

bradley News

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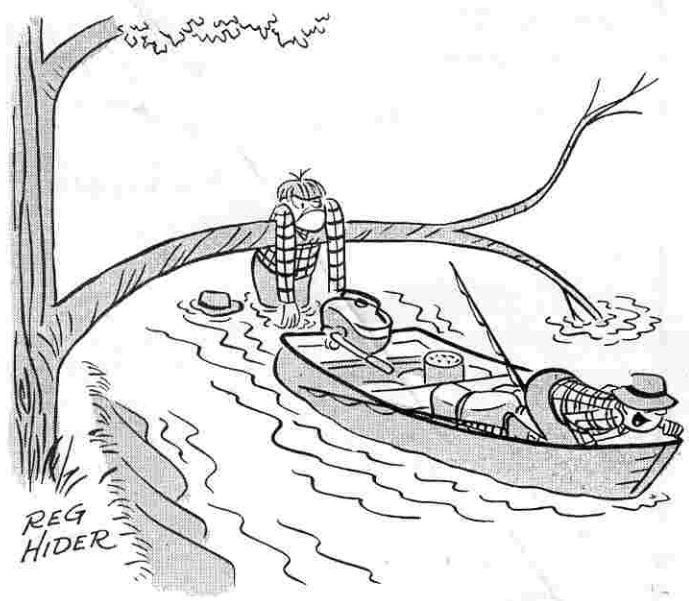
BLOOD PROGRAM

In recent months, since the local chapter of the Red Cross has changed from monthly to weekly solicitation, our blood program has suffered greatly. We have been running way behind our quota and it's always the same few faithful who give.

In an effort to "beef up" the committee and thereby solicit new donors the following changes have been made. DON MATHIS has been named general chairman and will solicit donors in the Machine Shop area. The Assembly area will be served by AL DIONNE, DON HISEL, and BILL SIKES. LARRY HEAGLE will handle the warehouse. Dept 15 and 15A will be covered by BOB WEBBER and ED CIENYCA and the main office by SHIRLEY BARRONE (1st floor) and IDA CUPRYS (2nd floor).

It is to be hoped that all employees will cooperate with the committee to help Roper Bradley develop a good program. Many of our people and their families have benefited from the blood program, and many more will need help in the future. One of them might be you. Remember blood must be replaced.

Our thanks to RON HIRT who has had to leave the committee because of the press of Union duties. RON has served unselfishly for many years and is one of the most consistent and faithful donors.



"Low bridge, Charlie."

PLAIN TALK

Earlier times honored age before beauty; some of us
 terns honor wage before duty."
 When pay-day comes, it isn't how much is the check
 counts; it is how much good did you do. It is not
 amount in dollars and cents; it is the amount of
 accomplishment that makes your life worth while. The
 government can tax those dollars right out of your hand,
 but no one can take from you the good you've done, the
 duty you've performed.

The money you have today, in a flash, can dwindle
 in value — be of no use to you. But those acts of kind-
 ness, those jobs well done, the satisfaction from them is
 something no turn of human events can alter. And in
 them you have a credit with God, a credit not dependent
 upon a gold standard, neither upon war nor peace, but
 a comforting sum for your future happiness.

FLU SHOTS

On Tuesday of this week a total of 182 employees re-
 ceived flu shots in the Assembly Canteen area. Many
 who had planned to receive them did not for a variety
 of reasons, like colds, vacation or the length of the
 waiting line. Nurse Marge Ryan stresses the fact that
 those who did not receive the shots can come down to
 the First Aid anytime during the first or second shifts.
 A recent newspaper article stated there is a great pos-
 sibility this winter of an outbreak of Hong Kong flu, so
 we urge all who can to take advantage of this program.

FOR SALE: 1968 Mustang, 6 cylinder, Automatic Trans-
 mission. Good condition. Phone 932-0323.

FOR SALE: 1965 Shelbyized Mustang Fastback. Mags.
 4 Speed C R, 3:89 posirear. Shelby scoop. Edelbrock.
 headers, sway bar, air shocks. Good tires and brakes.
 \$650. Phone 939-3761 after 5:00.

FOR SALE: An assortment of wood storm windows, a
 wooden storm door 33" x 81", and assorted screens. All
 very reasonable. Call 932-5883 after 5 P.M.

FOR SALE: Two like new 30" beds complete with in-
 ner spring mattresses and box spring. Both for \$75.00.
 Call 932-8048.

