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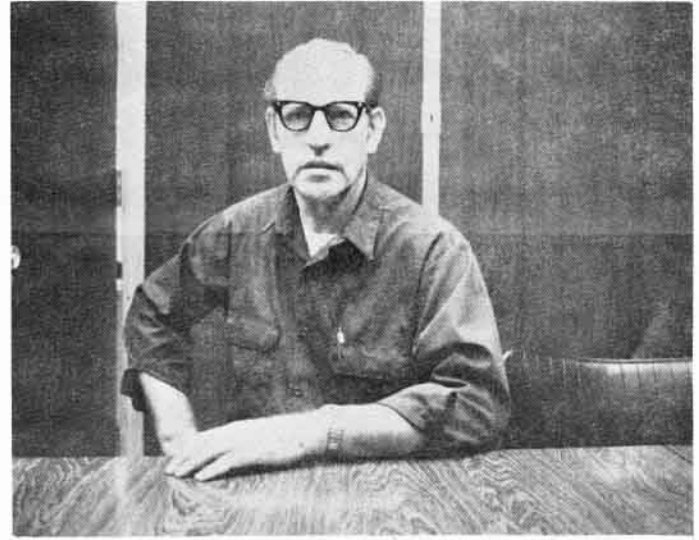
Her Bradley friends will be interested to learn that THERESA RANDOLPH'S retirement will become official on November 29, but actually, because of accrued vacation time, November 12 was her last day on the job. THERESA was for many years the switchboard operator and receptionist here at Bradley and has held the same position for the past five years at the Williamsburg Division. Her total Roper service is 27 years.

THERESA plans to be just a "lady of leisure" and play things by ear. Travel etc is out, for awhile since husband HARREL (RANDY) will continue at Williamsburg as Manager of Manufacturing Services, for awhile at least. We are sure she will be unable to remain inactive since she already is planning to do volunteer work at the hospital and be active in club activities.

We all wish her the very best of everything.

BONDS

Notice to all employees who are purchasing U.S. Savings Bonds through Payroll Deduction. An error has been made by the bank in some cases, so please examine the bonds you received since November 1. If they are dated 1976 instead of 1975 they are invalid and must be returned to the 1st. Trust & Savings Bank in Kankakee to be reissued correctly. If the date shown is 1975 they are O.K. and nothing needs to be done.



OLD TIMER OF THE WEEK

This week we honor DILLARD LANDIS, who for over 34 years has been quietly doing his job at Bradley, having started on September 3, 1941. His first job was in the Foundry and he stayed there till it closed. He then transferred to Furniture and, sure enough, was there until it was discontinued. He likes to recall that his first foreman in furniture was HARRY GRUMISH, who has come a long way since. DILLARD now works in Assembly and certainly hopes he won't help to close it up.

During World War II DILLARD spent almost 4 years as Crew Chief for a fighter squadron ground crew in the Army Air Force. After extensive schooling in the states he followed the invasion route all the way up the islands from Australia to the Philippines. He was a Staff Sgt. by discharge time.

DILLARD and his wife Thelma have been married for twenty-nine years and have been blessed with six children, four sons and two daughters. The LANDIS'S have four grandchildren but also have two more on the way.

This gentlemanly Old Timer likes to spend most of his leisure time watching television, especially sports programs. He used to do a lot of hunting but has given it up several years ago. He has enjoyed practically all the years of his employment here very much.

FOR SALE: Like new red and white ¾ Ton Pick-Up. Cap. Call 698-2552 after 6 P.M.

SERVICE PLATEAUS - NOVEMBER

	39 Years	
Thomas Travis	Foreman D/94	11-18-36
Howard Davis	D/25	11-20-36
Harold Wetmore	D/88	11-30-36
	33 Years	
Lyle Gordon	D/10	11-25-42
	32 Years	
Jack Raines	D/91	11-22-43
	30 Years	
Richard Sommer	D/10	11-19-45
Steve Forgacs	D/25	11-27-45
	25 Years	
Herman Goll	D/91	11-30-50
	15 Years	
George Walrabenstein	D/71	11-21-60
	10 Years	
Earl Rayburn	D/15	11-15-65
Peter Safiran	D/25	11-16-65
Thomas Merten	D/70	11-18-65
Harold Sikma	D/70	11-22-65
Vernell Bell	D/15	11-22-65
	5 Years	
Douglas Dankel	Engineering	11-02-70
Charles Cassidy	Sales	11-04-70
Donna Bernicky	Receiving	11-30-70

"NOBODY MISSES THE "5" PIN?"

by Stan Butler

One of our new bowlers decided Monday night to show the rest of us how it should be done, so he bowled 100 pins over his average. RAY WILLIAMS average is or was 119 and he rolled 219. Nice going RAY.

BOBBIE CRAWFORD is still at it with an average of 179 to lead the league. He bowled a 244-596. We had several good games and series with WILLIAMS 219, R. FORBES 209, ANDERSON 202-508, T. DUPUIS 525, MATHEWS 516, ESSINGTON & LAFOND 510, BLANCHETTE 506, B. ALBERS 505 and DANKEL with an even 500.

Splits were picked up by STANISZESKI 4 - 7 - 9 and W. DUPUIS 5 - 7.

Team standings as of 30 games bowled are:

Stores	27	Welders	19
Assembly	24	Painters	18
Tool Room	23	Engineers	17½
Truckers	22	Office	16
Maintenance	19½	Dispatchers	14

FOOTNOTE

Any footwear salesman can tell you that if the shoe fits it's the wrong color!

OFT-TOLD TALE

Too often we find ourselves looking at the world through woes-colored glasses.

THICKER THAN WATER

Then there were the two red corpuscles who loved in vein.



"I think, Mr. Cargil, that this would be a good time to consider giving up smoking."

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