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G. W. RICHARDS
40 Years' Service

Across the Monongahela river from what is now the Homestead (Pa.) Works of the Carnegie-Illinois Steel Corp., George W. Richards started to work as a rigger on April 30, 1904 at the Carrie furnaces. In 1906 he entered the machine shop to learn the trade which he has been actively engaged in ever since. With the exception of 29 months in the Homestead machine shops, Mr. Richards worked at the Carrie Furnaces from 1904 until he transferred to the Torrance Works machine shop on May 18, 1943. Columbia's new 40-year service medal was presented to Richards last week.

Chess Club Holds Contest

The San Pedro Chess club has extended an invitation to all its Torrance members to participate in a tournament now under way. Secretary F. Cadless, stated recently. The club meets every Wednesday evening from 7 to 10 at the Anderson Memorial Playground, Ninth and Mesa streets in San Pedro.

The tournament will end April 21 with the presentation of a trophy to the winner.



(Columbia Steel, Torrance Works photo)
C. C. SHANER
Wins 30-Year Service Pin

On Nov. 16, 1915, Charles C. Shaner, entered Leechburg (Pa.) Works of the American Sheet and Tin Plate Company as opener in the sheet mill department. A native of Allegheny Township, Pa., Shaner graduated from the Leechburg High School in 1913. Upon the dismantling of the Leechburg Works Shaner was transferred to the Torrance Works of the Columbia Steel Company and began work in the sheet mill department on Sept. 5, 1933, and is presently an opener. Shaner was presented with the new Columbia Steel 30-year award last week.



(Columbia Steel, Torrance Works photo)
MCCUNE J. BEALE
Thirty-five Years of Service

On June 1, 1912, M. J. Beale began his United States Steel career at the Leechburg Works of the American Sheet and Tin Plate Company, where he worked until the plant was dismantled. He was transferred to the Torrance Works on Sept. 5, 1933 and is now hot mill turn foreman in the sheet mill department. Beale was presented with the new Columbia 35-year service award last week.

(Columbia Steel, Torrance Works photo)
J. O. ANDERSON

J. O. Anderson's career with United States Steel Corporation started Nov. 14, 1915 in the sheet mill department of the Guernsey Works of the Carnegie-Illinois Steel Corporation where he was a roller, doubler and catcher. On March 8, 1933 he began work in the sheet mill department of the Torrance Works and is presently a back table operator in the 3-B mill.

Anderson received the new Columbia Steel 30-Year award last week.

PAUL L. WINGET PROMOTED BY SANTA FE LINES

Appointment of Paul L. Winget (816 North Palm, Whittier) as assistant division freight agent for Santa Fe Railway at Los Angeles, was announced by Guy L. Goin, freight traffic manager for the railroad's Coast Lines.

Winget succeeds Edward G. Stubbs, promoted. Succeeding Winget as traveling freight agent at Los Angeles will be Francis L. Taylor (2733 Meadow Avenue, Los Angeles). Goin also announced that Grant C. Hancock (10855 Pickford Way, Culver City) has been appointed city freight agent at Los Angeles.

SALMON WEIGHS 83 LBS.

The largest freshwater fish ever caught on tackle was a Chinook Salmon weighing 83 pounds.

604 COLUMBIA EMPLOYEES IN SERVICE FROM 10 TO 51 YEARS GET NEW HONOR

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Wilbur F. Nauman, Alfred L. Rice, Clarence E. Robinson, Jr., T. Robinson, Nick Ross, Merrill J. Sahl, Michael E. Scanlon, Richard F. Setter, William H. Sykes, Samuel A. Tucker, Tony Wright.

1925—Angel Arellano, Joseph C. Arias, John Benzon, Frank H. Brown, Clifton Cramer, Harry Crawford, William L. Davies, Marcel L. Demont, Lupe Hernandez, Thurlow Hines, John H. Irwin, William H. Kidd, Edward J. McCarthy, Peter Della Mag-

giora, Willy Maier, Richard Olsen, Fred Rice, George Schmidt, Percy W. Smith, George W. Steele, Louis LeRoy Stewart, Edward Tola, John Williams, Percival M. Wilson, Fred Woodall Jr.

