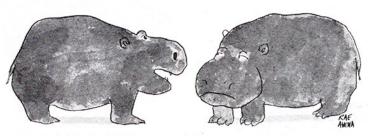
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through a two-year period during which the prices of all kinds of stocks have dropped way down. Those of you with payroll deduction plans have been able to buy stocks at prices not seen for many years. Don't get discouraged. The profit-sharing plan has come through these trying times in better shape than many investors.

The economic and business outlook is improving, very slowly it's true, but nevertheless improving. This is a time to be getting more enthusiastic about the prospects for stock prices, but not a time to be carried away by that enthusiasm. So, very gradually, the money in reserve is being decreased, and the money invested in the stock market is being increased.

There are 88 of you covered by the plan now. Sometime during 1971, your combined shares in the plan may well cross the half million dollar mark. That's important to you. Already, substantial amounts are being distributed. During 1970, Charles Heffner, Alexander Schaefer, John Baker, Arthur McAndrew, Wilhelm Jensen, Helen McSpadden, George Zellers, James Lenard and Nancy Deem shared \$29,521 in retirement benefits.



"Admit it! You married me for my body."

## Potpourri

Larry Edwards is expecting (Sometime)?? Frank Spicer told that he heard Lenard

Abote was going to transfer his boys to Northgleen High School. For reasons unknown to us.

We hear Gary DeGrofft has purchased a yeep. Some people have jeeps. Will Gary care to comment on this?

New Plant Committee members are: Ronnie Williams, Howard Holz, Howard Jones.

Grandpa Jack Oathout missed a couple of days. Something he lost. We hear Earl (Gums) Burnett found it.

Lee Dunahay just returned from a months vacation in Europe. Some people thought it a bit strange when she brought a pillow to the office to sit on. When asked why—she said, "Oh-La-La those Frenchmen"!



Man about town is our swinging bachelor Frank (Baldie) Farkel. He has been with the company but a short time and each day he "improves" himself. He supposedly has a way with the ladies. What's his secret? Editor: Geritol!

#### **SPORTS**

We understand Mickey Mouse is now wearing a Steve Tensi watch!

Steve Tensi Fan Club members: Jim Gill, Alan Ralston, Jack Whittier, Howard Holz, Ed Hamilton. \$5.00 to join, 50 points per game.

Frank Zagar bought a new bowling ball. The Grapevine says Loggie got something the same night. What was it Zach?

After having the Company Golf Trophy for two years, Frank Zagar will probably be delighted to give it to the new champion Dick Broom.

Congratulations to Bill Blackmon on winning the Company baseball pool.



Happy Holiday

