EDWARD C. CRAIG APPOINTED PLANT MANAGER, KINGSTON DIVISION

Edward C. Craig was born and raised in Tennessee. He attended various schools there and graduated from Vanderbilt University. He then entered the Navy and served as an officer in the U.S. Navy. After his retirement, he helped build a home in Kingston, New York. Mr. Craig says that working with Sprague Electric was not as different from what he is accustomed to, because forty percent of a submarine is based on electronics.

J. K. Sprague and Leon Podolsky Attend 1953 Electronic Components Symposium

Julian K. Sprague, President, and Leon Podolsky, Technical Assistant to the President, attended the 195 Electronic Components Symposium which was held April 29, 30(14,17),(992,976) and May 1, 1953 at the Shangri-La Club in Pasadena, California. This symposium is one of a series of national annual meetings on electronic parts. The main business of the symposium is to bring together scientists, engineers, technical workers, and executives interested in the exchange of information on electronic components.

Valmore Cote, President of the Chamber of Commerce, Robert C. Sprague, holding the plaque which was given to him at the Chamber dinner, May 12, at the Richmond Hotel.

SPRAGUE PRODUCTS AWARDED PLAQUE

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Mr. Kenneth Boillat, Ralph Boisjolie, Agnes Bubulac, Frank Booth, Robert C. Sprague, Herbert L. Pond, Harlow B. Brown, Helen Bryce, Katherine Bray, Gerald Buckel, Helen Buckel, Robert Burns and Carl Butler.

1903 HONORS R. C. SPRAGUE

May 12, at the Richmond Hotel, Robert C. Sprague was acclaimed by 500 persons at the annual dinner of the Chamber of Commerce where he was presented a bronze plaque "in recognition of outstanding service to this community." Mr. Sprague commented about his work in the Navy, how he has worked consistently toward the goal of a "sound and stable business." He said that our efforts have paid off, and "we hope to be an important part of the community for many years to come." Certificates were awarded by Court-ney W. Flanders, to the participants in the Chamber sponsored Management Training Classes "Techniques of Super-

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Philip Talarico Elected Chairman of the B. C. T. A.

Community Relations, was elected to the board of directors as the representative for the manufacturing division. He has been an active member of the Chamber for the past three years. He will carry out his duties starting in June, holding office for two years.

Research Club Holds Lecture

Dr. H. K. Hentsch, noted authority in the field of semiconductors, was guest speaker at a public lecture sponsored by the Sprague Research Club on May 12 at the Williams Inn. Dr. Hentsch, of the University of Reading in England, was introduced by Dr. Le- hower, head of the Transistor Laboratory at Sprague Electric, who is active in semiconductor research.

Mr. Philip Talarico, Foreman of Shipping Department, has been elected Chairman of the Educational Program which is being sponsored by the Berk- shire County Traffic Association.

Mr. Craig held the rank of Captain in the U.S. Navy prior to his retirement, and for distinguished service was awarded the Legion of Merit, the Bronze Star and numerous area medals. He also received recognition from the British Empire.

While in the Navy Mr. Craig saw duty in South America, Hawaii, Eng- land and in the South Pacific which, incidentally, he said was fabulous. Much of his work in the Navy was connected with the design and construc- tion of submarines. In this respect, Mr. Craig says that working with Sprague Electric will not be so different from what he is accustomed to, because forty percent of a submarine is based on electronics.

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Decoration Day
Decoration Day, known also as Memorial Day, is a holiday observed in the Northern United States on May 30. Originally it was for soldiers killed in the United States Civil War, and subsequently, also in honor of those who fell in the later wars. Before the close of the Civil War, May 30 was celebrated in several states of the southern states; in the north there was no fixed celebration until 1868, when (on May 5) Commander-in-Chief John A. Logan, of the Grand Army of the Republic, issued a general order designating May 30, 1868. For the purpose of preventing the flowers or other objects which are placed on the graves of comrades who died in the defense of their country during the late rebellion", Logan added "with the hope that it will be kept up from year to year."

