



bradley News

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SAFETY COMMITTEE

Every four months the membership of the Plant Safety Committee changes - two members, who have served a year, leave the committee and are replaced by two new members. Pictured are retiring members WALTER BISHOP on the right and HAROLD KARLSTROM on the left just after they have turned their committee badges over to their successors JIM MALLANEY and RAY ARSENEAU. HAROLD and WALTER were presented gifts in recognition of their service.

FLU SHOTS

In answer to several inquiries received recently Nurse MARGE RYAN announces that flu shots will be given again this year and all employees will have the opportunity to receive them. The dates and times will be announced later.

FOR SALE: 1968 Chevy II, 6-cyl, automatic drive. One owner. Very good condition, 29,000 actual miles. \$1100.00 - Call 933-1463.

FOR SALE: 1964 Malibu 283. Hurst 3 speed. Nice interior. Call 427-6135.

FOR SALE: New boat trailer tires. One 4.80/400 - 12 in., 4 ply. and one 4.70/500 - 8 in. \$5.00 each. Call 932-4252.

FOR RENT: Pleasant 5 room upper unfurnished apartment. Inside stairways. Close to downtown Kankakee. Adults only. Call 933-8773.

BIRTHS

Congratulations to WILLIAM D/79 and NORMA KIGER on the birth of daughter KELLY ANN, their sixth child, born August 30.

And to DENNIS D/15 and MARY BLAKE on the birth of their first child, a boy, born September 15.

MARRIAGES

Best wishes to BOB CRAWFORD D/35 who joined the ranks of the marrieds on September 19. The bride is the former MARY HEALY.

MOVIE WEEK

By the time the paper comes out this week approximately 500 plant employees will have seen the movie "Don't Push Your Luck", which has been shown almost continuously all week. The movie, acclaimed as one of the finest safety films ever produced tells the true story of an employee, in a plant similar to Roper, who lost his sight in an industrial accident. It is hoped that all of our employees will benefit by their exposure to this fine film and will continue to wear their required eye protection at all times in the plant.

NEW EMPLOYEES

MR. DONALD SPENCE started on Tuesday as Sales Representative for A.T.V.'S Roto Spaders and Compost Mills. MR. SPENCE has had considerable experience in the selling field. He is married and has two children.

Other new employees are DEBORAH BILLADEAU in Traffic, ELEANOR VOSS in Traffic and in D.71 ROBERT BERNS.

FOR SALE: 1961 Chevy Van. Runs good, good tires. Body fair. Price \$235.00. Call 939-3285.

FOR RENT: Lower 4 room unfurnished modern apartment. Carpeted living room, cable hook up, 1-1/2 baths and 2 large closets. Heat, water, garbage, sewerage furnished. Near downtown Kankakee. Adults only. No pets. Call 937-1370.



GENE SEAMARK, this weeks honored employee, has an official employment date of October 26, 1942. But he actually came to work at Bradley in 1941 and worked in the blacksmith shop and the foundry. Things got a little tough and he took a leave expecting to be called back for the shell line. Returning to the foundry he found he had lost his seniority. About a year before the foundry closed GENE transferred to Assembly which has been his home department ever since. Promoted to Foreman late in 1967 he is currently in charge of all Tractor Lines.

During World War II GENE spent three years in the Army Medical Corps as a Surgical Technician, all but six weeks of it being spent in the Pacific. Discharged as a Tech Sgt. he saw service in the Solomon, Marshall and Marianas islands, being in the first wave of the Saipan invasion.

GENE and his wife CECILIA (who has worked at Bradley for 17 years and is currently in Traffic) have been married 28 years and have two sons, GENE JR. who works for Blankenburg Photographers; and SCOTT, an electrical engineer employed in Harrisburg, Penn. CECILIA's dad, HARRY CREVIER, was an inspector here for 35 years, retired eighteen years ago and passed away just a year ago. GENE'S dad CLIFF retired 10 years ago after working 20 years in Furniture, and is enjoying good health. Even son GENE worked here briefly in the Print Shop.

This fine, Conscientious Old Timer is an occasional golfer who used to bowl a lot. A lover of all sports he is a Yankee and Bear fan. Through most of his career he has been active in Union affairs, as Financial Secretary of the Moulders, Steward in assembly and co-chairman of the Local 1212 committee.

The final golf outing of the Roper Bradley League was held last Saturday at Oak Springs and was followed by dinner and distribution of prizes. Feature of the outing was the big match involving the 1st Half Champs, LEE HERSCHER and MIKE GOWETSKI, opposed to the 2nd half champs MICKEY BOUDREAU and FRED DUST. After the dust had cleared the victors were HERSCHER and GOWETSKI. Hail to the champs ! !

In individual Competition for the day the winners were as follows:

- Low Gross Class A - PAUL STOTTSBERRY
- Low Gross Class B - DON JENKINS
- Low Net Class A - Tie between STOTTSBERRY, BROWN and LARRY DAWKINS.
- Low Net Class B - WAYNE RASMUSSEN
- Low Net Alternate - TOM CASTONGIA
- Longest Drive - GORDON FRIETAG

There were prizes for closest to the pin on three different holes. Winning those events were PETE GERACI, DON SNYDER and RAY HAYES.

To all you losers - better luck next year!

TOM'S TEN PINS By TOM LAFLAMME

After bowling for three weeks with almost no handicap, almost all bowlers have established a new season average. Next week all team handicaps will be different which will make a big difference for at least half of the teams.

This weeks high game was 212 bowled by BUD MENARD, also having good games were AM HACKLEY 206, CLARENCE STUMP 203, and STANLEY STANKEWICZ 202. High Series was bowled by JIM JONES with a 562. AM HACKLEY-556, PETE GERACI - 552, and WEBB KOHL 550 also shot very good series.

TOP FIVE BOWLERS

COFFMAN	188
HACKLEY	179
MENARD	179
CAHILL	176
STANISZESKI	174

TOP FIVE TEAMS

BULLS	9 pts.
DISPATCHERS	9 pts.
SUBS	8 pts.
SAWS	7 pts.
MOWERS	6 pts.
COMPACTS	6 pts.

*"Work!
Thank God for the swing
of it,
For the clamoring,
hammering ring of it."
Angela Morgan*