The Suggestion Box

Francis Wilson to Head Suggestion System

Climaxing eight weeks of negotiations, the signing of the new contractual agreements between the Company and the unions representing office, production, and maintenance employees. These new contracts are of a one-year duration and will be in effect until 31 October 1957.

The new contract encompasses changes in four provisions:

1. Death in Family: The time-off with pay has been extended to two (2) days. The day of the funeral and the day preceding the funeral are the two days for which the Company will pay for time not worked, provided they fall within the employee's regularly scheduled work week and are not holidays for which the employee is already being paid, at the rate of $13.60 per day.

2. Supplemental Vacation Pay: Effective January 1, 1958, employees with 17 through 19 years of service will receive two (2) extra days of vacation pay in addition to their two weeks of vacation. As was the case last year, the Company retains the right to have the employer take the extra day or days as vacation.

3. Cost Of Living: The cost of living provision was eliminated from these agreements. This means that no increases or decreases in the wage rates will take place due to changes in the Federal BLS Index. Increases or decreases that have taken place in the past are frozen into the wage scale and will not be decreased in the future, as a result of changes in the Federal BLS Index.

4. General Wage Increase: Effective November 4, 1957, a 5c general increase has been added to the wage scale of all North Adams production, maintenance, and office employees eligible for overtime.

In addition, to the contract settlement mentioned above, the Company has made known its intention to award the company $100 to any suggestion, no matter how small, that is submitted in time for the first day of the annual suggestion period which is October 1.

Federal Reserve Bank Plays

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Louis Ziter
Sports Reporter:

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A. Tiezzi Joins Field Engineering Staff

Anthony A. Tiezzi has joined the Field Engineering Department as product specialist on the paper and film dielectric capacitors. It was announced by Neal W. Welch, Vice President in Charge of Sales.

Mr. Tiezzi comes to Sprague from the Capacitor Department of the General Electric Co. at Hudson Falls, N. Y. He was connected with General Electric for 15 years in various engineering and sales posts before he joined Sprague. Among these were those of supervisor of sales on military capacitors and, more recently, product planning of the specialty capacitor section.

Mr. Tiezzi is a senior member of the Institute of Radio Engineers, a member of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers, and is a registered professional engineer in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

He is married to the former Marie E. Cronan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Cronan, 921 West Hoosac Street, Pittsfield, Mass. The Tiezzis have two children expected to move to the North Adams area in the near future.

Names in the News

Walter C. Lumbard, Research and Engineering, has been granted a U.S. patent on a new type of metallized capacitor. This capacitor is designed to show improved characteristics in high-line resistance and length of life when operated at temperatures up to about 250 degrees Fahrenheit.

Dr. Robert F. Felton, and Mr. Manuel Finkelson, Research and Engineering, were appointed recently as part-time instructors in the laboratory for freshmen and sophomores at Williams College. In return Williams makes available to Sprague, a master's degree program for students who hold bachelor's degrees.

Kenneth S. Brown, Manager of Public Relations, has been named adjutant of the 529th Air Force Squadron, Berkshire County unit of the Air Force Reserve. Mr. Brown is a first lieutenant.

Philip Talton, Traffic Manager, was recently named chairman of the pilot projects committee for the coming year, at a meeting of the Delta Nu Alpha Society of Traffic Managers.

Anita Espada, Tamahon, received a warm reception and requests for another visit from the patients at the Veterans Hospital in Northampton when she voluntarily entertained them with her singing and guitar playing.

Where Our Products Go

First to receive the Asian Flu Vaccine, under the Company sponsored program which took place this month, was Charles Oakley, Boilerhouse, Marshall Street. Dr. Heeks, assisted by Miss Owen and Agnes Castello, administered 415 shots the first day. (Right) Francis Brazeau, R & E, receives a certificate for completion of an ICS course in General Chemistry. Presenting the certificate is his section head, Walter Lamphier.