In 1882 the Grand Army urged that the "proper designation of May 30 is Memorial Day." The Decoration Day, Rhode Island made it a legal holiday in 1874. Vermont in 1876 and New Hampshire in 1877; and by 1910 it was a legal holiday in all the states. Memorial Day was first observed as a federal Memorial Day, June 3 (the birthday of Jefferson Davis) is observed as Confederate Memorial Day in Louisiana and Tennessee.

The following celebrated their birthdays the month of May: Lilian Goff, May 24, and Janet Mahar, May 31, both from Flat Midget Assembly; Beulah Finney, May 7, son of A. J. Finney; and Dorothy Good, May 26, both from the Ceramic Department. Rhode Island made it a legal holiday in 1874. Vermont in 1876 and New Hampshire in 1877; and by 1910 it was a legal holiday in all the states. Memorial Day was first observed as a federal Memorial Day, June 3 (the birthday of Jefferson Davis) is observed as Confederate Memorial Day in Louisiana and Tennessee.

FREEDOM
You speak with authority. I presume.

When you say the world's on the edge of doom
While I lie here in eternal gloom
Do not climb too high. Always something sturdy to stand on.

When I say the world's on the edge of doom
You speak with authority, I presume.

You said I was fighting to end all strife.

Freedom? Tell me, what does it mean?

In my own selfish way your sins you atone
In vain to set men free.

Yet you speak with authority. I presume.
When you say you will banish th' eternal gloom
And make the whole world free.

They notified our "next of kin"
"They died to rectify a sin."
Has our payment made men free?

Freedom? Tell me, what does it mean?
It really working or is it a dream?

You're forgetting that these men too were kissed,
In your own selfish way your sins you atone
In vain to set men free.

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But can't you hear their death's faint moan?

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Mr. Sprague is pictured with the combination ship’s clock and barometer which was given to him by members of the Club in appreciation of all he has contributed to the Club.

The group seemed to be enjoying themselves and the speaker.

One of three N.A.T.E.S.A. “Friends and Service Management Awards” was given to the Sprague Products Company, distributing subsidiary of the Sprague Electric Company in the replacement parts field, for “outstanding services to management in creating better customer relations.” The award was based on our continuing advertising and sales promotion program designed to remove misunderstandings between the general lay public and the electronic service industry.

Ned Hunter, field engineer for Sprague Products left, accepts the N.A.T.E.S.A. plaque from Frank Mach, in the picture above. N.A.T.E.S.A. plaques were also awarded to General Electric Company and Sylvania Electric Products, Inc.

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- - Arts, Crafts, and Hobby Show Reviewed - -

Mr. Julian K. Sprague, President, presented an electric meat roaster to Clotilde Astorino, Sales, who won first prize in Needlework.

The judges and the prizes, left to right are: Thomas F. Bruneau, Dean Andrew Flagg, Miss Antoinette Murray, Professor Emeritus Karl E. Weston and Professor T. G. Mehlin.

Second Annual Arts, Crafts and Hobby Show
Well Supported

On Saturday, May 16 approximately 500 spectators came to the Marshall Street Cafeteria to see the Second Annual Arts, Crafts and Hobby Show. The exhibits were many, about 34, and varied, from chinchillas to leather craft. Again this year, the competition was most keen, however we found that the judges were “most” capable in selecting the winners. The judges were: Miss Antoinette Murray, Professor Emeritus Karl E. Weston, Thomas F. Bruneau and Professor T. G. Mehlin.

