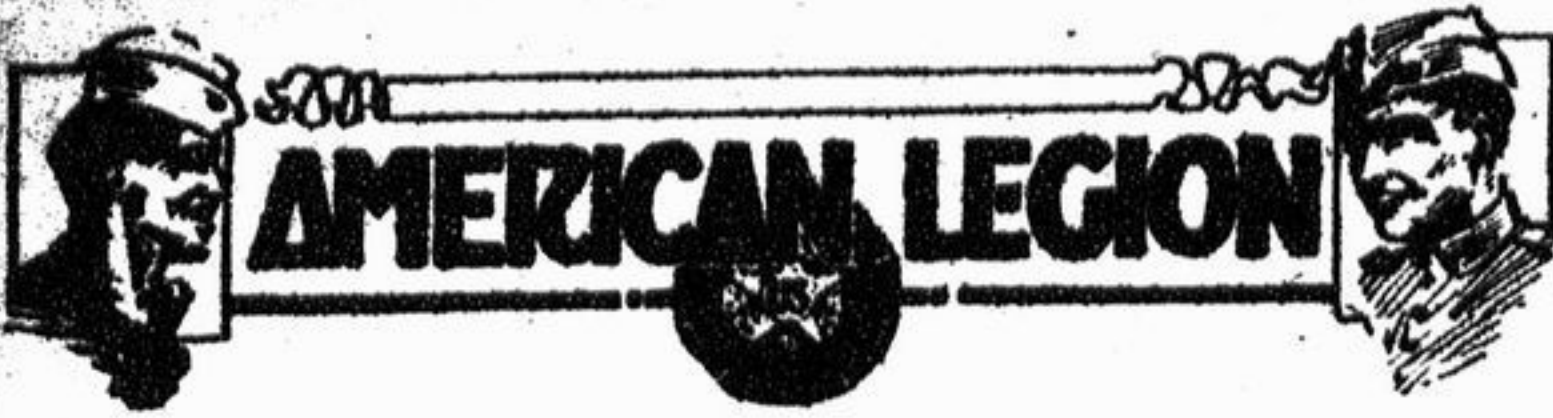


NOTES OF ALEXANDER BRADLEY BURNS POST, 80



At a well attended meeting of the local post, American Legion held at their club rooms on Monday evening, they listened to a talk by H. Burlingame, a special representative of the Bureau of War Risk Insurance.

As most everyone knows, who knows anything about the participation of the United States in the World War, one of the first things Congress did after the declaration, was to take away the pension system.

They substituted for this government insurance and created the Bureau of War Risk Insurance. This company commanders made every effort to have each soldier and sailor under them take the full amount of \$10,000. It is safe to say that 95% of the men in the service took out government insurance and of this number at least 90% took the full amount.

On their discharge or release from active duty great stress was laid upon them to continue this insurance in full force. Letters have been sent from the Bureau of War Risk Insurance urging them to do the same thing. In spite of this a majority of the men have dropped by not sending in premiums when due.

Mr. Burlingame, himself a veteran of the A. E. F. with four gold stripes representing two years' service in France, is touring this district addressing meetings of the American Legion and other veterans associations in an endeavor to have this insurance reinstated.

He explained that the ex-serviceman can now reinstate any time within eighteen months of his discharge. That he can convert his "war" policy, which provided for the payment of the money monthly stretching over a period of twenty years, to a "peacetime" basis. All the old line policies such as the endowment, 20 pay life, straight life and others are now standard government policies.

One of the points brought out by Mr. Burlingame was the matter of compensation for wounds, injuries or sickness contracted while in the service. He said in part:

"Every man who was in the military or naval service of the United States during the late war, and who on account of such service is not physically fitted to engage at once in a gainful occupation should at once notify the Bureau of War Risk Insurance in Washington, D. C.

"Under the law this Bureau is charged with providing for servicemen discharged because of disability incurred in active service in the line of duty, compensation and free medical treatment until such time as they are restored to physical fitness. During the summer of 1918 there was a general combing out of the military training camps of the country in an effort to bring up the standard of physical fitness and many men discharged at that time may be unaware of their rights under an act of Congress to compensation for disability and medical attention and hospital treatment where necessary. All cases of this or a like nature should be immediately to the attention of the Bureau of War Risk Insurance."