American Electronics has chosen Sprague components because of our reputation for quality, reliability and dependability, which is a result of your fine workmanship.

Pictured above is the main preamplifier deck of the Concentre Tape Recorder manufactured by American Electronics, Inc., of Los Angeles, California. This is a professional tape recorder used by broadcasting stations and recording companies who demand the highest quality recording.

American Electronics has used the following Sprague components: ten paper film capacitors, two DEF electrolytic capacitors, one DFP electrolytic capacitor and four disk ceramic capacitors. An "X" identifies our products.
Employe Service Honor Roll

20 YEAR
Albert Hamer
Lloyd King
Julius LePage
Ernest Mason
Ernest McNulty
Charles petrol
John J. Walsh

FIFTEEN YEARS
Leonard Ankers
Harry Arbour
Aida Arcadi
Beatrice Andlikan
Dorothy Bailey
Merida Baldassarini
Genevieve Baneirodi
Walter J. Barnes
Albert Barriere
Zenon Barry
Elizabeth Battersby
Walter Baumert
Alice Beauchamp
Clara Beauchamp
Hugo Begiebing
Celeste Beliveau
Mary Bennett
Dominic Bernardi
Marie Bisaillon
Ada Blais
Dominic Blais
Harold Bobi
Constance Boschi
Fred Boschati
August Boucher
Victor Boucher
Joseph Breida
Margaret Bridgman
Janet Bruno
Romero Brusatori
Mary Carnohan
Aldea Caron
Roy Caron
Ethel M. Carpenter
Jane Capiela
Lawrence Clark
Lila Clark
Florence Clement
Edward Clifton
Antoinette Connell
Harriett Conroy
Catherine Coody
Agnes Castello
Gladys Congedo
Elizabeth Coulter
Rose Coyne
Marie R. Cazzaglio
Mary C randall
Myrtle Croft
William Cronant
Helen Catler
Z. Francis Czerwinski
Naji Davis
Beatrice Day
Edith Dean
Berta Druceau
Frances Delisle
Beatrice Dernery
Clifford Dominichini
Anna Downey
Joseph Downey, Sr.
Rudolph Drobiak
Julia Duffy
Evangeline Dupuis
Harvey Durand
Jesse Dziugiel
Ruth Edmonds
Harley Embry, Sr.
Alice Evans
Robert Fairbanks
Agnes Fitzgerald
Helen Foote
George F. Forgo
Donald Fortini
Ethel Fosser
Leah Garnache
Vida Garnar
Diane Garnar
John Garner
Howard Gnau
Iza Gaau
Minnie Geddes
Florene Germain
Catherine Glidtou
John Gilford
Robert Geoffrey
Hazel Goodel
Rose Gravel
Harry Haddid
George Hall
James Harrington
Florence Harris
Anna Heath
Mildred Heath
Agnes Haughton
Nasyr Hurley
Howard Isherwood
William T. Isherwood
Joseph Jannamalo
Elizabeth Jangrow
Arline Jellers
Raymond A. Johnson
Maudie Jones
Georginae Joy
Johanna Kayser
Mildred M. Kearns
Daniel Kelly
Lucy Kenney
Richard Kenyon
Eva King
Dora King
Roma King
Anna Kirby
Eva Lapine
William E. Lesure
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Raymond Lucier
Josephine Magin
Creda C. Magnani
Lorraine MacKay
Anna C. Malloy
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Dorothy Marlow
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Alice Maselli
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Mabel Maxwell
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Yvonne R. Perrins
Ruth Peterhaal
Esther Peters
Harold Peters
Anne Peterson
Jennifer Pike
Adrian J. Poiet
Angelina Pontier
Daniel Primmer
Dorothy Pringle
Arthur Racette
Norman Remillard
Forest Mc Lain
Allan McPherson
Ladile Morgansi
Sadie Merrick
Fred Miller
Norman Miller
Rita Morrisey
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Eva Murach
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Frances Roy
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Francis Royal
Paul Sanford
Nicola Sanzi
William Schink
Paul Schuster
Catherine Scott
Doris Servins
Colia Shanahan
Margaret Sherry
Dorothy Short
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Marshall Street Memories

Shipping

by Lois Yaden

Peggy Lee recently spent a week-end in New York City shopping and visiting friends. She had a grand time. We were all happy when a former co-worker, Ruth Livey, stopped in for a visit recently. She is a stewardess for Capital Airlines. . . .