At 3:00 p.m., Mr. Julian K. Sprague presented the awards to the winners and addressed the guests informally. The winners were:

Hugh W. Kirkpatrick
First Prize in Modelbuilding
Zenith Clock Radio

William A. Perreault
First Prize General Leather Carving
Zenith Clock Radio

Charles H. Wacker, Jr.
First Prize in Art
Combination Grille and Waffle Iron

George A. Richards
Second Prize in Art
Sunbeam Electric Razor

Ralph A. Hammann
First Prize in Photography
Universal Coffeematic

Clotilde Astorino
First Prize in Needlework
Electric Meat Roaster

Mrs. Frances Trisorio
Second Prize in Needlework
G. E. Electric Mixer

John E. Gallagher
Honorable-Mention—Model Building
Electric Clock

Chester Lanoue
Honorable-Mention—Model Building
Electric Toaster

Mrs. John Petro
Honorable-Mention—General Flowers
Waring Automatic Coffeepot

Fred B. Windover
Honorable-Mention—Photography
Electric Radio

Christina Varech
Honorable-Mention—Hooked rug
Revere Ware set

Henry K. Daane
Honorable-Mention—Needlepoint
Knife Set

Ernest Gamache
Honorable-Mention—Woodworking
G. E. Standard Iron

Frank Morandi
Honorable-Mention—Ducks
Waring Automatic Coffee Pot

Ralph Blood
Honorable-Mention—Chinchillas
Waring Automatic Coffee Pot

Bernard Stackpole
Honorable-Mention—display
G. E. Steam Iron

Woody Lamphear
Honorable-Mention—best display
Radio

Again this year the North Adams Savings Bank is contributing space in the display window for all first prize winners.
Hobbies Exhibited by 31 in Marshall Street Cafeteria

Hugh W. Kirkpatrick, Research and Engineering, is pictured with his model steam engine. Hugh won first prize in model-building.

Mrs. William Perreault, Dry Tubular Finish, exhibited her husband's hobby, leather crafting. As you can see, she has a large variety of purses and belts. Mr. Perreault won first prize in the general classification, a Zenith Clock Radio.

Mathew Nazzewski, Lab, was one of our feature attractions at the Hobby Show. Mat volunteered to demonstrate the process of glass blowing. Mat held a large crowd around him at all times.

Ralph A. Hammann, Lab, with the photographs that won him a first prize in photography.

Woody Lamphear, son of Regis, who works in Maintenance Cost Control, displayed his military miniature soldiers. He won honorable mention for best display.

Mrs. John Petro, left, whose husband works in Maintenance, won honorable mention for her flower plants. The two girls seemed to be admiring them.

Ralph Blood, Formation, displays his four chinchillas. Ralph won an honorable mention prize, a Waring Automatic Coffee Pot. Wouldn't they make a nice coat?

Mrs. John Walsh, whose husband works in the Machine Shop, displayed dolls' clothes that she has made. They certainly are lovely.
Purchasing

by Irene L. Neve

We are very proud to announce that Catherine Sullif and Dorothy Russell made their birthdays a real bash–a one-day head to the Blood Bank for the Red Cross. Jim Oldham went to Boston on May 10 to spend the Sex play and came back with a lovely tan.

Shipping Department

by Cecile

Roma Clousey is enjoying a two weeks vacation resting at home in the country. Roma, Margaret, Ernest, Gregory, Norm Davidov, Ted Gregor and Al Haber are enjoying their vacations and are looking forward to see the children.

Misc. Paper Finish

by Gert Noel

Good luck to Iris Jensen who has been transferred to Brown Street. Glad to hear that her husband, Jim, has returned from the hospital and is on the road to recovery. Velma Lincoln visited her daughter, Joan, who is in the Navy at Portsmouth, N.H.

Office Building No 7

by Jean Paradis and Betty Bozus

Harold "Kit" Carson spent an "enjoyable" vacation at home doing interior decorating work. Curt Tinker, who has returned to Marshall Street from the Kingdom plant, is well looked after and is working on a new project.

Employe and Community Felations Division

Girls who recently left our office to be married are Agnes Kelley and Joann Deans. Agnes has announced her engagement to Mr. Anne Mazzocca, Louie Buckley, Marie Turlion and Mary Pat Riley and Matthew Greagry, Jr. who recently returned from Europe.

Maintenance Department

by A. Bowens

Arthur Southgate is enjoying a week's vacation from the Carpenter Department. Business is moving along nicely.

