



# bradley News

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## RETIREE

EVERETT MULLIGAN'S retirement story will be rather brief since his story was told just a few months ago when he was the featured OLD TIMER. However, EVERETT celebrated his 65th birthday on April 7 and will spend his last day here on Friday, April 29. He will be leaving after thirty and one half years of service, all of it in the office of the Maintenance Department.

EVERETT has no big retirement plans other than to take it easy at 471 So. Forest in Bradley, although he plans to take some trips later on. MRS. MULLIGAN plans to continue working for a time.

This man, who has been such an integral part of the operation, says he has enjoyed working with the people in Maintenance. We are sure he will be sorely missed by all of them.

## WISCONSIN DELLS

We have a supply of membership cards from the Wisconsin Dells good for 20% savings on five attractions there. The attraction are as follows: Upper Dells Boat Tour, Lower Dells Boat Tour, Tommy Bartlett's Water Show, Foot Dells and Biblical Gardens.

Membership cards can be picked up in the Personnel Department.

There is also a supply of tickets to Opryland U. S. A. Nashville, Tennessee.

## BLOOD PROGRAM

The only employees who donated blood on last Thursday, April 21 were:

BETTY MCKEEVER D/35  
GARY SWATHWOOD D/35

## "THE BIG SPLIT" by Terry Dupuis

The final week of Bowling has come to an end with the results of the playoff were Engineers taking the first place Trophy while Maintenance captured the second place trophy. It was also sweepstakes night or money night and the big guns of the night were MARVIN STANLEY with high game of 219, and BOB CRAWFORD took series with a 567.

At the beginning of the bowling season we didn't know if we could get enough bowlers to start the league out because of so many people laid off from work, but we dug around for bowlers and we found enough even though some of them didn't work at Roper and as a result we had sixteen bowlers who made it every week of this season which is 1/3 of our league.

Again we mention the Banquet is May 6, Friday night at Homestead. It will be in the basement starting at 6:00 for cocktails, and dinner will be served between 6:30 and 7:00 and we hope everyone can make it.

On the final night the Engineers took 4 from Assembly, while Office did the same to Painters, Truckers 3 over Dispatchers, Stores 3 over Welders, and Maintenance 3 over Tool Room.

Good games and series were by BOB CRAWFORD 567, DANNY LAFOND 564, TERRY DUPUIS 551, WILLARD ESSINGTON 536, RICH GOLEMBIEWSKI 205-533, MARVIN STANLEY 219-532, RICK CLODI 200-526, HAROLD SIEFERT 521, DOUG DANKEL 515, RAY FORBES 502, ERNIE PERKINS 200-500 and DENNIS KEROUAC a 200.

For the first time this year there were no split conversions turned in, but they probably forgot to write them down.

The final Individual prizes and averages are: High game actual - RON HIRT - 257, High game with handicap JEFF SADLER - 281, High series actual - DAN LAFOND - 640, High series with handicap - TERRY DUPUIS - 724.

High average - TERRY DUPUIS - 178.

### 1st PLACE WINNERS

DAN LAFOND  
ROGER VOIGT  
MARVIN STANLEY  
ERNIE PERKINS  
JOHN GIERTZ

### 2nd PLACE WINNERS

WILLARD ESSINGTON  
HENRY REITMEIR  
HAROLD SIEFERT  
CHUCK BRINKMAN  
GENE BARWEGEN

Sympathy is extended to MARIE BRADLEY D/35 on the death of her mother.

Also, to BRIAN BENOIT D/35 on the death of his mother-in-law.



### OLD TIMER OF THE WEEK

LINCOLN STELL was the honored employee five years ago and has had nothing but trouble since if we consider a heart attack and three major surgeries to be trouble. In fact LINC has only been back at his desk two weeks from his last bout with the doctor. He came to work at Bradley on November 8, 1948 after previously working in Chicago for International Harvester and Wilson Jones. His entire Bradley career has been in the Time Study and Methods fields and his current title is Project Engineer having been on exempt status since 1964.

During World War II LINC enlisted in the Navy and most of his three years of service was spent in Hawaii. A 1st Class Medical Corpsman he was stationed at a Naval Hospital in Honolulu where his principal job was barbering although he also stood watch on the wards.

LINC and his wife THELMA have been married thirty years and live in Limestone Township. They have two sons and while they have no grandchildren as yet, it won't be long. Son STEVE, a graduate of Valparaiso Tech. in electronics works for 3M in Dolton, Illinois. Son GREG is a driver for Nusbaum Trucking.

This courageous OLD TIMER doesn't have all his strength back as yet but it's nice to have him back. He will have to wait a while to get back on the golf course, but will soon be able to resume his other hobby, traveling.

### GOLF LEAGUE

Tuesday marked the beginning of the 1977 Roper Outdoor Products Men's Golf League. The weather was decent and the results were as follows:

Low Team Net resulted in a tie between the teams of TOMMY BROWN, MIKEGRYGIEL and MEL BOULE', TOM LAFLAMME each team netting a score of 75. The team of GUS LAROCHE and OLIVER MILLER was third with 76.

In individual competition Class A GUS LAROCHE had the low net score of 33, TOMMY BROWN had 35 while FRANK MCNASH, WILLARD NELSON and LEE HERSCHER had 36. TOM LAFLAMME'S net score of 35 was low in Class B, followed by WALT BISHOP'S 38 and HENRY BITTMAN'S 42. BROWN had a 37 for low gross in Class A while LAFLAMME'S 47 was the best gross score in Class B.

Birdies were scored by GEORGE BINGLEY, TOMMY BROWN, GUS LAROCHE and FRANK MCNASH.

### SERVICE PLATEAUS - MAY

ROLAND SCHLEMMER	<b>40 Years</b> Prod. Control Mgr.	5-09-37
GALE ALBERS	<b>36 Years</b> D/15A	5-13-41
CECIL ELSEY	D/15	5-14-41
ALBERT BARHAM	D/25	5-16-41
CLARENCE FERDINAND	D/10	5-16-41
WILBUR LAFOND	D/15A	5-23-41
ANTHONY BERNIS	<b>33 Years</b> D/93	5-03-44
ROBERT GIBSON	D/71	5-29-44
MAXINE LAMBERT	<b>30 Years</b> Secretary to the President	5-21-47
WILLARD POOL	<b>25 Years</b> D/35	5-05-52
JOHN DADES	D/66	5-07-52
MERLE NOE	<b>15 Years</b> D/74	5-21-62
DOROTHY CURRIE	<b>10 Years</b> D/70F	5-01-67
RAYMOND WARMOTH	Mgr. Chain Saw Sales	5-29-67
JOSEPH DRESS	<b>5 Years</b> Powder Metal Mgr.	5-08-72

### EDITOR'S SWAN SONG

Retirement age comes to everyone who lives long enough And your EDITOR has made it. As a result this issue will be the last we will be putting together. We have enjoyed this assignment and will miss not doing it. We also would like to express our appreciation to all the people who have made our stay at Bradley a most pleasurable experience. We have made and enjoyed a large number of friendships here which we will always treasure.

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