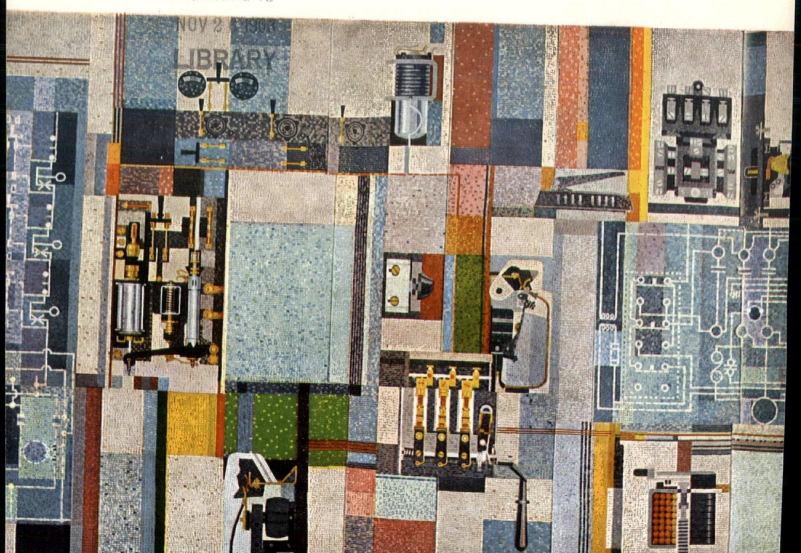
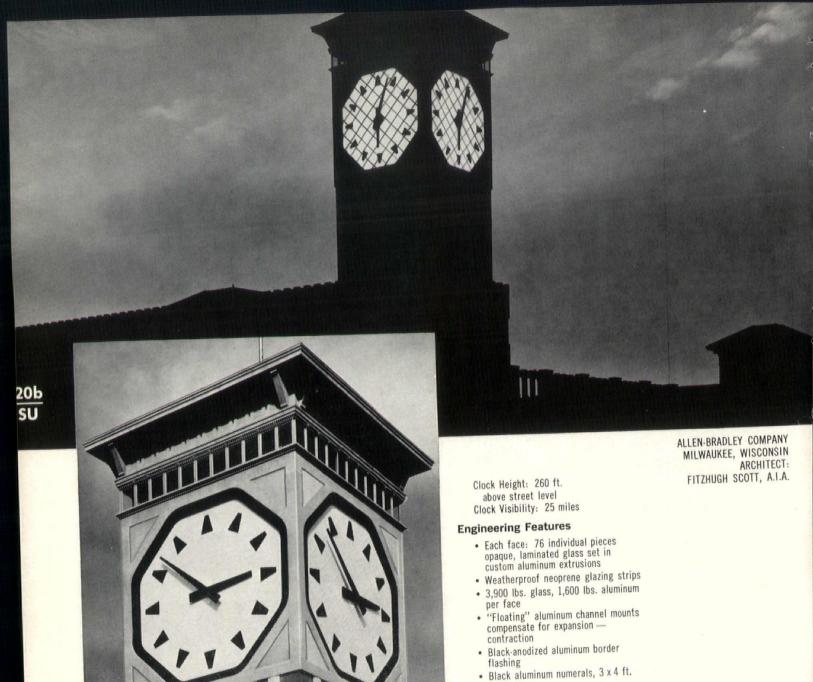
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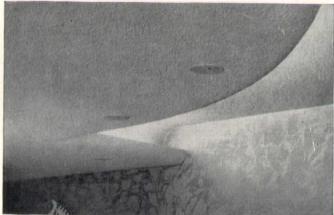
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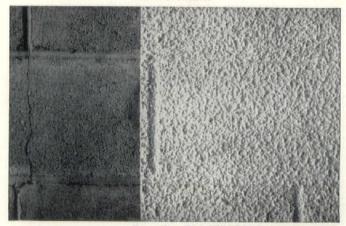
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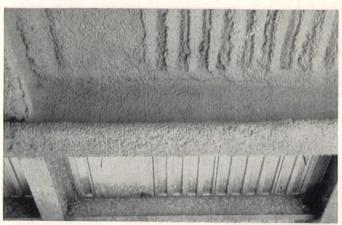
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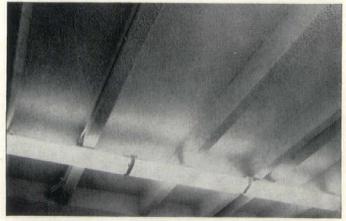
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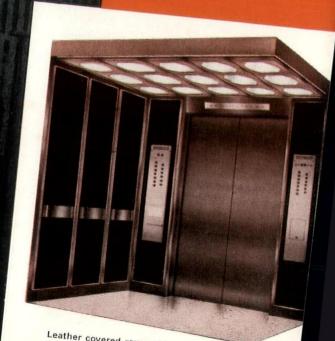
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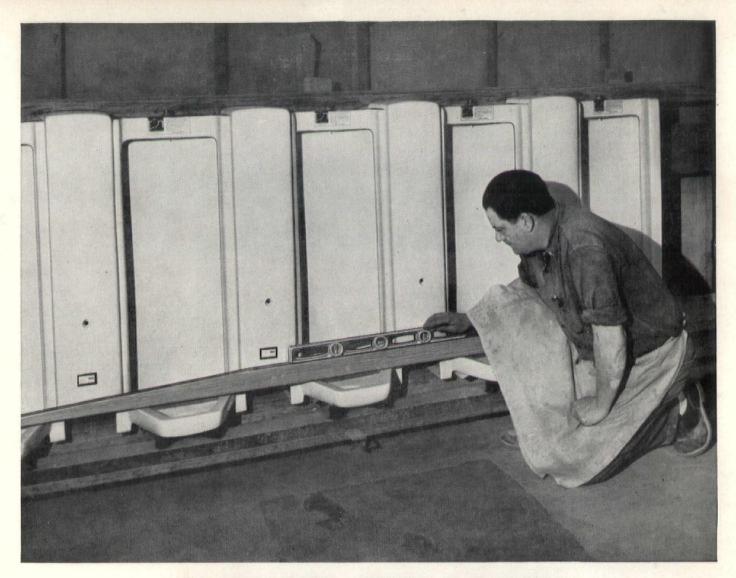
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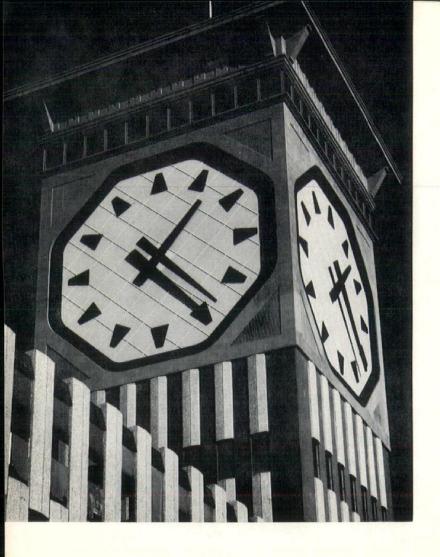
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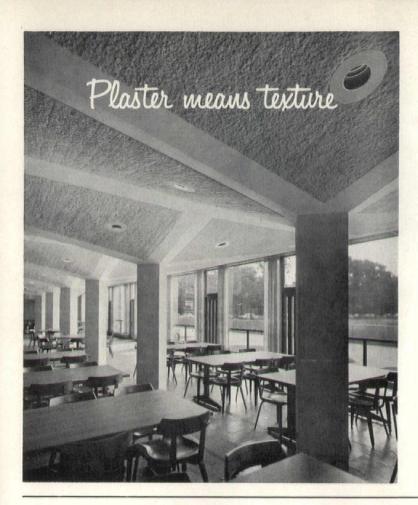
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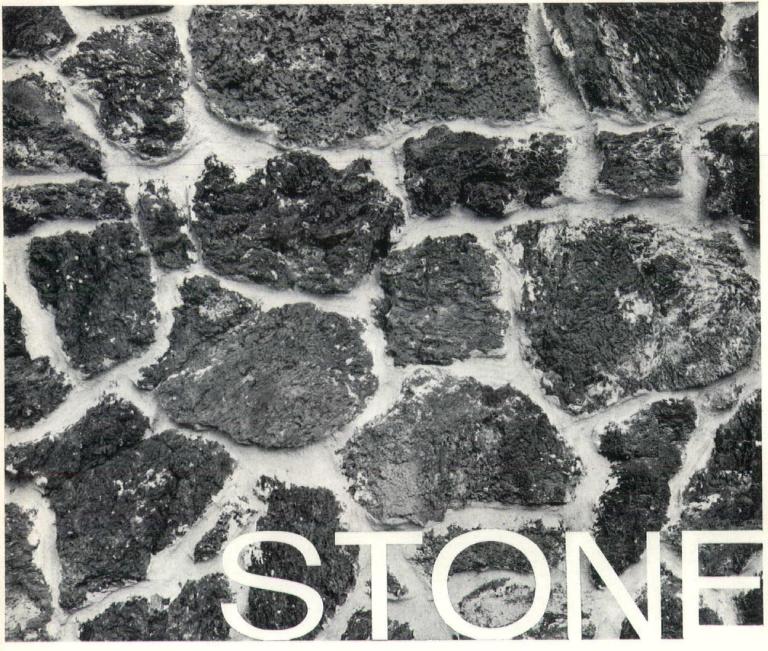
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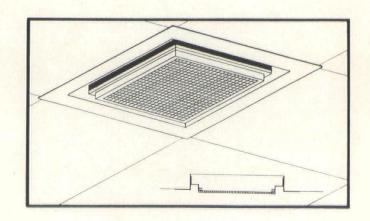