Ask Ernest Gregory why he was so glad when his beautiful daughter, Loretta, moved to New York. It's a hectic weekend taking care of two lovely boys, Eric and Arne! . . . Alfred Bourke attended the Military Ball recently at the National Guard Armory. Betty O'Dell is all settled in her apartment on Marietta Street. We were in rapt attention for Halloween in the Shipping Department. Who is the girl with the long, long hair who scared Al Bourke? . . . .

Our capacitor's looking good. Eleanor, Irene and Dot. of their great-niece, Robin Marie (LoPresto) attended the christening of their great-niece, Robin Marie. . . .

Also on October 20th. . . Also on the “sick” list this month was Ken (Doc Haskins, Geary, who is now fairly recovered. Ken (Doc Haskins, that is) had his hands pretty full ad- dressing his patients this month. . . .

The gun is a gift from her ‘dear’. . . .

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Dip and grind sand they’re covered Then form and fire your Good Form, rinse and dry again.

This operation’s steady.

Aquadag and screwup them by Gladys and her partner Dick Next we cut and flat Then sandblasted real quick.

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With Elise welding leads to cans You’ve next Production’s job.

Before we end this poem Congratulations, strong but quick To the engineers that made it Don, Tom and Dick.

Sprague International, Ltd.

by Scott F. Lombard

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Executive Offices

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Building 7 Offices

by Selma Sabin

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by Edwin Brush and Helen Zabek

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1. (Left) Captain M. D. Mathews and Commander K. G. Cady recently inspected the Navy Department. Pictured with them are Wilfred Johnson, Katherine Ravizza, Olive Bourdon and Elizabeth Duquette. Back row: Harold Tourje, Walter Clark and Raymond Stefans.

2. (Right) The process of eating a steak was demonstrated at the recent supervisor’s dinner by (right to left): Howard Sherman, Production Engineering, Marshall Street; Jimmy Dean, Paper Ignition, Beaver Street, and Elton Houghtaling, Metal Clad Tubular Finish, Beaver Street.

1. Pat Trzcinski, Dry Tubular Finish, demonstrates her job to members of the Colorado exchange group during their recent visit.

2. Joel Pierce, new president of the Sprague Management Club, congratulates Livingston Rice on his appointment as treasurer. Looking on are Alfred Loo, new vice-president, and Joseph O’Brien, new secretary.

3. Dick Donovan (left) Chicago White Sox pitcher, and Dale Long, of the Chicago Cubs discuss the evening’s program with Lou Ziter (centre) new LOG Sports reporter. Scene is the last Management Club dinner.

1. Arlene Judge, Employee and Community Relations, was crowned queen of the Fall Foliage Festival for 1957. Clare Pedercini, second left, of Field Engineering was selected as a member of her court. Other members of the court are: Janice Kerr, Ann Slattery and Yvette Pepin.

2. The Sprague Electric Management Club entry in the recent Fall Foliage parade was a float which paid honor to the Championship Babe Ruth team which the Club sponsored. The float was a dugout in which members of the team were sitting.

LOG Banquet Enjoyed By 100

The lights and howls coming from the north side of the city on the night of October 23 were just part of the gaiety enjoyed by nearly 100 LOG reporters and their guests.

Each year the LOG holds a banquet for its reporters to thank them for a job well done. The evening began with the usual social hour, at which corsages were presented to the ladies, some of who were content to gaze at Sputnik.

