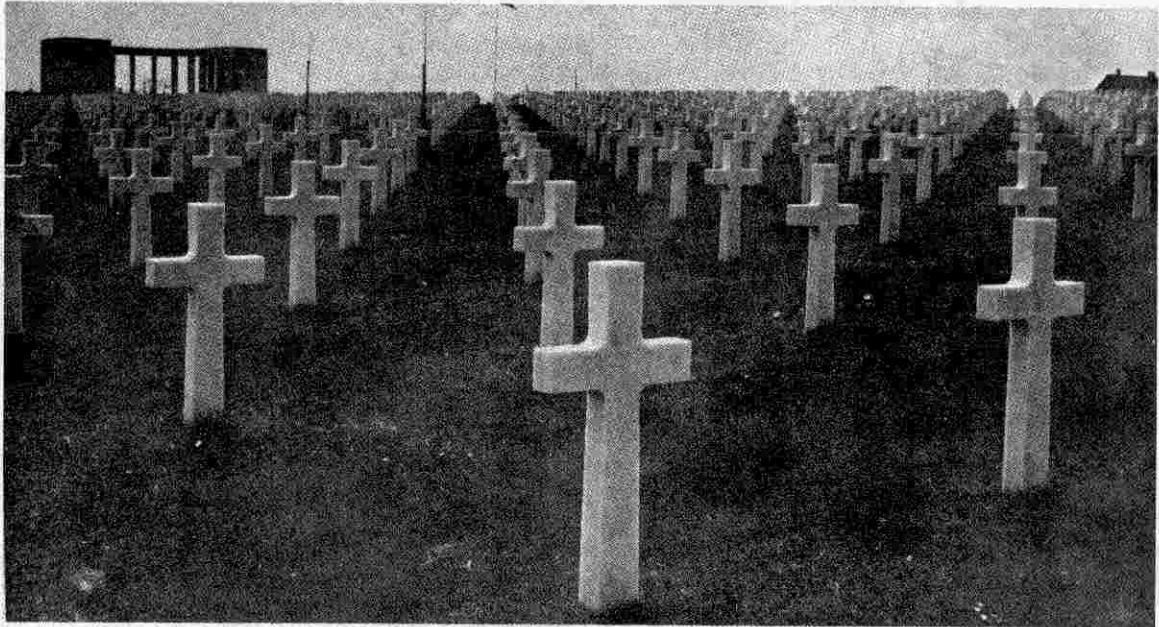


# bradley NEWS

Friday, May 25, 1973.

**HAPPY HOLIDAY**

The staff of the Roper Bradley News wishes for all of the employees and their families a happy and safe holiday week-end.



## **SILENT REMINDERS — MEMORIAL DAY, MAY 30**

### **NEW EMPLOYEES**

MARK DUCHENE  
HERBERT LANG  
VERNON DUPUIS  
JAMES WHEELER  
RICHARD SHOVEN  
ROBERT BESS  
CHARLES DUNN  
PAUL STARKEY  
DANIEL BURTON  
MARSHA SCHLAICH  
PAMELA DIONNE  
JONATHAN CURRY  
WILLIE CALVIN  
DARRELL JENNINGS  
CHARLES BURTON  
JEROME WALSH  
BRUCE MITTEN  
JAMES SAYES  
DANIEL VOSS  
GERALD BROWN  
JOHN GATELY

MICHAEL WHISKER  
ARNOLD LAFRANCE  
RAYMOND BROWN  
SAM SHEEHY  
ELLSWORTH HAASE  
THELMA HOWELL  
TONY CORYELL  
MICHAEL PAYNE  
JOHN WILDS JR.  
DAVID CAHAN  
ANTHONY ROBERTSON  
ARTHUR YONKE  
SHARON BROWN  
JAMES O'GORMAN  
HARRY EHEART  
DONNA GIROUX  
WILLIAM EYMAN  
DEAN KNICKERBOCKER  
WILLIE MAE OVERTON  
GARY GENTRY  
JAMES LEWIS

### **NICE GOIN' CHAMPS**

Despite bad weather conditions at the Oak Spring Golf Club on May 13, the team of MEL BOULE and TOMMY BROWN successfully defended their Championship in the 2nd Annual Best Ball Tournament, commonly known as the TOMMY BROWN Open.

### **\$\$\$ SAFETY GLASSES \$\$\$**

It has been very noticeable lately that new employees have a tendency to forget their safety glasses at home, and as a result come to Personnel to borrow a pair. When they come to Personnel they are asked to sign a slip authorizing the company to deduct \$3.25 from their check if the glasses are not returned. When the glasses are returned, the slip is torn up. If not returned within 2 days the deduction goes through. Don't forget your glasses. \$3.25 is \$3.25.

Our sincere sympathy is expressed to:

LEROY MATHEWS, D/15 Foreman, on the death of his brother-in-law.  
ED SPANGLER, D/66 on the death of his mother-in-law.  
AUSTIN TIMMS, D/15 on the death of his infant daughter.