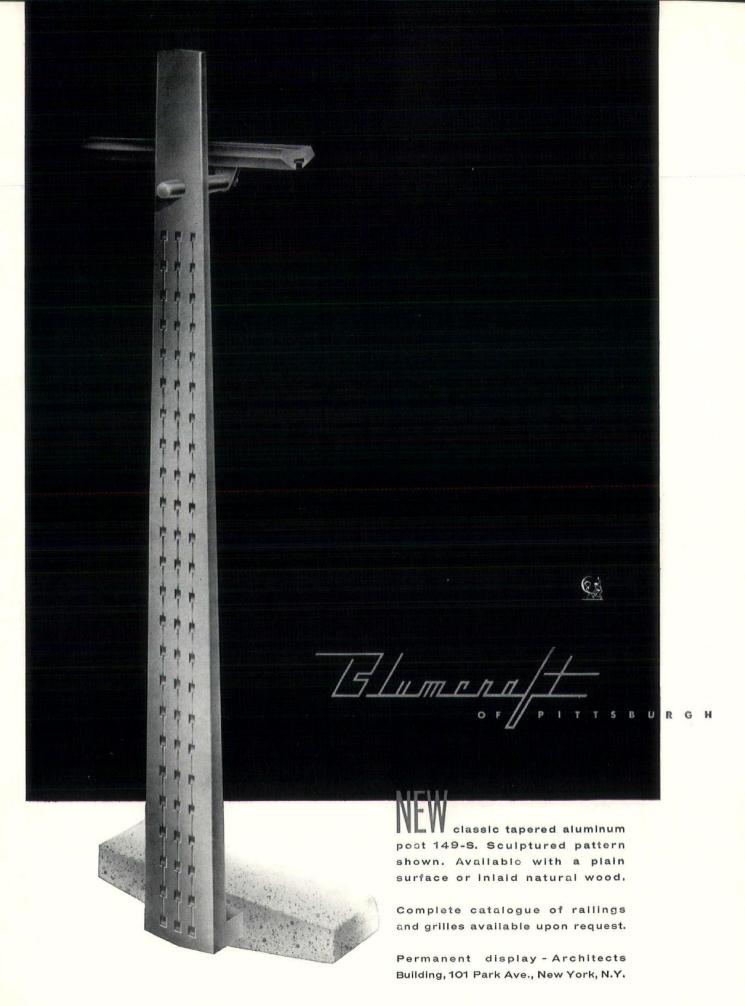
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The mural is carried out in the traditional Byzantine style, the glass tessera was produced on the Island of Murano. The mural is located in the employee's cafeteria and is a companion to 12 columns which depict the symbols of the electronic industry.

