

LLOYD BRUCE Service

11-1-05

9:30 AM

LOCAL 602 Hall

Jerri Smith interviewer

6 Children 15 grand 3 great

51 years of Service

December 04. Retired

11-1-54 hire in date

Knocking in handles first job

interior molding install

NO breaks, Swing shift 3wks on 3wks.

1.48 per hour wage

Always enjoyed it.

1957 went into Repair Stayed
till retired

Was Layed off Also took part in
Strikes WAS A CAPTAIN in the 60's
CAPTAIN - had each gate and union hall
if anything went wrong they SAW
him - Checks came and he wouldn't
let the Checks in. & Strike'
Chair person was maybe Andy Graham
Strike was Wages - insurance
finished High School and 1 year of
College

they took us up there the
foreman were ok about noon
he was able to do the job
you stay till the line goes down
no orientation they didn't have
it back then.

there were tricks to the job
you had to match the
Pontiac Bonnivill convertible ^{olds} 78+88

Lots of women + minorities one
outstanding woman was Dorothy Stevens
I used foul language to D.S.
she came around
Committee person in the 60's
alt them regular for 15 years. the
union was doing what they could at
that time. One guy was fired and
I got him back to work and
the people on the line didn't
appreciate that. General Foreman

215 - Foreman performs a job instead
of hourly if they need more people
then hire them.

one fella threw a 5 gal bucket
of water on a fella

he didn't like it so he
grabbed a fire hose. I had
to clean up the mess cause
it was really rusty water