Paul Fern, Sales Administrator, did a delightful job as Master of Ceremonies. He introduced the guests of the evening including Mr. Julian K. Sprague, President, who provided some stiff competition in the humor department.

This year’s entertainment proved to be a highly enjoyable take-off of “Arthur Godfrey’s Talent Scouts” with Paul Fern serving as Arthur Godfrey. The talent was sponsored by “Spragate, Spragolive and Spreter, World’s Largest Manufacturer of Electronic Beauty Aids”.

Two cash awards of $15 and $10 were established for the best departmental news column. The first recipient of these awards were Janice Harriman, Advertising, Marshall St., who received first prize, and Suzette Lemieux, Sprague International, Marshall St., second prize.

Justine Miner, formerly of Pulse Transformers, Beaver Street, was the honored recipient of the door prize. The prize was introduced as a gift from one of our customers, and bore TV printing. However, after wading through many, many boxes, it turned out to be a bottle of champagne. In any event, Justine Miner was highly pleased for she exclaimed, “It’s the first thing I’ve ever won in my life!”
P. F. Oven and Cover Assembly

E. F. Dash

Catherine Cookey is back after being out ill. We're glad you're well and feel much better. Your face looks the way Catherine wishes to thank every- one for the many cards and telephone calls she received while she was in the hospital. Eleanor Albin is also back after a second hip operation this month, going to Europe. Our department is still having vacations. Our foreman, Frank Gantner and George Bevly, enjoyed their last weeks of vacation this past month.

Emma McCuen and Marie Marcum, who spent their last weeks of vacation in New England, have come up and met them someday please.

F. P. Assembly

By Grace McCallum

Jim and Dorothy Maglin and your truly spent a lovely day viewing the foliage around Cape Cod and having tea around a tent fire. Even the weather co-operated. Ri Cooper and family had a very nice weekend on the 19th of October when they visited relatives in Providence, Rhode Island. Hazel Russell spent the same weekend in Manchester, New Hampshire. Dorothy Maglin went to Cape Cod on her birthday and had a very nice weekend in New York. Jim and Dorothy Maglin and your truly spent a nice weekend in New York.

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Western Electric and Miscellaneous Drys Test and Ship

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visor while Steve was away. Nice going Art... From all of us at all of our communities, we wish you all the best of wishes for a Happy Thanksgiving.

Network Rolling

by Millie Conroy

Here it is news time again. Where does the time go? Helen Williams has had a hectic month. One night recently, she bought pork chops for supper. When she got home, she went to investigate a noise she heard in the yard, leaving the pork chops on her porch, and when she came back all she found was the dog and the pork chops' wrapper. Oh well, they were eggs at her house anyway. That should have been enough, but when she went to sleep that same night, she thought that a bomber must have gotten loose in her room. It turned out that a fly had landed in her house. She tried to drown it by putting water in the ear. She finally had to go to the doctor and after much conversation, she persuaded him really was a fly in her room. It was lucky she was able to get it out.

Joe Mazzu sure felt bad does Tubby Bianchi take of this issue is The 864 question will be here before the holidays. It is a very serious affair, and everyone had a good time. Incidentally, Eil surprised us all by getting her driver's license recently. Observing satellites can become a full-time profession, I worry about them. Ask Ann Farin, who won one out her husband to lunch with her and asked him two days later if he was all right. The next thing she knew, she was sitting in a dump of hardrock.

Ghosi Town with the layoffs. By Don, I In Shea and Evelyn Davis sure looks Peggy. It was a big 'hello' and formal affair, and everyone had a good time for sure the date is August 6th, the day we send out best of good wishes to you, we send out best of good wishes. (Who picks on whom?)... Birthday treat. The food was delicious, and the puns and accompanying stories such as the serving of the flaming word steak was certainly something to see. We all feel rather pleased. Let's do it again sometime, girls... We're pleased to tell you that Emma has behaved very well all this month... We're pleased to tell you that Emma has behaved very well all this month... 