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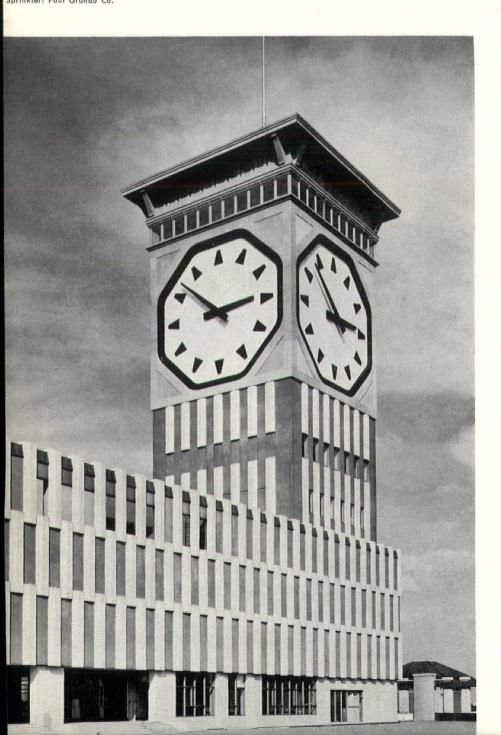
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In 1956 plans for one of the largest buildings ever to be erected in Milwaukee, the Allen-Bradley Office and Research Building, were started. The new building was to have roughly one million square feet of floor space and was to be erected on a 300 feet square site in Downtown Milwaukee, adjacent to the existing Allen-Bradley plant.

In 1963 the Allen-Bradley Office and Research Building with its seventeen floors including the huge clock-tower, rising 280 feet above street level, has added a distinct silhouette to Milwaukee's skyline. The four-sided clock, the largest one in the world, illuminated at night, visible for a distance of 25 miles, is also a navigational reference point.

Architect for this giant project which is still, and will be for quite some time in the future under construction, is Fitzhugh Scott, AIA.

Mr. Scott recalls the various considerations which led to the final architectural treatment of this building: "When we started the plans it was my opinion that this building should be more contemporary in feeling than the existing plant (designed by his father Fitzhugh Scott, Sr., FAIA); that richer materials should be used, and that it was quite appropriate that since it was an office building and a research laboratory it could have a very different feeling from the existing structure.

"We made numerous studies along that line. Mr. Bradley, however, and quite correctly I believe, always had the feeling that if we used much richer materials or were able to achieve a far more glamorous design, we would tend to downgrade the existing building, which had in his opinion and in mine too, stood up very well over the years, both from a practical and from an aesthetical point of view."

After many discussions the final decision was to relate the new structure in scale and design to the existing one. Mr. Scott decided to keep on with the same basic design his father had conceived, expressing the strong verticals of the concrete columne at 30 foot centers and treating the spandrels with stucco. The old and new building were to a bridge over Second Street.

The old building, although appearing as one structure, actually is comprised

of a series of buildings erected at different times. Column spacing, color and fenestration vary slightly in each one of them, creating a "charm" or nonconformity, as John Huegel of Fitzhugh Scott, Architect, puts it, not unlike that found in old European villages which "grew" with the need rather than the economical requirements of standardization.

To reproduce this "charm" in a brand new building of the proposed dimension with its rigid modules and economical need for standardization was found impossible and impractical.

The architect therefore decided to re-

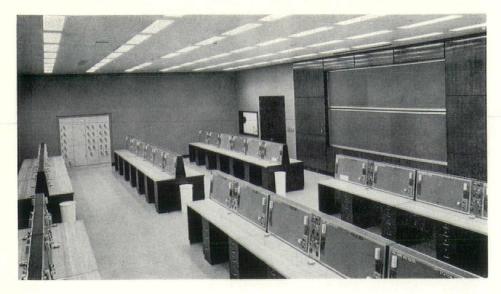
peat materials only in the new building and to depart from window sizes and fenestration pattern. Small windows were used in order to cut down the air-conditioning load and to give scale to the building. Windows were completely eliminated on the east and west elevations. All windows are vertically pivoted so that they can be cleaned from the inside.

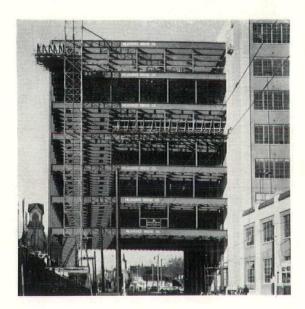
To accomplish a unified design and to keep the feeling of non-conformity the windows were staggered and between them pre-cast planks of Mo-Sai were applied. The Mo-Sai planks provide a three-dimensional relief to what otherwise would have been a flat monlithic

surface of immense proportion.

From a design as well as a structural standpoint the bridge section over Second Street is the most unusual feature of the new building. The architect departed from the structural system of the old and the new building, settling for economical reasons on a curtain wall construction. 36-inch-deep I-beams are placed 7½ feet on centers and span 77 feet 10 inches weighing approximately 9 tons apiece. On the upper flange of the beams small studs, shear connectors, are welded, which together with the 5-inch concrete slab, poured over them, results in a "composite construction."