IT HAPPENS ON MONDAYS

"Bowling That Is"

by Harold Siefert

The OFFICE team has slipped out in front after breaking the tie for the lead with the TRUCKERS who fell to third place. The TOOL ROOM moved into second in their place and will now challenge the OFFICE boys next week. It all comes about because it happens to be "position" nite, our first of the year. The star bowler tonite came from that same OFFICE team, and he answers to the name of LEROY MATHEWS. He put together games of 186-229-178 for a 593 series. It happens to be the highest series for anyone this year, and with LEROY'S handicap it added up to 686. We should also mention that BOB CRAWFORD was a big gun also as he led his TOOL ROOM team into second place with a 229 game and 567 series. These two boys will be bowling against each other next week.

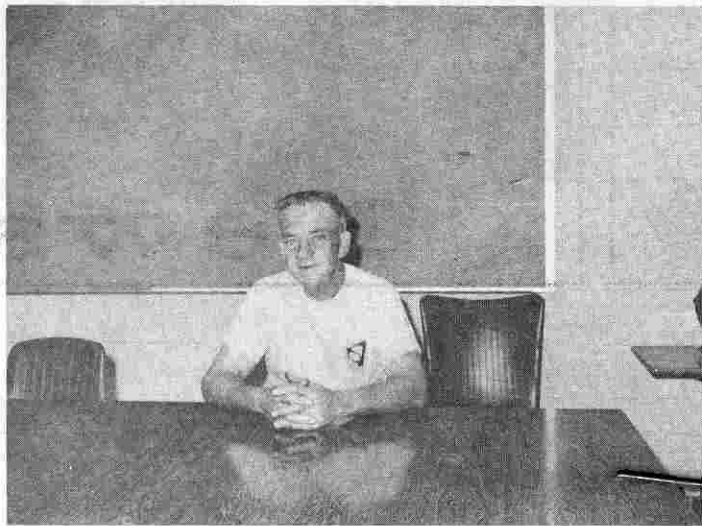
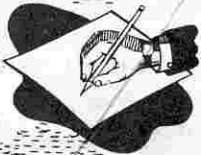
The victims of the TOOL ROOM team were the WELDERS as they took all four points, CUTTING-IN took all four also from the SUBURBANS, the OFFICE did it to the FORGERS the same way and the TRUCKERS and MACHINE SHOP bowled to a stand-off as did the STORES and ASSEMBLY teams.

Other stars of the bowling world were AMBROSE HACKLEY 548, THURSTON JONES 521, RAY FORBES 202-533, WILL ESSINGTON 201-507, LEROY MATHEWS 229-593, BUD MENARD 222-537, and BOB CRAWFORD 229-567. AMBROSE HACKLEY shot down the 6-7-10 and ROBERT BESS the 5-8-10.

Balancing Act

The secret of economy is to live as cheaply the first few days after payday as you did the few days before.

—THE HIALEAH (FLA.) HOME NEWS



OLD TIMER OF THE WEEK

This week we honor ARNOLD (DICK) CREMER, who actually started at Bradley in 1928, but left after a few years because, as he puts it, "JACK WHEELER didn't see eye to eye." He returned on February 11, 1935, his official employment date, and has been here ever since. He started in Assembly and spent a short time in the Warehouse before going to the Machine Shop, later transferring to Inspection for 5 years, but returning to the Machine Shop, where he remains today. All in all 34 of almost 39 years here have been spent in in Dept. 25.

During World War II DICK spent slightly over two years in the Navy with about half of it in the Atlantic on sea duty. His ship the tanker Chemung refueled destroyers and destroyer escorts at sea, a rather hazardous duty because of the ever present subs. His rank at discharge was Fireman 1st Class.

DICK and his wife Opal had been married twenty nine years when she passed away last July. The couple had no children.

This fine OLD TIMER likes to travel, but has cut down on his fishing lately. The legs are gone so no more hunting, but he enjoys watching baseball and basketball on television. He says he has had his ups and downs here but, for the most part has really enjoyed his long stay at Bradley.

NEW EMPLOYEES

JACK RUSSELL
PAUL ARMSTRONG
ROBERT DIXON
STEVEN KENNICUTT
MARIO ROCHA
STEVEN FABER

CECIL GOOSBY
TERRY KAMMERMANN
DAVID TOWER
CHARLES BAKER
GERALD BARNES

We Extend sincere condolences to LAVERN SMITH D/25 on the death of his father-in-law.

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