Cold there, 28° below zero. He spent a hectic month. One night he turned out that a fly had landed in his yard, leaving the pork chops on his porch. He bought pork chops for supper. When he got home, he went to investigate a noise he heard in the yard, leaving the pork chops on his porch, and when he came back all he found was the dog and the pork chops' wrapper. Oh well, they were eggs at his house anyway. That should have been enough, but when he went to sleep that same night, he thought that a bomber must have gotten loose in his room. It turned out that a fly had landed in his house. He tried to drown it by putting water in his ear. He finally had to go to the doctor and after much conversation, he persuaded him really was a fly in his room. It was lucky he was able to get it out.

Bissaillon how to sew on buttons? Florence Carsno on her 33rd wedding anniversary which she will celebrate on October 7. 1957. We wonder if Emma Alongi will finish her afghan. How long has it been, Emma? Since you started it? Congratulations to Peg Des-
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**Sports . . .**

by Lou Ziter

**Control Lab Cops Championship Trophy**

The 1957 inter-plant softball league event came to an official ending with the annual softball banquet at Peter Dunks. An estimated 150 players, coaches, and guests were on hand. Principal speaker for the affair was Dale Lessig of the Chicago Cubs baseball team. Dale was introduced to the gathering by Bev Buller, sports commentator for WMIB.

In his talk, Dale gave a brief summary of the team he plays for and related a few incidents that occurred during the year. He also told of his experiences with some of the players on the Chicago Bears professional football team. After his talk, a question and answer period was held. Dale also autographed two baseballs followed by the election of officers for next year. The outcome of the election was that it was voted to continue in office the present slate of officers.

**Softball Leaders**

Batting: H. Saunders, 623; Can Shop; Roots G. Champion, 24; Supervisors; Hits: H. Saunders, 25; Can Shop; Doubles J. McClean, 5; Machine Shop; G. Champion, 7; Supervisors; Triples: P. Sprague, 4; Machine Shop; Home Runs: 12; Machine Shop; RBIs: P. Powell, 21; Management; Stolen Bases: H. Pappoza, 5, Management; Strike Outs: C. Mulcahy, 96, Control Lab; Pitching: C. Mudayke, 10-2, Control Lab.

**Western Electric and Sprague Keys Hold Bowling Leads**

The men's bowling league is off to another hearty contested season with interest very keen. Each contest is decided by good bowling, accompanied by some good-natured ribbing. This year the league is composed of 13 teams which bowl on Wednesdays and Thursdays at the Olympic Alleys.

Last year's champions, the Western Electric team, are again the hottest team in the league. As of November 1st, they were leading the league with a 1.5-0 record and showed no signs of weakening. Running a close second is the maintenance team with an impressive 1-1-1 record. When these two teams meet not only will the pins take a beating, but the crown of league leadership will be at stake.

The competition is keen in the women's league with the Sprague Keys, under the able leadership of Mrs. Morandi, bowling a 28-0 record. Trying to overcome them desperately but with difficulty is the Western Electric team with a 24-4 record. Edith Jenner, of M.C. Tape team, tied with Jerry Macchia for high batting average amongst all players.

The 1957 Softball Executive Board who were elected at the recent softball meeting, are again in office the present slate of officers. The outcome of the election was that it was voted to continue in office the present slate of officers.

Mr. Jack Washburn, Director of Personnel, presents the runner-up trophy to Elton Houghtling for the Supervisors team.

**Sports Quiz**

by Lou Ziter

Test your sports knowledge and grade yourself as follows: 0-2 poor; 3-6 average; 7-8 superior; and 9-11 very superior. Grade yourself three points each for questions number three and seven, all others one point each.

