

Foreperson, Factory

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Industrial

Summary **Industrial Foreperson** with twenty-five years of responsible leadership experience and with high mechanical aptitude seeks position in production with manufacturing company. Evaluations and commendations show outstanding record in production efficiency, leadership, safety, and labor relations. Available because last employer, Seattle Chocolate Company, has gone out of business.

Experience

1981-1994 **Foreperson**, Cocoa Department, *Seattle Chocolate Company*, Seattle, Washington. Once one of the ten largest manufacturers of chocolate products in the United States, this firm discontinued operations in April 1994.

Hired on the basis of my ability to keep intricate machinery functional. I supervised the work of twenty-five hands operating cocoa presses, pulverizers, and separators, making fifteen varieties of cocoas and chocolate drinks and special runs as specified by the laboratory. I had full authority in hiring and in disciplining employees, training operators, and establishing hours and shifts. Fullest harmony with employees and had minimal difficulty with Grievance Committee since plant was unionized in 1983.

1969-1981 **Foreperson**, *Tremount Separators, Inc.*, Yonkers, New York. This large East Coast manufacturer is one of America's principal makers of food processing machinery. At the time of my employment it had 2,000 employees.

Hired as a tool and die maker, promoted in two years to the position of foreperson in machine assembly department. Ability to suggest design modifications and deep production moving won me the post of assistant night superintendent during rush periods. Enjoyed full harmony with employees and had very few cases before Grievance Committee.

Sergeant, *United States Army*. Fort Belvoir, Ordnance. Three years of active duty.

Education Graduate of *St. Peter's High School*, Seattle, and *Seattle Tool and Die Maker's Institute*.

Reference Full references and copies of efficiency ratings will be furnished on request.