The camber in the beams, which was about 4 inches at the center point, was put in by applying heat to the lower flange of the beam. The camber has gone out of the beams now that the loads have been put onto the various floors. It did, however, add to the problems involved in designing and constructing the curtain wall, in that the curtain wall was erected before the final loads were applied.

The unique problem in the design of the bridge was to construct a curtain wall which not only had to account for expansion and contraction due to temperature changes, but one which could move independently of the structure of the bridge. The fact that each bridge floor could conceivably be loaded differently and, therefore, result in different floor to floor dimensions, meant that while the horizontal module of the curtain wall would have to remain constant at 14 foot, the whole facade had to be connected to the bridge structure in such a way that the various floors could move down or up without breaking up the wall. This was accomplished by making the connections act as short sections of tracks, on which these floors could ride.

The spandrel panels are of aluminum abrasive tread plate anodized and laminated to 2 inch styrofoam forming insulated panels. The anodizing of this material was at first met with some skepticism. There was no guarantee that the color would last. The end result, however, is proving pleasing. Due to the nature of the material, when it was anodized, a marblization occurred which was not anticipated but accidentally added to the feeling of texture the architect was striving for. To make the lightweight curtain wall, largely consisting of aluminum framed glass - the spandrel panels are also framed in aluminum, more compatible with the massive structure of the rest of the buildings, extruded gold and silver anodized aluminum fins were attached to the window mullions. The aluminum fins shield the windows to some extent and the runners act as a guide for a window washing device. However, their function is more aesthetic than practical.

The soffit of the bridge is a series of stainless steel barrel vaults, interrupted by the bridging of the I-beams. The sixstory-high bridge section of the new Office and Research Building is unique in Milwaukee because its space is used for other purposes than just passages. At the present stage of the construction it houses a library, a display room and a small auditorium, equipped with the latest devices for visual presentation.

The structural system of the new building is basically the same as that of the old plant, flat-slab reinforced concrete construction. Since the live loads for the new building were somewhat less, the architect was able to use a greater span, thirty feet both ways, which incidentally worked out well with the 300 foot square block on which the building is erected. 12,138,000 pounds of reinforced steel and 73,220 cubic yards of concrete were used.

Generally poor soil conditions made it necessary to provide pilings on which the building footings rest. These piles have a bearing capacity of forty tons apiece. All in all, 4490 piles were driven. They average about 62 feet in length.

The first four levels of the building are used for parking. Approximately 700 cars can be self-parked in this area.

In the north corner of the basement is a mechanical equipment room which houses the heat pumps for the air-conditioning system. Adjoining this room is a vault of 28 x 52 feet in area. The concrete floor of this vault is one of the building footings, a large concrete mat 6 feet thick. This vault is to house the Allen-Bradley records. The architect was requested to design this vault to be proof against any blast except a direct hit from a hydrogen bomb.

Both the employee and the public entrances to the building are on the east side below the bridge. The employees' entrance leads into an elevator lobby where four and ultimately eight passenger elevators lead to the upper floors. The public entrance is through a loggia five bays wide and about 12 feet deep. On two sides of the reception room conference rooms of varying sizes — 13 in all — are grouped.

Visitors arriving by automobile can park inside the building in a special area on the second parking level. From there one can enter the reception room through a passage below the loading dock. The loading dock will be entered off Scott Street and will be served by one freight elevator. Space for a second future freight elevator is provided.

The purchasing department is located on the second floor above the reception room.

The third floor of the building is level with the first floor of the bridge and the third floor of the plant. From the third floor up the building is divided into two parts. The north half including the bridge, and the south half divided from each other by a "mechanical core," containing fan rooms for each floor, toilet rooms, transformer rooms and elevator lobbies plus three stairways.

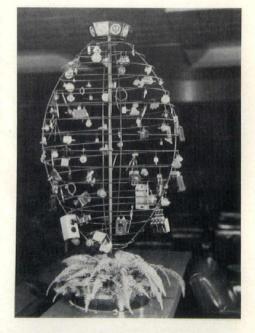
The third and fourth floor will be used for a stationery department, warehouse and possibly some pilot plant operation. The research laboratory will be on the fifth and sixth floors. General offices are to be located on the seventh and eighth floors. On the ninth floor a roof deck shielded by a parapet 14 feet high is hoped to be developed into a "recreational" park.

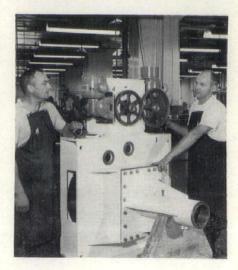
Also on the ninth floor, in the center of the building, an employees' lounge with snack bar for coffee breaks is located

The clock-tower houses elevator machinery and space for the sprinkler tank containing 50,000 gallons. At the top of the tower Fitzhugh Scott planned an observation room, comfortably equipped to entertain and to enjoy an unrestricted view of the city, the harbor and Lake Michigan.

The basic principle in planning this enormous project was flexibility. Mr. Scott had to keep this in mind and provide that this building would be adaptable to many purposes and to changes in techniques which no-one can anticipate now.

On a recent tour of the Office and Research Building with the architect in charge of the project, George D. Troller of Fitzhugh Scott, Architect, this visitor was impressed by the quality of materials used on the exterior and interior. Marbles from Italy, Peru and Scandinavia in beautiful patterns and color are used lavishly. Great care in color schemes has been exercised. One word not unfamiliar in connection with the client sums up the over-all scheme: quality in every aspect of the word.





#### allen-bradley/the world's largest clock

The world's largest four-sided clock is found in Milwaukee. It is the focal point of the Allen-Bradley Office and Research Building. It also is the most noticeable of the many unique features incorporated into this building by Fitzhugh Scott, AIA, Architect.

There is a complete clock in each of the four sides of the tower which rises 280 feet from street level. Each clock is operated by a separate mechanism designed and built by the Special Machinery Department of the Allen-Bradley Co.

Fitzhugh Scott designed the faces for the clocks. The hands of each clock are hollow and made of sheet aluminum, anodized black, and reinforced with steel at the hub and at the counterweight.

