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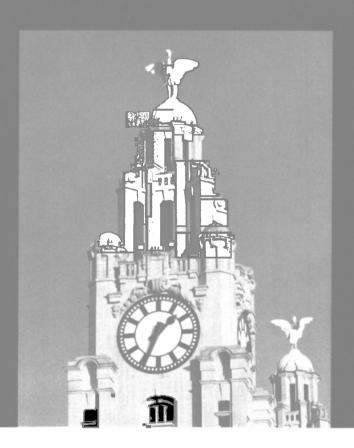
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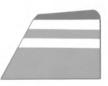
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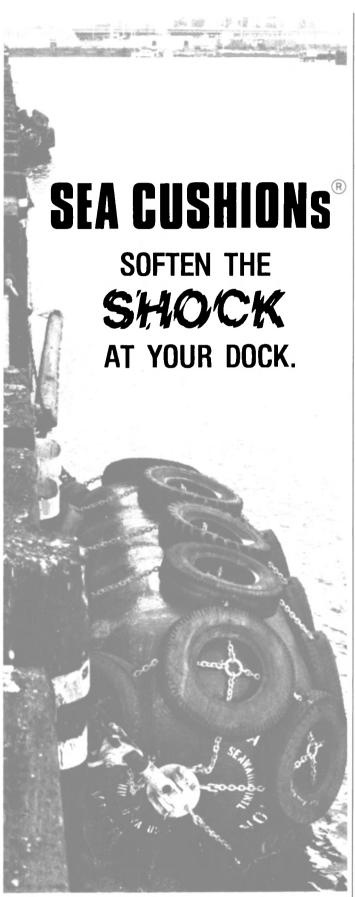
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Title XI Aid Sought For Installation Of **Inert Gas Systems**

Margate Shipping Co., Philadelphia, Pa., has applied for a Title XI guarantee to aid in financing the installation of inert gas systems in its three 38,300dwt tankers, Coronado, Chelsea, and Cherry Valley.

National Steel and Shipbuilding Co., the original builder of the three ships, will accomplish the installation at an estimated cost of \$4.1 million. The requested guarantee is for $87\frac{1}{2}$ percent of the total cost.

Sacramento Opens **New Container Yard**

A new container yard and container freight station have been opened at Sacramento, Calif., it has been announced by port director Melvin Shore. The new facilities are described as another step toward resumption of the container barge service which shuttles containerized cargo between Sacramento and San Francisco Bay area ocean terminals. By taking advantage of the port's terminal status, shippers using the service can save the cost of trucking to and from the bay region.

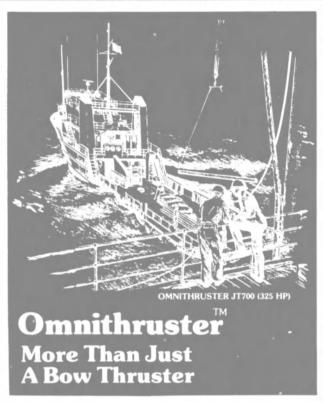
Shipasia '81— **Exhibition & Conference** To Be Held In Hong Kong

Eurotech Managements (Hong Kong) Ltd. have announced the organization of a major maritime exhibition and conference, Shipasia '81, to be presented October 13-17, 1981, at the Ocean Terminal, Hong Kong.

Shipasia '81 will have approximately 80,000 square feet of exhibit space, and is sponsored by the Hong Kong Shipowners Association, whose members own or manage over 40 million dwt of

The Ocean Terminal is located in the heart of the Hong Kong shipping business, near the airport, and is close to many major hotels. A large local attendance is expected, together with substantial international participation.

For further information, contact Peter Johnson, Shipasia '81, 6006 Bellaire Boulevard, Suite 100, Houston, Texas 77081, tele-phone (713) 666-5188, TWX (910) 881-5777.



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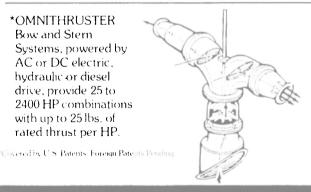
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TMP Retained By Carnival Cruise Lines To Supervise Liner Construction Project

Carnival Cruise Lines, Miami, Fla., has retained Technical Marine Planning (Group) Ltd., London, England, as consulting naval architects and marine engineers to supervise the construction of a passenger cruise liner being built by Aalborg Vaerft, Denmark.

Ordered last July, the passenger cruise liner is modern in design and appearance. The 200-meter-long (656-foot) vessel will have a capacity of 1,420 passengers in over 500 air-conditioned cabins, each with TV and private facilities. It is being built for cruise service, with emphasis on high standards for the safety, comfort and entertainment of passengers. Public areas include saloon-bar



Model of the 656-foot, 26,600-horsepower cruise liner to be built in Denmark for Carnival Cruise Lines, Miami, Fla.

lounges, three swimming pools, a discotheque, casino, and a 700-seat dining saloon. The vessel will be manned by a crew of 530.

The machinery design will provide bridge control of the unmanned engine rooms, and extensive automation. The propulsion plant consists of two Sulzer slow-speed diesel engines developing a total of 26,600 bhp, each driving a controllable-pitch propeller, giving the vessel a cruising speed of 20 knots. Two shaft generators of 2,500 kw each provide the vessel's electrical requirements at sea. Three diesel alternator sets generate electrical power in port. The vessel will be equipped with a folding fin type stabilizer and a bowthruster.

Gulf Oil Foundation Gives \$2,500 Grant To Webb Institute



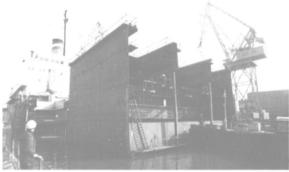
Rear Adm. Charles N. Payne, president of Webb Institute, observes Michael D. Comens, Webb '72, naval architect with Gulf Transportation Co., present a \$2,500 check to Florence Spencer, assistant for development at Webb.

Webb Institute of Naval Architecture, Glen Cove, N.Y., recently announced receipt of a \$2,500 Departmental Assistance Grant from the Gulf Oil Foundation.

College officials said that the Grant will be used for the Scholarship Program of Webb Institute to further its education in naval architecture and marine engineering. Other phases of Gulf's Aid to Education

Other phases of Gulf's Aid to Education Program include individual undergraduate scholarships, graduate fellowships, employee gift matching, capital grants, and various special grants.

Hapag-Lloyd Converting Three Freighters To 546-Foot Semicontainerships



Hapag-Lloyd's M/V Schwabenstein shown above at the Thyssen Nordseewerke GmbH, Emden, receiving a 49-foot-long midships section as part of her conversion to a semicontainership.

West Germany's Hapag-Lloyd is having three of its freighters converted into semicontainerships at the Thyssen Nordseewerke GmbH, Emden.

The vessels, M/V Schwabenstein, M/V Friesenstein, and M/V Holstenstein, will be cut in two near hold 4, and a new 49-foot section inserted. The conversion will lengthen each ship from 497 feet to 546 feet, increasing its capacity from 12,790 dwt to 16,400 dwt. Each ship will have a capacity of 316 TEUs. Their service speed will be reduced from 22.5 knots to 19 knots as a result of the conversion.

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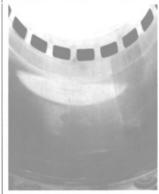


For further information, write or call Hillman Barge & Construction Company, Brownsville, Pennsylvania 15417 Phone: (412) 785-6100

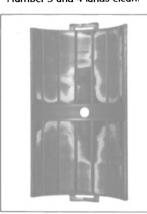
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Silver trunnion bearing shows normal wear of lead flashing.



Valve deck illustrates cleanliness typical of both engines.

The MV "Mana" does-for Dillingham. Her 12 645 E6 engines, overhauled at 16,753 hours, looked good for many more-on <u>Caprinus</u> Oil.

During late 1976, the then new MV Mana's engines were filled with high alkalinity *Caprinus** T Oil. Then, in 1978, the switch was made to the even more improved *Caprinus* R Oil. Since 1976 the engines have racked up 16,753 hours before *scheduled* overhaul — without a *single* power-pack replacement. The consensus? The engines looked good enough for 20,000 hours — probably even longer.

Dillingham Tug & Barge Corporation needs reliability — there are no repair stations between the Hawaiian islands and the "mainland" or throughout the South Pacific where they operate. Dillingham Tug & Barge runs a top-notch maintenance program with Caprinus R to keep the boats working.

Both engines were exceptionally clean. Top ring side clearance averaged 0.013" and the top rings were rated at 2 to 2A — which means the grooves were visible on the top ring on about half the pistons. Silver trunnion bearings were good. Overall engine reliability as shown by maintenance records was excellent.

Low wear rates were especially evident in the top ring side clearances, ring gap clearances, ring faces, piston ring groove widths (pistons

were reusable without machining for oversize rings), liners and piston skirts. Shell's premium MVI base oil keeps ring groove deposits soft, friable so deposits are worked out by ring action. Rings compress into the grooves and traverse the ports without breaking or chipping. The result is low ring and liner wear rates.

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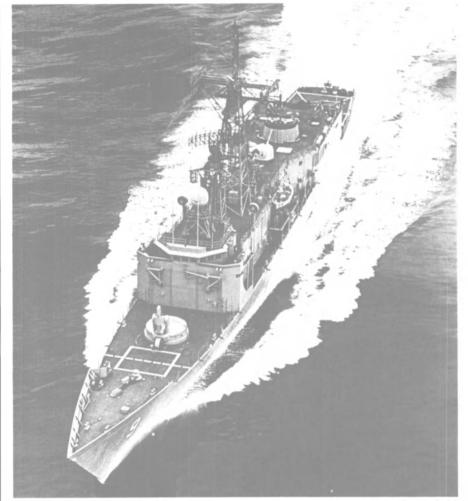
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The Wadsworth, shown here during Navy acceptance sea trials, is the first of 22 FFGs Todd will deliver by 1984 from its Los Angeles and Seattle Divisions under Navy contracts totaling \$1.2 billion.

Todd Delivers Its First FFG-Class Guided Missile Frigate To The U.S. Navy

The USS Wadsworth, the first Todd-built FFG-class guided missile frigate, was delivered recently to the United States Navy by Todd Shipyards Corporation. The FFG's mission is to keep the international sealanes open for the nation's defense needs and vital

maritime trade.

John T. Gilbride, chairman and chief executive officer, reported Todd's Los Angeles and Seattle Divisions will deliver a total of 22 FFGs by 1984, including five more within the next 12 months. He said the entire program has progressed on or ahead of schedule since the company started construction in 1976. Todd, which holds FFG contracts from the Navy totaling \$1.2 billion, has developed a skilled workforce of

more than 5,000 shipbuilders at two shipyards for the program.

The new class of versatile, 445foot, turbine-powered ships incorporate automated machinery and remote controlled weapons systems which reduce crew size, improve tactical capabilities, and provide operating economies. The vessel is equipped with antiair-craft and homing cruise missiles, and performs antisubmarine warfare with helicopters, sonar detection and torpedo launchers.

Todd Shipyards Corporation, one of the nation's largest independent shipbuilding companies, operates on three coasts, in Seattle, Wash., San Francisco and Los Angeles, Calif., Galveston and Houston, Texas, New Orleans, La., and Brooklyn, N.Y.

Title XI Application For 15 River Barges To Cost \$4.2 Million

Shearson River Barge Associates-III, 767 Fifth Avenue, New York, N.Y., has applied for a Title XI guarantee to aid in financing the construction of 15 semi-integrated barges with steel lift-off covers. The river barges, 195 feet by 35 feet by 12 feet, would be

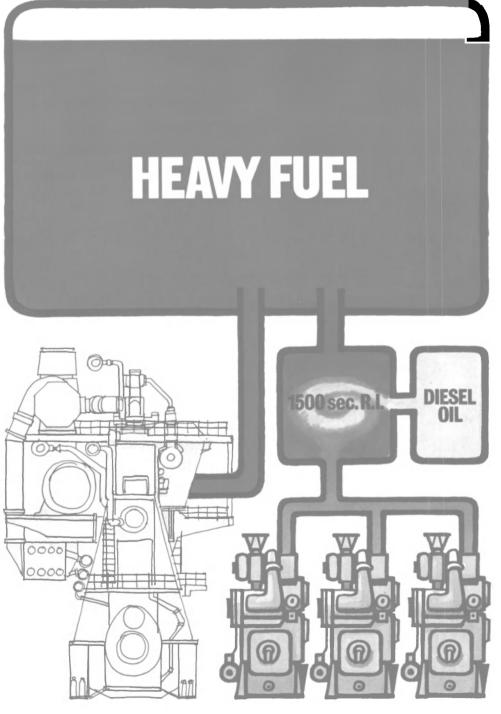
used to provide general barge transportation service on the Mississippi River and its tributaries.

Dravo Corp., Pittsburgh, Pa., is the proposed builder, with deliveries to be during the period September 1 to October 15, 1980.

The estimated actual cost of the 15 barges is \$4,200,000. If approved, the Title XI guarantee would be for \$3,675,000, which is $87\frac{1}{2}$ percent of the actual cost.



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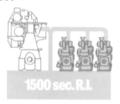
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Stolt-Nielsen, Inc. Supports Midshipman Programs



U.S. Merchant Marine Academy Acting Superintendent Howard Casey (left) accepts Stolt-Nielsen's contribution from Robert Matthes, manager for administration.

Stolt-Nielsen, Inc. of Greenwich, Conn., recently demonstrated its support for mid-shipman programs at the U.S. Merchant Marine Academy with a \$1,000 donation.

Robert F. Matthes, manager for administration at Stolt-Nielsen and a 1949 Academy graduate, presented his company's contribu-tion to Howard F. Casey, Acting Superin-tendent of the Academy at Kings Point, N.Y.

Stolt-Nielsen's donation helps underwrite programs which receive no appropriated Federal funds, such as athletics and cultural events.

Philadelphia Section Discusses **Design & Construction Of** 2,000-Ton Cargo Vessel

The Philadelphia Section of The Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers met recently at the Philadelphia Engineers' Club, Philadelphia, Pa. After a social hour club, Philadelphia, Pa. After a social hour and dinner, coauthors A.C. Brown Sr., vice president of J.J. Henry Co., Inc., Moorestown, N.J., and F.J. Bradley Jr. assistant vice president-Engineering of American Atlantic Lines, New York, N.Y., presented their paper entitled "Design and Construction of 2000 Ton Cargo Vessel for A.M.I."

The paper described the M/V America which was delivered in November 1979, and is the first in a series of three ships being

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Shown above at the recent meeting of the Philadelphia Section SNAME are, left to right: (seated) J.F. Christensen, coordinator; K. Gyswyt, chairman, and J. Hibbits, vice chairman; (standing) F.J. Bradley and A.C. Brown, authors, and T.P. Campbell, secretary-treasures. treasurer.

built by Equitable Shipyards, New Orleans, La., for American Marine Industries.

The America-class vessels are designed for service between the U.S. and the Caribbean.

The three 2,000-dwt vessels are among the most technologically advanced vessels for their size in the U.S.-flag liner fleet. Their size and design make them particularly suited for calls at shallow-draft ports with limited cargo-handling facilities. Since they are fully automated with a high degree of cargo flexibility, they are extremely adaptable to a wide variety of cargoes. Further, their ability of quick turnaround coupled with a reduced manning (10 men) enable the vessel to run at low operating costs.

Refrigerated cargo can be accommodated in both the ships' reefer spaces and in refrigerated containers. High productivity cargo gear enables the vessels to handle both 20-foot and 40-foot containers.

Principal characteristics of the new 3,000horsepower, 2,000-ton cargo vessels are: length overall, 295 feet; beam molded, 45 feet; draft design molded, 14 feet; and a speed of 13.75 knots.

R. Spilman of Moore-McCormack, who acted as owner's approval agent during the detail design and construction, presented a written discussion describing the model testing leading to revised bow lines and the addition of a bulb. Ms. C. Lowe of J.J. Henry Co., Inc. presented a written discussion covering the speed and maneuvering aspects of the trial trip. A discussion was also presented by G. Uttmark, general manager of Trans Tech Co., on the economic design criteria of these vessels.

J.F. Christensen, project manager, J.J. Henry Co., Inc., acted as coordinator for the meeting.

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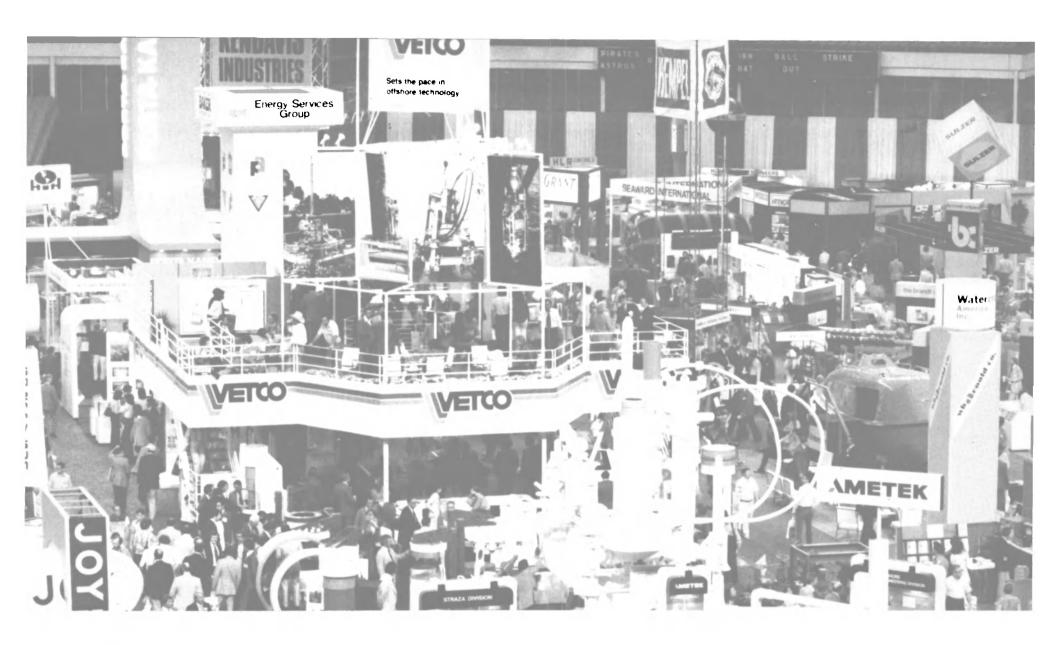
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PREVIEW-12th Annual Conference And Exhibition—

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There is one event each year that the entire offshore industry recognizes as the focal point for the dissemination and display of the latest technology, equipment, and services—The Offshore Technology Conference (OTC). The Conference will be held on May 5-8, 1980 in the Astrodomain, Houston, Texas.

Each year, some 80,000 scientists, managers, and engineers from 90 nations attend this technical conference and exhibition. As the search for more ocean resources intensifies, the significance of OTC intensifies as a common meeting ground for the many disciplines that harbor fac-

ets of ocean resource development and environmental protection.

The Conference will feature an exchange of theories and practical applications as authors from 25 countries participate in a technical program of more than 280 papers. This technology exchange is drawn from 400,000 professionals belonging to one or more of the 11 sponsoring societies. The comprehensive program will address such topics as subsea production operations, deepwater drilling, offshore safety, subsea mining, ocean thermal energy conversion, and dynamic positioning.

Conference registrants also will

be able to observe the vast exhibit display that will span the breadth of the offshore industry and covers more than 450,000 square feet. More than 2,000 companies from 22 countries will demonstrate equipment and services in such areas as oil-well drilling, completion and production, navigation, diving, pollution control, and power generation. With virtually every aspect of offshore technology featured, participants have the opportunity to view first hand the latest technical achievements of ocean resources development.

One of the evident impacts of OTC is the thousands of smaller

successes which evolve as a result of personal contact, sharing of information, and the exchange of ideas and theories among the participants.

OTC is for the benefit of professionals in the offshore industries. The general public is not encouraged to attend.

Awards Luncheon

The OTC Executive Committee will present the prestigious 1980 OTC Achievement Awards for Individuals and Organizations during the Awards Luncheon, Tuesday, May 6. This year's award recipients, R. Curtis Crooke and Exxon Company, U.S.A., were chosen in recognition of outstand-

ing accomplishments in the development of offshore technology.

Mr. Crooke, president of Global Marine Development Inc., will be honored for his development of surface vessel exploration and production technology over the past 25 years.

Exxon Company, U.S.A. receives the award for its contribution to subsea technology in the design and pilot test of a deepwater diverless Submerged Production System (SPS). The remote-controlled SPS represents new flexibility in developing offshore oil and natural gas reserves by providing an alternative to conventional platforms and satellite wells. Exxon's SPS provides methods for safe, economical, and efficient production in depths beyond platform capabilities as well as in remote and hazardous areas. Exxon has stated that the SPS project represents more than 300 man-years of research and development.

Message Center

A Message Center will be operated by Southwestern Bell in the lobby of Astrohall during the Conference. The Message Center will be open from 7:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. on Monday, 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Tuesday and Wednesday, and 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. on Thursday. All messages for persons attending the Conference should be telephoned to (713) 747-2152. No paging system is available in the Astrodomain complex.

