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NAL OUTER SITE CLEARANCE BEGINS

A spot bid auction sale of grain storage bins will be held at NAL on Saturday, October 23rd, as the first step in clearing the outlying portions of the NAL site of all non-useable buildings and equipment.

About 20 mesh, wire, and corrugated steel cribs are being offered for sale. Interested buyers should report to the Kuhn Farm Barn (The Village Barn) at the corner of Batavia Road and Sauk Boulevard before 9 a.m. on the morning of the sale. They will be given a packet that will contain a map showing the location of the cribs, a sheet on which a bid figure is to be entered, and a list of the terms of sale. As soon as possible after 9 a.m., Norman Hill, NAL Materials Support Administrator who is in charge of the project, will go to the first crib on the list where he will accept written bids from prospective purchasers. The bids will be reviewed by Hill and the sale awarded "on the spot" to the highest bidder. Hill will then proceed to each of the remaining cribs where the sales will be handled in the same manner.

The cribs may be inspected in advance of the sale by calling Norm Hill at Ext. 470 for an appointment, or for further information. The cribs are all circular, about 15 feet in dispeter and 12 to 15 feet in beight. Buyer agrees to move the

diameter, and 12 to 15 feet in height. Buyer agrees to move the crib from the site, but the foundations will remain in place.

The next phase of the project will come in early November when the demolition and/or salvage of many other buildings on site will be offered to bidders. It is expected that professional salvage companies will mainly be interested in bidding on this work. However, because a great many people have inquired about buying particular items on particular farms, the Laboratory has agreed to accept inquiries about such items during the next few weeks. Names, addresses, and phone numbers of callers will be kept by the Site Manager's office. When contracts have been awarded for the demolition work, the Laboratory will attempt to



... The outbuildings on the former Schimelpfenig Farm will be removed during November...

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... The Bartelt Farm home will be moved to Sauk Circle near the NAL Village...



...Corn crib on the former Anderson Farm will be sold at the spot bid auction... Photo by Fran Pisarek, NAL

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notify the interested persons that they may then get in touch with the contractor directly about the items they want. Anyone desiring to make such an inquiry can call 231-6600, Ext. 494.

A list of buildings to be disposed of and requests to inspect any of the properties should be made to Norm Hill, Ext. 470, or <u>Rudy Dorner</u>, NAL Site Manager, Ext. 494. <u>The</u> buildings cannot be entered without permission of authorized NAL personnel.

Many of the large farm houses found on the 6,800-acre NAL site will be moved to the complex now beginning on the west side of Batavia Road at Sauk Boulevard, known as "Sauk Circle". As time permits and funds are available, the homes will be rejuvenated and put to use for visiting experimentalists' housing or offices. Another complex, on the east side of Batavia Road, known as "Aspen East," is now in service and is comprised of two large 3-story farm houses of 1920 vintage connected by a cement block structure, all topped by a Victorian-style peaked roof. Facilities here include single and double sleeping rooms and a few light housekeeping apartments. Some of the units have been rented since last summer to visiting scientists; others are still being finished.

Some of the farm outbuildings will be retained for NAL's own farm operation. One small building, known as the "Pioneer Cabin," is to be kept, enclosed by a fence, and one day will be restored as a typical early pioneer farm home. The building, once used as a chicken coop, is on the former Schwann Farm on Giese Road. It was built by the Bengston family in 1867 and later moved to its present location.

The shell of the oldest house on site, the Warne home on Eola Road, built in 1850, will remain as it is. Although built of stone, the house was gutted by fire in 1960. About three-fourths of the shell remains, but NAL officials have determined it is not economically feasible to restore the house.

The NAL Village, formerly the Village of Weston, will keep its present form for some time, housing the administrative offices of the Laboratory until the Central Laboratory Building is completed.

