



bradley News

Friday, August 15, 1975

IMPORTANT! IMPORTANT!

If you are on layoff, if your insurance is still in force, and if you want to be sure it doesn't lapse, please read the following very carefully.

Certified letters were sent out this week to all employees currently on layoff reminding them that payments for insurance coverage for August are due and payable. The amount owed is shown in the letter and premiums must be paid by August 31. Payments will be accepted Monday through Friday between the hours of 7:00 A.M. and 3:30 P.M. and should be paid to Geri Johnson in the Personnel Office.

If there is no one at home when the letter is delivered to sign for it, the postman will leave a notice in your mailbox and return the letter to the post office until it is called for. If you get such a notice please pick up your letter immediately. If payment is not received by Aug. 31 your insurance coverage will lapse and you will be without insurance.

Employees who let their hospital and medical coverage lapse may reinstate but only after they have been recalled to work and request to be reinstated. It is requested that those who come in to pay please pay either by check, money order or have the exact amount in cash.

20 YEAR PICNIC

There will not be a Family Picnic this year but the 20 Year Picnic will go on as usual according to Employment Mgr. DON BLANCHETTE. The event will be held at the Factory Park on Friday, September 5 at 3:30 P.M.

Cards have been mailed to all employees eligible to attend as well as to all Retirees who completed 20 years of service before their retirement.

DON requests that cards be returned as soon as possible so proper arrangements can be made.

Any employee who does not receive a card and feels he or she should have is asked to call DAN BLANCHETTE in the Personnel Office.

THIS IS A LIFESTYLE?

I'm city-bound for daily forage—
Then country-bound for nightly storage.

SERVICE PLATEAUS

AUGUST

	38 yrs.	
Bennett Hess	D/35	8-09-37
	37 yrs.	
Harold Karlstrom	V.P. of Purchasing	8-08-39
Earl Coy	D/15	8-10-39
	34 yrs.	
Edward Cierycyca	D/81	8-29-41
	20 yrs.	
Gilbert LaReau	D/71	8-23-55
	10 yrs.	
Robert Crawford	D/71	8-02-65
Norris Forsythe	D/25	9-02-65
Roger Richmond	Supervisor of Tkpg.	8-09-65
Eugene Grant	Tkpg.	8-09-65
Dee LaFine	D/71	8-18-65
Paul Siefert	D/91	8-30-65
	5 yrs.	
Kathleen Benoit	Sales	8-24-70



"But, Mother, what do you know about love?"

BOWLERS NEEDED

The Roper Bowling League is in need of more bowlers for this season's league play. Anyone interested in participating, please contact Stan Butler, Maintenance Department.



OLD TIMER OF THE WEEK

This week we honor for the second time ERNIE PETERS who came to work at Bradley on May 10, 1941 after careers in farming and the service station business. He started on a Saturday in Assembly for Wes Scott, as a temporary replacement for someone going into service. During his early years he was moved around alot, but for over twenty-five years he has been in Welding where he currently operates the Automatic Mig Welder.

During World War II ERNIE spent 3½ years in the Army Air Force as an aircraft mechanic and member of an ordance crew. For 2½ years he was stationed at one of the loneliest spots in the world, the Aleutian Islands.

ERNIE and his wife Freida have been married for twenty-nine years and have three children and one grandchild. Son Robert is an installer for Illinois Bell and lives in Bradley. Son James, a junior at Illinois State University also works as a data processor at Eureka Williams in Bloomington. Daughter Jean Reardanz, who lives in Ashkum works at Prairie View Nursing Home in Danforth and also attends Kankakee Community College.

This steady dependable Old Timer, who also resides in Ashkum, is a Cub fan and an avid fisherman. His favorite spot in all the world is northern Wisconsin where he manages to spend a part of every summer.

BIRTH

Congratulations to SANDRA SMITH D/35 and her husband on the birth of their first child, a boy Jay Aric born August 4.

WANTED TO BUY: Windmill. Must be in working condition. Call 933-7830.

APARTMENT FOR RENT: Available Oct. 1, two bedrooms, off street parking, all utilities paid except electricity. Gas heat, air conditioner, laundry facilities in same building. Located in Kankakee area (southwest). Call 933-7800 after 4 P.M.

GOLF LEAGUE

After five weeks of the second half the Roper Outdoor Products Golf League has developed into quite a dog-fight with five teams fighting for the lead. After Tuesdays play was concluded the standings were as follows:

- 1. MEL BOULE & MYRON MOODY 152 pts.
- 2. DOUG DANKEL & BOB FAENGER 151 pts.
- 3. BOB PATTERSON & VERN WILLIAMS 142 pts.
- 4. LEE HERSCHER & WALT BISHOP 141 pts.
- 5. WILLARD NELSON & LEON KOHAN 140 pts.

LEO WILLIAMSON (subbing for M. BOULE) and MOODY had Low Team Net for the evening with 62. Second Low Net went to DANKEL & FAENGER with 68. Third was a tie at 72 between the team of CHUCK HANNERS (subbing for BILL LUSTIK) & BOB BOUDREAU and the team of RON TANNER & ORRIN KINNEY.

In individual competition in Class A, Low Net was won by TANNER with a 33 followed by VERN KRABBE with 34 and FRED DUST with 37.

In Class B, OLIVER MILLER was low with 33 net followed by TOM LAFLAMME'S 37 and BOB GIBSON'S 38.

Birds were scored by DANKEL (who had two), WILLIAMSON, HANNERS, TANNER and WAYNE RASMUSSEN.

DANKEL led all Class A golfers with a gross score of 39, while MOODY'S 48 was the best gross score of all in Class B. We could be wrong but we think that was the first time MYRON ever broke 50 in the league.

We extend sincere sympathy to the family of WALTER KOZA, Retiree who passed away recently.

ROPER OUTDOOR PRODUCTS

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