OTC-TV Expanded

The Offshore Technology Conference Television Network will expand the impact of OTC again this year through a special nine-

TIMETABLE TECHNICAL SESSION

All technical sessions will be held in the Astrohall

Monday Morning-9:30 a.m. to 12 noon

- Submersibles I
- Seafloor Surveying and Mapping
- Ocean Energy
- Design and Construction Criteria for Offshore Structures
- Fatigue Analysis of Welded Tubular Connections
- Field Development
- Oceanography

Monday Afternoon-2:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Special Session: Blowout Control Management

Tuesday Morning—9:30 a.m. to 12 noon

- Submersibles II
- Physical Properties of Marine Sediments
- Drilling and Subsea Production Pipelines I
- Material Performance in Offshore
- Pipelines and Platforms Capacity of Pile and Mat Foundations
- Acoustics and Control Systems
- Wind and Wave Forces

Tuesday Afternoon—2:30 n.m. to 5:00 p.m.

- Submersibles III
- Geotechnical Properties of Marine Sediments
- Marine Risers
- Pipelines II
- Structural Connections

hour public broadcast to be aired over KUTH-TV, Channel 8, Houston's Public Broadcasting Service affiliate. The program to be aired over five days, May 4-8, will seek to translate the status of ocean resource development to the general public.

Now in its third year of public broadcast, OTC-TV will concentrate on the issues of today that reflect the growth and the challenges of the offshore industry. The noncommercial, public-interest program will parallel the Conference itself, interpreting into layman's terms the significant and fascinating achievements of industry and academia.

The public broadcast of OTC-TV will be one hour on Sunday evening, May 4 (time unspecified), and from 6:30 to 8:30 a.m. each day of the Conference.

During Conference hours, OTC-TV will broadcast closed-circuit in the Astrodomain complex information on technical sessions and other items of interest to Conference registrants.

Transportation

Complimentary express bus service will operate regular intervals between the Astrodomain complex and all hotels and motels listed with the OTC Housing Bureau and the official OTC travel agents during the Conference, May 5-8. Bus schedules will be available in the registration areas at the participating hotels and motels.

Accommodations

Excellent housing accommodations are available for OTC registrants in the city of Houston and nearby Galveston, a popular

- Environment and Pollution Considerations
- Offshore Platform Crane Dynamics
- Response of Structures to Wave Forces

Wednesday Morning-9:30 a.m. to 12 noon

- SPM Ocean Terminals
- Geophysical Research/3D Seismic Exploration
- Mooring and Anchoring
- Seismicity and Platform Response to Earthquakes
- Piles and Piledriving
- Deep Ocean Mining
- Platform Loadout and Transport

Wednesday Afternoon-2:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

- Oil Loading and LNG Transfer Offshore
- Geophysical Operations
- Ropes and Chains for Offshore
- Cathodic Protection and Control of Marine Growth
- Measurement of Platform Dynamic Response
- Pile Capacity and Load Tests Marine Mining and Dredging
- Offshore Platform Concepts

Thursday Morning—9:30 a.m. to 12 noon

- Ice/Arctic Activities
- Corrosion Control in Offshore Operations
- Vessel Motion and Station Keeping Structural Analysis and Design
- Safety and Fire Prevention in Offshore Processing
- Marine Geology and Geophysics

1980 OTC Program Committee

The Program Committee for the Twelfth Annual Technology Conference consisted of a representative from each of the 11 sponsoring technical societies. These representatives are listed below together with the technical society they represent and their business affiliation.

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beach resort. All rooms have telephones, televisions, private baths with tub and/or shower. Most have two double beds.

Room requests are filled by the OTC Housing Bureau, 1522 Main Street, Houston, Texas 77002.

Registration

Registration fees for the 1980 OTC are based on two registration alternatives: (1) Four-day registration allowing access to both conference and exhibition for the duration of '80 OTC, and Daily registration allowing access to the conference and exhibition for a single, specified day. Registration for college or university students with valid registration cards from their respective schools is complimentary. Spouses and students (other then college students) may register at four-day or daily member rates.

There are three basic options for the individual registering for OTC, namely: advance registration by mail, advance registration on site prior to OTC, and registration during OTC. Advance registration will be handled by OTC, 6200 North Central Expressway, Dallas, Texas 75206.

NASA Tours

The Lyndon B. Johnson Space Center, a \$202-million complex, is one of the newest and largest research and development facilities of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration. Serving as the focal point for the U.S. manned space flight program, the Center develops technology required for the design and operation of manned spacecraft, selects astronauts, and controls NASA space flights from launch to landing.

Visitors to the LBJ Space Center may view films and participate in a walking tour of the facilities. Tours are scheduled for Tuesday, May 6, and Wednesday, May 7, departing from the Astrohall. Reservations may be made at the NASA tour desk in the International Center in the Astro-

OTC Publications

If you are unable to attend the 1980 Conference and would like

CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

Monday, May 5

Registration 7:30 a.m. — 6:00 p.m.

Exhibition 8:30 a.m. — 6:00 p.m. Technical Programming 9:30 a.m. — 12 noon 2:30 p.m. — 5:00 p.m.

Tuesday, May 6

Registration

8:00 a.m. — 6:00 p.m.

Exhibition 8:30 a.m. — 6:00 p.m.

Technical Programming 9:30 a.m. — 12 noon 2:30 p.m. — 5:00 p.m.

Awards Luncheon 12:15 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Wednesday, May 7 Registration

8:00 a.m. — 6:00 p.m. Exhibition

8:30 a.m. — 6:00 p.m. Technical Programming

9:30 a.m. — 12 noon 2:30 p.m. — 5:00 p.m.

Thursday, May 8 Registration

8:00 a.m. — 3:00 p.m. Exhibition

8:30 a.m. — 3:00 p.m. Technical Programming

9:30 a.m. — 12 noon

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Sets of Proceedings from previous Conferences and past editions of the Indexes—listing subjects and authors for papers presented at the 1969-1979 Conferences — can be obtained at the same address.

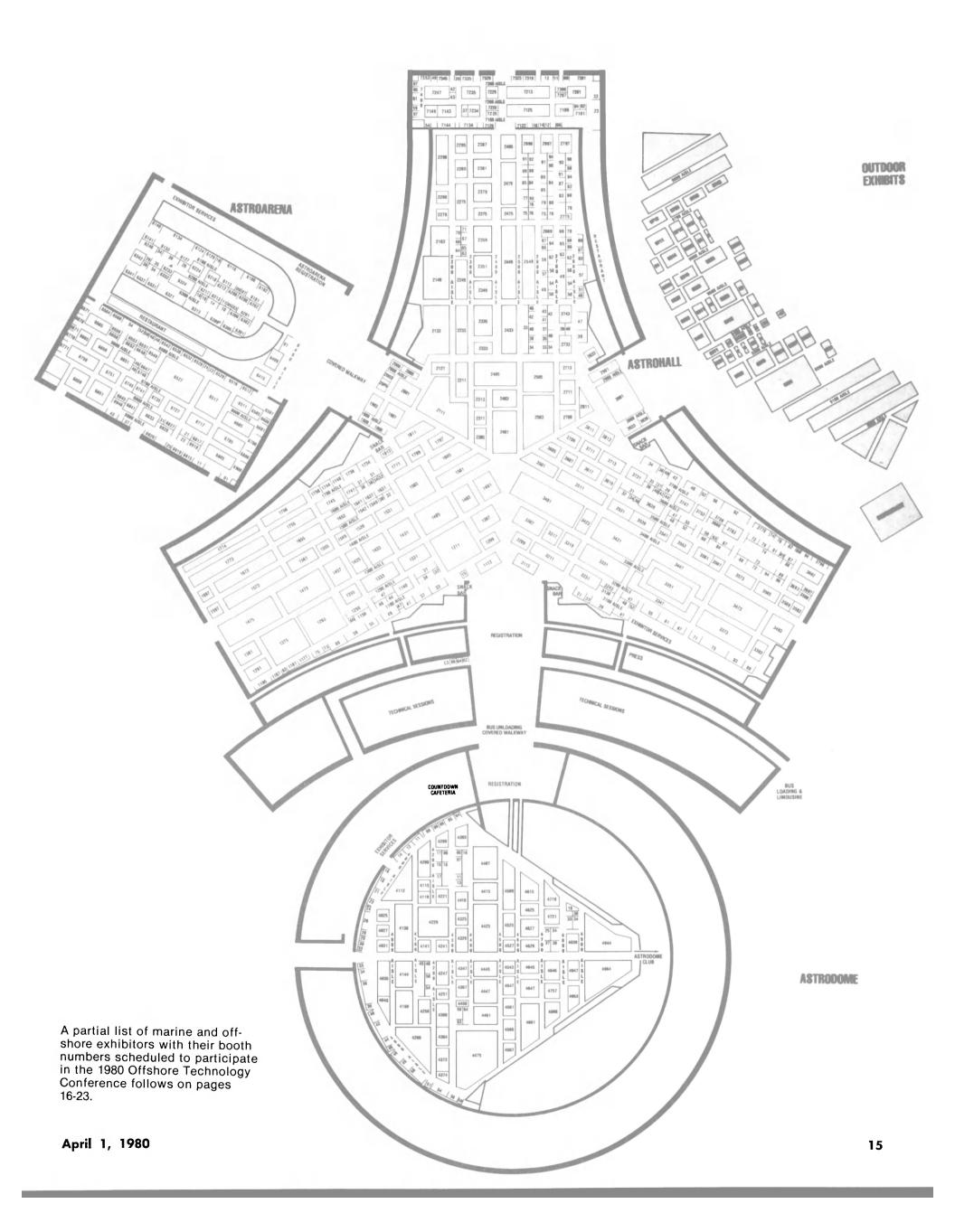
Food Service

The Astrodomain provides the OTC registrant with many choices of food at one of the many snack stands, or at a sit-down meal in one of four restaurants. Houston restaurant guides will be available at all registration areas in each of the three buildings.

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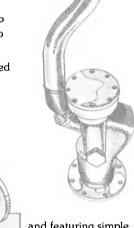
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Fixed-in-place at any angle, the SK machine has a twelve year track record of dependable, effective cleaning. It features Butterworth Systems' exclusive

"ball of twine" spray pattern that crisscrosses and overlaps for thorough cleaning. The SK machine weighs 55 pounds and has a throughput of 30-60 tons per hour and a

tons per hour and a range of 70 feet.

The Super K advantage: low cost cleaning of hard-to-reach areas plus Butterworth Systems reliability.

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The
BUTTERWORTH®
K Machine
For Small Tanks,
Fixed-in-place at
Any Location.

Over 20,000
BUTTERWORTH® K
machines have made it
the industry favorite
for every kind of
tank cleaning for
twenty-three years.
Now the K
machine provides
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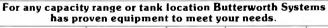
pounds, has a cleaning range of 30 feet and up to 30 tons per hour throughput.

It weighs less than fifty



Fixed-in-place, the K machine is ideal for cleaning smaller tanks or small hard-to-clean areas in large tanks. Its twin nozzles rotate while the entire unit revolves, thereby producing Butterworth Systems' "ball of twine" pattern which ensures that every inch of surface is completely covered.

The K advantage: small size, lightweight, low cost and the most proven Butterworth Systems technology.



Unit	Capacity Tons Per Hour	Weight	Location	Attitude
LAVOMATIC® SA	90-150 TPH	820 lbs	Deck Mounted	Vertical
BUTTERWORTH® P-60	90-150 TPH	690 lbs.	Deck Mounted	Vertical
BUTTERWORTH® MP	70-150 TPH	178 lbs.	Any	Any
BUTTERWORTH® SSK	60-80 TPH	55 lbs.	Any	Any
BUTTERWORTH® SK	30-60 TPH	55 lbs	Any	Any
BUTTERWORTH™ K	20-30 TPH	48 lbs	Any	Any



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Simrad. A trusted name at sea.

The Navigation Computer that started it all... from Simrad, naturally.



Simrad's CC-2 Navigation Computer gives complete position, steering and piloting information in an easy-to-use system. It is still the only separately packaged Loran C navigation computer, and can accept input data from any Simrad Loran C receiver.

The CC-2 can repeat Loran C time difference numbers, convert Loran C position to latitude longitude, and will store up to nine "waypoints" or destinations. It continuously computes distance, time to destination and bearing from your present position to any

of the nine selected destinations or waypoints. It also computes speed over the ground, course made good and off-course "cross track error" for steering adjustments. Lat/Long position is read out to tenths of seconds (0.6 nautical mile) and off-track deviations can be read out in hundredths of a nautical mile. The computer is so flexible, you can even use it to solve separate time course distance prob lems while it continues to update actual navigation data internally.

New digital recording sounders meet IMCO requirements.

Simrad now offers two economical navigation recording echosounders that meet IMCO recommendations for merchant vessels. In addition to show ing a well-defined bottom on recording paper, the systems have independent digital depth indicators and depth alarms. The Simrad ED 161 has four recording ranges from 0-25 to 550 fathoms. The ED-162 has 0-30. 0-75, and 0-150 foot recording ranges for navigating in shallower waters, plus a 0-1500 foot deep range. The optional IR 201 Remote Digital Analog Indicator displays depth in feet, meters and fathoms.

replacements for existing older systems. Due to Simrad's special engi-



These systems are also designed as neering, some vessels can be retrofitted from inside the hull without having to dry dock

Ship's radar from Simrad.

Ten and twenty KW radar models from Simrad are building a reputation for extra fine resolution that you can count on. It is natural to think about long range use, and they do have six ranges from 4n.m. to 48 n.m., with an addi tional 30 to 78 n.m. setting on the 20 KW model. However, they really out perform competition at extremely close distances. At the 14 n.m. range. they provide the unusual resolution you need to pick out small boats and channel markers in a dense fog. And that's the most critical test for any radar. Choice of four or six foot an tenna. Variable range marker (VRM) with digital readout, and early warning target alarm options are available. For smaller vessels. Simrad's ONX-6



(5KW) with choice of 3 or 4 foot slotted array antenna, and all electronic scope sweep, is recommended.

Loran C means Simrad.

Throughout the world, skippers have learned to trust Simrad's Loran C reliability and accuracy...and to rely on Simrad's sales installation and service network in more

than 450 ports throughout the world.

Our "New Generation" LC-123 now has many more advanced features, including signal integration that sets a new standard in readout accuracy. With its "touch pad" keyboard, our new LC-112 provides high performance at an economical price. Both models have been designed and manufactured to meet or exceed all Minimum Performance Standards (MPS) of the Radio Technical Commission for Marine Services (RTCM), adopted 12/20/77, including Addendum #1 dated 7/19/79, as endorsed by the U.S. Coast Guard for use aboard vessels over 1600 gross tons when calling at ports in the Continental U.S. This is a legal requirement for ship operation in U.S. waters.



Simrad's Loran was recently tested against eleven other receivers by an independent testing laboratory under contract to the Canadian Department of Fisheries and Oceans. Since the LC-112 had not been introduced yet, it couldn't be included in the test. However, in long range tracking tests, three units were judged superior...Simrad's LC-123, Simrad's older LC-204 and another manufacturer's receiver that costs over \$2,000 more than an LC-123. Several competitors complimented Simrad by copying our LC-123, but evidently they still couldn't match Simrad's performance and reliability. Our ten years of experience in developing Loran C technology is important to you. A cheap loran could be costly.

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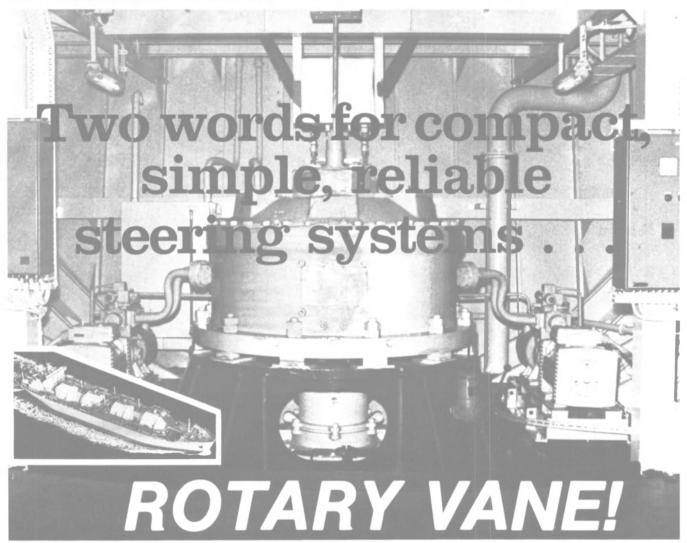
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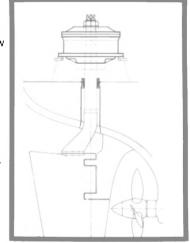
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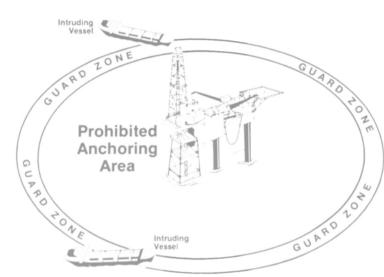
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Admiral C.R. Bryan To Head Webb Institute

Vice Adm. C.R. Bryan, USN, has been named as president of Webb Institute of Naval Architecture, it was announced recently by Frank J. Graziano, chairman of the board of trustees. Admiral Bryan will assume his duties on July 1, succeeding Rear Adm. C.N. Payne. Admiral Bryan is presently Commander, Naval Sea Systems Command, Washington, D.C.



Adm. C.R. Bryan

Admiral Bryan holds the Graduate Professional degree of naval engineer from Massachusetts Institute of Technology and the Bachelor of Science degree from the United States Naval Academy. During his career as an engineering duty officer in the U.S. Navy, he has had extensive experience in the repair, design and construction of Naval ships. He is presently the president of the American Society of Naval Engineers and a member of The Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers.

His engineering education services include the post of senior advisor to the Chief of Naval Personnel for the Education and Training of Engineering Duty Personnel of the Navy, and membership on the visiting committee for the Department of Ocean Engineering, Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

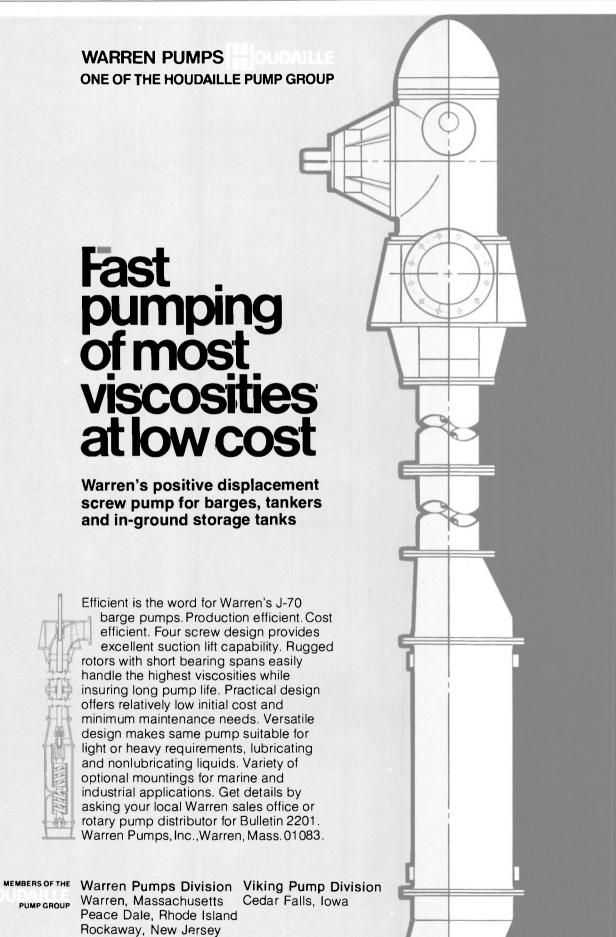
Webb Institute of Naval Architecture, founded in 1889 and located in Glen Cove, N.Y., is the only four-year college in the United States solely devoted to education in the field of naval architecture and marine engineering. It is a fully accredited private school which awards the degree of bachelor of science to its graduates.

PHB Receives Contract For Offshore Bulk Unloading Terminal In Argentina

PHB-Fordertechnik of West Germany has been awarded a contract for the construction of an import/export transshipment terminal for loading and unloading ores, coal, cereals, and fertilizer from one ship to another. A reconstructed bulk carrier is to be the basis of the new facility. It will include two ship-loader/unloaders for the handling of bulk cargo, each with a capacity of 1,000 tons per hour; bunkers, vibrating troughs, individually controlled belt conveyor systems for each loader, and facilities for dustfree loading of small oceangoing ships. The terminal will unload vessels of up to 200,000 dwt, and load, by means of a special trans-

fer system, smaller ships and oceangoing barges up to 30,000 dwt. These small ships and barges will provide shuttle service for industrial plants at the harbor of Buenos Aires and the Rio de la Plata.

The contract is valued at approximately 11 million Deutschmarks, and consists of consultation, planning, construction and commissioning of the terminal.