NAL STAFF ATTENDS CHICAGO BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY FAIR

The Laboratory's Purchasing and Contracts departments were present at the fourth annual Chicago Business Opportunity Fair held at the Conrad Hilton Hotel in Chicago on October 8, 9, and 10. The fair is sponsored by 14 Chicago organizations headed by Commonwealth Edison Co., with the cooperation of the Chicago Assn. of Commerce and Industry, Chicago Economic Development Corp., Chicago Urban League and the Cosmopolitan Chamber of Commerce.

The NAL booth was manned by <u>David Sullivan</u>, <u>John Czhakowski</u>, <u>Richard Auskalnis</u>, and <u>John Burdette</u> of the Purchasing and Contracts staff. The fair provides minority business men a central place to meet with many other business people from the Greater Chicago area. "Large companies in the area send their purchasing agents to meet with the small businessman who would normally not have this avenue of contact," according to Burdette.

The NAL group reports that some very good contacts were made at the Fair, among the supplier and service-type businesses that were interviewed. "There appear to be a number of top-flight businesses that will fit into NAL's source of suppliers, and we are looking forward to further contacts with them," said Auskalnis.

HALLOWEEN COSTUME PARTY--SATURDAY, OCTOBER 23

NAL employees will chase away the spooks 'n goblins on Saturday night, October 23rd at the annual Halloween Costume Party. There will be dancing and a cash bar at the party which will be held from 8 p.m. to midnight in the Village Barn. Prizes will be awarded for costumes for best couple, best male, best female, and most original. Chairman of the event is Jim Schluchter, Ext. 728.

TREIMAN NAMED VISITING PROFESSOR

Sam Bard Treiman, visiting head of a theoretical group at NAL, has been appointed Visiting Professor of Physics in the University of Chicago's Department of Physics and in the Enrico Fermi Institute there. Treiman is one of the senior theoretical physicists invited to join the NAL staff under a special program for varying periods of time during this academic year. His research interests include cosmic ray physics, quantum field theory, elementary particle and high energy physics, and dispersion theory.

A former Chicagoan, Treiman was the recipient of a Guggenheim fellowship in 1968-69, an Alfred Sloan fellowship in 1959-60, and an Atomic Energy Commission pre-doctoral fellowship in 1950-52. He received his doctorate in physics from the University of Chicago in 1952. Treiman came to NAL for this year from Princeton University, where he is a Professor.



Sam Bard Treiman

BLOOD BANK TO RETURN IN DECEMBER

The Red Cross Blood Bank will visit NAL again on Tuesday, December 21. In order for all NAL families to be covered under the Blood Bank plan, at least 165 employees must participate. In the first two days the Blood Bank was at the NAL site in September, 124 persons volunteered to give blood. A number of volunteers were rejected at that time because they were suffering from hay fever. These persons may volunteer again in December and will, in most cases, be able to donate then. Others who were on medication or who were suffering from a temporary illness, may also be eligible now.

Mrs. Dorothy Poll, of the NAL First Aid Department, also reminds employees that in the event the employee himself is ineligible for one reason or another, a spouse or other adult member of his family or household may donate blood for the family unit. The Blood Bank plan assures each family that in case of an emergency involving any member of the family that requires blood replacement, the blood will be supplied by the Blood Bank at no charge. The plan also enables an employee to obtain more coverage under the "miscellaneous" category of his group insurance since it will not be depleted by payments for blood.

For further information and to make your reservation for the December date, call Dorothy Poll, Ext. 232.

MAKE YOUR RESERVATIONS NOW!

Friday, November 5th, is the date of the "Film Festival." Beginning at 6:30 p.m., a smorgasbord supper will be served. The \$3.00 ticket includes wine, dessert and coffee. Reservations must be made, or tickets purchased in advance. Call Janice Roberts, or Fran Pisarek at 33 Shabbona, Ext. 560, for information on where to obtain tickets.

At 8 p.m. the George Bernard Shaw classic comedy, "Major Barbara" will be shown in the Village Barn. Movie tickets are \$1.00 each.

All visitors, and employees and their families are invited to attend either or both events.