Each hour hand, including its counterweight, has an overall length of 15 feet 9 inches. The distance from the center of the clock shaft to the tip of the hour hand measures 11 feet, 3 inches. The width tapers from 30-1/8 inches at its widest end to 18-5/16 inches, while the thickness varies from 4-9/16 inches to 4-3/16 inches. Each hour hand weighs 560 pounds and is keyed to a shaft which is 6 1/8 inches in diameter.

Each minute hand, including its counterweight, has an overall length of 20 feet. The distance from the center of the clock shaft to the tip of the minute hand measures 15 feet. Each minute hand weighs 600 pounds and is keyed to a shaft 4 1/8 inches in diameter.

The timing mechanism for each individual clock is operated through a set of gears powered by a 1/3 H. P. synchronous motor. By a special arrangement of gears and pinions, the clock can be reset by moving the hands forward or reverse without stopping or disengaging the timing motor.

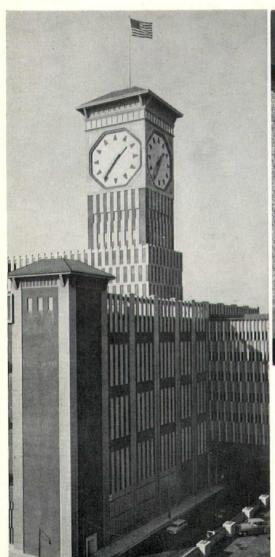
The glass on the face of each clock is 36 feet 8½ inches wide, with a band of sheet aluminum, anodized black, a little less than 2 feet wide making the total width of each clock face 40 feet, 3½ inches. The aluminum black band has the octagonal shape, an important part of the Allen-Bradley Company trademark. Each glass face consists of 76 individual pieces of glass, 4 feet square.

Each piece is made of two pieces of glass 1/8 inch thick, separated by a thin plastic film to give the white color to the face of the clock. The glass in each face of the clock weighs 3,900 pounds. The aluminum mounting supports for each face weigh 1,650 pounds. These aluminum supports are fastened to steel I-beams which weigh 6,084 pounds.

The hour markings on the face of the clock are 4 feet high, with the maximum width being 3 feet, while the narrowest portion measures 1 foot. These hour markings are  $1\frac{1}{2}$  inches thick.

Each clock is illuminated by fluorescent tubes located behind the face of each clock. Each of the clocks requires about 34.6 kilowatts for both lighting and power, which is equivalent to the power required by 346 one hundred watt light bulbs.

About 8,000 feet of wire were required to connect the lighting fixtures located behind the face of the clock. The weight of each individual clock is 24,973 pounds, the four clocks together weigh roughly 100,000 pounds or 50 tons.





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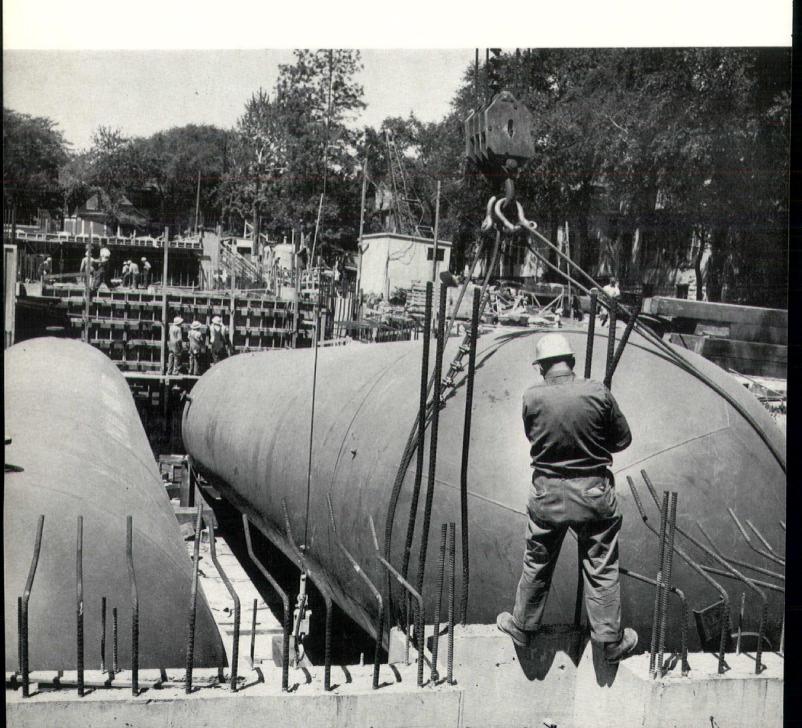
The following is a detailed description of the unique heating pump system prepared by George Volk, heating engineer, for the Allen-Bradley Office and Research Building. This system was the largest of its kind in the world at the time of its preparation in April of 1963.

The heat pump uses as a source of heat the energy given off by the lights, occupants and equipment; which heat it absorbs by means of various pieces of heat transfer equipment. This heat is then transferred (or "pumped") to other

heat transfer equipment to offset the building transmission losses, raise the temperature of the incoming air, and heat water for humidification.

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to the atmosphere through cooling tow-

The heat pump compressors are driven by three 700 H.P. synchronous motors. The motors are synchronous so the Owners can take advantage of a leading power correction factor to balance their electrical load. Cooling towers are equipped with run-down tanks for winter use.

The chilled and warm water circulating systems are primary-secondary type pumping systems. There are 95 pumps totaling 745 H. P.

There are a total of 77 supply, return, or exhaust fans and unit coolers in the building totaling 923 H.P.

Toilet and other exhaust air is cooled before being discharged to the atmosphere in order to provide a heat source for the heat pump.

Electrical equipment rooms, elevator penthouses and air-conditioning equipment rooms are cooled by means of unit coolers to provide heat for the heat pump system.