### OLD TIMER OF THE WEEK

It is always a pleasure to interview a gracious lady and this week's honored employee RUTH COLLINS is a gracious lady in every sense of the word. From the moment she started here on May 1, 1928, she has been highly respected by all who knew her and in fact, has been a symbol of the type of dedication that made the old David Bradley Company great.

As soon as she graduated from high school at 16, RUTH came to Bradley to apply for a job but was not hired, because she looked so young. (She still does). Undismayed, she enrolled in a 10 month secretarial course at Gallagher Business College, which she finished in 8 months, worked briefly in a local clothing store and finally was hired here as a bookkeeper, an area she is still associated with. Long before Women's Lib, in '46 to be exact, her abilities were recognized and she was promoted to Supervision, and now 27 years later she is still the only woman on the Exempt Payroll.

In 1966, RUTH'S husband ED became ill and after an extended illness of over two years, he passed away in November 1968. During most of his illness, he required extensive care and yet RUTH very rarely failed to appear for work each day.

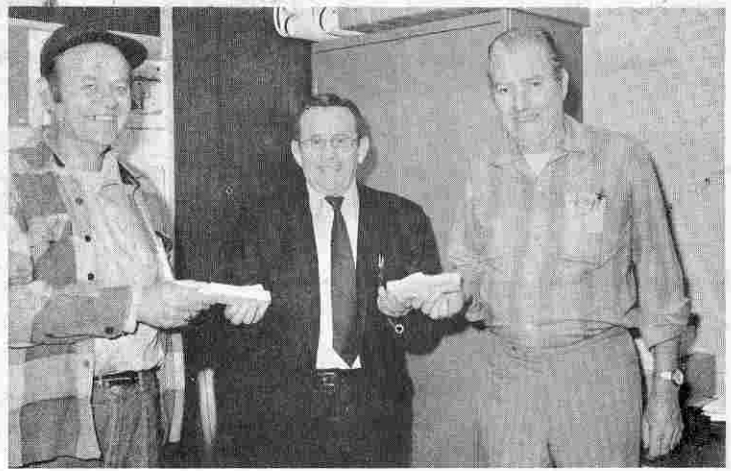
This great lady is childless, but lavishes all of her affection on her fifteen nieces and nephews and ten great nieces and nephews. Since they are scattered all over the country in places like New Mexico, California, Ohio, South Carolina, and Wisconsin it is apparent that, when retirement comes for RUTH, she will have many places to visit.

FOR SALE: 1961 Chevrolet 2 Door Hardtop. All new tires. Good Condition. \$150.00. Call 932-2066 after 3:30 P.M.

FOR SALE: Coldspot Window Air Conditioner. 2 ton capacity. 220 volt. Excellent condition. \$75.00. Call 933-6002 after 5:00 P.M.

FOR SALE: 1963 Volkswagen with '68 rebuilt engine, new tires and mags. Many extras. Must see to appreciate. Best offer. Call 933-5660.

FOR SALE: Electrolux lower unit. \$65.00. Call 932-8729.



### SAFETY COMMITTEE

From the expressions on the faces of the three gentlemen shown, it would appear that service on the Plant Safety Committee is a pleasant experience. Or perhaps maybe they are just happy to be off. In any case DON REDENIUS D/79 and PAUL LEGRIS, General Foreman of the Machine Shop, having completed their terms are receiving their "going away" gifts from Safety Supervisor JERRY POWER. Named to succeed DON is LEROY LEBEAU also of D/79 and MICK PUFFER is succeeding his immediate superior PAUL. In addition two members of the committee have had to resign: RAY WARMOTH because of a new assignment and MERLE ARSENEAU because of promotion to management and transfer to the night shift. They have been succeeded by Warehouse Foreman TOM TRAVIS and CHUCK KENDALL of Dept. 10.

### GOLF

After four weeks of play in the Roper Bradley Golf League it is still anyone's ballgame, as only 30 points separate the top 17 teams. The leaders points are as follows:

- D. CAMP-L. POWER - 126
- D. DANKEL-A. PROUTY - 117
- T. BROWN-C. LaBELLE - 117
- E. WOODRUM-W. DUPUIS - 115
- R. SCHLEMMER-G. LaROCHE - 115

Low team net scores of 69 were shot by BROWN-LaBELLE and SNYDER-SHELL, followed by 71 for McNASH-R. WILLIAMSON. W. DUPUIS won lowest individual net with 33 followed with a stroke or two by PEPPIN, GRAF, McKEEVER PERKINS and SCHLEMMER. DANKEL, JENKINS and BROWN each had a bird.

### WEDDING BELLS

Congratulations to DALE HEUSING D/35 who was married to the former THERESA M. HIGGINS on May 12. Best of luck to both of them.

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