ONLY 10 MORE DAYS

To make changes in allocation between the TIAA and CREF portions of the employees' retirement fund. Call Ralph Wagner, Ext. 324 for further information.

REMINDER: Notary Public service is available free of charge on site from <u>Mrs. Mildred</u> <u>Meyer</u>, Personnel, at 21 Sauk in the Village, <u>Mrs. Carolyn Hines</u>, in the Plant Management office across from the Industrial Buildings at the Main Site, and from Mrs. <u>Joyce</u> <u>Sobinsky</u> in the Business Office in the Director's Complex.

YOUR CREDIT UNION: GOOD CAR BUYS

Good <u>new</u> car buys are still possible for three reasons: (a) The new 8% <u>true</u> interest rate available from your credit union; (b) The price freeze; (c) The availability of new cars at only \$100 mark-up through the United Buying Service.

To find out how YOU can benefit, call either the Argonne Credit Union office, Ext. 6-3789, or Ralph Wagner, Ext. 324.

Remember: CREDIT IS CHEAPER AT YOUR CREDIT UNION.

NEWS FROM NALWO

Two new NALWO Activity Groups are being formed--photography and ceramics-potterysculpture. <u>Rosemary Olsen</u>, 584-9117, heads the photographers and information about the hand arts group will be given by Joan Sculli, 355-4109.

NALWO gourmet, music and bridge groups have also begun their Fall schedule of meetings. Mrs. Sculli also serves as chairman of all of the activities groups.

NOTE FROM FIRST AID DEPARTMENT

Employees who have never received an innoculation for polio may do so at the First Aid House, 24 Sauk.

October is also the month to receive flu vaccinations.

CLASSIFIED ADS

FOR SALE-1971 Scamper Camper, sleeps 8. Stove, icebox, heater, sink, canopy. Purchased in July. \$1,395. Phone Bernie Lensmeyer, Ext. 569 or 897-5946.

FOR SALE-1965 Comet-Caliente Conv., Stick 6, New top, clean. \$550 or best offer. Call John Stoffel, Ext. 781.

TO SUBLET-UNTIL APRIL. 2-bedroom apartment, wall to wall carpeting; kitchen built-ins; air conditioned, large master bedroom with walk-in closet; swimming pool; 5 minutes from NAL in Geneva. \$225 per month (includes heat). Call George Hill or Barb W., Ext. 701.

FOR SALE- HO Gauge, 2-track race set, good cond. \$30; HO Gauge Train Set, needs engine & transformer. \$20. Call Frank Jasek, Ext. 711.

WANTED TO BUY- Used Microscope. Call Al, Ext. 593.

FOR ADOPTION-"THUNDER"- 3 yr.old, show winning white GT.PYRENEES: "SMOKEY"- 5 yr. old, crowd gathering, sable COLLIE; "FAITHFUL" - 10 yr.old, people hauling, blue COMET. All are: trained, obedient, gentle, guard & house pets. All need: love, food, shelter & exercise. Call Arnold, 879-2900, Ext. 296.

FOR SALE-2-horse trailer. Homemade, good condition. \$300. C. Koss, 879-2900, Ext. 296.

FOR SALE-'70 Chev.Kingswood 9-Pass.Wagon, ps, pb, factory air cond. B. Strauss, Ext. 701.

FOR SALE-'65 Ford, 500 X-L, Fair Cond. Best Offer, D. Figlik, Ext.287 or 365-9130 (after 6 p.m.).

FOR SALE-'67 Mustang, New tires, paint, mufflers, 302 C.I.D. Engine.Pw.disc.Brakes, Stereo tape player, \$1,300 or offer. R. Jones, 879-2900, Ext. 236.

FOR SALE-'69 Ford RanchWagon-A-1 Shape. New rubber. \$1,700. Can be seen Farm 50. Lenington. 875-5004.

FOR SALE-'66 Cad. Very good condition. Best offer. Call Sammy, Ext. 560.

FOR SALE-Kenmore electric Stove-\$5; Johnson Outboard motor-\$10; Dick Carrigan, Ext. 534.

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