

bradley NEWS

Friday, August 6, 1976

CORPORATE CHANGES

The Roper Corporation Board of Directors met in Kankakee last week and the following changes in corporate structure were approved.

The Office of the Chairman was created by the Board of Directors of the Roper Corporation. The office will be shared by C.M. HOOVER who continues as Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, and JAMIE C. GIBSON, who was elected President and Chief Operating Officer. MR. HOOVER, who had previously carried the title of President, stated that members of the Office of the Chairman will share "concurrent responsibility and authority over all company activities". As Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, MR. HOOVER remains the Corporate Head, with ultimate responsibility for the overall direction and performance of the Company. MR. GIBSON was also elected as a member of the Board of Directors.

Four other executive appointments also were announced by the Board. ROBERT E. COOK, Secretary-Treasurer, was elected Corporate Vice-President-Administration in addition to his duties as Secretary-Treasurer. J. WILLIAM BARNARD, Corporate Controller, was elected a Corporate Vice-President, LAWRENCE D. BROBST, presently Executive Vice-President, Roper Lawn Products Company, was elected Corporate Vice-President and named President, Roper Lawn Products Company. WILLIAM C. WAGGONER, was named Senior Vice-President. He will continue as Chief Financial Officer with additional responsibility in the area of Corporate planning.

BOWLING

It is still only the middle of summer but TERRY DUPUIS, secretary of the Roper Bowling League, reminds the bowlers that the beginning of the season is just a little over a month away. The league will begin play on Monday, September 13th, at 6:30 P.M. at Gala Lanes. TERRY earnestly requests that all who plan to bowl this season should contact ERNIE PERKINS, STANLEY BUTLER or BOBBY CRAWFORD as soon as possible.

MISSING LINK

Our son's going off to college;
Our daughter's getting wed;
I'm thinking of a summer place
(Or skiing lodge, instead);
My wife's out shopping for a gown
To wear at the company bash;
My family's very big on plans—
Now all we need's the cash.

BLOOD PROGRAM

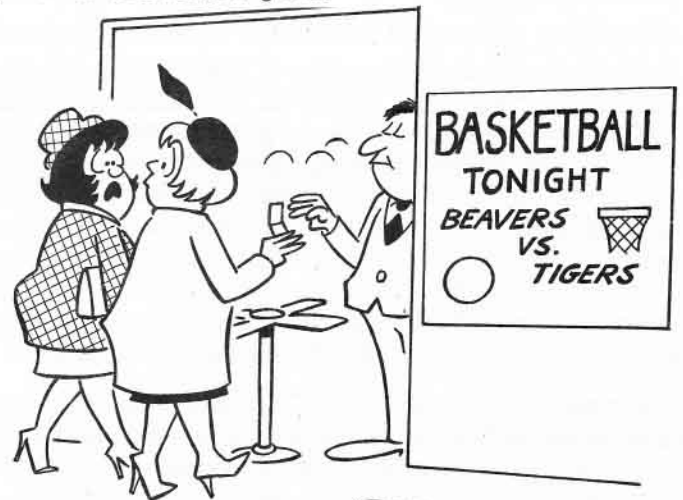
The local chapter of the Red Cross has just released the latest list of blood donors. Among those who gave were the following Roper Outdoor Products employees. We feel that these people should be congratulated, especially since some of them are on layoff.

John Johnson	D/35	Myrna Rolph	D/35
Dee La Fine	D/71	Arthur Van Emigh	Meth.
Joseph Power	D/71	Ray Schnell	D/71
Gerald Craig	D/35	Betty McKeever	D/35
John Giertz	D/66		

LADIES GOLF LEAGUE

With only one more week to go it appears that DONNA KIEDAISCH has won the individual championship. By scoring a gross 37 and a net 24 Tuesday DONNA increased her season point total to 42 - 1/2, 12 - 1/2 pts. ahead of her nearest competitor, JANET POWER. The only competition left is for second place where KATHY DUPUIS has an outside chance of catching JANET. She is 7 - 1/2 pts. behind at 22 - 1/2.