Each floor has its own air-conditioning system. The First Floor is heated and cooled by means of a high pressure, double duct system discharging air into individual rooms through slots by means of mixing boxes.

The Second Floor is heated by means of perimeter finned pipe radiation and radiant ceiling panels and is cooled by means of radiant ceiling panels combined with a high pressure double duct system discharging air into the area through a perforated metal pan ceiling by means of mixing boxes fitted with diffusers.

The Third Floor Bridge and North Area is heated by means of perimeter finned pipe radiation and ceiling mounted high pressure induction units, and is cooled by means of ceiling mounted high pressure induction units discharging air through ceiling diffusers. Floors are warmed by means of radiant floor coils.

The Third Floor South Area is heated by means of unit heaters.

The Fourth Floor Area and Fourth Floor Bridge is heated by means of unit heaters.

The Fifth and Sixth Floors are heated by means of perimeter finned pipe radiation and ceiling mounted high pressure induction units, and cooled by means of ceiling mounted high pressure induction units discharging through ceiling diffusers. The Sixth Floor Bridge is heated by means of perimeter finned pipe radiation and ceiling mounted high pressure induction units, and cooled by means of radiant ceiling panels combined with ceiling mounted high pressure induction units fitted with diffusers discharging air into the area through a perforated metal pan ceiling.

The Seventh and Eighth Floors are heated by means of perimeter finned pipe radiation and radiant ceiling panels, and cooled by means of radiant ceiling panels combined with a high pressure double duct system discharging air into the area through a perforated metal pan ceiling by means of mixing boxes fitted with diffusers.

The Eighth Floor Bridge is heated by means of finned pipe radiation and radiant ceiling panels, and cooled by means of radiant ceiling panels combined with a low pressure, zoned air handling system discharging air into the area through perforated metal pan ceilings.

The Ninth Floor is heated by means of convector and finned pipe radiation, unit heaters and radiant ceiling panels, and cooled by means of radiant ceiling panels combined with a high pressure double duct system discharging air into the area through a perforated metal pan ceiling by means of mixing boxes fitted with diffusers.

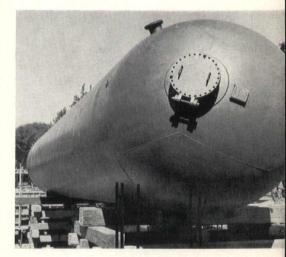
The Tower Rooms are heated by means of finned pipe radiation, and heated and cooled by means of a high pressure double duct system discharging air into the areas through perforated metal pan ceilings by means of mixing boxes fitted with diffusers.

Stairways will be heated by means of convector radiators.

Fresh air for ventilation of First Floor, Second Floor, Eighth Floor Bridge, Ninth Floor and Tower will be supplied directly by means of the individual ventilating systems, and humidified by means of infrared electric humidifiers. Fresh air for ventilation of all other areas is supplied to the individual fan systems by means of a separate fresh air handling system located in the Penthouse where fresh air is heated and cooled, and humidified by means of a spray type humidifier using de-mineralized water.

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BORN:

January 13, 1910 at Milwaukee, Wisconsin

SCHOOLS:

Milwaukee Country Day (Graduated in 1928) Yale University (1928-1932 — B.A.) Yale School of Fine Arts (1932-1935 — B.F.A.)

ARCHITECTURAL REGISTRATION:

Wisconsin — August I, 1939 (#1577) New Jersey — Nov. 30, 1959 (#3846) Expired Illinois — Dec. 16, 1959 (#01-5059) Colorado—July 31, 1961 (#C-392) N.C.A.R.B. Certificate — Nov. 3, 1959 (#3746)

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

1935-1936 Apprenticed to Eschweiler & Eschweiler 1936-1939 Apprenticed -Fitzhugh Scott, Sr. 1939-1946 Draftsman and Designer - Fitzhugh Scott, Sr. 1946-1954 Partnership — Fitzhugh Scott and Fitzhugh Scott, Jr. 1954-1958 Partnership — Scott, Kloppenburg and Scott Fitzhugh Scott, Sr. deceased Oct. 1957) 1958-1959 Partnership—Scott and Kloppenburg (Dissolved January, 1959) 1959-Fitzhugh Scott - Architect

OFFICES: PRESENTLY HELD

Milwaukee Boys' Club — President Milwaukee Country Club — Vice President Milwaukee Art Center — Trustee and member Executive Com. Layton School of Art — Executive Board and Trustee Y.W.C.A. — Board of Trustees In 1960 was Chairman of the Wisconsin Chapter A.I.A. Hospital & Health Committee Is a member of the Greater Milwaukee Committee

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Allen-Bradley Company—Office and distribution center in Chicago, Illinois. Milwaukee Children's Hospital — Orig-

inal building and all additions and remodeling

Milwaukee Country Club — Original building and swimming pool and pavilion at a later date.

Y.W.C.A. Building — In Milwaukee and also the building in Racine, Wisconsin City of Cudahy — Library

City of Cudahy — Library Milwaukee Boys' Club — 15th Street Branch

Milwaukee Boys' Club — North Franklin Street Branch

Milwaukee Boys' Club—South Side Unit on Rogers Street, now under construction

Emil Blatz Recreation Building in Lincoln Park

Washington Park Temple of Music Whitefish Bay Pharmacy Building — Where Fitzhugh Scott architectural firm is located

Lodgewood Apartments — Milwaukee Wisconsin Malting Company — Manitowoc, Wisconsin, as well as Addition and Remodeling

Milwaukee Sanitarium — Additions and remodeling

Wisconsin Telephone Co. — Building at Waupun, Wisconsin

Wisconsin Telephone Co.—Building at Hartford, Wisconsin

Wisconsin Telephone Co.—Building at Berlin, Wisconsin

Milwaukee Gas Light Company—Utility and Research Building on Silver Spring and Green Bay Rd.