He laid special emphasis on the fact that any man who thinks that he has a just case for compensation of any kind, lay the matter before the proper authorities. His talk was well received by the members of the legion and visitors present and after concluding he was asked numerous questions which he answered, clearing up many points which were a little fogged in the minds of the men.

At the next meeting of the local post to be held February 2nd an insurance officer will be elected to take care of any problems which may come up on Government insurance.

**Money Received.**  
The Rev. Eneas B. Goodwin, pastor of St. Joseph's Catholic church, meeting from the members of his congregation. Dr. Goodwin wished the boys to know that he and his church stand back of them in anything which they may want to do which will be for the good of the community or the country at large.

A vote of thanks was immediately taken and passed with a will for this and other kindnesses shown the ex-service men by Dr. Goodwin.

**Financially Strong.**  
A financial report was read which shows the local post is pretty strong financially and well on its way in every department.

BERNICE BINDER ENTERTAINED FOR 'CHRISTMAS BRIDE'

Mrs. Owen H. Griffiths Received Many Beautiful Gifts at Shower Post-Nuptial.

Miss Bernice Binder entertained at her home at a miscellaneous shower last Thursday evening in honor of Mrs. Owen H. Griffiths, who was a Christmas bride.

Mrs. Griffiths was the recipient of many beautiful and useful gifts from her friends present.

During the later part of the evening the guests were invited to the dining room which was beautifully decorated in pink and white. A small sprinkling can was suspended over the table and a shower of pink and white streamers fell from it over a Kewpie on the table dressed as a bride. Pink and white flowers hung from the ceiling. Dainty refreshments were served.

The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Owen Griffiths, Mrs. William Heintz, Mrs. Fred Drissler, Lila Statton, Dorothy Furlong, Gloria Farrar, Helen and Bernice Thatcher, Myrtle Nielson, Ruth Deiner, Jayne Griffiths and Bernice Binder.

Congratulations and best wishes were showered on the bride and groom.

REPUBLICAN NOMINEE FOR JUDGE TO TOUR COUNTY

(Continued from page one)

J. Scott; T. C. Cooper; and G. H. Hunge.

**Meeting Here Tuesday.**

In his swing around the County Senator Cliffe will be here at Dicke's Hall on Tuesday evening. Mr. Dicke has kindly consented to give him ten minutes between reels to address the audience. He will also speak at the Curtiss Theatre the same evening and will spend some time here Wednesday morning to get acquainted with some of the citizens.

Senator Cliffe will speak at Lisle at eight o'clock Wednesday morning and with Republicans leaders of the county will meet the voters there.

On Monday evening, February 2nd, a mass meeting will be held at Lisle Hall at which County officers and Mr. Hunge will talk.

Local News

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Lloyd Renninger is ill with measles.

Miss Amanda Leibundgutli has been ill the past week with the "flu."

Miss Maxine Findlay of Aurora, spent Monday night in the village.

Louis Huth, who has been ill with pneumonia, is gradually recovering.

Mr. Frank Schultz of Prince ave. is not able to attend to his duties at the "Q" because of sickness.

Miss Anna Myers is very ill at her home and under the care of a trained nurse.

Mr. Sol Gerwig of Chicago was a Sunday visitor at the L. F. Gerwig home here.

Mrs. Martin White of Austin, spent the week end at the home of her sister, Mrs. George Binder.

Mrs. D. F. Lindsley is in Cuga, Ill., taking care of a sister-in-law and two children who are ill with diphtheria.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Phelan Jr were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Venard on Tuesday.

Watch for the first Lehmann Comedy—Yes the Dicke Theatre is the place.

L. B. Gesner left last week for Hot Springs, Ark., where he will spend the winter months.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Green will soon move into their new home in Lisle Township.

"Yellow Dog Catcher" is the title of one of the funniest films you ever saw. Saturday at the Curtiss, adv.

Ruth Budd of Aurora, Ill. is the star in "The Scream in the Night"—soon to be shown at the Dicke Theatre.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Phelan Jr., of Austin, are spending a few days with their mother, Mrs. C. Corcoran and friends in the village.