PEMEX Signs Contract For IMODCO Terminal

Petroleos Mexicanos (PEMEX), the national oil company of Mexico, has signed a contract with IMODCO, Los Angeles, Calif., for supply of a Single Point Mooring Terminal System for operation in the Gulf of Mexico. Measuring 12.5 meters in diameter (about 41 feet), the standard CALM sys-

tem has 2x24" and 1x16" diameter cargo piperuns and a twograde MPDU. The already constructed terminal is scheduled to become operational this spring.

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assisted Mexico in effectively exporting its sizeable oil reserves.

IMODCO, a pioneer in the development of Single Point Mooring Terminal Systems, is a unit of AMCA International Corporation, a major diversified group of heavy industrial, engineering, manufacturing and construction companies whose products and services are sold worldwide.

Emmett C. Lee Jr. Named Tampa Port Director

Emmett C. Lee Jr. was named port director by the Tampa, Fla., Port Authority board at their recent business meeting. Mr. Lee has served as deputy port director for the Authority since December 1978.

Mr. Lee is a graduate of the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, N.Y., and received his master's degree in civil engineering from the University of Illinois.

He succeeds Joseph W. Gontarski, who tendered his resignation to the Port Authority board February 12.

Danish C.G. To Use Seaward Fenders In Oil Pollution Control System

Seaward International's Sea Cushion® marine fenders are now a key part of the Danish Coast Guard's oil pollution control equipment. The three large 8 by 12-foot fenders will be in the North Sea, Baltic Sea, and other Danish coastal waters. They will be placed between the salvage vessel and stricken vessels, which have been damaged or have run aground. This will permit the transfer of fuel or oil cargo from the disabled vessel before the oil can spill into the sea.

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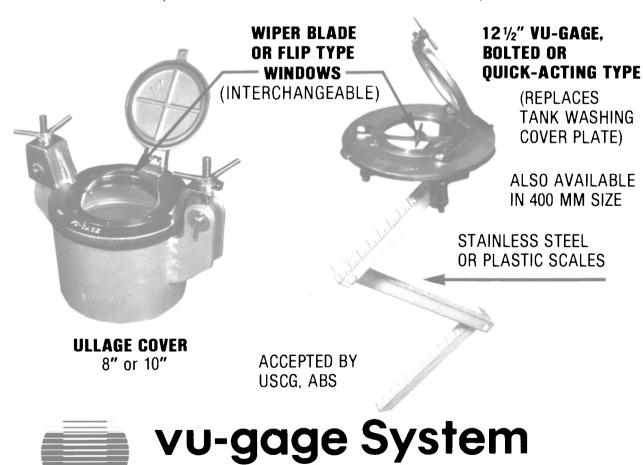
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Goyan Shipbuilders has received a contract from Overseas Containers to convert two containerships from steam turbine to diesel power. Completion is scheduled for the spring of 1981.

The Sultanate of Oman has placed an order with the Porchester, Hampshire, shipyard of Vosper Thorneycroft UK to build a 56-meter (about 184 feet) pa-

trol craft.
Smiths Dock Co., Middlesbrough, has signed a contract with Geest Industries, Ltd., Spalding, Lincolnshire, to build two refrigerated cargo vessels for delivery in 1981.

T.J. Farrell Heads Ottawa Office Of Newport News Shipbuilding

Terence J. Farrell has been named director of marketing-Canada for Newport News Shipbuilding with headquarters in Ottawa.



Terence J. Farrell

Mr. Farrell has an extensive background in the Canadian ship-building industry. Until recently, he was vice president, marketing of Marine Industrie Ltee., and director of the Canadian Shipbuilding and Ship Repairing Association. His experience also includes positions with Vickers Canada and Chase Nuclear Canada.

Mr. Farrell is a professional engineer registered in Quebec, Ontario, and the U.K., and is a director of the Canadian Nuclear Association. He holds a master's degree in engineering from Ecole Polytechnique, Montreal.

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Newport News Shipbuilding now brings to Canadian industry more than 25 years of experience with nuclear powerplants; its participation in tests of crude oil carriers through Arctic waters; its experience in construction of large carriers for oil and liquefied natural gas; and the expertise of its subsidiaries, Newport News Industrial Corporation and Newport News Offshore Systems Corporation

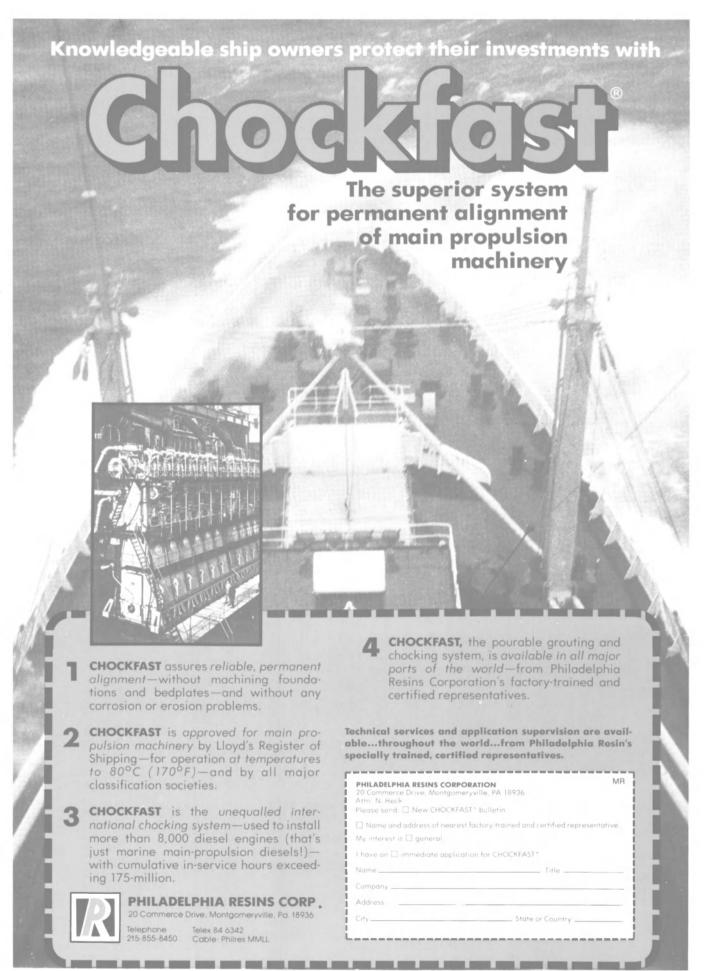
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William P. Patterson Joins Hoffert Marine, Inc.

William P. Patterson has joined the marine engineering division of Hoffert Marine, Inc., Jacksonville, Fla. Hoffert Marine is a leading supplier of deck and engine supplies and services for merchant and naval vessels.

Mr. Patterson, who has long experience in the field of marine

engineering, served as port engineer for National Bulk Carriers in Yokohama, Japan, during the construction of the Universe class of tankers, and in Ireland for that company in the same capacity but concerned with the repair and maintenance of National Bulk Carriers ships. Mr. Patterson was also associated with Jacksonville Shipyards in production management, contract negotiating and estimating.



Mjellem & Karlsen Of Norway To Build Two Oceanographic Vessels

Two oceanographic research vessels, one for the University of Mexico, the other for the University of Bergen, Norway, will be built by the Norwegian firm A/S Mjellem & Karlsen, specialists in the design and construction of such vessels. Both universities will be carrying out similar investigations covering a wide range of activities in physical and chemical oceanography, geology, geophysics and biology.

The ships are based on the yards Nansen-class research vessels, of which four have been built so far. These flexible vessels have a very low hydroacoustic noise level, enabling the use of hydroacoustic instruments at near full speed. Various stern trawls are



Artist's drawing of the oceanographic research vessels to be built by Mjellem & Karlsen for the University of Bergen, Norway, and the University of Mexico.

employed for launching, towing, and retrieving oceanographic sampling equipment. Several cranes and winches, arranged for maximum flexibility, are mounted around the spacious aft deck so as not to obstruct it. The laboratories and instrumentation are designed for adaptability and easy expansion if the need arises.

The Norwegian vessel will have built-in seismic capability, while the Mexican vessel will use skid-mounted equipment when necessary. Main particulars for the Mexican vessel are as follows: length overall, 50.25 meters (165 feet); breadth, 10.30 meters (34 feet); depth to shelter-deck, 6.50 meters (21 feet); draft, 4.30 meters (14 feet); speed, approximately 13 knots, and duration of cruises, one month.

The A/S Mjellem & Karlsen yard, which employs approximately 500 people, was established in 1891, and is situated near the

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PASSING HISTORY — Outward bound for successful sea trials from Bath Iron Works, a Congoleum company, the U.S. Navy guided missile frigate Clark (FFG11) recently passed historic Fort Popham, Maine, built during the Civil War to guard entrance to the Kennebec River. Heading for sea six weeks ahead of schedule, the Clark is one of a new generation of versatile frigates described as "the most successful ship development and construction program in modern Navy history.'

Finnish Yard Receives **Contract For Chemical Product Carrier**



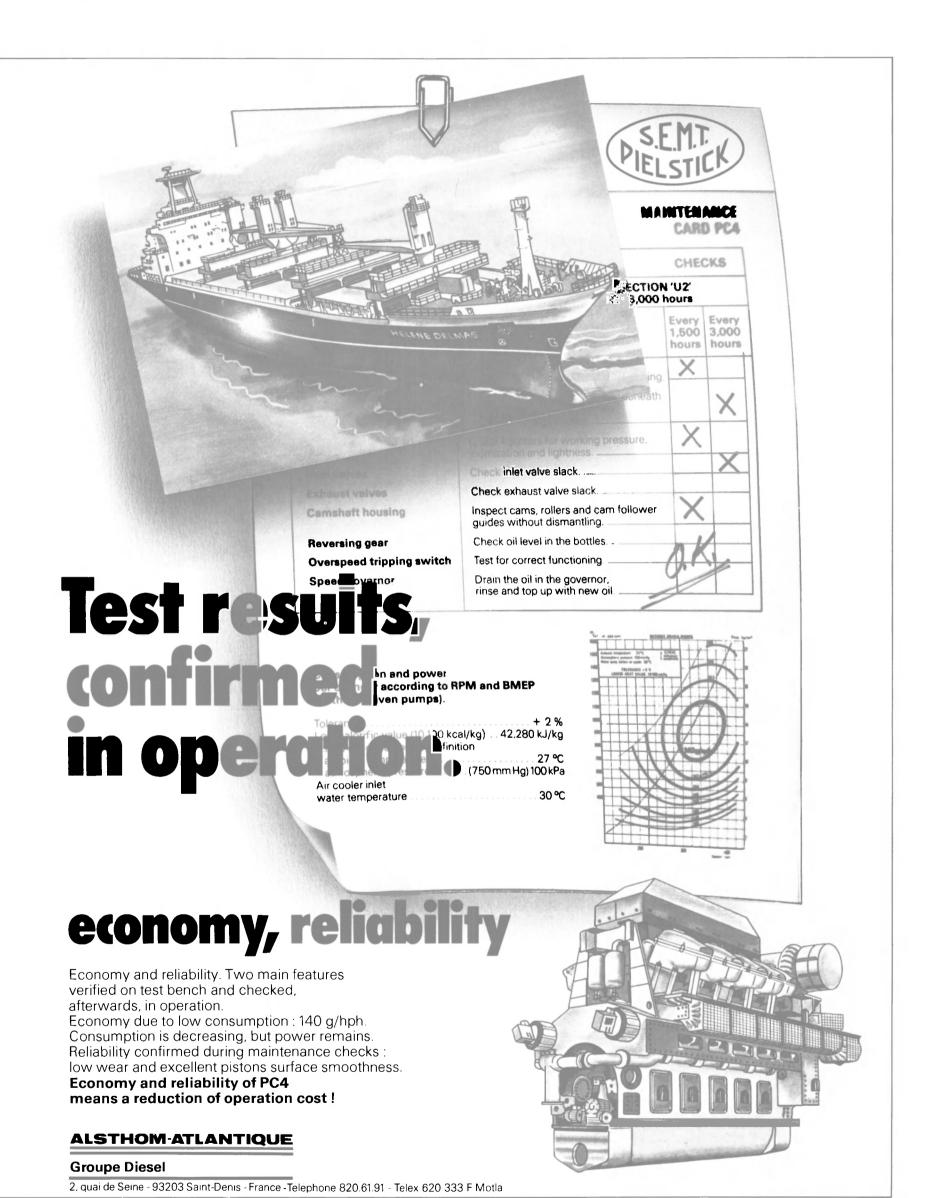
Profile drawing of the 3,500-ton chemical tanker to be built at Finland's NavireYard.

Polttoaine Osuuskunta (Aspo-group) of Helsinki, Finland, has ordered an ice-strengthened 3,500-dwt chemical tanker from the NavireYard in Naantali, Finland.

The six center tanks of the ship will be made of stainless steel, and the 10 wing tanks will be specially coated to withstand corrosive chemicals. Each tank will have its own cargo pump, enabling the vessel to transport several different kinds of cargo at the same time.

The length of the vessel is 87 meters, draft 6.2 meters, beam 14 meters (about 285 feet by 20 feet by 46 feet), and it will have a speed of 14 knots. The main engine, a 3,000-bhp medium-speed diesel, will be coupled to a controllable-pitch propeller through reduction gears.

The ship will be built at the NavireYard from sections made by Navire's factory in Parainen. The hull will be towed to Norway, and outfitted at Vaagen Verft Shipyard for delivery in the autumn of 1981.



USCG Cutter Contract Spurs \$4-Million Expansion At Tacoma Boatbuilding

With construction underway on four newly designed W-MEC 270-foot cutters for the U.S. Coast Guard, Tacoma Boatbuilding Co. has expedited completion of a new 8.6-acre shipyard near its two other main yards on Puget Sound's Commencement Bay.

"We broke ground for the new yard in April 1978, and were burning steel for the first cutter in six months," reported Robert M. Hill, vice president, marketing, for the long-established Northwest firm. "A capital investment of over \$4 million put us right on our production schedule — the first hull is almost complete, the second is 45 percent complete, and we've started cutting steel for the third."

The contract for the four medium endurance cutters started out at \$110 million and has increased to \$130 million through change orders, with a substantial additional increase due to escalation, Mr. Hill said.

Enclosed steel fabricating shops account for 50,400 square feet of the new facility, according to yard manager Gus Lange. An additional 3,000 square feet houses yard administration and engineering liaison. Two 35-ton whirleys flank the two 448-foot-long, 116-footwide launching ways. Way foundations are 12-foot-thick concrete poured over an existing bed and pilings from World War II ways on the old Todd-Pacific shipyard site.

Major new equipment includes a CM-100 numerically controlled

plasma arc burning/cutting machine, a company-built 300-ton hydraulic press, a 750-ton Pacific hydraulic press brake, and an Erie pyramid plate bending roll. The plasma arc cutter works over two tables, each of which accommodates two 10-foot by 40-foot plates for the simultaneous cutting of left and right mirrorimage shapes.

Additional facility revisions for company management and a 200-man engineering staff are currently underway.

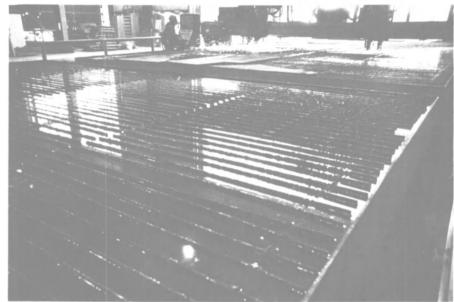
At Tacoma Boat's other yards, work continues on several 245-foot gunboats for the U.S. Navy and 140-foot icebreaking tugs for the U.S. Coast Guard.

Although current emphasis is on military and marine transportation needs, Mr. Hill sees Tacoma Boat's expanded capabilities paying off for the fishing industry

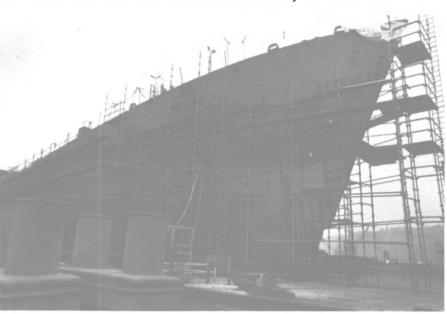
as well.

"Fishermen tell me that to be successful tomorrow, trawlers as large as 300 feet and boats with much more onboard processing equipment will be a necessity rather than a luxury," Mr. Hill said.

Tacoma Boat's half-century of experience actually started with salmon trollers in the 1930s. Since then, the firm has constructed vessels of all types—including the free world's largest (258-foot) tuna superseiner, ice-class tugboats, coastal tugs, a large semisubmersible offshore drilling rig, and patrol boats and combat vessels for allied navies around the globe.



CM-100 numerically controlled plasma arc burning/cutting machine. Shown here, is the cutting of the "chocks and brackets" for the CGC Tampa, the second of four cutters under contract. It is scheduled for delivery in March 1982.



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Alaska Shipping Co. Acquires Alaska Marine Shipping

Alaska Shipping Company, Seattle, Wash., a wholly owned subsidiary of The Aleut Corporation, has recently acquired Alaska Marine Shipping. While this acquisition changes the name of the firm from Alaska Marine Shipping to Alaska Shipping Company, the overall business of providing freight service between the Seattle and Alaska markets will remain the same. Agafon Krukoff, president of Alaska Shipping Company, stated that the acquisition will significantly improve both freight services and customer satisfaction through expanded managerial, customer relations and financial capabilities.

Alaska Shipping Company will provide monthly freight service for cargo consigned to fisheries and fishing vessels in the Aleutian Region, and to numerous ports of call, including Chignik, Sand Point, Squaw Harbor, King Cove, False Pass, Akutan, Dutch Harbor, St. Paul, St. George Captains Bay, and Kodiak Island.

Posidonia 80—International Shipping Exhibition To Be Held In Greece June 2-7

Posidonia 80, the international shipping exhibition, is expected to be the most representative show ever. Over 600 companies from 40 countries will exhibit their hardware and services in Piraeus, Greece, June 2-7.

Posidonia 80 is sponsored by the Greek Ministry of Mercantile Marine, the Union of Greek Shipowners, the Greek Chamber of Shipping, the Association of Shipowners of Greek Passenger Ships, and the Greek Shipping Co-operation Committee.

This will be the seventh biennial Posidonia Exhibition, and for the third time it will be held at the St. Nicholas Terminal Building on the Piraeus waterfront adjacent to Akti Miaouli, at the heart of the international Greek shipping market.

For further information, write **Peter Brierley**, Stratics Consultants Limited, 35 Craven Street, London WC2N 5NQ, England.

Petro-Marine Receives Production Platform Design Contract

Tenneco Oil Company has engaged Petro-Marine Engineering, Inc. to design the production platform for Ship Shoal Block 170 in the Gulf of Mexico.

The four-pile structure to be located in a water depth of 58 feet will be connected by a bridge to the drilling platform.

Petro-Marine Engineering is one of the nation's leading independent consulting engineering firms serving the oil industry. The company maintains offices in Gretna, La., near New Orleans, Houston, Texas, Lafayette, La., and London, England.

NABRICO Names 2 New Stocking Distributors

Brown Marine Service, Inc. of Pensacola, Fla., and Peltz Brothers, Inc. of Norfolk, Va., have been named stocking distributors for Nashville Bridge Company (NABRICO) products in their respective areas.

T. Ray Jackson, vice president of NABRICO, said Peltz Brothers would represent NABRICO in the "tidewater" area, and Brown Marine Service would represent the company in southern Alabama, southern Georgia, and the entire state of Florida.

Both companies will stock a wide variety of NABRICO products, including winches, hatches and other deck hardware items.

According to Mr. Jackson, NA-BRICO currently has seven stocking distributors located in major coastal cities throughout the United States, and a license

agreement with De Biesbosch-Dordrecht of the Netherlands to manufacture and distribute NA-BRICO winches in Europe and Africa.

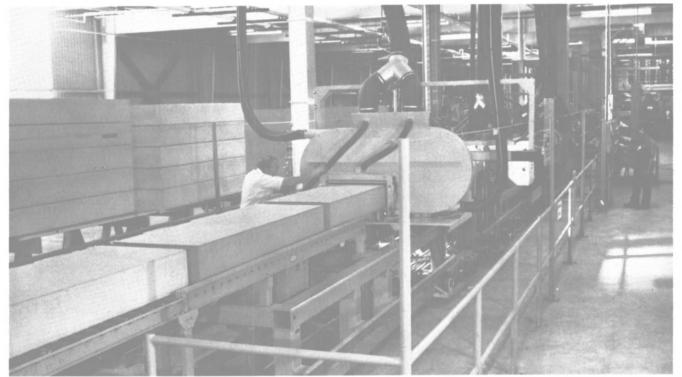
Founded in 1916, Peltz Brothers, Inc. is headed by Arthur Rosenfeld. Alan and Jack Peltz are in charge of the sale of deck fitting equipment for the company.