Small Order Department

by M and N

We want to welcome Elise Brown, Helen Marcuso and Donald Dickinson to our department. We extend our welcome to Bill Richards and Jimmy Heelan with their new jobs. 'Ask Bob McDonough about the "Kid With a Rig in His Pants."

Production Engineering

by Doris Laniger

Newcomers to this department are Anna Berg and Robert Kately. Jean Godfrey is on leave caring for her mother who underwent an operation recently. George LaBombard is convalescing at the North Adams Hospital from a recent operation. Fred Tyler has left work to stay at home. A new resident of North Adams is Ann Rear
don who has transferred from a new apartment on Liberty Street. Fred Crosier and his family spent a vacation in the White Mountains.

Filters

by Ginger and Richer

Welcome back to Florence Greer. Beatrice Bosia's family was surprised to receive a phone call from her brother, Wilfred, who had just arrived at the Navy station in New York the day before. Wilfred had been stationed in Germany and India for quite a while. June Sherman is still at work in her new position at the headquarters of the company. In her absence Mildred Waterman's son-in-law is handling her work.

Mae Anderson's emergency appendectomy on Monday, May 18. Best wishes for a speedy recovery. Grand Jury is due to open on Wednesday, May 18.

Everett Bailey for their loss suffered at the hands of the Germans.

Network and Filter Development Section

by Julie Donsarious

Pey Lafleur is very happy since her cat became a mother of four. She is also looking forward to seeing her husband who is coming home on furlough.

Wire Coating

by Corena Tatro

Someone used to say every time he had a birthday he would stay in bed and pull the sheets over his head. But this isn't so with Erminia Sweeney. He might be a little bit tired from all the work he has been doing over the past few days. Why, Leo!... Bertha Roy went to Sampson, N.Y., over the weekend to visit her son, Robert, who is stationed in the Air Force there. Get-well wishes go out to Gladys Griffin.

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Industrial Oil Rolling

by Erminia Sweeney

Birthdays greetings to René Maroni, Agnes Miller, Margaret Walsh, and Ethel and Mrs. Cotwick. We wish Helen Falco, who has been on a sick leave... Stranger than fiction was the story of a phone call received by a friend who told us that... We wish Ida Mandt happiness in her new home... Goldie Shea is on leave for a week for vacation... It was a pleasure to welcome back Ethel Southgate... We extend our sympathy to Helen Bideley on the death of her son.

KVA Department

by Alma Pratt and Frank Santilli

Mr. and Mrs. Oakes and Ruth Benedit had their drivers licenses. All we have is a baseball and 100 fans in a K.V.A. car.
Misc. Resistor Assembly by Jean Levy and Rita Brooks

All we are hearing these days from Ralph Lewis is about his farm animals, which include chickens, turkeys, and a calf. Jack Ralph, in his new venture... Yours very truly recently received a letter from Marion Green, one of our former co-workers. Marion moved to the wide open spaces of Nebraska. She wants to be remembered to all... Arthur Basilion and family enjoyed a weekend trip to Camp Sampson, where they visited their son Don who is in the Air Force... Isabel Han- court is learning to drive. We understand she is going to be a fancy driver at that... A sweet potato makes a pretty plant. Ask Jean Levy, she will show you how it is done... With all this rain Dot Newman is having quite a time trying to get her cellar hole dug for this rainy season... From reports it is looking more like we shall have a wet spring... Don't give up. Dot... Mary LaDame has the new Mami look, and it's very becoming to her.

Mica Mullerings
by Betty Bercrom

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This picture was taken recently in the Governor's office in Boston. The following children were guests of the Governor, in the Governor's family are: Donna Sweeney, daughter of Rita Sweeney, former employee in F. P. Cover Assembly, Beverly Andrews, daughter of Marion Andrews, Multih. Tubular Finish Soldering, John Horan, Hunter Machine Company, and Raymond Humphries.