Mrs. Burton and daughter Maud, of Chicago, were week end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Butler on West Curtiss street.

Mr. George Rouse of LaGrange, visited at the home of his brother, Floyd, on North Forest avenue, Thursday.

Mrs. R. Simpson and son, Harry of Chicago, visited with the Smith family on North Forest avenue Wednesday.

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THREE TEAMS FIGHTING FOR FIRST PLACE

Bowling League Stirred by Three Cornered Fight for The Key Position.

By taking two out three from their opponents last week in the bowling league, Swearingen's Pace Makers and Klein's Colts are now tied for second place each having won 25 and lost 17 games. This brings them but two games behind, Bertolin's Cubs league leaders who have held the key position since the start of the league.

In its match with Bertolin's Cubs last Tuesday, Klein's Colts won the first game by 34 pins, lost the second by 61 and won the third by 115. Stump, anchor man for the Colts, starred with games of 166, 193 and 214.

Bollog of the Cubs had high game for the evening with a count of 223 in the second game, but he spoiled his average in the other two by falling to 144 and 148.

**Beidelman High For Week.**

In the Mochel's All Stars-Swearingen's Pace Makers match, Lee Beidelman easily starred for the Stars. His average of 194 2-3 was high for the week and he knocked 'em dead in his second game with a 220 mark. Alderson was high for the Pace Makers with games of 199, 137 and 190.

Tholin's Hatters, led by the good showing of George Staiger, defeated Kidwell's Speeders three straight putting the latter so far down in the cellar position that their ultimate recovery is extremely doubtful. "Red" Nash is now rolling with the Hatters and his proverbial "luck" is possibly the real reason why they won.

Following is the standing of the clubs:

Team	W	L
Bertolin's Cubs	26	16
Klein's Colts	25	17
Swearingen's PaceMakers	25	17
Clarke's Clean 'ems	24	18
Dicke Tool Co.	21	21
Tholin's Hatters	17	25
Mochel's All Stars	16	26
Kidwell's Speeders	15	27

Results for the week were:  
Bertolin's Cubs vs. Klein's Colts:

