Antics of Willie Wingflap Printed in Book

Some folks go for Superman, and others cast their vote for Lil' Abner, but to every North American employe the cartoon

character who tops them all is

—WILŁIE WINGFLAP!

This has been true since
artist Dennis McCarthy first dipped brush into inkpot one summer day in 1942 and came up with the little tyke with the giant personality.

And so that North American employes might have their own history of the little guy in the shop hat, books containing every cartoon in which Willie has appeared since that time

will soon be on sale at the Employes' Tool Store.

The books, sturdily bound with plastic rings so that they may be read time and again without damage, and printed in color on heavy stock, will sell for 75 cents each.

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nt-Wide Bond Average

NAA Employes Register an Increase of 1.4 Per Cent Over Past Record

WAR BOND HONOR ROLL

Bert Angle (52), \$3,725 in War Bonds. Virginia Hulsey (99, nights),

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Janice McBroom (54, nights), \$500.
Michael Cartella (1, nights), \$500.
Mary A. Miller (M.C. 69), \$500.
Josephine Arnone (12, nights), nights),

William E. Gregory (54), \$400. Herman Linenberger (46), \$200. Thomas Jianas (M.C. 40, nights),

S200.

Gene R. Martin (20), S200.
Alex Gumowitz (86), \$200.
Ruth M. Baker (1), \$175.
Harry Levitt (2), Estel Clary (42),
Wilburn Smith (M.C. 13, nights),
Bertha Wellington (22, nights), William Stewart (40, nights), Nettie
Whiteside (66), Robert Pearman
(17), Elsie Jarvies (12), Charles
Swartz (68), Carroll Cantrell (37),
Frederick Wiber (5), \$100 each.

Final tabulation of the new bond deduction authorization cards issued to all employes indicates that the plant average has been increased to 9.1 per cent of the total payroll, an increase during the present bond drive of 1.4 per cent.

The new deduction percentage figure includes the Modification Center, the Training Center, warehouses and all other out-plant departments of North American.

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May Safety Crown Won by Inglewood

The May safety contest between North American divisions was won by the Inglewood division with an accident frequency of 4.0 for each million man hours worked. Kansas City fin-ished second with 5.9. Dallas trailed for the fifth consecutive month, having a frequency of 8.0 for May. ☼ Crews `Love That Ship'



E. B. "Ernie" Canfield back after 18 months field service work overseas-

Moaning with Her Wounds **B-25** Brought Crew Home

"The men who fly and work on the B-25 overseas are really loyal to it—they love that ship," declares E. B. "Ernie" Canfield, North American field service man who was with the 12th Air Force in North Africa, Corsica and Italy 18 months.

"The reason they think the world of the B-25 is that it brings them home under al-most unbelievable difficulties," asserted Canfield, who was in the plant a few days last week en route to North American's California division.

"I remember particularly a

B-25 that was shot up during a mission to Sicily. One engine was knocked out, the hydraulic system was shot, the landing gear was half down, the bomb bay doors were open and the outboard flaps were droopingyet that plane flew back 90 minutes across the sea and landed without injury to the

Canfield joined the American air forces in Casablanca soon after the North African "D" day late in 1942. He lived with the airmen, moving with them

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A Volume of Willies A Volume of willies Willie Wingflap, Dennis McCarthy's effervescent and lovable cartoon character, has been issued in book form in which the popular North American urchin is bound, but not gagged. He'll be on sale at Employes' Tool Store.

Pledge Cards Show 6 Ways To Buy Bonds

North American employes will be given an opportunity next week to pledge a specific cash amount for War Bonds during the Fifth War Loan drive, or to increase their payroll deduction if they have not

already done so. On Monday, "Fight by his side" War Bond pledge cards will be distributed to every employe at the plant, Modifica-tion Center and other North American units to determine how much more of his earnings the employe plans to put into War Bonds during the months of June and July.

To "Fight by His Side"

There are six pledges the employe may choose from on the "Fight by his side" cash pledge cards. He may choose to "fight by his side" by investing \$100, \$75, \$50 or \$25 in cash in bonds purchased at the Credit Union, or at his bank, post office or other issuing agency; or he may increase his regular payroll deduction, (Continued on page 2)

Use Stamps Due On Windshield July 1

All car owners must have a federal use stamp displayed on their windshield by July 1, the Transportation Dept. warned today.

The stamps are now available in all Transportation offices. Last year government representatives checked the cars in North American's parking areas and left notices on those cars where the stamps were not properly displayed, a Transportation Dept. spokesman asserted.