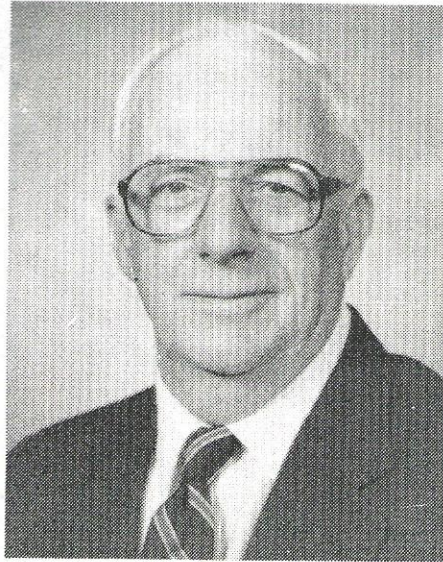


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Otsego County Fair Premium Book  
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To

**J. RICHARD YUILL**



J. Richard Yuill, better known as Dick, was born in Vanderbilt. He attended the Vanderbilt Area School and graduated from Gaylord High School. Dick worked for Higgins Industry for 42 years until his retirement from active service in 1981. At the time of his retirement he was plant manager. Higgins Industry has retained Dick in an advisory capacity. He is also on the Board of Directors of Higgins Industry and also Tube Forming Inc.

Dick and his wife, Jeanne, have two children and 4 grandchildren living in the Detroit area. Jeanne taught school in Detroit, Vanderbilt and Gaylord before retiring after 24 years of teaching.

Dick has been on the Otsego County Board of Commissioners for 11 years and is currently Chairman of the Board of Commissioners; a position he has held for

4 years. He is past President of the Otsego Memorial Hospital Association. He was a member of the Gaylord/Otsego Chamber of Commerce; he is a member of several Masonic organizations and is a Past Master of His Detroit Lodge. He is also a member of the Otsego County Senior Citizens Commission.

Dick's hobbies include farming, raising Belgian horses, hunting, fishing and just helping people.

Helping people - Dick is concerned about the people in our community and has served the community with that thought in mind. That is the reason the Otsego County Fair Board has chosen to dedicate this year's Premium Book to our fellow Board Member (8 years), J. Richard Yuill.