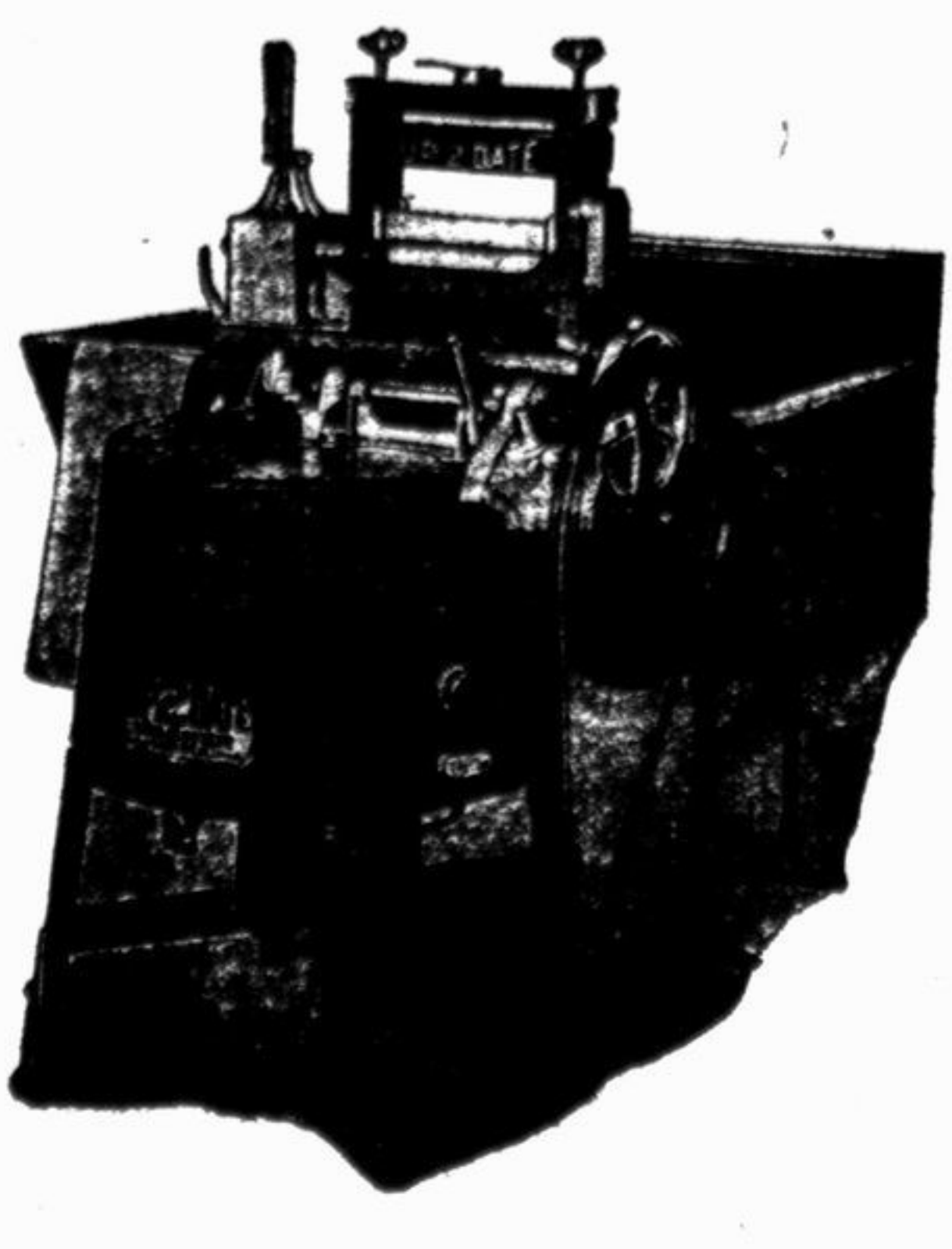
January 13th, 1920.				
<b>Bertolin's Cubs</b>				
Player	1	2	3	Tot.
G. Vix	159	165	186	510
McElroy	160	147	122	429
Brady	147	149	133	429
B. Vix	150	150	150	450
Bollog	148	223	144	515
Totals	764	834	735	
<b>Klein's Colts</b>				
Schlauder	138	106	147	392
Severus	177	114	137	428
Ehninger	177	173	177	527
Paul Vix	141	187	175	503
Stump	166	193	214	573
Totals	800	773	850	
Mochel's All Stars vs. Swearingen's Pace Makers, January 14th, 1920.				
<b>Mochel's All Stars</b>				
Player	1	2	3	Tot.
L. Beidelman	196	220	168	584
Kingsley	122	123	199	444
Reha	173	124	135	432
Bulat	179	167	135	481
Staiger	162	149	137	448
Totals	832	783	774	
<b>Swearingen's Pace Makers</b>				
Singleterry	152	125	176	453
Heal	174	173	137	484
Timke	140	140	140	420
Beidelman	171	135	164	470
Alderson	199	137	190	526
Totals	836	710	807	
Dicke Tool Co. vs. Clarke's Clean 'ems, January 15th, 1920.				
<b>Dicke Tool Co.</b>				
Player	1	2	3	Tot.
Shultz	139	143	157	439
Dicke	140	171	193	504
Walters	138	156	167	461
Near	160	160	160	480
Totals	723	776	823	
<b>Clarke's Clean 'em's</b>				
Shultz	165	177	184	526
Hagre	164	174	191	529
Mochel	154	133	137	424
Prown	128	199	145	472
Holst	139	165	183	487
Totals	750	848	840	
Tholin's Hatters vs. Kidwell's Speeders, January 16th, 1920.				
<b>Tholin's Hatters</b>				
Team	W	L	Pct.	
Staiger	189	166	166	521
Lehl	160	141	91	392
Nash	142	172	171	485
Shanabrook	179	152	154	486
Banning	188	188	188	ab.
Totals	858	819	770	
<b>Kidwell's Speeders</b>				
Wells	173	217	154	534
Peterson	167	116	163	446
Johnstone	140	140	140	ab.
Gerwig	184	190	150	524
Totals	816	773	734	

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