Layton School of Art — Addition and Remodeling



AWARD RECEIVED:

The Bell Telephone Company System Merit Award for architectural excellence of the Wisconsin Tele-

cellence of the Wisconsin Telephone Company Central Office Building at Waupun, Wisconsin, for good design at reasonable cost — January 9, 1962.

HOBBIES:

Golf, fishing and skiing. Mr. Scott is presently participating in the construction of a new ski village at Vail, Colorado, 107 miles West of Denver on Highway 6. His office has completed a hotel, private homes, shops, and apartments last year, and this year will be building an addition to the hotel, a chapel, additional residences, shops and row houses.

FAMILY:

Mr. Scott, Jr. is married to the former Eileen Schlesinger. They have four children and three grand-children.

#### chapter notes

The Executive Committee of the Wisconsin Chapter, AIA, met on September 20, 1963 at the Park Motor Inn, Madison with the following present: Allen J. Strang, Mark A. Pfaller, Leonard H. Reinke, Robert Cashin, Joseph Durrant, Paul Graven, Francis J. Rose, A. A. Tannenbaum and William Wenzler.

Reports were heard from the three Chapter Sections. Meetings are scheduled in all groups, after an inactive summer.

The 1964 convention dates were established by action of the Executive Committee. April 27 thru 30 will be the days and Lake Lawn Lodge, Delavan, Wisconsin the location. The Convention and Exhibitors Committee is making excellent progress toward an interesting meeting.

Jack Klund of Madison, was named chairman of the 1964 Honor Awards Committee. For the first time, the Honor Awards program will be offered two years in succession. Usually this is a biennial affair.

A report on the activities of the Lake Michigan Region Planning Council is expected at the next meeting. The Chapter annually contributes to the financial support of this organization. Prior to approval of the annual assessment, the Executive Committee requested a progress report from this group.

The Building Code Committee appeared and discussed several plumbing code changes they would recommend. During the discussion, it was brought out that the entire Wisconsin Plumbing Code could be considerably modified to make it more workable. This complete code ramification will be considered at a later date.

Action was taken to permit changes in the bylaws at the annual meeting, during the 1964 convention. The Chapter Affairs Committee has recommended extensive changes in the dues schedule of each classification of membership.

The meeting was adjourned at 4:15 p.m.

Women's Architectural League of Milwaukee, Inc., will hold a Harvest Ball with square dance entertainment and midnight buffet, on Saturday, November 16, 8:30 p.m. at the Bavarian Club, 5423 North Port Washington Rd.

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Born - September 7, 1932, Milwaukee Resides - 4454 So. 14th Street, Milwaukee

Firm - Herbst, Jacoby and Herbst, Inc., Milwaukee

Degree - B.S. Architecture, Notre Dame

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#### news notes

International Design Competition, Allegheny Public Square, Pittsburgh. Information Sheet and Registration Form are available at the Wisconsin Chapter Office. Closing Date for registration: November 15, 1963.

National Community Fallout Shelter Design Competition. The Defense Department has authorized a national competition for the design of a shopping center incorporating fallout shelter with cash prizes totaling \$55,000. The American Institute of Architects is conducting this national competition. Architects and engineers registered in the United States, faculty members and graduates of accredited architectural and engineering schools are eligible to participate. Copies of the program and registration forms can be obtained by writing: A. Stanley McGaughan, AIA, Professional Advisor, National Community Fallout Shelter Design Competition, 1341 New Hampshire Avenue N. W., Washington, D. C. 20036.

Ralph H. Kloppenburg, FAIA was reappointed by the Wisconsin Industrial Commission as member of the Architectural Division, Robert C. Johnson as member of the Engineering Division of the Wisconsin Registration Board of Architects and Professional Engineers, for the term expiring September 15, 1966.

Allen J. Strang, AIA, President of the Wisconsin Chapter, AIA, spoke about New Materials and Methods at the Biennial North Central States Apprenticeship Conference in Milwaukee, on September 26 and 27, 1963.

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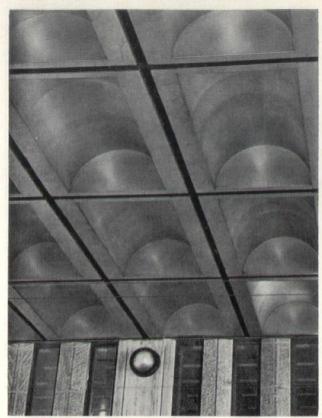
Kenneth Kurtz, AIA, spoke to 23 students at a Rufus King High School, Milwaukee, Career Day program on October 17, 1963.

George A. D. Schuett talked on Church Architecture to a group at the First Methodist Church in Milwaukee. The session was sponsored by the Milwaukee County Council of Churches on October 28, 1963.

Lester Niehoff, AIA, used "Wisconsin's Changing Face" as a part of his presentation to a small group in Wauwatosa on October 15, 1963.

The 1963 Honor Awards mounts were part of an architectural display at Brookfield East High School during the month of October.

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#### Holiday Greeting Card

dents were published in the October issue.

The Foundation's fund-raising project is a most important source of revenue. Considering that 1963 tuition aid grants to needy Wisconsin students of architecture amounted to \$3600, replenishment of the fund must anticipate the coming semester. The print for the card design was carefully chosen for universal appeal, and the card was printed by a union press. We trust the State AIA members and friends in organizations allied with the architectural profession will give enthusiastic response. Contributions in lieu of orders for cards will be appreciated also and will receive recognition in this publication.

#### Award

The Foundation's annual award of \$50 at the 1963 Designer-Craftsman Exhibition, Milwaukee Art Center, went to Jean Podell for her beautiful enameled bowl. Selection for award, made by a jury of Foundation Directors, is based on excellence in design and craftsmanship.