The Brown family, having been in the marine business for more

than 100 years, founded Brown Marine Service, Inc. in the 1930s. The company is headed by S.J. Brown. Ted Brown is in charge of the sale of deck fitting equipment.

NABRICO is a wholly owned subsidiary of The American Ship Building Company, Cleveland, Ohio. Headquartered in Nashville, Tenn., NABRICO has been in the marine field for more than 60 years and is primarily concerned

with the design, engineering and construction of grain and coal barges, deck barges, liquid tank barges, cement barges, drydocks and towboats. NABRICO is a major supplier to the entire marine industry of marine deck hardware. The company, which has plants in Nashville and Ashland City, Tenn., pioneered the design and building of much of the modern equipment used on rivers today



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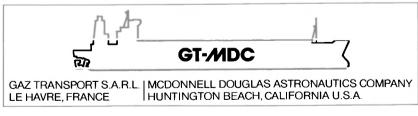
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Strater Promoted To Northeast Sales Manager At EPSCO Marine

Minshall G. Strater has been appointed Northeast sales manager, Commercial Products, of EPSCO Marine, Division of EPSCO, Inc. He succeeds George E. Lariviere, who now holds the position of general manager of EPSCO's new Gulf Coast office in New Orleans, La.

In his new position, Mr. Strater will be responsible for all sales activities in the New England, Mid-Atlantic, and Great Lakes region. EPSCO's commercial marine products include Loran-C receivers, track plotter, medium and heavy-duty radar, recorders, net monitor, autopilots, A.D.F., and the new color video sounders—all sold through a network of EPSCO Marine dealers.

Mr. Strater's prior experience

with EPSCO as Mid-Atlantic sales representative has established him as very knowledgeable in the commercial fishing industry and a person well respected by the dealer network. Mr. Strater joined EPSCO with considerable sales experience, having held various sales responsibilities with ADT in Bridgeport, Conn., and GBC CCTV New England Corporation in Boston, Mass.

1977 Inland Waterborne Commerce Statistics Available From AWO

The 1977 edition of AWO's Inland Waterborne Commerce Statistics is now being mailed to all designated representatives, as well as other interested parties. Copies of the publication, which provides information on the industry's operating fleet as well as commodity movements on major rivers, are available from American Waterways Operators, Inc., 1600 Wilson Boulevard, Suite 1101, Arlington, Va. 22209.

E. Shaprut To Head Voith Schneider America

The Marine Division of J.M. Voith GmbH recently elected E. Shaprut to head their Voith Schneider America branch. The establishment of this branch is designed to further enhance and improve direct services to the American market.



E. Shaprut

Mr. Shaprut is a graduate naval architect and marine engineer from the shipbuilding faculty of the Technical University of Vienna, with an undergraduate degree in mechanical engineering. He is also a graduate of the Marine Academy, with seven years' sea time as deck officer and a license of first mate. His experience includes the development and construction of fiberglass craft, engineering, construction, construction supervision, contract management, operation, marketing, and service for VLCCs, LNG/ LPG tankers, terminals, and diesel engines. He is a member of SNAME, ASME and The Propeller Club of the United States.

Mr. Shaprut believes that the Voith Schneider Propulsion system can contribute to the improvement of safety in harbors and waterways throughout the USA. The VSP enables a vessel to make precise and quick collision-preventing maneuvers under adverse conditions, and to exercise soft steepless berthing. The VSP tractor is a simple, safe and efficient tug, able to steer and stop a large vessel in distress with a greatly reduced risk of capsizing. Mr. Shaprut feels this increased safety factor can contribute to the prevention of accidents and resulting problems such as pollution, etc.

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\$5.7-Million Barge And Tug To Be Built— Title XI Requested

Morania Barge No. 470, Inc., 136 East 57th Street, New York, N.Y., has applied for a Title XI guarantee to aid in financing the construction of one bulk oil barge and one oceangoing twin-screw tugboat. The applicant is a subsidiary of Penn Industries of the same address.

Modern Marine Power, Inc., Houma, La., is the proposed builder of the 116-foot, 4,000-horse-power tug, with delivery scheduled for November 1980. S.B.A. Shipyards, Jennings, La., is the proposed builder for the 383-foot oil barge, scheduled for delivery in June 1980. The tug and barge would be used in coastwise and intercoastal trade.

The estimated actual cost of the tug is \$2,646,818, and that of the barge, \$3,119,578. The Title XI guarantee, if approved, would be for 87½ percent of the total cost, or \$4,000,000.

Wager Offers Free 46 Page Equipment Catalog

A new 46-page Marine Catalog issued by the Robert H. Wager Co., Inc., provides current specifications and descriptive detail on the company's extensive line of Wager vent valves and smoke indicators, and on a variety of boiler accessories.

These Wager boiler accessories include viewports, boiler inspection lights, air-cooled stuffing boxes, and a normally open check valve that meets the requirements of the USN and the USCG on air scavenger lines to soot blower steam piping on water tube boilers.

Specifications cover Wager vent valves available from 1½ inches to 12 inches, in a range of materials, with or without covers; and smoke indicators supplied as visual, photoelectric, or visual/photoelectric units. Also detailed in this catalog is the Wager Combustion Optimizer, an electronic device designed to monitor and fine tune the air-fuel ratio of an automatic combustion control system.

For a free copy of the new Wager Marine Catalog, write to Michael Wager, Robert H. Wager Co., Inc., Passaic Avenue, Chatham, N.J. 07928.

New Orleans Traffic & Transportation Bureau Elects Officers

William J. St. John Jr. has been reelected to a second term as president of the New Orleans Traffic and Transportation Bureau. Mr. St. John, senior vice president of W.R. Zanes & Co., was elected at the bureau's annual meeting at the New Orleans Board of Trade.

Other officers for 1980 are Philip G. Kuehn, president, New Orleans Cold Storage and Ware-

house Co., Ltd., first vice president; Chris S. Larsen, vice president, Central Gulf Lines, Inc., second vice president, and William A. Reeder, retired, New Orleans Public Service Inc.

New members of the bureau's board of directors are Charles R. Dixon, president, Survey, Inc.; Lt. Gov. James E. Fitzmorris; Andrew F. Flores, director, Louisiana Department of Commerce and Industry; John Meghrian,

Todd Shipyards Corp., and Mrs. Paula L. Maher, president for administration, Bergeron Industries, Inc.

The bureau is a nonprofit agency concerned with the improvement of all aspects of product shipping and distribution in the New Orleans, La., area. It operates as a supportive force of the port and area economy in the establishment of competitive pricing of transportation and service

patterns, and assists members on the purchase of transportation services. The bureau makes presentations before federal and state agencies dealing with transportation and shipping.

General manager Greg R. Perry reported a marked increase in requests for the bureau's information and services. He said he anticipates continued brisk activity due to changes being discussed in government transport regulations.

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\$3.3-Million Bridge **Demolition Contract** Awarded XPLO Corp.

XPLO Corp., a New Orleans, La., firm specializing in underwater explosives technology and salvage operations, has been awarded a \$3.3-million contract by the U.S. Coast Guard, which calls for the demolition and removal of the center span and piers of the Central New Jersey (CNJ) railroad bridge. The bridge crosses Newark Bay at Bayonne, N.J.

John Charpentier, XPLO president, said that work on the bridge is scheduled to begin this month, and will take approximately 90 days to complete.

The center span of the CNJ bridge consists of three steel sections, each approximately 150 feet long. Plans for removal call for the sections to be lowered by barge-mounted cranes. The barges will be towed away and the sections dismantled. An alternate plan is to demolish the three sections by explosives and then to salvage the remains from the riverbed. The piers supporting the bridge will be demolished by explosives. The CNJ bridge demolition represents the largest project of its kind ever undertaken by the firm.

XPLO Corp. is a subsidiary of Tidewater Contractor Services, Inc. Both companies are a part of the Contractor Services group of Tidewater Inc.

Thomas B. McCain Joins Savannah Machine And Shipyard As Treasurer

David H. Green, president, Savannah Machine and Shipyard Company of Savannah, Ga., re-cently announced that **Thomas B.** McCain has joined the shipyard as treasurer. As treasurer, he will be responsible for all financial, accounting and data processing functions.



Thomas B. McCain

Prior to joining Savannah Machine and Shipyard, Mr. McCain was a senior auditor with the firm of Touche Ross and Company for four years. During that time, he became a certified public accountant. He later joined Maurice P. Foly and Company as a con-

He has 10 years' experience in the consulting, construction and real estate industries. His most recent assignment as controller was with Atlanta Center Limited.

Mr. McCain is a graduate of the University of Maryland, and is a member of the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants.

New Offshore Services Company Formed— Datadyne Associates

Bill Dalton and Dave Porta, formerly employed by Ocean Research Equipment, Inc., have formed Datadyne Associates.

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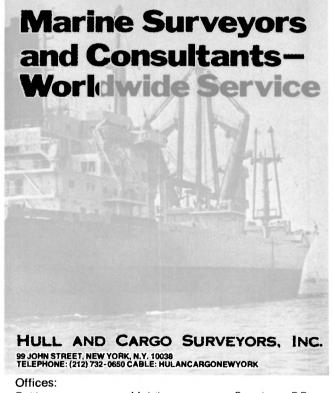
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Free Bulletin Describes Portable Cable Pull Tool

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For complete information on CM's Series 601, request Bulletin CMH-120 from Walter Eising, Dept. MR, Columbus McKinnon Corp., Fremont Street, Tonawanda, N.Y. 14150.

ABS Appointed Verification Agent In The U.S. For Offshore Fixed Structures

The American Bureau of Shipping (ABS) has been authorized to act as a "Certified Verification Agent" by the Geological Survey of the United States Department of the Interior to ensure that offshore fixed platforms and other structures meet federal standards. The standards apply to fixed structures designed, fabricated, and installed on the U.S. outer continental shelf as of January 1, 1980. They also apply to major modifications made after that date to existing structures.

"This appointment is significant to ABS as it recognizes our expertise with fixed offshore structures," William N. Johnston, chairman and president of ABS, stated. He noted that "The Bureau has more than 29 years of worldwide experience with the classing, surveying, inspection, and analysis of offshore structures."

The verification activities will be performed on behalf of the Geological Survey by ABS surveyors who are stationed in the Bureau's worldwide network of 174 exclusive offices, and by engineers in the Ocean Engineering Division based at the ABS International Headquarters in New York City.

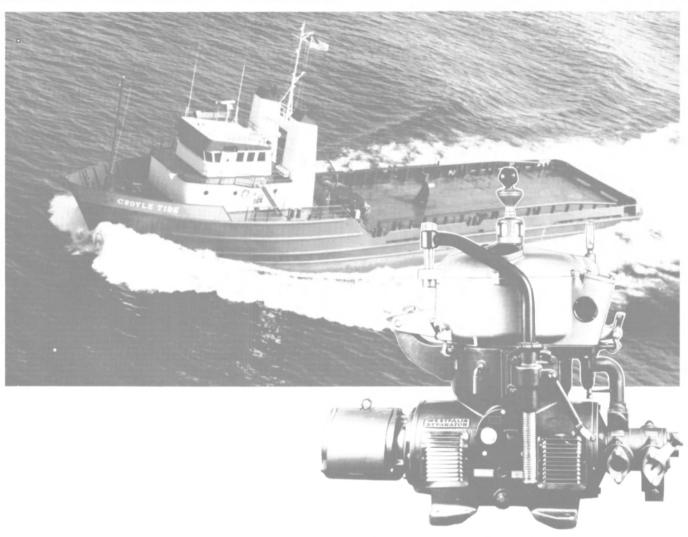
The verification activities will be performed in accordance with the Geological Survey's Outer Continental Shelf (OCS) Platform Verification Program. The technical content of the program is based upon a document entitled "Requirements for Verifying the Structural Integrity of OCS Platforms," which was developed by ABS under a contract awarded to it in 1977 by the Geological Survey. The requirements were thoroughly reviewed during their development by personnel at ABS, the Geological Survey, and by specialists and consultants with experience in the offshore industry. The "Requirements" are almost totally performance oriented: they specify objectives that are to be satisfied in the design and construction of fixed platforms. This performance-oriented framework was adopted by the Geological Survey to provide the offshore industry with maximum flexibility in choosing design methods and procedures, as well as to ensure that the practices described in the regulations would be compatible with the present techniques used in the industry. The technology developed by the industry is incorpo-

rated in the design and construction of more than 3,000 fixed structures already installed off the West, Gulf, and Alaskan Coasts of the United States.

Two other documents were also prepared by ABS for the Geological Survey in conjunction with the "Requirements." The appendices present alternative engineering design procedures that may be utilized to conform to the "Requirements." The commentary

describes the basic intent of the performance requirements and also discusses the current development of the state-of-practice for both the "Requirements" and appendices.

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SNAME Announces Committee Chairmen For 1980

Lester Rosenblatt, president of The Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers, recently announced the following committee chairmen for 1980:

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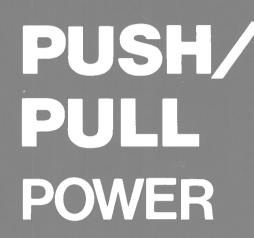
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Keyes Offshore Asks Title XI For Two Rigs To Cost \$64.1 Million

Keyes Offshore, Inc., 2425 Fountainview Drive, Houston, Texas, has applied for a Title XI guarantee to aid in financing the construction of two jackup drilling rigs. Designed to operate in water depths up to 250 feet, the units would be used in the Gulf of Mexico.

Ingalls Shipbuilding, Pascagoula, Miss., is the proposed builder, with deliveries scheduled for March and May 1981.

The total estimated actual cost of the two rigs is \$64,142,000. The requested guarantee would be for \$43,142,000.

J.M. Lewis Appointed **VP Operations At** International Paint



James M. Lewis

James M. Lewis has been appointed to the new position of vice president of operations of International Paint Company. The appointment was announced by John P. Merrill Jr., executive vice president.

Mr. Lewis comes to International Paint after 10 years with the Coatings Division of Mobil Chemical Company. In his new position, Mr. Lewis has charge of all operating functions, and initially will be involved with improving the company's inventory management and production distribution systems. Mr. Lewis received his degree in chemical engineering from the University of Tennessee.

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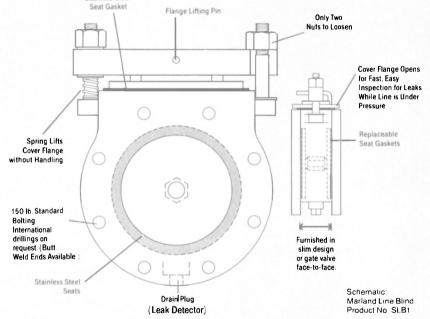
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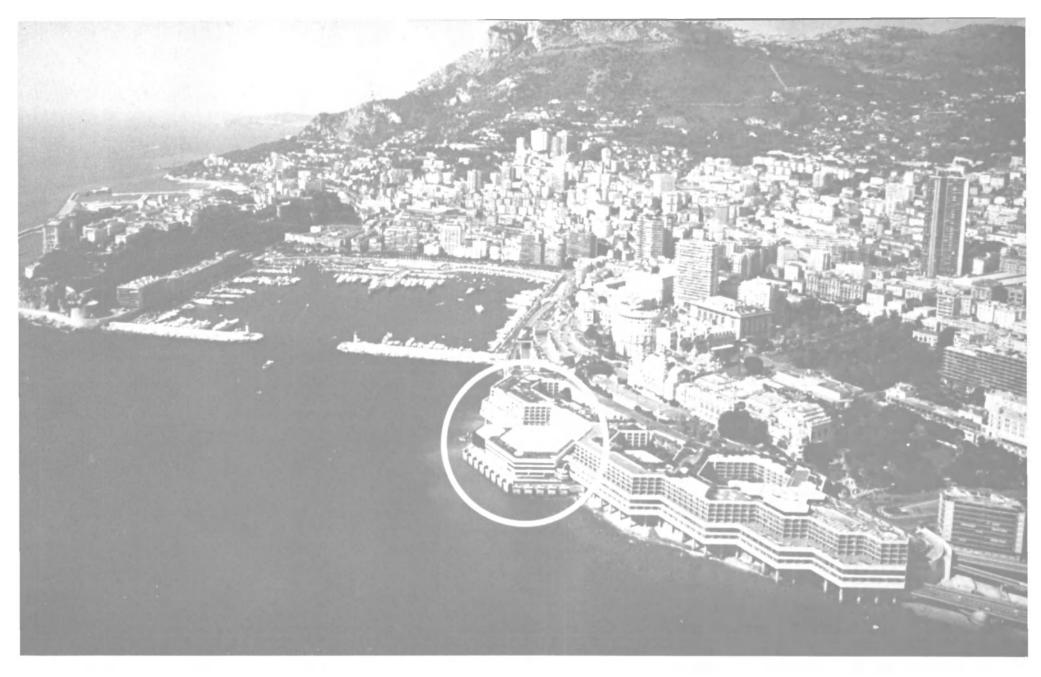
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The new convention center at Monte Carlo, where Ro-Ro '80 will be held.

The 4th International Conference And Exhibition

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The 4th International Conference and Exhibition on Roll-On/Roll-Off Transportation will be held from April 15-17, 1980 in Monte Carlo at the new Convention Centre. The Principality of Monaco is located midway between the French and Italian roro ports of Marseilles-Fos and Genoa.

The Ro-Ro '80 meeting will provide an integration of Conference and Exhibition in the same manner as the previous gatherings—Ro-Ro '76 and Ro-Ro '77, held in London, England, and Ro-Ro '78, held in Hamburg, West Germany. Each of these conferences at-

tracted more than 700 participants from the international community—shipowners, port operators, equipment suppliers, engineers, naval architects and others interested in this form of transportation. Ro-Ro '80 is expected to be even more successful. More than 40 international companies will be exhibiting the latest ro-ro technologies and services during the three days of the Conference.

For centuries man has used the roll-on roll-off method of transporting wheeled vehicles across bodies of water. Originally rafts were used to move wagons and carts across rivers and enclosed

bodies of water. As mankind progressed, local economies became national and national economies became worldwide, requiring increased water transportation. However, the roll-on/roll-off concept remained localized in the form of ferryboats, carfloats, etc. Economics indicated that the space consumed by the undercarriage of wheeled vehicles was not conducive to efficient use of ship cargo space. This concept held true when manufactured goods were being moved between industrialized countries. The world of trade has changed in the past 30-

40 years and thus the roll-on/roll-off ship was developed to meet changing needs. The first major use of roll-on/roll-off ships was between the Scandinavian countries. These were basically glorified ferryboats. Now, such ships are a major factor in international trade.

Ro-Ro '80 will reflect the current concern for profitable and full employment of the new tonnage being built. The Conference in its ship operations and design sessions will emphasize a further factor — ship utilization — focus-

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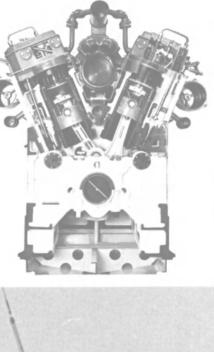


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ing on possible new routes and trades.

The Conference will have five technical sessions, starting with Session 1 on April 15 dealing with Ro-Ro Operations and Trades. Speakers will develop the potential of the ro-ro vessels as a multipurpose carrier in general cargo trades between developed and

lesser developed countries. The speakers will include Bjorn Ervell, a member of the Johansson Group management board, Sweden; Gordon C. Miller, vice president, Transamerica Realco Inc., Chicago, Ill.; Rune Svensson, transport director, AB Volvo, Sweden; Peter S. Shaerf, director, Common Brothers USA Ltd., New York, N.Y., and Pekka Kandelin, naval architect, Oy Wartsila, Finland.

Session 2 and Session 3 will be

held consecutively during the morning of April 16. Session 2 will feature a paper by George Spalatin, naval architect, Inkobrod, Zagreb, Yugoslavia, dealing with seaborne rail transportation, and the planning of a ro-ro fleet for developing countries. Session 3 will deal with ship stability and SOLAS requirements. A paper prepared jointly by P. Fagerlund, technical director, Transatlantic Rederi A/B, Gothenburg; P. Damkjaer-Nielsen, naval archi-

tect, East Asiatic Co., Copenhagen, and B. Berg, assistant manager, Wilh. Wilhelmsen, Oslo, will deal with ro-ro damaged stability. Some notes on coping with the regulations and IMCO recommendations will be given by Martin A.W.M. van Hees, naval architect, Rhine-Schelde-Verolme, Netherlands, and Patrick G. Martin, naval architect, Verolme Cork Dockyard Ltd. (RSV Group), Ireland. Firefighting and water clearance on trailer decks will be discussed by E.J.B. Pawsey, director, Hart Fenton & Co. Ltd., consultant naval architects to the Sea Containers Group of Companies, London. E. Vossnack, chief naval architect, Nedlloyd Fleet Services, will contribute to this session.