1926—Henry E. Adcock, Joseph Babinsky, John T. Brock, Lambert W. Brownlee, Rufus M. Cline, George R. Collison, Herbert C. Curley, Francis Dumas, Charles Fields, Frederick T. Fleet, Pete Gasco, Edwin C. Greenlee, Thomas B. Greer, Jacob Gunther, Erich P. Heinzen, Henry U. Higgins, Carl G. Holmes, Felix Jimenez, Paul W. Johnson, Arthur J. Maskrey, Harry E. Massie, Harold S. Minor, Hans Nelson, Ismael Olivares, Onesimo Pague, Coy W. Parton, Gonzalo Pichardo, Clarence M. Richardson, Robert S. Sleeth, Emile A. Vincent, James R. Wilkes, George C. Wilson, John Wright.

1927—Aljjo Alcalá, William Allan, Caesar A. Arco, Richard M. Armitage, Kenneth C. Beight, Frank Bolleme, Burt S. Cooke, Arvil W. Daniel, Wilbert W. Earley, Obert D. Eaton, Stanley A. Evans, Calvin C. Groves, Pedro Gutierrez, Omer E. Gwyn, Raymond L. Harper, Manuel Hernandez, Roy V. Hollomon, William R. Hoover, Rafael Hurtado, Thomas C. Hyde, Neil McCologue, Thomas McDonnell, Dale W. McElfresh, Ladislao Markiscal, F. Russell Martin, Mark L. Nier, William O. Putman, Joseph M. Radulovich, Thomas Ramskill, Jose Robledo, Jose M. Rojas, Isidoro Ruiz, Charles J. Ryan, Norman L. Smith, Walter W. Smith, Jackson C. Snow, Alfred H. Stegelmeyer, Frank Stein, Carl D. Stevens, Archie D. Terry, James O. Terry, Rafael Torres, Michael Traunfelder, Charles W. Warning, James W. Wayt.

1928—Guy C. Ayers, Henning W. Backstrom, Loren R. Bidwell, Oral A. Bishop, Charles D. Blackstad, Ludwig Bruhanski, Wilbur E. Bonnell, Frank G. Campbell, Anthony Chaykowski, Henry H. Coil, Charles G. Cook, Fred R. Cook, Jos. P. Bowman, Thos. E. Dean, Wm. A. Dean, Angie Dellamorte, Jessie W. Dotson, Harlow P. Dotson, Hugh B. Eckersley, Lewis M. Fernley, Miguel Grajeda, Orville Haefell, Donald W. Hamilton, Alfonso Hernandez, Carl S. Johnson, John Keefer, Thos. R. Lewis, John B. McCune, James E. McElmurry, Calvert Miller, James W. Moore, Harold Newkirk, Dewey W. Ormand, Durward Patterson, William A. Peterson, Jessie J. Portlock, Joseph G. Prince, Albert L. Puetz, Peary Quigley, Henry C. Terrazas, Arthur D. Simpson, Pedro G. Rios, Delbert J. Thomson, Antonio R. Torres, Frank Travioli, Gus D. Weber.

1929—Constantino Adame, Ida D. Alt, Louis O. Arce, Fred H. Baker, Carl C. Benner, Norman Blackhall, Leonard Brandt, Tony A. Brown, Howard N. Byham, Harold R. Campbell, Oscar Carter, Antonio M. Chavez, Chester E. Codd, Clarence M. Crook, Neil Doherty, John W. Dorchak, Frank G. Hernandez, Edgar C. Fleming, Paul Fortin, Marion W. Freeman, Gerhard Fritzen, Charles A. Fulton, Junior J. Gallyer, Louis N. Gates, Aureliano Gerardo, Prisciliano L. Gonzalez, Arthur G. Hazel, Harold M. Hilton, Ivan M. Johnsen, William A. Kurtz, Antonio S. Martinez, Cecil Martinez, Phillip Martinez, Joseph McFarlane, David McMills, Abraham Navarro, Stephen A. Nyland, Oscar H. Olson, Jose R. Olloque, Albert Parkes, Arthur G. Radford, James Sandstrom, Graydon Smarte, Maxwell Smarte, Frank W. Smith, Carl D. Steele, Leslie F. Stitt, Francis J. Sweeney, Harry M. Taylor, Victor H. Teer, Rubert Welby, Joe H. Wiedel, Robert D. Wilson, Gabriel Sullivan Jr., Lewis H. Busch.