Jean Podell (Mrs. William B.) is a resident of the suburb of Shorewood in Milwaukee. She is currently President of the Wisconsin Designer-Craftsmen and State representative for the American Craftsman Council, New York. Trained in Milwaukee art schools, she practiced interior design for a number of years, and then turned to the art of enameling, specializing in accessories for interiors. She has received many first awards, and presently has pieces traveling with the Smithsonian Institute Show. Recently she had a one-man showing at the Kenosha Museum. She has helped to establish the newly opened Craft Guild Gallery located on East Silver Spring Drive, Milwaukee.

#### **Book Plate Competition**

To remind: Closing date for the Book Plate Competition is December 31, 1963. Particulars and instructions are given in the August issue, WISCONSIN ARCHITECT. Newly published books on architecture will be awarded as prizes for

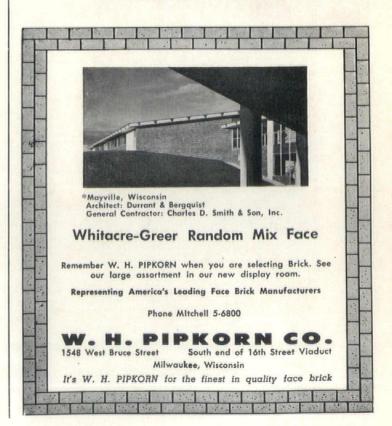
1st, 2nd and 3rd place. With the library for the future College of Architecture in Wisconsin being a most important contribution by the State Architects from their own libaries, it should be a challenge to many of the younger members of the State AIA to design an attractive and significant Book Plate to identify these contributions for future generations of aspiring young students. The Foundation has received a number of entries to date but feels that because of the importance of the purpose, a larger range of selectivity should be provided.

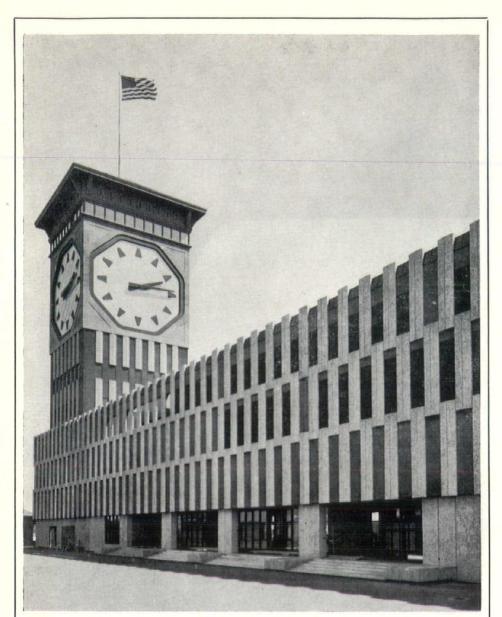
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Carl W. Schubert, AIA was one of two main speakers at the national convention of Allied Stone Industries on September 29 through October 2nd in Greenbriar, White Sulphur Springs, W. Va.

On September 26, 1963, the Circuit Court for Dane County issued an injunction restraining Gregg Lacey of Green Bay, Wisconsin from practicing and offering to practice professional engineering in the State of Wisconsin without first being registered with the Wisconsin Registration Board of Architects and Professional Engineers.

#### PROGRESS REPORT ON THE 15TH ANNUAL CONVENTION

The 15th Annual Convention of the Wisconsin Chapter, AIA, is scheduled at Lake Lawn Lodge, Delavan, from April 28 through 30.

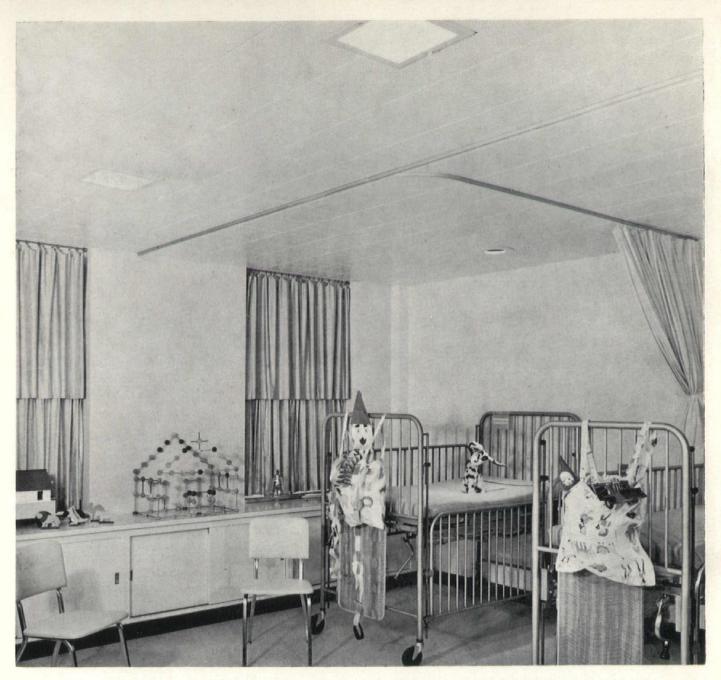
Convention plans have, of course, not been completely formulated as yet but are progressing extremely well, according to Fritz Van Grossmann, chairman of the Chapter Convention Committee.

Beyond the familiar framework of the regular convention program, a new and unique concept is added.

The Chapter Convention Committee and the Convention Exhibitors Committee are presently devoting intense and cooperative efforts toward the 1964 convention. They have proposed and agreed upon introducing a program of investigation of four basic structural materials, brick, concrete, steel and wood. Each of these materials will be investigated from three different aspects — architectural, technical and fundamental use and application.

To please members of the AIA and exhibitors who in the past have complained about lack of time to do justice to construction material displays, several new ideas have been conceived. Two "Codes" have been proposed. One for presentation to the exhibitors and another one as a suggestion for attending members. Members will be invited as guests of the exhibitors to an "Eye Opener" hour and a special luncheon in the exhibition area. The cocktail hour preceding the dinner-dance will also be hosted by the exhibitors.

The Executive Committees and the Convention Exhibitors urge closing of all AIA Offices for at least one day of the convention.



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