Session 4, to be held in the afternoon of April 16, will deal with Mediterranean ro-ro operations. Speaking on the commercial and ecnomic aspects of these operations will be Capt. Oktay Sonmez, commercial director, DB Turkish Cargo Lines, Istanbul. A panel consisting of Dr. Fabrizio Serena, director general, Italia Navigazione SpA, Genoa; J.P. Isoard, managing director, SNCM (Societe Maritime Corse Mediterranee), Marseilles; Comm. Spiro Magliveras, managing director, Traghetti del Mediterraneo, Genoa, and Eugenio Belloni, director, Andrea Merzario SpA, Milan, will take part in this session.

On April 17, at the start of Session 5, a film will be shown on the operation of self-sustaining container ro-ro vessels. Nigel J. Tatham, director, Sea Containers Services Ltd., London, will introduce this film. The rest of Session 5 will deal with ports and terminals. Geoffrey A. Stokoe, managing director, MacGregor Ports and Terminals Ltd., London, will offer solutions to the ro-ro access problems. The instigator of the portable linkspan, John Rose, managing director, Marine Development (Glasgow) Ltd., UK, will talk about simple systems to be applied to the totally committed container port whose present economics he questions. Douglas Ross, president, CTEC Company, Bellevue, Wash., will present a paper on the application of articulated attack. ulated steering on terminal tractors. Aligning ro-ro equipment to handle specialized bulk and unitized loads will be discussed by Warren S. Lister, terminal handling consultant, managing director, Listavia Ltd., UK. The concluding paper will be presented by S.D. Barber and J. Knapton, Department of Civil Engineering, University of Newcastle upon Tyne, UK, on the pavement design for ro-ro port areas.

The social activities will include a reception to the delegates by the Principality of Monaco in the evening of April 15. A second reception for the delegates will be held on April 16.

The focus of the Ro-Ro'80 Conference will be truly international (continued on page 43)



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Although ro-ro ship design has progressed considerably from the first North Sea applications, there are some major design problems still to be solved, especially in the light of ever increasing ship costs. These and some new systems will be debated at the meetings.

From the port viewpoint the progress in ro-ro berth design has been equally dramatic, but often costly where ports have specified rashly in both equipment and systems which have been incompatible with existing infra-structure and future planned developments. Previous Ro-Ro Conferences have brought the state-of-the-art forward a step and Ro-Ro '80 will be no exception.

In addition to the Conference and Exhibition, there also will be technical tours to ro-ro facilities and ships.

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Kawasaki Receives Order For \$20.3-Million Floating Drydock

Kawasaki Heavy Industries, Ltd., has received an order from the Sembawang Shipyard of Singapore for a \$20.3-million floating drydock.

The contract, which includes installation expense, calls for con-

struction of the dock to begin in July, with completion scheduled for March next year. The drydock is to be towed to Singapore and delivered by May 1981.

An announcement by Kawasaki said the dock will be 290 meters long, 63 meters wide and 20 meters high (about 951 feet by 207 feet by 66 feet). The dock is to be capable of handling ships of up to 150,000 deadweight tons.

Theron C. Foote Appointed VP At Waterman Steamship

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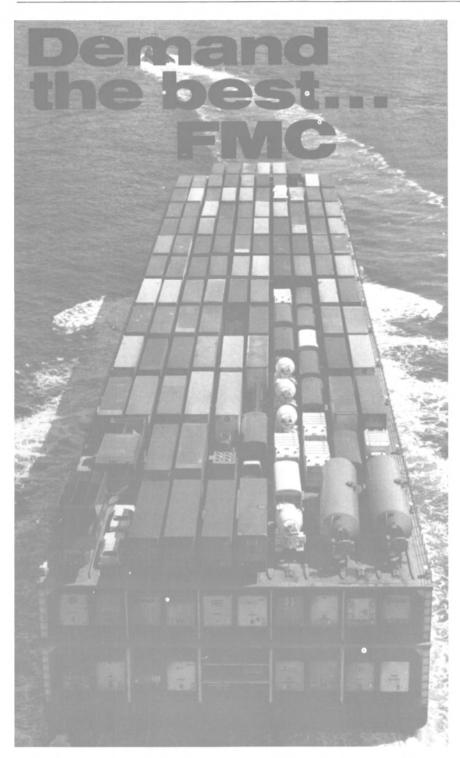
Halter Marine Delivers Supply Boat 'Tara Alyene' To Briley Marine

Halter Marine, Inc., New Orleans, La., has delivered the Tara Alyene, a new supply boat, to her owners, Briley Marine of Lafayette, La.

The new vessel, built with the cooperation of Stewart & Stevenson Services, Inc., is 180 feet long, with a 38-foot beam and 14-foot

draft. She can carry 3,600 cubic feet of mud in her four bulk mud tanks and 1,700 barrels of liquid mud in four liquid mud tanks.

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Some of the pilothouse electronics include Two Decca RM916A

radars, an ITT Decca Marine STR-25 VHF/FM radiotelephone, a Simrad Loran C model LC123, and a Raytheon DE 726 depth sounder with a 7041 transducer.

She is outfitted with an HBL double wildcat anchor windlass working two 2,000-pound anchors with 1,800 feet of high-strength stud link chain.

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Brown & Root Announces Three Management Changes



Joseph G. Munisteri



William M. Rice



Thomas D. Murphy

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Joseph G. Munisteri, group vice president, director, and member of the operating committee, has assumed responsibilities in corporate development and will report

directly to the senior executive vice president, W.B. Pieper.

William M. Rice, group vice president, will be responsible for activities of the power group, and has been elected to the Brown & Root board of directors and the operating committee.

Thomas D. Murphy, vice president, assumes responsibility for management of the Western Hemisphere marine construction division's Greens Bayou and Harbor Island fabrication yards at Houston and Aransas Pass, Texas.

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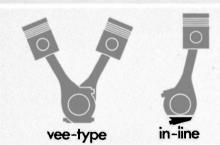
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American Hydromath Receives Contract For Cargo Planning Computers

American Hydromath Company, Germantown, N.Y., recently delivered three LOADOSCOPE Cargo Planning Computers to the American Heavy Lift Shipping Company, a division of Gulf Trading & Transportation Company; one each for the John Henry and

Paul Bunyan, and one to be placed and used in the main office.

These vessels are capable of transporting and delivering cargoes having unit weights up to 1,000 tons to developed ports, and because of shallow draft, to remote and primitive areas.

LOADOSCOPE, a solid-state electronic special-purpose computer, automatically calculates and simultaneously displays draft fore

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For free literature describing LOADOSCOPE Loading Computers, write Robert M. Kristal, American Hydromath Company, Box 299, Buckwheat Bridge Road, Germantown, N.Y. 12526.

Atlantic Container Line Opens Baltimore Office

Atlantic Container Line has opened a full-service office in Baltimore, Md., it was recently announced by O.I.M. Porton, president

The new office occupies 4,100 square feet at 5 Light Street.

Staffing the new office are Thomas W. Wojcio, traffic manager; Richard Amato, documentation manager; and Jeffrey J. Chokov, booking and equipment control manager.

It was also announced that Motorships Inc., ACL's agent for handling car shipments between Europe and the United States, will open its own office at Baltimore's Dundalk Marine Terminal.

Port Houston Marine Offers Services And Facilities Brochure

A full-color brochure is available describing the facilities and services of Port Houston Marine, Inc., Houston, Texas.

Port Houston Marine, Inc. is located at the turning basin of Houston Ship Channel, and has a berth for vessels up to 600 feet long and 20-foot draft. Compressed air, water and electric power supplies are provided. Workshops totaling 25,000 square feet are available, equipped with overhead cranes, welding equipment, plate roller and a wide range of machine tools. Around-the-clock service is offered for both scheduled and emergency repairs; the company carries out all types of repair, including diesel engine repairs. Tank cleaning is also offered.

Port Houston Marine, Inc. was recently acquired by the Aker Group of Norway. Following the acquisition, Aker appointed Bjorn A. Henriksen president of the company. Prior to his appointment in Houston, Mr. Henriksen was manager of the Oslo office of Bergens Mek Verksted, another Aker Group company well-known for its Bergen diesel engines and Norwich hydraulic winches. Port Houston Marine, Inc. is now undertaking full service of these products.

For a copy of the brochure, write **Bjorn A. Henriksen**, Port Houston Marine, Inc., P.O. Box 5445, Houston, Texas 77012.



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Submarine Tender McKee (AS-41) Launched At Lockheed-Seattle

The 23,000-ton submarine tender McKee, last of three of the 644-foot auxiliary ships Lockheed Shipbuilding is constructing for the U.S. Navy, was recently launched at Seattle, Wash.

Mrs. Ingeborg von Finckh McKee, widow of Rear Adm. Andrew Irwin McKee, christened the ship before it slid down Lockheed's shipway on Harbor Island into the West Waterway of the Duwamish.

Tugs immediately moved in to tow the ship to Lockheed's Yard 2, in West Seattle, for outfitting. The McKee, expected to be delivered to the U.S. Navy in the summer of 1981, will join sisterships Emory S. Land (AS-39) and Frank Cable (AS-40), which were delivered in 1979.

Keel-laying ceremonies for the McKee followed the January 14, 1978, launch of the Frank Cable. The name of the ship honors Rear Adm. Andrew Irwin McKee, pioneer of modern submarine design and development.

Congressman Joel Pritchard was the principal speaker in the launch ceremonies that preceded the christening of the McKee. The matron of honor for the christening program was Mrs. Jane Fryer, sister of Admiral McKee.

Flower girl for the ceremony was Miss Cacey Zimmer, daughter of C.M. Zimmer, submarine tender welding superintendent.

G. Graham Whipple, Group vice president-Lockheed Corporation, served as master of ceremonies, while Roy A. Anderson, chairman of the board of directors, Lockheed Corporation, introduced the principal speaker.

Stanley E. Jensen, general vice president, International Association of Machinists and Aerospace Workers, represented labor in the ceremonies. Rear Adm. F.F. Manganaro, Vice Commander, Naval Sea Systems Command, also addressed the crowd of employees, Navy people, and others that gathered for the ceremonies.

The 13th Naval District Color Guard Band provided music. The Naval Reserve Officers Training Corps, University of Washington, supplied the color guard. Capt. Oliver Wetzel, Chaplain, 13th Naval District, gave the invocation. Instructions to the sponsor were handled by Capt. S.P. Passantino, supervisor of shipbuilding, Seattle, and John N. Watt, director of marketing, Lockheed Shipbuilding.

The three submarine tenders rank among the largest Naval ships to be built in the Northwest. Together, the three ships represent approximately a half billion dollars in shipbuilding contracts. Some 2,000 persons presently work at the Lockheed yards. While the company carries on active ship overhauls, repairs, and commercial steel businesses, the submarine tender work has represented the bulk of the company's activities.



Before the launching ceremonies, sponsor's party posed with their ship, left to right: sponsor Mrs. Ingeborg von Finckh McKee, flower girl Cacey Zimmer, and matron of honor Mrs. Jane Fryer.



tender McKee (AS-41) slides down Lockheed Shipbuilding and Construction Company's shipway on Harbor Island and enters the West Waterway of the Duwamish.

Martin Marietta To Build \$17.5-Million Alumina Transfer Facility

Martin Marietta Aluminum has announced plans to spend \$17.5 million to replace its existing alumina transfer facilities in Portland, Ore., with a larger and more efficient installation. The new facilities will be constructed at the same location on the Willamette River.

The site, known as Albina, is approximately eight acres, comprising a strip of

land 1,600 feet long and 200 feet wide. It is served by a 40-foot ship channel, and has access to rail transportation. The existing equipment will continue to be used until the new project is completed.

Since 1958, Martin Marietta has used this site to transfer from ships to railcars the alumina required to operate its aluminum reduction plants at The Dalles, Ore., and Goldendale, Wash.

Swan Wooster Engineering Inc. will be responsible for engineering, design, procurement, and construction management of the project.

J.M. Donnelly Elected AWO Board Chairman

John M. Donnelly Jr., president of Ingram Barge Company, Nashville, Tenn., was elected chairman of the board of The American Waterways Operators, Inc., at the Association's annual board of directors meeting in Houston, Texas.

AWO is the national trade association of the barge and towing

industry—inland and coastwise—and the shipyards engaged in the construction and repair of the fleet

Mr. Donnelly, who has served as vice chairman of AWO for the last year, succeeds William A. Creelman, president of the Transport Division of National Marine Service, Inc., St. Louis, Mo. Mr. Donnelly's previous AWO work has included the chairmanship of

the Association's Region 3 and a number of committee assignments.

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Mr. Donnelly joined Ingram Oil and Refining Co. (predecessor company of Ingram Industries) in 1955, and became active in the barge business in 1963. He has served as a board member of several waterway-oriented groups, and was a founding board member, and later chairman of the board, of the National River Academy in Helena, Ark.

He graduated from Vanderbilt University, where he now serves as a member of the executive committee and board of directors of the Alumni Association.

Contract Awarded For Oil Loading Column With Concrete Shaft And Base

A contract has been awarded by Phillips Petroleum Exploration U.K., Ltd. to Equipments Mecaniques et Hydrauliques (E.M.H.) for the design, supply and installation of an articulated loading column (ALC) for offshore tanker mooring and crude oil loading in the Maureen Field of the North Sea.

The ALC design features, as a world first, a pre-stressed concrete shaft and a concrete gravity base. E.M.H. has subcontracted the fabrication to Howard Doris Ltd., with the detailed concrete design being performed by C.G. Doris.

The ALC is scheduled for installation in 1981 in 95.6 meters of water (about 314 feet), and has been designed to load 85,000-dwt tankers at 20,000 bbls/hour in waves up to 10 meters (about 33 feet).

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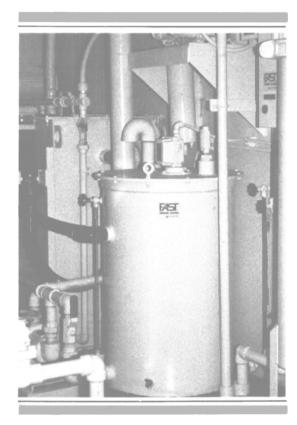
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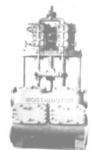
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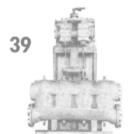
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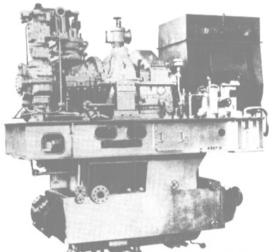
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It is claimed that the chaser provides safer working conditions for anchor handling personnel. It has been in service in the North Sea and in the Mediterranean for nearly four years, but the company says it has now established, in conjunction with the Bruce anchor, a chasing system with a proven trouble-free track record.

The Bruce chaser has also been used successfully with hinged fluke anchors, despite the inherent risk of a chaser jamming between the shank and fluke.

For complete information, contact Bruce Anchor Ltd., 82 Northfield Broadway, Edinburgh EH8 7RY, Scotland.

Robert Summerville To Head Electro-Nav Service Department

Electro-Nav president Robert E. Negron recently announced that Robert Summerville has been appointed manager of all the company's service operations in the United States.



Robert Summerville

"Bob Summerville has spent his entire working life servicing and repairing marine electronic communications and navigation equipment," said Mr. Negron.

Mr. Summerville began his marine electronics career in 1955, when he joined the Tropical Radio Division of United Fruit Company as repair technician. He was their senior field service engineer when he transferred to Decca in

At Decca, Mr. Summerville advanced to shop supervisor, then to manager of the New York Service Depot. In 1975, he was named national service manager. He comes from Decca to Electro-

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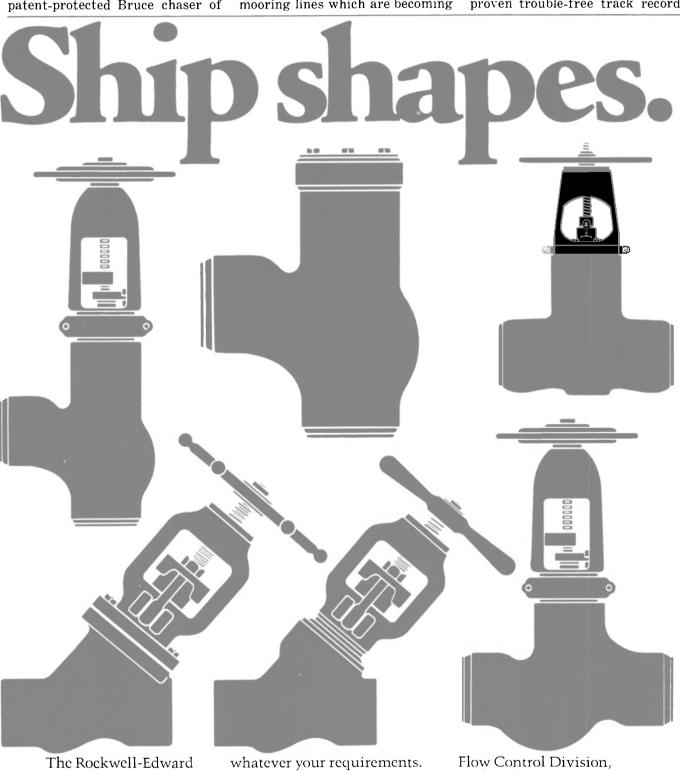
Navire Cargo Gear (NCG) of Gothenburg, Sweden, recently received a second contract from People's Republic of China.

Fifteen mini-bunkers now under construction in Yugoslavia will be fitted with NCG-designed UNI-PULL Hatch Covers manufactured by Inkobord, a member of the worldwide NCG group. Each vessel has four 9.1 by 8.4meter (about 30-foot by 28-foot) hatch openings.

The new vessels will be operated by China Ocean Shipping Corporation of Peking.

Previously, Navire had received a large order for angled stern ramps from PRC for 11 new vessels building in Japan.

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Richard Jones Promoted To Sales Manager At Bethlehem Steel

The appointment of Richard H. Jones as manager, industrial products sales, in Bethlehem Steel Corporation's shipbuilding department, was announced recently by David H. Klinges, vice president in charge of shipbuilding.



Richard H. Jones

Mr. Jones is advancing from assistant manager, industrial products sales, and is succeeding Robert W. Miller, whose retirement has been announced.

Mr. Jones holds a bachelor's degree in industrial engineering and a master's degree in mechanical engineering from Lehigh University.

He joined Bethlehem Steel in 1950 as a member of the Loop management training program, and subsequently was assigned to the railroad products sales division. In 1952, he was transferred to the Baltimore sales district and became supervisor of railroad products there in 1959. Mr. Jones was promoted to assistant manager of railroad products sales in the home office in 1972, and was named assistant manager, industrial products sales, shipbuilding in November 1979.

ITT Jabsco Offers Free Booklet Detailing USCG Sanitation Regulations

An informative, 20-page booklet that details the current United States Coast Guard regulations concerning sanitation devices is now available free of charge from ITT Jabsco Products, a unit of International Telephone and Telegraph Corporation.

A manufacturer of accessories for type III waste systems, ITT Jabsco Products has developed the new booklet which explains current regulations and gives USCG timetables for compliance. The booklet also gives helpful installation information to allow an owner to choose the system that is right for his vessel.

For a free copy of the booklet on waste systems, as well as information on freshwater and bilge pumping systems, write Peggy E. Conlon, ITT Jabsco Products, 1485 Dale Way, Costa Mesa, Calif. 92626.

April 1, 1980

Robert H. Osmer Appointed Director Of Engineering For Bulkfleet Marine

Robert H. Osmer has been appointed director of engineering for Houston, Texas-based Bulkfleet Marine Corporation, according to a recent announcement.

In his new capacity, Mr. Osmer will have responsibility for de-

sign, construction, maintenance, repairs and engineering of the company's unique fleet of Dedicated Deep Notch Tug Barge Units.

Following graduation from the U.S. Merchant Marine Academy, he sailed as engineering officer aboard Texaco U.S.-flag vessels and was promoted ashore as port engineer in 1975. Prior to joining Bulkfleet, Mr. Osmer served as

senior project engineer-Operations for Exxon Co. USA. He studied for a Master of Business Administration degree from Pepperdine University.

Bulkfleet Marine Corporation is engaged in the design, construction and operation of tug barge units which are under charter to oil and chemical companies for moving materials along the U.S. Gulf, East and West Coasts.



Solar To Design Advanced **Cruise Propulsion System** For U.S. Navy

Solar Turbines International has begun work on a fuel-saving cruise propulsion system for U.S. Navy ships. Entitled RACER (Rankine-Cycle Energy Recovery), the program calls for Solar to design a system that will capture heat energy from a ship's main gas turbine engines. The heat will produce steam that will provide additional power to the ship's propellers via steam tur-

Such a system will enable the vessels to get more power without having to burn any additional fuel in the main engines. Through improved fuel economy and extended cruising range, the RAC-ER system will provide important improvements in military characteristics of U.S. fighting

"RACER basically is a seagoing version of our combinedcycle system, which enables users to save energy by extracting more work from a given amount of fuel," said Dr. Robert G. Mills, Solar's vice president of engineering, research and advanced development. "We expect to demonstrate the same benefit to the

"Upon completion of the designstudy phase in late 1980, the Navy is expected to award a \$15- to \$20-million contract for RACER production," Dr. Mills said.

