



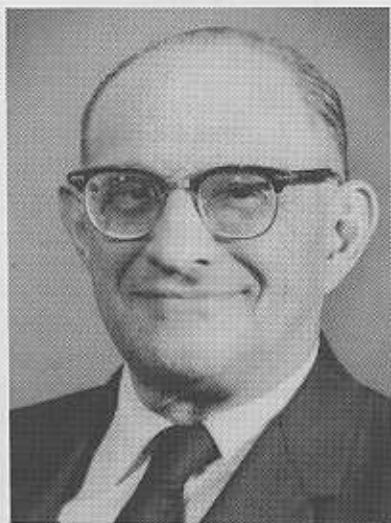
HISTORICAL ACHIEVEMENTS

# VALLEY OF THE GIANTS

*"When I want to understand what is happening today or try to decide what will happen tomorrow, I LOOK BACK."*

OLIVER WENDELL HOLMES

**MILT FELDSTEIN**  
Master Mechanic



In tribute to the memory of M.E. FELDSTEIN, a brilliant engineer who had a long management career at Delco Products Div. of General Motors

Corp., it is interesting to note one of his accomplishments during World War II. While present-day manufacturing corporations are boasting about new coordination between all functions of manufacturing, Milt was way ahead of his time doing this in the 1940s.

During the war production years, Milt was General Superintendent of Non-production. As soon as partial drawings were available, whether Aircraft Landing Struts, or Auxiliary Navy Generators, or other war gear, Milt called all major supervisors together in his office. For instance, for Struts, he called all those needed to insure availability of prints, materials, machinery, tooling, quality inspection, sub-contracted parts, maintenance, plant layout, process, production, and labor relations. Interlocking and concurrent timetables were worked out together, from detail engineering drawings to final inspection tests and shipping. Tod Funkhouser, Product Engineering, was made available to work with any of the others. Charlie Wittlinger was able to work directly with Herman Schwinn to be sure equipment and tooling matched. Charlie Adams worked with Tod to design weld joints and specify weld processing. Roly Winefordner, for inspection, was working closely with Bud Jordan, materials, and C.O. Hutchens, production. Landis Kurz worked with Tod to develop heat treating and plating specifications.

Meetings were called as needed to avoid misunderstandings and delays. This resulted in good performance in meeting the needs of the Air Force and the Navy. We all had great admiration for Milt Feldstein.

*Submitted by Charles O. Adams*

## GUEST MEMBERSHIP CARD PROGRAM

The Guest Membership Program has been so successful that we have decided to extend the program an additional 60 days. This means you can distribute the 30-day trial membership cards (available at the Club Office) until the last day of August. This will entitle your friend or business associate all the rights of membership for thirty days with no dues or fees. If your prospective member decides to join the Club, the entrance fee will be waived. They saved \$125.00. So far we have increased the membership rolls by over 40 members. We appreciate all your efforts. Introduce a friend to the Club and ensure our future well into the 21st century.

## CLUB RESTAURANT HOURS

**BREAKFAST**  
MONDAY-FRIDAY  
7:00 AM-9:00 AM

**LUNCH**  
MONDAY-FRIDAY  
11:30 AM-2:00 PM

**BANQUETS**  
MONDAY-SUNDAY  
7:00 AM-1:00 AM

## SUMMER BUSINESS OFFICE HOURS

8:00 AM-4:00 PM  
JUNE THRU AUGUST