1. Who scored four touchdowns in the first twelve minutes against Michigan in the Illinois-Michigan game of 1929?
2. What college football team played in three bowl games in 1948 winning them all?
3. What were the three bowl games question number two is referring to?
4. What baseball player has the highest lifetime batting average amongst all active players?
5. Who has appeared in fifty-four World Series baseball games, which is an all time record?
6. Against what major league team did Bob Feller pitch his first no hit in 1938?
7. What three major league teams were victims of Bob Feller's no-hit games, thus making him and Cy Young the only two major league pitchers to do such a feat?

(Answer: Bottom Col. 5)

**J.D. Notes**

**Going My Way**

Merle Andrews and Charles Gray Helen Zak and Walter Tatro, Jr. Marge Towslee and Ernest Roberts

**Anniversaries . . .**

Oct. 8, Joanne V. Brooks and Walter W. Piknikl

Sept. 14, Carolyn Kendrick Lamouroux and Henry H. Chafeaux

Sept. 14, Cynthia Ann Tovani and Lawrence V. Rosenburg

Sept. 14, Carol Ann Luczynski and David L. Rohane

Sept. 14, Beverly J. Dodge and Robert L. Lamoose

Sept. 14, Dorothea J. Sartori and Donald W. Markland

Sept. 15, Shirley Jean Godfrey and Howard Le

Sept. 21, Joan V. Brooks and Walter J. Mikounias


**Friendship . . .**

by Mollie A. Taft

(Small Order and Samples)

Friendship is what you value No matter who you are. A friend in need is a friend indeed Whether you travel near or far. There are friends you can trust And friends who are unjust Be a reason or a word that is spoken. When someone just fooling Or be a premise truly broken. Your friendship no longer is valued. So with always remember wherever you are, Don't judge by anyone's outer wear. Just remember and just live. You'll never be missing friendship for the rest of your years.

**Happy Birthday...**

Nov. 1 Barbara Campbelli 2 Fred Suthers 3 Lecia Williams 4 Jane Boucher 5 Dick Maynard 6 George Sandbury 7 Jackie Makovitzew 8 L. Roee Burdick 9 Lee Richard 10 Irene Fuller 11 L. Roee Richard 12 Erna Michalski 13 Ada Dias 14 Harry Haddad 15 Claire Daniels 16 Yvonne Fountain

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**Something Extra for Christmas**

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**Rainer Zuber, Research and Engineering, is shown proudly displaying the 477 pound female blue-fin tuna he and three companions hauled after a vicious fight of 42 minutes in the internationally famous tuna fishing grounds at Wedgeport, Nova Scotia.**

is happy... It's been hello and goodbye for just a short time to Jeannette Cary. It was nice while it lasted, Jeannette... Welcome to Rose Canton, Elinor Charbonneau and Vic Delisle. Hope you enjoy working with us... Remember folks, stay away from Brigue (the flu). Take it from me who knows.

**The 1957 softball league championship was won by the Control Lab. Team members are—first row (left to right): Arthur Racette, Jim Lynch, Verne Durouch (coach), John Kelly and Bill Gaffey. Second row (left to right): Charles Mulcahy, L. Ray Vividale, Pat Torchia (manager), Ed Sprague and Joe Cusen.**
There is much to be thankful for ... and now is the time to count our blessings and be glad.

Perhaps we should first be thankful that America was discovered ... and that its growth and expansion has been the result of the determination and courage of the people of many lands.

We should be thankful that the early Americans valued liberty and individual freedom so much that the laws they established still protect those things.

We should be thankful that our laws allow us to be loyal Americans while still respecting the customs and religions of our forefathers.

We should be thankful for the history of millions of Americans of many races, creeds and colors living in harmony together ... making our country the greatest and most prosperous in the world ... yet able to remember the source of our blessings and willing to share them with less fortunate peoples of the world.

We should be thankful for these things because they prove to the world that our proposals for peace in the world are not based on impractical dreams ... being rather an offering of our own experience to others.

Our prayers at Thanksgiving Time will be most appropriate when they are prayers for Peace and continued plenty for all.