Solar Turbines International manufactures turbine engines in ratings up to 10,600 horsepower that are used in applications worldwide.

New APL Maintenance Facility At Kaohsiung

Jeffrey Theobald has been named Kaohsiung manager for American President Lines, according to John J. Firman, managing director, Far East.

It was also announced that Howard Yurgevich has been appointed equipment maintenance manager for the company's North Asia operations. He will assist in the start-up of APL's maintenance facility at Kaohsiung, Taiwan, Republic of China.

J.T. Johnson Elected **President-Association** Of Diving Contractors



Johnny T. Johnson

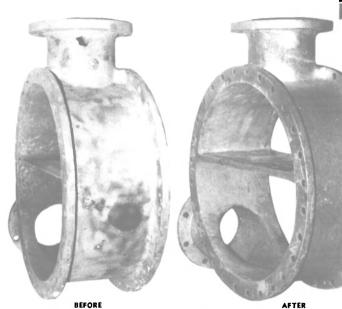
Johnny T. Johnson, vice president and general manager for Oceaneering International's U.S. operations, has been elected president of the Association of Diving Contractors. The election took place at the recent annual ADC meeting in New Orleans, La. Mr. Johnson has been with Oceaneering since its beginning in the mid-1960s.

The annual meeting, International Diving Symposium '80 featured 126 exhibitors representing the latest developments in the field of diving and diving supplies. In addition, 35 technical papers were presented.

Mr. Johnson addressed the membership: "I look forward to our working as a team for the improvement of our valuable and important industry in a growing world of complicated and technical demands. Our group will dedicate a great deal of time and effort to the continual betterment of our technical skills to provide an even higher caliber of services to the industry resulting in high profits and benefits for our industry and employees.

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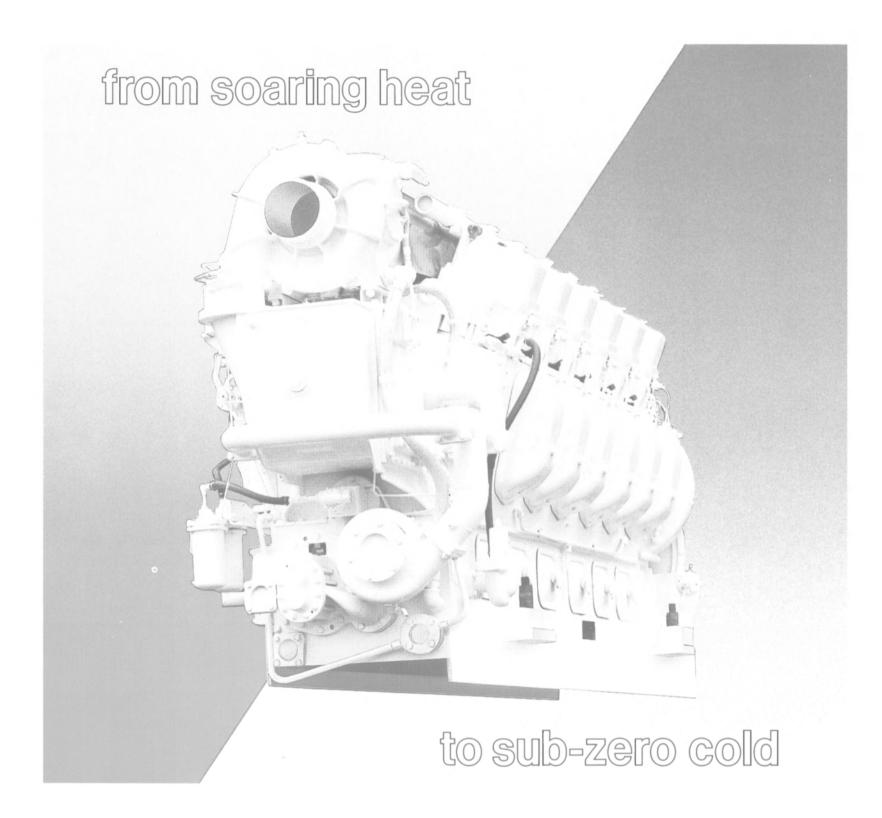
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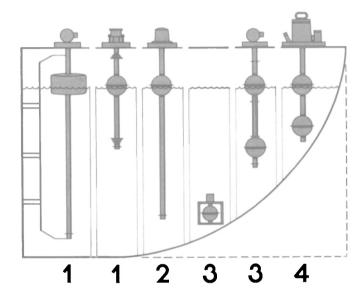
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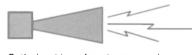


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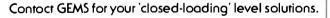
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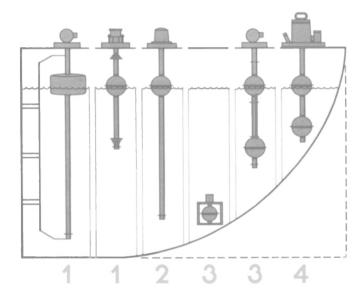
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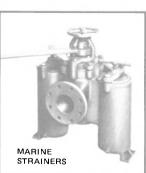
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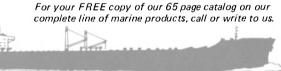
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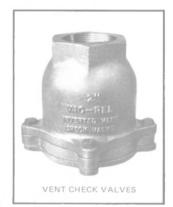




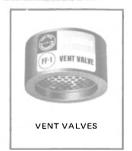
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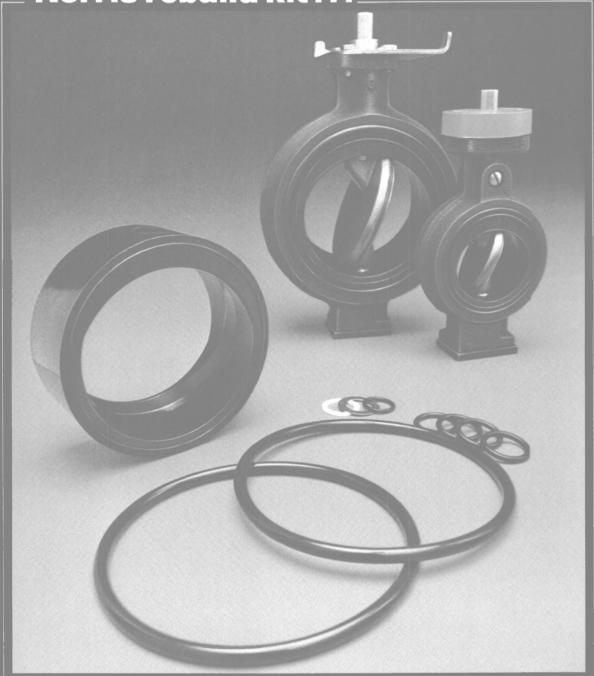
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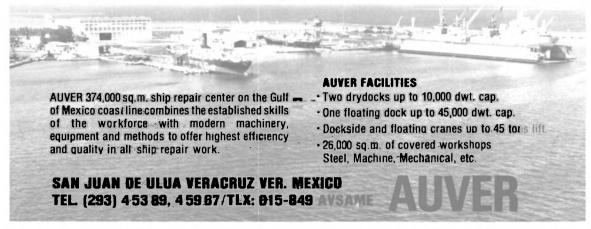
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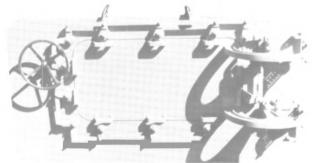


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Vista, Calif., serving as matron of honor.

John F. Sullivan Jr., president and chief executive officer of Bath Iron Works, welcomed the guests, including principal speaker Congresswoman Beverly Barton Butcher Byron. Daughter of Capt. Harry C. Butcher, World War II Naval aide to General Dwight D. Eisenhower, she represents the Sixth District of Maryland, and is a member of the House Armed Services Committee; and Rear Adm. Dempster M. Jackson, USN, Assistant Deputy Commander for ASW and Underwater Systems, Naval Sea Systems Command, who also addressed the gathering.

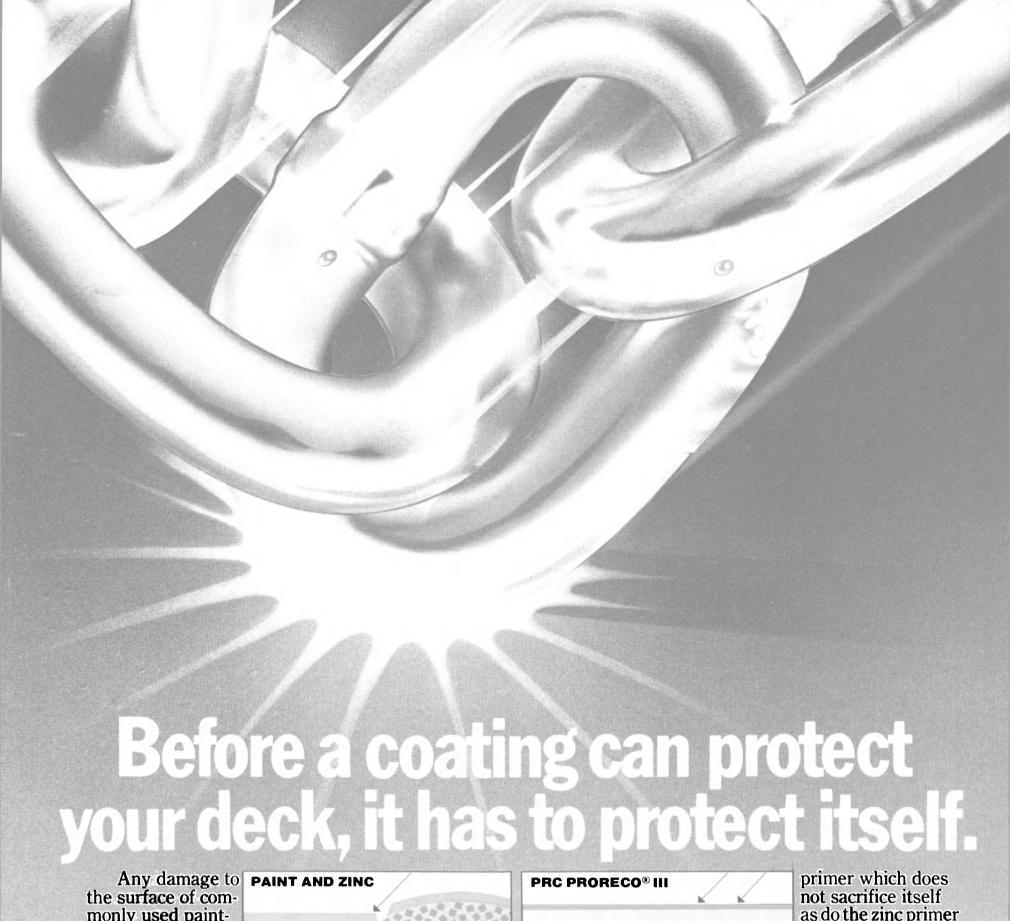
mand, who also addressed the gathering.

The 445-foot Clifton Sprague, powered by gas turbines similar to jet aircraft engines, is the sixth in a new class of guided missile frigates launched by Bath Iron Works. The new frigate class is designed for defense against submarines, surface ships and aircraft.

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A High-Speed Surface Craft Exhibition and Conference will be held at the Brighton Metropole and Marina from June 24-27 this year. Organized by Hovering Craft and Hydrofoil Exhibitions Limited, the Exhibition and Conference will bring together the latest in international technology, and commercial and military representatives from all over the world.

For further information, contact Hovering Craft and Hydrofoil Exhibitions Ltd., 52 Welbeck Street, London, W1M 7HE, England

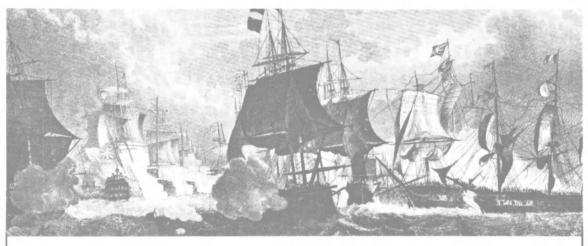
First Of 4 MaK Diesels For Bulkfleet Marine



Above, J. Barry Snyder, president of Houston, Texas-based Bulkfleet Marine Corporation, and Mrs. Snyder stand proudly with Gunther Kuehl, director of North American sales for MaK engines at the MaK engine manufacturing plant in Kiel, West Germany, with the first of four specially built engines to be delivered to Bulkfleet.

Mr. Snyder said that four of these six-cylinder, 4,000-horsepower engines would power two of his company's Deep Notch Tug Barge Units now under construction. The tugs are being built by McDermott Shipyards in Bayou Boef, La., to propel barges which are being constructed by General Dynamics in Quincy, Mass. The two new tug/barge units, expected to be completed in November 1980, will be operated by Bulkfleet under charter to Gulf Oil Corporation. Bulkfleet Marine Corporation is engaged in the design, construction and operation of tug/barge units for charter oil and chemical companies to move materials along the U.S. Gulf and East and West Coasts.





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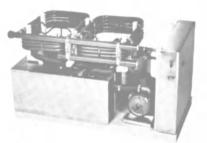
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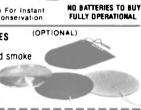
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George Cardew Appointed Commodore Of Matson Navigation Co. Fleet

Capt. George B. Cardew has been appointed commodore of the Matson Navigation Company fleet, it was announced by J.P. Gray, president.

Captain Cardew, a veteran Matson shipmaster, will be the sixth commodore in nearly 98 years of the company's U.S. West Coast-Hawaii ocean shipping service. He succeeds Commodore Charles C. Wright, who has retired.

Captain Cardew, who has been named master of the new containership S/S Kauai, nearing completion at Sun Ship, Inc., first went to sea in 1932 as a deck cadet on a Gulf Pacific Mail Line vessel. He joined Matson as a relief mate in 1936, and has sailed on Matson ships ever since.

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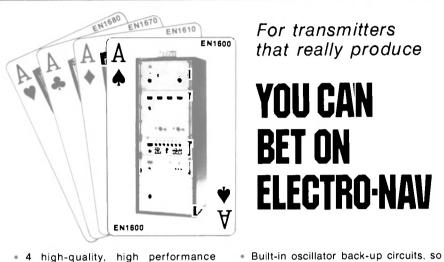
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The Vito C II leaving Cleveland, Ohio, on builders trials.

G & W Industries Builds The 'Vito C II' —First New Construction For 30-Year Repair Firm

G & W Industries, Cleveland, Ohio, recently completed construction of the fishing trawler Vito C II for Vito Ciaramitaro of Gloucester, Mass. The new 96-foot vessel will be used in the North Atlantic.

This vessel marks the first new construction from the Great Lakes for New England in over 10 years, and is the first ever for G & W Industries. The company, however, has been serving Great Lakes marine operators as a voyage repair and conversion facility for over 30 years.

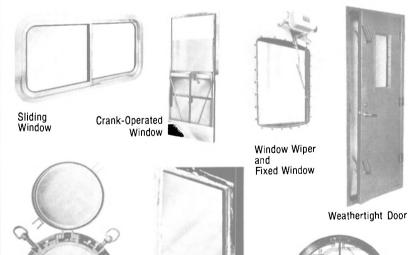
The Vito C II was designed by John W. Gilbert of Boston, Mass.

Items of note include an allstainless-steel lined fish hold, three 3-inch Marlowe bilge, ballast and wash-down pumps, Thermo-king fish hold freezer system, Foster galley refrigeration, Sperry autopilot and Wagner hydraulic steering. Rigging outfit is by Samsel Supply of Cleveland.

For complete information on new construction as well as repair and conversion facilities available at the Cleveland yard, contact Jack L. Schmidt, Assistant General Manager, G & W Industries, Inc., 1898 Carter Road, Cleveland, Ohio 44113, or telephone (216) 621-7246.

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Two Managers Appointed At Hellenic Lines, Ltd.

Joseph A. Modica has been appointed general manager of liner services of Hellenic Lines Ltd., the company has announced. Mr. Modica was formerly president of Seatrain Europa.

Hellenic also announced that James F. Theoharides has been named assistant general manager of the company. Mr. Theoharides was formerly vice president of Prudential Lines.

Ft. Schuyler Foundation Receives \$2,000 Grant From Texaco Inc.

A \$2,000 unrestricted contribution has been presented to the Maritime College at Fort Schuyler Foundation Inc., New York, N.Y., by the Marine Department of Texaco Inc., the college has announced.

The gift is the second unrestricted contribution made to the school by Texaco under a special \$4,000 grant program.

Arthur G. Berndt Joins El Paso Marine As Vice President-Operations

The El Paso Company, Houston, Texas, announced that Arthur G. Berndt of New York, who has almost 30 years' experience in the shipping industry, has joined its LNG shipping subsidiary, El Paso Marine Company, as vice president operations.

El Paso Marine Company operates a fleet of six of the largest LNG ships afloat. Three more are still under construction. The vessels carry LNG from Algeria to the East Coast of the United

States

Mr. Berndt was manager of operations for Energy Transportation Corporation, where he was responsible for seven ships that move LNG from Indonesia to Japan. Prior to joining Energy Transportation Corporation, he was in marine operations with Exxon International and Exxon International Services, including manager of operations for Exxon's fleet of LNG carriers.

His experience also includes work as a senior naval architect and as an industrial/marine safety engineer. Mr. Berndt graduated from the United States Merchant Marine Academy in 1946 with a B.S. degree in marine engineering. He has held a license as a marine chief engineer since 1952.

He serves as an advisor to the State of New York Maritime Academy and to the Maine Maritime Academy, and is active in placement of graduates of the U.S. Merchant Marine Academy.

Memberships include Kings Point Alumni, the Port of New York Port Engineers, the U.S. Naval Institute, the American Society of Naval Engineers, and the American Society of Safety Engineers.

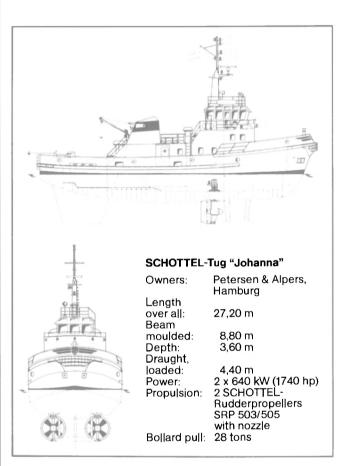
Chevron Transport Orders Four 35,000-Ton Tankers From Mitsubishi

Four new 35,000-deadweightton petroleum product tankers have been ordered by Chevron Transport Corporation, a subsidiary of Standard Oil Company of California, for service in the company's international trades. The diesel-powered vessels will be built by Mitsubishi Heavy Industries in its yard at Kobe, Japan. One tanker is scheduled for delivery in September 1981, two in mid-1982, and the last in early 1983. These product carriers will be sisterships of the two which Chevron ordered in December 1979 for delivery in 1981.

All six of these vessels will meet the safety and environmental requirements of the U.S. Port and Tanker Safety Act of 1978, as well as those of various conventions which have been adopted by the Inter-Governmental Maritime Consultative Organization (IM-CO), the maritime agency of the United Nations. They will be equipped with protectively located segregated ballast tanks and inert gas systems.

The addition of this new tonnage to the company's fleet will serve to replace older petroleum product tankers which the company has scrapped over the last five years.

SCHOTTEL-Tugs dominating in the Port of Hamburg



The launching of another SCHOTTEL-Tug owned by Petersen & Alpers Towing Company, Hamburg means that by 1980 a total of 14 tugs of the successful series of modern twin-screw SCHOTTEL-Tugs will be in service in the Port of Hamburg. The new vessel, which was built at the Mutzelfeld-Shipyard in Cuxhaven, is fitted out with two steerable SCHOTTEL-Rudderpropellers type SRP 503/505 and powered by two KHD diesel engines type SBA 6M 528, each having a capacity of 640 kW (870 hp) at 900 r.p.m. The two completely independent propulsion units are steered by the electro-hydraulic SCHOTTEL-Steering System S 600.

Like all the other tugs equipped with SCHOTTEL-propulsion in the Port of Hamburg, the rudderpropellers are mounted under the forward end of the hull in nozzles. Their combined thrust together with propulsion steering through 360 degrees enables the tug not only to move sideways in any desired direction but makes her equally manoeuvrable and efficient going ahead or astern. She stops or turns full circle in about her own length. Because the rudderpropellers are installed at the forward end and because of the stabilising effect of the protection plate located underneath them, the tugs ride smoothly and are easy to manoeuvre even in bad weather at sea.

The combination of the propellers fitted forward and the tow hook installed near the stern, produces very positive stability which eliminates the danger of capsizing due to "girting".

Wherever they are in operation, the excellent manoeuvring features and the outstanding safety potential of this new generation of tugs have led to decisive improvements in tug technology and in providing assistance to sea-going vessels, not only in Hamburg, but in many other harbours all over the world.

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\$50-Million Order For World's Largest Ore Carrier

The Hong Kong Trade Development Council reports that the Wah-Kwong Shipping Group recently placed an order for a 260,-000-dwt ore carrier, the largest of its kind ever built. The contract was awarded to the Japanese Hitachi Shipbuilding and Engineering Company, Ltd., with

delivery expected to be made late next year. The cost has been put at \$50 million.

