



# bradley News

Friday, September 26, 1975



**RETIREEE**

September 30 will be the last day on the job for ART DENTON of Maintenance who will be retiring at age 64, after completing over 34 years of service. We suspect ART was planning to go all the way but changed his mind. He says he is just tired of working and the old legs are beginning to bother him.

He plans to just take it easy and let each day take care of itself. Plans call for a little fishing and hopefully a little travel. He says he has enjoyed working here and will miss all the people here, especially the guys he has worked with.

We wish him the best.

## UNITED FUND TIME

During the first week of October, the United Fund Drive will begin at our plant.

Serving on the committee are Chairman, DON BLANCHETTE, with an excellent committee composed of SUSIE DUGAN, BARB SULLIVAN, RAY DAUGHENBAUGH, BOB WEBBER, RICHARD O'CONNOR and FRED GIFFORD.

This committee will be in contact with you and even though our employment is down at present, we hope that we can again, shoulder our share of the load as we have done in the past.

Remember the old saying, "Don't give till it hurts, Give till it feels good".



**OLD TIMER OF THE WEEK**

This week's Honored Employee EDWARD "EDDIE" CIERYCA came to work at Bradley on August 29, 1941. His first job was running the drop hammer. When the Swagers came in he transferred to that job, and when they were moved into the Cutting-In-Room EDDIE went right along. He is presently a crane helper in D/81. His entire career has been in the Blacksmith area.

During World War II EDDIE spent almost three and a half years in service. While stationed at Jefferson Barracks he took a mechanical aptitude test which resulted in his being moved into the Air Corps, and into a succession of schools: Randolph Field, Texas, San Diego B24 school, Fort Worth, San Diego B32 school, Pensacola, and Willow Run, Michigan. Just when he was slated for an overseas assignment he was pulled out of the group because he had too many points. His service lasted from May '42 to November '45.

EDDIE and his wife Frances have been married for 33 years. Tragedy befell the family since EDDIE was the Old Timer in 1970, having lost his son Paul in a drowning accident. Son Edward, who worked in the Machine Shop is now the jailer at the County Jail. EDDIE and his wife also have one grandson.

Fishing is still his only real hobby, but he is still an ardent Cub fan, (and that takes a little doing these days). EDDIE says his wife is as much a Cub fan as he is. In fact, she keeps score during all the ball games.

EDDIE'S brother "Kingfish" (and perhaps most famous bartender) is also employed as a Fork Lift Operator at Bradley.

## FLU SHOTS

We are again offering an influenza vaccine program to all employees. This program is entirely voluntary, and we are happy to make it available.

Experience has shown that the use of the influenza vaccine has enabled many people to avoid influenza, or to have a much lighter case and one of short duration. This is not a "cold shot" but does provide good immunity to influenza.

Following vaccination, protection usually develops within a week or ten days and usually continues from three to six weeks. Only a very small percentage of those who receive the vaccination experience a mild reaction. This is usually in the form of slight aching soreness of the arms, chilliness and sometimes a slight elevation of temperature.

As a word of caution, if you know that you are allergic to eggs, chicken feathers or chicken you are not advised to receive this vaccine. Your family physician is unquestionably acquainted with influenza vaccine and you may wish to consult with him before participation in the program.

This years program will be given in a series of two immunizations and will include both types A, B and Hong Kong strain, and for those receiving it for the first time, however, the booster shot (which is only one shot) is given to those who have been receiving the vaccine over the past several years.

If you desire to receive the vaccine, please come to the First Aid and sign your name on the form. This is for the purpose of purchasing the right amount of vaccine.

Anyone now on layoff but returning by November 17, may receive them. A date for the shots will be announced at a later date.

### "NOBODY MISSES THE "5" PIN?"

By Stan Butler

Thanks to BRUCE COURVILLE we finally have our 10th. team. Now I am able with the help of some late night working to put out a sheet on the standings of the teams.

Everyone must have had a bad week end before the 22nd, as RALPH DOERHING rolled high game of 194. What happened to all our "200" bowlers? Good series were turned in by E. PERKINS 537, R. HIRT 512, B. CRAWFORD 503, J. HAMPTON 502, and L. MCQUILLIN 501.

We had some people with sharp eyes or good luck in the split division. The 5 - 7 was picked up by L. MATHEWS & P. GIBSON, 5 - 7 - 9 by L. MCQUILLIN, 4 - 10 by J. LEVEQUE, 5 - 10 by L. FORBES, 2 - 7 - 9 by A. GUENETTE and the 9 - 6 by BRIAN ALBERS.

Let's see a bunch of "200" games next week now that we have established averages.

## GOLF LEAGUE

Roper Outdoor Products, Bradley Division, Men's Golf League held its final outing on September 20, 1975 at Southshore Golf Course.

The weather was a bit windy and chilly, but thanks to the refreshment cart drivers, Sam Schmidt, Tom Seymour and John Grimes, everyone playing had enough ham sandwiches and liquid refreshments in them to keep the wind from blowing them away.

Following the 18 hole match, a delicious beef and chicken buffet was served to the fifty-nine members present.

Season prize money and final outing prizes and trophies were awarded as follows:

Trophies were awarded to the champion team of R. SCHLEMMER & R. WARMOTH followed by the Runner-Ups, the team of R. MULVIHILL & T. JONES.

Low Gross in Class "A" went to M. BOULE with a 82, and in Class "B" to R. BOUDREAU with a 94.

Low Net Class "A" was won by G. LAROCHE with a 63, and in Class "B" low net was won by O. MILLER with a 61.

Longest Drive No. 2 was won by H. GRUMISH in Class "A" and by R. WILLIAMSON in Class "B".

Longest Drive No. 16 went to T. BROWN in Class "A" and R. BOUDREAU in Class "B".

Closest to Pin No. 7 went to G. BINGLEY in Class "A". Closest to Pin No. 14 was won by D. JENKINS in Class "A" along with M. PUFFER in Class "B".

Low Nets Regular in Class "A" were LAROCHE with a 63, 2nd PERKINS 65, a tie at 3rd between SCHLEMMER & TANNER with 71, and 4th KEROUAC 73.

Low Nets Regular in Class "B" were MILLER with a 61, 2nd POWER 70, 3rd BOUDREAU 72, 4th WILLIAMS 73, and 5th WARMOTH with a 75.

Low Net Alternates in Class "A" were HANNERS 69, a tie at 2nd between GRUMISH & JENKINS with 72, 3rd GINERIS 74 and 4th DOMINICK with 76.

Low Net Alternates in Class "B" were WILLIAMSON 79, 2nd S. COFFMAN 83, 3rd WASETIS 85, 4th BELL 86, and 5th G. KINNEY 90.

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