SPORTS

by Kenny Russell

SPRAGUE MEN'S GOLF LEAGUE

Sorry, Tom Doyle, you had to go to the hospital. We miss you, Tom, and hope you're getting along fine by now. Your absence is making us feel a little bit like Lewis Carroll's Alice in Wonderland, wonder where you are, will you never come back... Again the season is about to start, and everyone is wondering if he can win more than once... It's the season... The committee has made the pairings and drawn the rules (which may be altered as we go along).

Well! The season is about to start, the committee has made the pairings and drawn the rules (which may be altered as we go along). Everyone knows the success of this league depends solely on the attendence and your cooperation in seeing that all rules are adhered to. The rules are as follows:

1. Starting time each Monday 6:00 p.m. (no later). Any man or men arriving after his opponent has teed off, may join them on whatever hole they are playing, and he is down the number of holes he has missed.

2. Any man that is absent or late without properly notifying his Captain will be fined fifty cents (50c) and it is the duty of the Captain to collect said fine and turn it over to the treasurer.

3. There will be no penalty for last balls. In the event of a last ball, the player will drop one nearest to where it was lost and play, no penalty involved. On lost balls, a three (3) minute period is the maximum time allowed to look for it. This rule must be strictly adhered to.

4. For the entire season preferred lies will be used, and all local rules will apply.

5. Scoring will be as follows: One point for (9) holes best ball individual. One point for team best ball. In event of a tie at the end of (9) holes, each team will get (1) point of.

6. The greens fee for non members at both Clubs will be $1.50 per match, to be collected by the Team Captains. There will be prizes awarded after each match, and no man can win more than one prize during the season. Of course, he may win one weekly prize and still be eligible for a prize at the end of the season.

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Techniques of Supervision

by Kenny Russell

Work Simplification Class Techniques of Supervision


Five generations—Louis Bedard, 90, seated, is in center of group representing five generations of his 192 descendants: standing, Mrs. Clarence H. S. Perron, his daughter; Mrs. Andrew J. DeSanty (right), her daughter; Robert DeSanty, her son, holding Sharon Ann DeSanty, his daughter. Mr. Bedard is also the father of Louis Bedard, Jr., janitor in the Metal Clad Tubular Finish Department.

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Reunion of Sprague Girls’ Basketball Teams

On May 14 at the Clarksburg Sportsman’s Club some 35 members of the Sprague Girls’ Basketball team held its first reunion. A delicious steak dinner was digested by a happy group and the Toastmaster was none other than that witty Personnel man—William Phelps. He has a style that is entirely different from others who have presided at the head table and he is hard to imitate. He introduced several speakers with flashy introductions and the first was Coach Cazz Saneechi. As many sport fans know, Cazz is one of the outstanding basketball referees in Berkshire County. His services are always in demand. His business like way of handling games and his impartiality have won him the plaudits of all the County. That is why he had to call Captain “Vishy” Wisniowski to assist him in running the club. He spoke highly of the team and the individual girls and assured all that his services would still be available.

Jack Washburn, without his party would be complete, said that the people out of town spoke rather highly of the team and the good will that they were softening.

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The basketball group seems to be enjoying their dinner.

**RIDES WANTED**

FROM Cheshire Harbor to Marshall Street, Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday for 2:00 to 4:45. Thursday and Friday 2:00 to 1:45 shift. Tel. Adams 1623 FROM West Shaft Road to Marshall Street plant. 5:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m. shift. Contact Mrs. Joan Zwereman.


FROM Massachusetts Avenue and Protection Avenue to Marshall Street. 5 to 11 p.m. shift. Call Ruth Lacurne.

**PASSENGER WANTED**

FROM Pittsfield, Cheshire Adams 7:00 to 4:45 shift. J. E. Gallagher. Please call Machne Shop.

FROM Williamstown to Marshall Street, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. shift. Call 383.

FROM Adams to Beaver or Marshall Street, 5 to 11 p.m. shift. Call Adams 1092 MK, Joan Dubac.

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