It is estimated that this purchase could be the largest vessel ordered in the world during the past 18 months. In outlining the scope of this order, Frank Chao, the president of Wah Kwong noted that, although there are a number of existing oil-bulk-ore (OBO) and oil-ore (OO) combination carriers of more than 270,000

dwt, his company's order is for the largest pure dry cargo ship.

"In my opinion," Mr. Chao said, "a 260,000-tonner is ideal for loading and unloading and economical. Carriers in this range will gradually take over the transport of ore from the smaller ships.' He predicted that, in the years ahead, smaller ships will concentrate on carrying grain or coal. The normal size of the present dry cargo fleet ranges from 90,000 to 140,000 tons, and the largest ore carrier in use at present is 170,000 tons.

The vessel will be 315 meters in length (about 1,034 feet), with a beam of 55 meters (180 feet), and a draft of 20.4 meters (67 feet). Powered by a 26,500-hp Hitachi B&W 8L90GFCA diesel engine, the vessel is designed for a speed of 14.3 knots.

Royal Viking Line Plans To Enlarge Cruise Ships

Warren S. Titus, president of Royal Viking Line has announced plans to enlarge the passenger carrying capacity of three of the company's cruise ships, the Royal Viking Star, Royal Viking Sky, and Royal Viking Sea.

The company is negotiating with European shipyards for the modifications which would increase the vessels' tonnage from 22,000 to approximately 24,000, and their passenger carrying capacity to 675.

New Line Blind Introduced By Marland Environmental Systems—Literature Offered

Literature is available on a new line blind recently introduced by Marland Environmental Systems, Inc., Walworth, Wis. Ideal for use on tankers, barges and associated applications, the device acts to prevent leakage in inert gas systems and pipelines for fluid cargoes, fuel oil and ballast.

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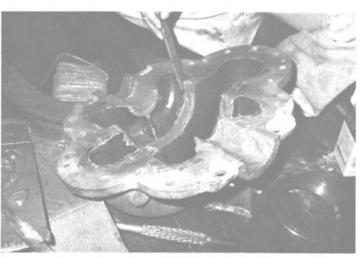
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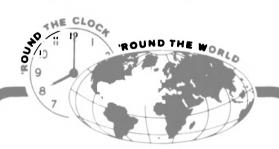
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Western Shipbuilding Association Elects Officers

The annual membership meeting of Western Shipbuilding Association (WSA) was held recently in San Francisco, Calif. Rear Adm. James K. Nunneley, USN, Deputy Commander for Industrial and Facility Management, Naval Sea Systems Command, Washington, D.C., was the guest speaker.

Admiral Nunneley heads the expansive program of repair, alteration and overhaul of all U.S. Navy combatant and auxiliary vessels. He discussed relations between the Navy and private shipyards, the prospects for Navy ship repair and maintenance work in West Coast shipyards during the early 1980s, and some of the problems encountered in overhauling today's sophisticated ships.

Prior to the membership meeting, the WSA board of directors, representing shipyard management and labor, held its annual meeting to elect officers and formulate association policies and programs for 1980. The following officers were elected to serve during 1980:

Chairman of the board, A.J. Maloney, Bethlehem Steel Corp., Terminal Island, Calif.; president, Walter A. Larsen, Willamette Iron & Steel Co., Portland, Ore.; assistant to the president, E.J. Glenn, Willamette Iron & Steel Co., Portland; 1st vice president and director emeritus, Arthur E. Farr, Pacific Coast Shipbuilders Assn., Portland; and executive secretary-treasurer, B.W. Evans, Barney Evans Public Relations, San Francisco, Calif.

Area vice presidents:

Seattle-Puget Sound Area—James H. Francis, Lake Union Drydock Co.; John T. Gilbride Jr., Todd Pacific Shipyards Corp., Seattle Division; M.L. Ingwersen, Lockheed Shipbuilding and Construction Co.; Frank B. Lynott, Tacoma Boatbuilding Co.; Carl R. Meurk, Todd Pacific Shipyards Corp., Seattle Division, and John P. Swanson, Boilermakers International, AFL-CIO.

Portland-Columbia River Area—Clair C. Anderson, Portland Metal Trades Council, AFL-CIO; W.J. Butler, Northwest Marine Iron Works; Bruce D. Hobbs, Dillingham Marine & Manufacturing Co., and Larry Rafferty, Boilermakers, Mount Hood Lodge No. 72, AFL-CIO.

San Francisco Bay Area—Robert K. Boyd, Guy F. Atkinson Co.; Clarence E. Briggs, Pacific Coast Metal Trades District Council, AFL-CIO; Thomas B. Crowley, Crowley Maritime Corporation; John M. Lappin, IBEW, Ninth District, AFL-CIO; Clifford P. LeGette, Triple "A" Shipyard, Hunters Point; Gayne Y. Marriner, Bethlehem Steel Corp., San

Francisco Shipyard; H.G. Rowe, Todd Pacific Shipyards Corp., San Francisco Division, and Walter E. Willard, Willard Marine Decking, Inc.

Los Angeles-Long Beach Area — James E. Daniels, IUMSWA, AFL-CIO; C.E. Frost, Harbor Sandblasting Co.; Stuart C. Jones, Todd Pacific Shipyards Corp., Los Angeles Division; John E. Marriner, John E. Marriner & Asso-

ciates; Steve M. Roberts, IUM-SWA, Local No. 9, AFL-CIO, and Hans Schaefer, Todd Pacific Shipyards Corp., Los Angeles Division.

San Diego Area—P.W. Pepper, Pepper Industries, Inc.; Paul I. Stevens, Campbell Industries; Gary Weisfeld, Triple "A" South, and W.F. Wild, Atkinson Marine.

Western Pacific Area—Richard Kuwada, Pacific Container Service, Inc.; Steven Loui, Pacific Marine & Supply Co., Inc., and J.V. Sterling Jr., Dillingham Shipvard.

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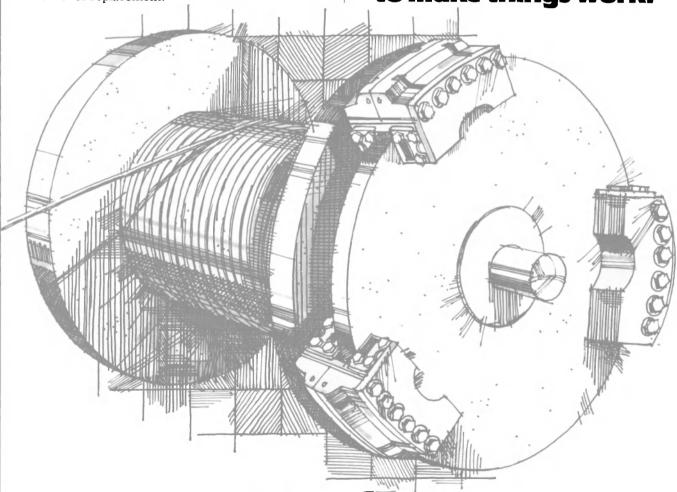
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The barges are certified by the United States Coast Guard for the carrying of Grade "A" and lower and certain Subchapter "O"

products, which include a variety of chemicals and petrochemicals. Each barge is fitted with a cargo system capable of off-loading 10,650 barrels in five and one-half hours, and a steam cargo heating system. These barges have provisions for the future installation of special gauging and vent systems to enable them to carry more exotic chemicals.

The barges are classed by the American Bureau of Shipping with a limited loadline for voyages between St. Marks, Fla., and Carrabelle, Fla., and between Chicago, Ill., and Burns Harbor, Ind.

Cargo capacity for each barge is approximately 10,650 barrels. The cargo dwt at 9-foot draft is 1,475 tons, based on light ship weight of 319 tons.

Founded in 1976, Binion Marine Service today offers transportation on the Gulf Coast of liquid products, such as crude oil, #6 oil, feed stocks, lube oils, chemicals and refined products. The company also offers general towing of customers' barges along the Gulf Intracoastal Waterway, and limited express service between Houston and Chicago.

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Key Management Changes Announced By American President Lines

W.B. Seaton, president, American President Lines, Ltd. (APL), recently announced a series of management realignments which he said are designed to strengthen the company's general management capabilities and broaden the corporate experience of key executives. Bengt I. Henriksen was appointed vice president, North America; Richard L. Hill, vice president, Land Operations; Timothy J. Rhein, vice president, Traffic; and Lorenz P. Robinson, vice president, Sales.

Mr. Henriksen has served as a consultant to the company since May 1979, and was formerly general manager, West Coast, for Maersk Line. Mr. Hill, who joined the company in 1977, has served as vice president, Traffic, since October 1978. Mr. Rhein joined APL in 1967, and has served as vice president, North America, since January 1978. Mr. Robinson has served as vice president, Land Operations, since joining the company early in 1979.

ESCO Offers Brochure On Shellmold Casting

A new brochure on applications of shellmold casting is available from ESCO Corporation, Portland, Ore.

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A.P. Langlois To Head **Management Information** At Moore McCormack

Paul R. Tregurtha, president and chief operating officer of Moore McCormack Resources, Inc., Stamford, Conn., recently announced the appointment of Andrew P. Langlois to the position of director of Management Information Services. Mr. Langlois will plan, coordinate and direct the management information and data processing functions of the company, and provide consulting services to Moore McCormack Resources' subsidiaries on a continuing basis.

Mr. Langlois comes to Moore McCormack after holding several executive positions at General Dynamics Corporation, including manager of administration and finance, systems development and programming, and management planning and analysis.

Apelco Literature Describes Three New Depth Sounder Models

Literature is available on three new flasher-type depth sounders introduced by Apelco for the 1980 season.

The Ranger 120 is a dual-scale sounder calibrated for 0-60 and 0-120 feet and designed for smallboat use in lakes, rivers, and bays. For deeper use in coastal waters, the Ranger 360 sounds depths in ranges of 60 feet or 60 fathoms (360 feet). As an offshore fishfinder for any size boat, the Ranger 600 will sound depths in ranges of 100 feet or 100 fathoms (600 feet).

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Thorpe Named Committee Chairman By Shipbuilders **Council Of America**

Veteran shipbuilding executive Richard W. Thorpe Jr. of Bath Iron Works has been elected to a two-year term as chairman of the Commercial Shipbuilding Committee of the Shipbuilders Council of America, Washington, D.C.

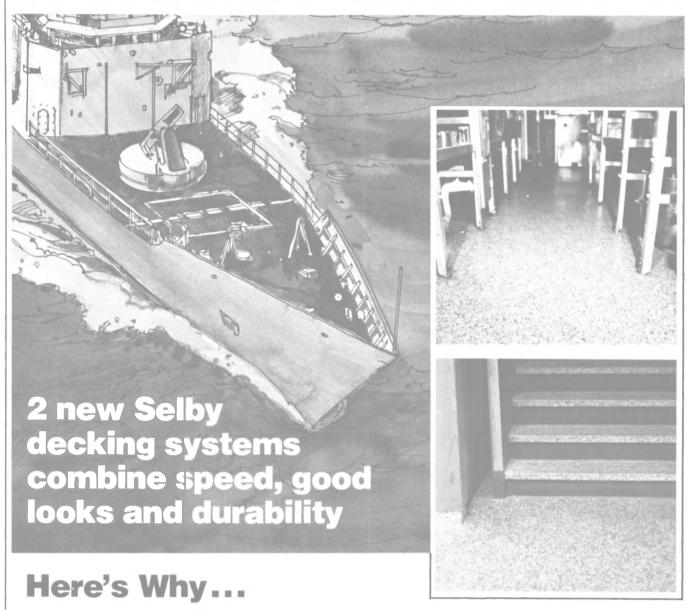
Marine Marketing and Long Range Planning manager of the Bath, Maine, shipyard, he is the first elected head of the committee formed to analyze and implement methods of revitalizing tne U.S. merchant marine and its shipbuilding base.

Mr. Thorpe describes the committee as a "think tank" to formulate policies and encourage legislation that will result in a practical national maritime policy.

Mr. Thorpe, who graduated from the Webb Institute of Naval Architecture as a marine engineer and naval architect, and the Harvard Business School, has been with Bath Iron Works since 1965 in jobs ranging from Navy ship contract administration to corporate long-range planning.

The members of his committee are Richard C.M. Calvert III, Newport_News Shipbuilding; Roland V. Danielson, Bethlehem Steel Corporation, Shipbuilding Division; Richard Orth, Sun Shipbuilding and Dry Dock Company; Gerald A. Livingston, Avondale Shipyards, Inc.; Edward L. Pickler Jr., Norfolk Shipbuilding and Drydock Corporation; Stuart C. Jones, Todd Shipyards Corporation; Alfred W. Lutter Jr., National Steel and Shipbuilding Company; and Richard Frost, Maryland Shipbuilding and Dry Dock Company. Valuable staff support has been provided by Frank R. Kesterman of the Shipbuilders Council, and James W. Charrier Jr. of Charrier, McAteer & Fetting.

Until the recent election, the committee was chaired by Edwin M. Hood, chairman, Shipbuilders Council of America, which is comprised of major U.S. shipyards and related industries.



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Waukesha Division, Abex Corp. of Waukesha, Wis., has made available its new 12-page full-color catalog covering the high-capacity Bredel Hosepump line. This versatile new line is capable of handling a wide variety of abrasive or highly viscous fluids

and slurries in a wide range of applications, from chemicals to wastewater sludges to food processing.

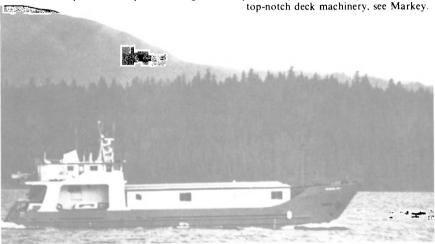
Included in the catalog are specifications, dimensions, performance charts and a chemical compatibility list.

For a copy of the catalog, contact James Dahlke, Waukesha Division, Abex Corp., 1300 Lincoln Avenue, Waukesha, Wis. 52186

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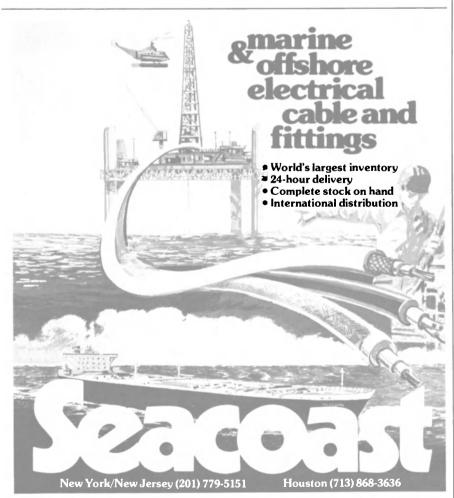
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NKK (Nippon Kokan) has delivered a 16,500-dwt chemical product carrier, the M/T Essi Gina, to BJ. Ruud Pedersen A/S, a major Norwegian shipowner. Masato Hiraki, NKK New York general manager, said the ship was constructed at NKK's Tsu Works, and is the first large-size chemical product carrier constructed in Japan to fully conform to IMCO MARPOL 1978 regulations.

The M/T Essi Gina is 156 meters long (about 512 feet), 21.26 meters wide (70 feet), and has a depth of 12.35 meters (41 feet).

The vessel has a center tank and two wing tanks that can be used to load different chemical

products in the "dangerous article" category as defined by IMCO regulations. The wing tanks have 10 compartments each. The center tank has double bulkheads and is divided into eight compartments to reduce the possibility of cargo spill due to hull damage. The inside bulkheads of the center tank are specially coated to withstand corrosive chemicals.

The product loaded in the center tank is pumped to and from shore facilities through cargo pipelines by a hydraulically driven submerged pump. The operation of pipeline valves and cargo tank level monitoring is remotely controlled from the cargo control room, thus reducing crew contact with dangerous products.

S/S Resolute Delivered 13 Weeks Ahead Of Schedule



The S/S Resolute shown above during sea trials immediately before delivery to her owner, Farrell Lines Incorporated.

The \$43-million highly automated merchant containership S'S Resolute was delivered to Farrell Lines Incorporated 13 weeks ahead of schedule by Bath

Iron Works, a Congoleum Company.

The ship's condition was so excellent that it was delivered directly from sea trials, and a bot-

tom painting, instead of first returning to its Bath, Maine, shipyard for corrections commonly required in new vessels.

"Resolute is as vital to the nation's freedom today as every Liberty ship of World War II," said John F. Sullivan Jr., president and chief executive officer of Bath Iron Works. "We must begin rebuilding our merchant fleet now, with modern ships like Resolute, or face the very real peril of surrendering our economic independence on the seas."

For early delivery of the Resolute, the shipbuilding executive credited his company's management practices and the dedication of its workers for consistently superior performance. He noted that his shipyard recently launched the U.S. Navy guided missile frigate Clifton Sprague (FFG16) 19 weeks ahead of schedule (see page 64 of this issue), and that last November it delivered a similar ship 11 weeks early and \$5-million below target cost.

The Resolute is the eighth in a series of Lightning-class containerships of the same basic design produced by Bath Iron Works, and the second of two constructed under an \$86-million contract for Farrell Lines Incorporated, New York City. The first, the S/S Argonaut, was completed four months early in June 1979.

The S/S Resolute is 610 feet overall in length, 78 feet in beam, and will displace 26,670 long tons fully loaded at the design draft of 27 feet.

The ship can carry 1,070 twenty-foot cargo containers below and above deck, general cargo on portable platforms, and features accommodations for 12 officers and 29 crew members in fully airconditioned quarters.

Its General Electric double reduction geared steam turbine will produce 17,500 maximum continuous shaft horsepower to drive a single screw for a normal speed of 22.5 knots. (See MARITIME REPORTER/Engineering News, September 15, 1979 issue, page 12.)

National Supply Names Four Officials To Key Drilling Equipment Posts

National Supply Company, a major manufacturer of oilfield machinery headquartered in Houston, Texas, has named four men to key positions with its drilling equipment product line.

Phillip P. Musmeci was named general manager-subsidiary companies, with responsibility over Par Industries and Derrick Services International, recently acquired by the company to expand its range of drilling equipment. Mr. Musmeci brings more than 25 years of National Supply marketing and management experience to his new responsibilities.

Par is a shipyard in New Iberia, La., which specializes in design and manufacture of production platforms, barge rigs and small jackups. Derrick Services is a maker of masts and substructures for drilling rigs with manufacturing facilities in Tomball, Texas, and Edmonton, Alberta, Canada.

Donald W. Vogelsang was promoted to area manager-Europe, Africa and the Middle East for

National drilling equipment sales, succeeding Mr. Musmeci. He will continue to supervise the company's London office where he has been serving as managing director, National Supply Company (U.K.) Ltd., a British subsidiary.

James D. Shaver was named

James D. Shaver was named special projects manager. He is responsible for development of a third-generation, hydraulic, automated rig intended for 20,000-foot drilling operations. The new

rig is presently under manufacture and is expected to be ready for drilling about mid-year.

Russ J. Wisecup succeeds Mr. Shaver as worldwide product manager for drilling equipment. He has his office in Houston, and is responsible for National drilling machinery products, including the administration of production schedules and orientation training of rig crews on operation and maintenance of equipment.

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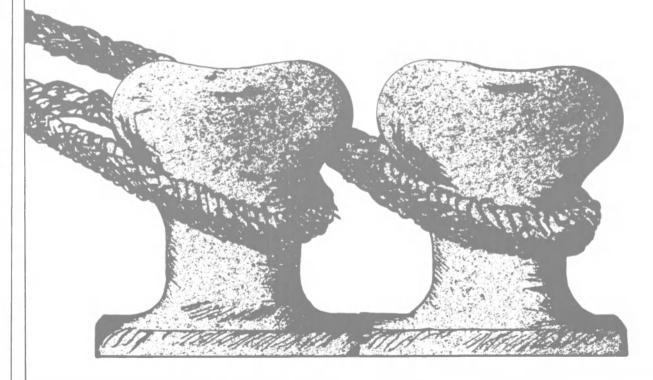
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Geological Survey And USCG Plan Joint Study Of Offshore Issues

According to the American Waterways Operators, Inc., the Geological Survey and the Coast Guard have announced plans to begin a joint study of the adequacy of existing safety and health regulations, and of the technology available for exploration, drilling, development and production of oil and gas on the Outer Continental Shelf.

This study is mandated by the Outer Continental Shelf Lands Act Amendments of 1978 (P.L. 95-372).

All offshore activities, except diving, will be included in the study. The Coast Guard notes that it is particularly interested in occupational safety and health

in maritime and industrial operations and in environmental protection in connection with transfer of oil or hazardous materials between vessels and facilities.

The Marine Board of the National Academy of Sciences has been asked by the Geological Survey to provide substantial input.

Comments should be submitted by April 28 to Chief, Conservation Division, U.S. Geological Survey, National Center, Mail Stop 640, Reston, Va. 22092.

