

ACFP photo by CALEB NELSON From left, Steve Armstrong and Tim Baier recently retired after long careers with Schildberg Construction Company.

Two retire after long careers at Schildberg Construction

■ Baier, Armstrong combine for 81 years

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Crews at Schildberg
Construction Company turned out their last
truck loads of material
under the watchful eye
of Tim Baier and Steve
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Baier spent nearly 36 years and Armstrong 46 with the company.

Baier most recently was sales manager and Armstrong was general superintendent.

Both men worked in harmony with each other for a long time, meeting weekly to discuss various accounts and the endless relationship between sales and production.

Under Armstrong's careful watch, there were seven crushing and four stripping crews regularly operating. Their day-by-day production was ultimately his responsibility.

"I was just ready. I was ready to do what I want, to have freedom," Armstrong said of the decision to call it quits.

Armstrong isn't the first generation of his family to work at Schildberg Construction. His dad, Verle, worked there for 45 years, and the father-son duo's careers overlapped. Others in his family have also worked for Schildbergs.

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