1930—William H. Artrup, Leslie C. Burger, Hartest H. Cook, Henry Crawford, Paul Dethlefsen, Juan Duarte, Joseph F. Greaves, Monroe E. Intermill, Daniel S. Maine, Samuel V. Rauss, Louis D. Simpson, Thomas W. Tracey, John T. Oursler, Estil C. Clere.

1931—Andre Grenier, Andrew J. Johnson, John W. Lundrigan, Jack R. McIntosh.

1932—James A. Amman, John A. Barry, Alvin Breneman, John Dragoio, Arthur F. Hadden, James H. Hansen, Harry T. Jacobs, Erle R. Kelso, Evelyn Lanz, George W. Licht, David Llewellyn, Delbert R. Snow, Murwin C. Miller, Nickolas J. Perovich, Eddie L. Pettyjohn, Kenneth W. Pickrell, Stanley R. Pritchard, Walter Unger, Roland K. Waldeck, James E. Wright.

1933—Luis Alonzo, Andres Alvarez, Antonio B. Alvarez, Clifford V. Anderson, Albert P. Arco, Thomas E. Ashton, Lucio G. Ayala, Leo Barrera, Dave E. Barrett, William B. Best, George F. Billingsley, James C. Blaine, Bethel Bruner, Patrick H. Brunker, Albert V. Berry, Nicholas H. Cue-



(Columbia Steel, Torrance Works photo)
J. MARSHALL ORRIS
Thirty-year Service

J. Marshall Orris began his steelmaking career in the open hearth department of the Homestead (Pa.) Works of the Carnegie Steel Company on June 13, 1913. After approximately two years in the open hearth, he was transferred to the physical testing laboratory. On Jan. 30, 1920, Orris began learning the roll turner's trade at the Gary (Ind.) Works of the Illinois Steel Company where he later became roll designer. On June 15, 1936 Orris joined the Columbia Steel Company as a roll designer of the Pittsburg (Calif.) Works and was appointed assistant superintendent and roll designer of the rolling mill department within a few months.

On April 30, 1945 Orris was transferred to the Torrance Works and appointed rolling mill superintendent. Orris has received Columbia's new 30-year service award and will be eligible for the 35-year award on June 13 of this year.

Teachers Plan County Meet

County school teachers from throughout the area will meet at El Segundo High School, Wednesday, Feb. 4, at 4 p.m., for a teachers' institute on "What Our Community Can Do for the Child with Rheumatic Fever." The meeting is one of four similar sessions being scheduled on this problem.

Panel for the meeting will include Jack Singer, Culver City Schools; Charles Herbst, Beverly Hills; Mrs. Ruby Randall, Inglewood school nurse; Dr. H. V. Markham, Torrance, and Mrs. Dorothy Maier, El Segundo, who will represent the Parent-Teacher Association. Dr. William Paul Thompson, of the Los Angeles Heart Association, is consultant for the series, which is sponsored by the Pasadena, Long Beach and Los Angeles County Tuberculosis and Health Associations; Los Angeles County school, Long Beach schools, Los Angeles County School Nurses Association and the First District PTA.

Land For Normont School Condemned By Authorities

Condemnation proceedings for acquisition of two lots to be used as a site for the new elementary school in the Normont area were approved by the Los Angeles City Board of Education.

According to Vierling Kersey, school superintendent, the land is listed with a real estate broker who refuses to accept the Board's offer of \$1000 cash for the property.



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