Presenting safety award pins to nine drivers in the annual safety meeting Wednesday night of the Lafayette Transit company is Assistant Chief of Police Paul Witkovski. The combined safe driving record of the nine men shown above represents 44 years. From left to right are Witkovski, Camile Gautreaux (7 years); Johnny Watt (6 years); Russell Melancon (5 years); Freddy Patin (5 years); Sanford Langlais (5 years); Hardy Bernard (5 years); Elmo Mouton (4 years); Amos Sonnier (4 years); and August Conques, Jr. (3 years).

Chief Witkovski praised the men for the half million miles of safe driving on Lafayette streets which their combined years of driving represented.