On Tuesday night KATHLEEN BENOIT was second with her net score of 31 while JAN POWER's 45 was good for second low gross.



"It must be terribly messy.
I understand they dribble all over the floor."

EXPERT:

ONE WHO AVOIDS THE
SMALL ERRORS AS HE
SWEEPS TO THE FINAL MISTAKE



OLD TIMER OF THE WEEK

This week's honored employee is JERRY ALLIE, who was a mere boy of sixteen when he started his Bradley career on April 12, 1945, making him one of the several Bradley employees who have never worked anywhere else. However, JERRY has probably held more different jobs within the organization than anyone else, as witness the following: Shell Line, Warehouse, Machine Shop, Continental Motors, Inspection, Routing (Office), third shift Foreman, Sales Representative, Quality Audit Supervisor, A.T.V. Coordinator, Methods Engineer and his present job, Field Service Representative. His present job combines trouble shooting and conducting training programs for Sears Service Personnel.

JERRY was too young for World War II but enlisted for a four year term in the Navy which was stretched to six because he was caught in the Korean War. He served on two heavy cruisers, the Los Angeles and the St. Paul seeing considerable action and coming out as a Petty Officer 2/C.

JERRY and his wife GERALDINE have been married almost twenty-four years and have five children. Daughter KATHY is an office supervisor at Baker and Taylor in Momence, DAVID is a senior at Vandercook School of Music where he is studying band and chorus, GLEN is a junior at St. Joseph College, Renselaer, Indiana studying accounting, LARRY a freshman at Bradley Bourbonnais and KIM a fourth grader at Alan Shepard School. In addition MRS. ALLIE, who worked here last year as a Timekeeper, now has her own beauty salon called "GERRYS" at 106 N. Kennedy Drive, Bradley.

This great OLD TIMER loves golf and is in great demand as an entertainer. He has a hobo act that is a classic and never fails to bring down the house. He is also a gifted cartoonist whose work has appeared on many company publications and slide presentations.

We extend sincere sympathy to MAXINE LAMBERT, Secretary to MR. PATTERSON, on the death of her mother.

And to FARRELL ARSENEAU, D/25, on the death of his brother.

GOLF LEAGUE

The big question this week is how a team can go from 1st place to 12th in one night. It happened though to JAY KEROUAC and GENE SEAMARK. After three nights of second half play the top teams are as follows:

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| 1. Leo Williamson & Elwood Weiske | 109 pts. |
| 2. Bobby Crawford & Bill Lustik | 98 pts. |
| 3. Mel Boule' & Larry Power | 97 pts. |
| 4. Joe Dominick & Bob Bell | 95 pts. |
| 5. George Bingley & Henry Bittmann | 95 pts. |

JERRY ALLIE and STEVE CHESLA had a 65 to capture Low Team Net for the evening followed by LEO WILLIAMSON and WEISKE with 67 and DEL FUHRMAN and BOB WILLIAMSON with 69.

In Class A individual competition TOMMY BROWN won Low Net with 33. WAYNE RASMUSSEN and STEVE SERVE had 34. In Class B LEON KOHAN and WALT BISHOP tied for Low Net with 33 while CHESLA had 34.

In Class A LEO WILLIAMSON and TOMMY BROWN tied for Low Gross with 38's, while CHESLA's 44 captured Low Gross in Class B.

Birdies were scored by JOE COTE, WEISKE, NICK GINERIS, BOULE' and SERVE, who had two.

SHOEMOBILE

On Friday, August 20th, the Safety Shoemobile will make its next regularly scheduled visit to the plant. The Unit will be here from 8 A.M. to 5 P.M. and be parked in its usual spot adjacent to the North Guard House. As usual safety shoes may be purchased through payroll deduction and the company will pay \$6.00 toward the purchase of each pair of shoes. Specific instructions will be printed in next week's paper.

ROPER OUTDOOR PRODUCTS		BULK RATE
BRADLEY PLANT		U. S. POSTAGE
BRADLEY, ILLINOIS 60915		PAID
		Bradley, Ill. 60915
		Permit No. 29
ARSENEAU A J		0428
RR #1 BOX 364		
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