Consult the February 28 Federal Register for a complete analysis. Copies of this notice may be obtained from American Waterways Operators, Inc., 1600 Wilson Boulevard, Suite 1101, Arlington, Va. 22209.

White Appointed VP Of Water Technologies Div, Aqua-Chem, Inc.

F. Marshall White has been appointed vice president, operations for the Water Technologies Division, Aqua-Chem, Inc., according to an announcement by Lee J. Hartenstein, division president.



F. Marshall White

Mr. White was formerly director of operations with responsibilities for manufacturing, inventory control, purchasing, labor relations, and manufacturing engineering. Prior to that, he was manager of manufacturing, and earlier was manager of production and inventory control. Mr. White joined the company in 1966 as PERT analyst.

The Water Technologies Division is headquartered in Milwaukee, Wis., and manufactures a variety of marine and landbased seawater desalters and water pollution control systems for use around the world.

Kvaerner Offers Literature On Ro/Ro Equipment Line

One of the leading manufacturers of hatch covers, Kvaerner Brug A/S, is now offering literature on their full range of ro/ro equipment, including bow and stern ramps, slewing and angled ramps, bulkhead doors, elevators, and hoistable cardecks with built-in

Kvaerner offers their standard version of the Flexible Slewing Ramp with a ramp length of 40 meters (about 131 feet), providing clear driveway width of 7 meters (23 feet), with a ramp/door weight of approximately 185 tons, and a maximum axle load of 60

Free literature on Kvaerner's Flexible Slewing Ramp and other ro/ro equipment can be obtained by writing K. Mogedal, Design Section Manager-Shipbuilding Group, Kvaerner Brug A/S, Kvaernerveien 10, Oslo 1, Nor-





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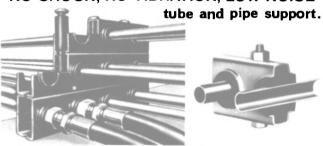
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Title XI Aid Asked For Five Cement Barges Costing \$10.5 Million

Marquette Co., Nashville, Tenn., has applied for a Title XI guarantee to aid in financing the construction of five self-unloading cement barges costing \$10.5 million.

The barges are being built by Nashville Bridge Co. and Ingalls Shipbuilding. Deliveries are expected by mid-year.

398,000-Ton Tanker Pacific Joins General Electric Credit Corp. Fleet

The 398,000-deadweight-ton tanker Pacific has been added to the fleet of General Electric Credit Corp., the Stamford, Connbased company recently announced. With the addition of the Pacific, GECC now owns 14 tankers.

The Pacific is the last of four tankers to be acquired through a leverage lease transaction and then chartered to the Shell Oil Co. The other vessels are the Alaska, the San Diego, and the Atlantic, the largest commercial vessel to be built in the Western Hemisphere, and a sistership of the Pacific. (See cover story, MARITIME REPORTER / Engineering News, April 15, 1979). The Pacific's builders, Newport News Shipbuilding, put the price of the vessel at \$89 million.

GECC, a subsidiary of the General Electric Co., acquired its first vessel in 1973 and today owns 2,528,000 deadweight tons in U.S.-flag tankers.

The company has indicated plans to acquire this year three integrated tug-barges now under construction at the Avondale Yard, New Orleans, La.

Japan's NKK Designs Wave Energy Power Generation System

The technical staff of NKK's Tsu Research Laboratories has worked out the basic design of a dolphin type, wave energy absorption/power generation system permitting 100 percent absorption and effective use of ocean wave energy.

Masato Hiraki, NKK New York general manager, said the major components of the system are a dolphin, connecting rod (arm), floating body and two generators.

The floating body rolls and heaves due to wave-exciting forces, thereby generating relative revolving movements of the floating body and the connecting rod, and of the connecting rod and the dolphin. In this instance, revolutions are amplified by the use of gears.

The revolving movements are used as driving forces for power generators. In this manner, wave energy can be completely absorbed and concurrently used as

driving forces for power generation.

Experiments using a scale model were conducted recently in public at Tsu Research Laboratories 60 m x 3 m x 1.5 m test basin. In the experiments, designed wave energy of 90 watts was applied to a floating body measuring 3 m x 1 m x 0.5 m. It was confirmed that wave energy was completely absorbed, resulting in the complete elimination of waves, and some

70 watts was recovered as electric energy. The margin of 20 watts was mechanical loss. Research will be continued on generation systems and structural analysis of the dolphin prior to offshore experiments.

In addition to power generation, the system can be utilized to provide pump driving power for desalination equipment and equipment for absorbing uranium in the sea. The system enables complete elimination of waves, thus providing suitable sites for fish farming, offshore recreation and port facilities.

Details of the experimental results will be announced at the 13th Symposium on Naval Hydrodynamics to be held in October in Tokyo.

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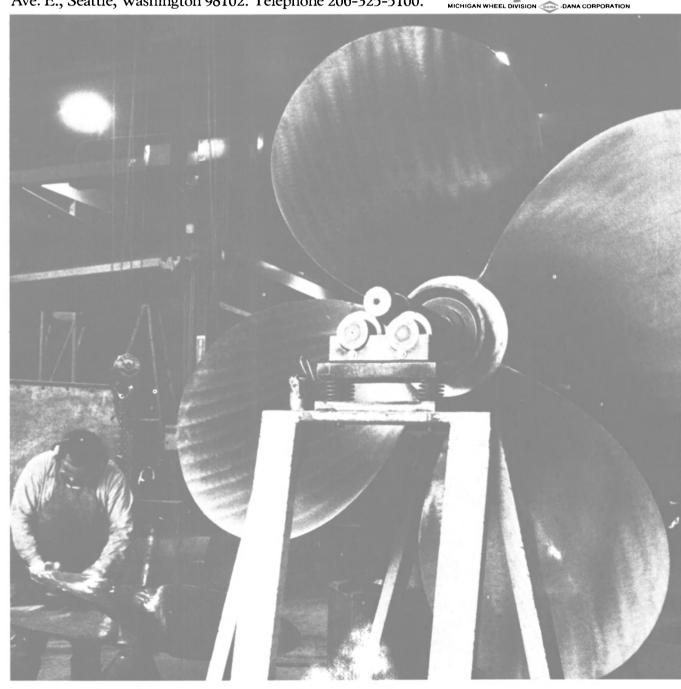
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\$23-Million Subcontract To Oceanic Contractors, Inc. For North Sea Modules

Oceanic Contractors, Inc., a subsidiary of J. Ray McDermott & Co., Inc., New Orleans, La., announced that its McDermott Scotland Division has been subcontracted by Taywood-Santa Fe Ltd. for a sum in excess of 10 million pounds sterling (approximately \$23 million) to build three top-

side facilities modules for installation in the North Sea.

McDermott Scotland will fabricate the utility, power generation, and water treatment modules for the Shell/Esso North Cormorant development platform in Block 211/21 of the North Cormorant Field in the United Kingdom sector of the North Sea. The work will also involve pre-commissioning, pre-hookup, loadout and sea fastening of the modules.

The utility module will weigh

1,150 metric tons; the power generation module, 1,200 metric tons; and the water treatment module, 1,400 metric tons. Work on them is now underway at McDermott Scotland's Ardersier fabrication yard, and they are scheduled to be fastened for sea towing by late April of 1981.

McDermott is a leading international energy services company. The company and its subsidiaries provide engineering and construction services to the offshore oil and gas industry, and manufacture steam generating equipment, tubular products, refractories, and automated machine tools.

Title XI Granted For \$3.1-Million To Rebuild Tender 'Seadrill II'

The Maritime Administration has approved a Title XI guarantee to Sea Drilling Corp., New Orleans, La., to rebuild the drilling tender Seadrill II. The work is to be done by American Marine Corporation, New Orleans, La. Completion is scheduled for June 1980. The 330-foot nonself-propelled tender will operate on Lake Maracaibo in Venezuela. The estimated cost is about \$3.1 million.

Globtik Tankers Group Signs Contract For 80,000-Ton Tanker

Ravi N. Tikkoo, chairman of Globtik Tankers Group, has recently exercised his option with Ishikawajima-Harima Heavy Industries Co., Ltd (IHI), Japan, for construction of the third ship of a series of 80,000-dwt diesel tankers.

These tankers have a shallow draft of 40 feet and are equipped with fuel efficient IHI SEMT-Pielstick medium-speed diesel engines.

The vessel is to be registered under the U.K. flag and manned by a British crew. Delivery is scheduled for June 1981.

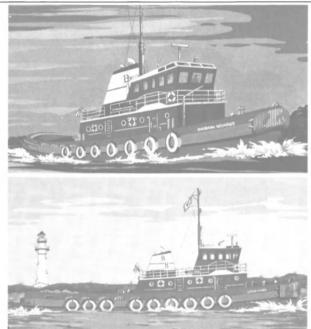
Navire Receives Order From Chinese Owners For Angled Stern Ramps

Navire Cargo Gear (NCG) has announced receipt of a large order for angled stern ramps from the People's Republic of China.

Involved are 11 new ro/ro vessels now under construction at several Japanese shipyards, with all ships scheduled for delivery during 1980. The contract, issued by China Merchants Steam Navigation, is for an NCG design based on the "PARALLA" type

Individual stern ramps vary with vessel class, but all range in length from 32 to 36 meters (about 105 feet to 118 feet) and will handle standard 40-foot MAFI road trailers. The largest ramp, 16 meters wide (about 52 feet), will accept heavy load vehicles to 200 tons total weight, while all ramp systems will handle an extremely wide variety of fork-lift trucks, LUF units and other typical cargo vehicles. Ramps will be supplied by Kayaba Industry Company, Ltd., NCG's Japanese licensee.

For complete information on NCG's extensive line of cargo access equipment, contact Navire Cargo Gear, Box 8991, S-402, 74 Gothenburg, Sweden.





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The ship will be able to handle 1,040 containers (size, 20 feet), and will carry passenger cars but no passengers. The vessel will be 194 by 28 meters (about 637 feet by 92 feet), and will have twin diesel engines with a combined output of 21,200 hp and a contracted speed of 19.8 knots.

William A. Wood Joins Giannotti & Associates

William A. Wood has joined Giannotti & Associates, Inc. as chief naval architect. The announcement was made recently by Dr. Paul Van Mater Jr., vice president of the Annapolis, Md., firm. Mr. Wood was formerly with the Central Technical Division of Bethlehem Steel Corporation where he also served as chief naval architect.



William A. Wood

Mr. Wood has 14 years of experience in the design of commercial vessels and offshore platforms. He holds B.S. and M.S. degrees in naval architecture and marine engineering from the University of Michigan. Mr. Wood is a member of the Hull Structure Committee of The Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers and is chairman of SNAME Panel HS-7 (Vibrations).

Joe Pertofsky Heads New Henschel/Nelson Div.

Henschel Corporation, a unit of General Signal, has announced the formation of a new division, Henschel/Nelson, located in Tulsa, Okla. Henschel/Nelson was formerly the Marine Products Group of Nelson Electric, another unit of General Signal.

The new Henschel/Nelson Division is under the direction of Joe Pertofsky, vice president and general manager. This organization will continue to supply shipboard electrical distribution and control equipment, including power and signal switchboards, as well as marine electrical hardware.

The executive offices of Henschel Corporation remain in Amesbury, Mass. As in the past, the

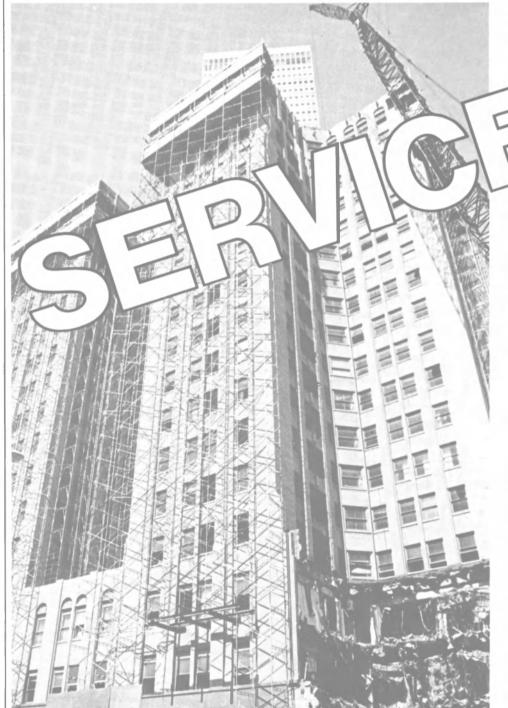
Henschel staff and facilities in Amesbury will continue the design, development and production of ship control and interior communication equipment and systems for Naval and commercial ships.

All personnel formerly in Nelson Electric's Marine Products Group have transferred to Henschel/ Nelson. The office and main plant of Henschel/Nelson will soon move to facilities now under construction in Tulsa. Marine hardware equipment will continue to be produced at a facility in Homer, La.

The increased capability result-

ing from the formation of the Henschel/Nelson Division will permit Henschel Corporation to better serve the needs of the Navy and marine industry.

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Marathon Utilizes Computer Graphics For First Computer-Designed Offshore Rig

The Gulfwind, the first completely computer-designed offshore jackup drilling rig, is under construction for Chiles Drilling Company of Houston, Texas, at Marathon LeTourneau Company's Brownsville, Texas, yard, Marathon announced from its Houston headquarters.

The Marathon-class 150-44-C cantilevertype jackup drilling rig was designed by a new Computer Graphics Section at Marathon Marine Engineering Company, division of Marathon Manufacturing Company. The new drafting-design system was formed as a state-of-the-art way to more efficiently and economically improve engineering drafting procedures, a Marathon spokesman said.

In addition to being computer-designed,

the Gulfwind is being engineered and constructed by Marathon LeTourneau to incorporate every practical feature for efficient offshore drilling operations, plus comfortable living quarters for at least a 40-man crew.

To be fully equipped for exploratory or development drilling up to 15,000-foot depths, the Gulfwind has an unusual cantilever design permitting drilling multiple wells without moving the rig.

In order to design the Gulfwind by computer, many of Marathon's engineering drafters have been retrained to extend their knowledge into the sophisticated computer-aided graphics area to become computer drafting

specialists. Five new computer graphics modules with

A computer drafter sits at the console of one of five computer graphics modules in the Computer Graphics Section at Marathon Marine Engineering Company, on which a drafter-operator can draft a design for an offshore jackup drilling rig twice as fast as by the manual procedure.

fully trained drafters-operators can draft a rig design at least twice as fast as the tedious manual drafting procedure, it was said.

The computer design module works like a typewriter attached to a video screen and is used to create a visual design or layout of a rig. These units can project graphic illustrations such as structural shapes, connection details, welding symbols, and other engineering symbols onto the screen where required on the rig layout, and as many times as needed.

Complex engineering drawings are thus possible by programming the system to do extensive mathematical calculations that can be interacted with the graphics system, according to the spokesman.

The Chiles's Gulfwind rig order, described a "Hull 152" at Marathon, started on its way in Marathon Marine Engineering's General Arrangements Group, after receiving a set of rig specifications supplied by Chiles Drilling Company, Here, the general rig layout and owner-specified modifications are incorporated into the design via one of the computer design modules.

The general rig layout includes an overall view of the rig, general layout of machinery and main decks, crew quarters, and interbottom tanks. The layout is dispersed to four other computer-graphics drafting disciplines, a Structural Group, an Electrical Group, a Mechanical Group, and Piping Group, each with its own computer-graphics module.

Concentrating on the hull design of the rig, the Structural Group specifies the size and type of steel to be used in rig construction. Some 30 computer-aided drawings are



After a computer-drafted offshore jackup drilling rig design has been completed and approved, finished drawings are made on the Computer Plotter by a drafter, shown here at the Plotter console. The drawings can be stored for recall at any time from the computer's Central Processing Unit, shown at left. Finished and approved drawings are made on the Computer Plotter, shown here on the readout at right. The Computer Digitizer is also used to trace existing drawings, which can be stored in the Central Processing Unit for recall onto the Plotter for a finished drawing.

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required to show plating and framing for the bottom, machinery and main decks, spud wells for the jackup legs, and bulkheads and structural frames.

The Electrical Group executes about 40 computer-graphics drawings for the lighting, telephone and general alarm systems for the rig. They also lay out drawings for the wiring systems for any specified cranes, winches, and skidders for the drill floor.

Approximately 15-20 computer-graphics drawings are required from the Mechanical Group, which develops the drawings for the heavy structural skid rails, pipe racks, gear boxes, generators, water towers, crane columns, and spud legs.

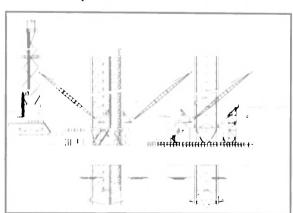
All industrial piping computer-graphics drawings for the drilling function of the rig is provided by the Piping Group, as well as all standard rig piping such as bilge, ballast, pre-load, potable water, and sanitary and fire systems, all requiring some 30 drawings.

After a rig design has been completed and approved, finished drawings are made on a Computer Plotter and stored for recall at any time in a Central Processing Unit. Finished (approved) drawings are made on the Computer Plotter. A Computer Digitizer is also used to trace existing drawings, which can be stored in the Central Processing Unit for recall onto the Plotter for a finished drawing.

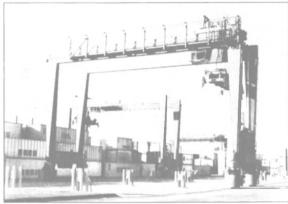
The Chiles's Gulfwind has been designed with a 153.5-foot by 160-foot hull to provide generous deck space for efficient drilling operations. The rig's 248-foot-long legs can be recessed into the hull for towing into waters as shallow as 15 feet. The rig elevating system will extend the legs at the rate of 90 feet per hour to position the rig on station in waters up to 150 feet deep.

According to Marathon engineers, the Gulfwind is designed to be ideally adapted for relatively shallow-water drilling operations. Though specially designed by Marathon for the Gulf of Mexico, it will perform just as efficiently off the West Coast of Africa, in the Caribbean or Indonesian waters, or wherever similar environments are found, it was said.

Marathon LeTourneau Company is a division of Marathon Manufacturing Company, Houston. In addition to being the leading manufacturer of mobile offshore jackup drilling rigs, the parent company is a multiproduct company manufacturing materials handling equipment, steel products, steel buildings, white oils, batteries, consumer goods, and providing civil engineering and construction services. It is a subsidiary of The Penn Central Corporation.



This computer-drafted drawing is part of the design for the first completely computer-designed offshore jackup drilling rig, the Gulfwind, now under construction for Chiles Drilling Company of Houston at Marathon LeTourneau Company's Brownsville, Texas, yard. The Marathon-class 150-44-C cantilever-type jackup drilling rig was designed by a new Computer Graphics Section at Marathon Marine Engineering Company.

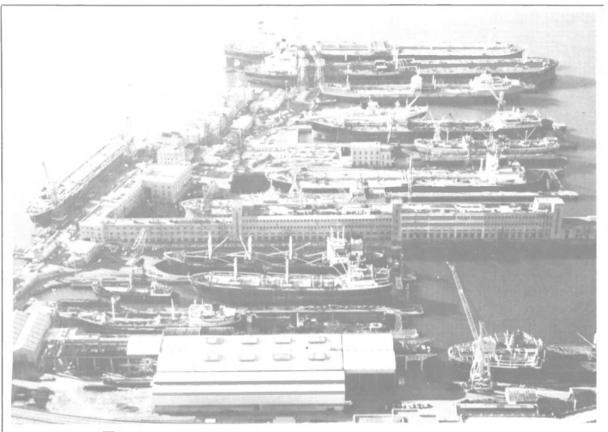


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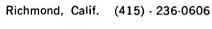
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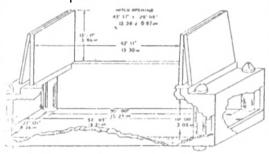
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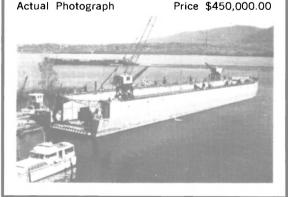
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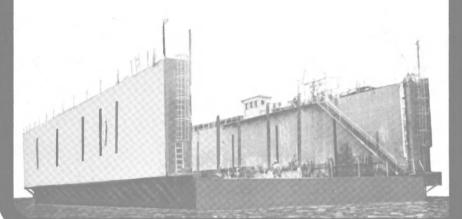
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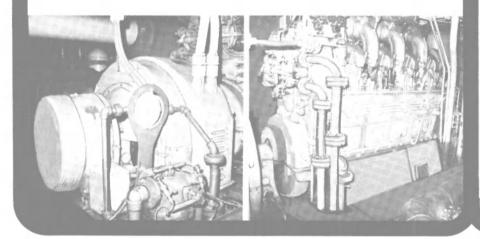
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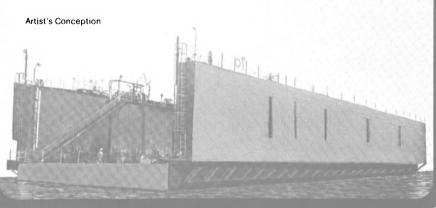


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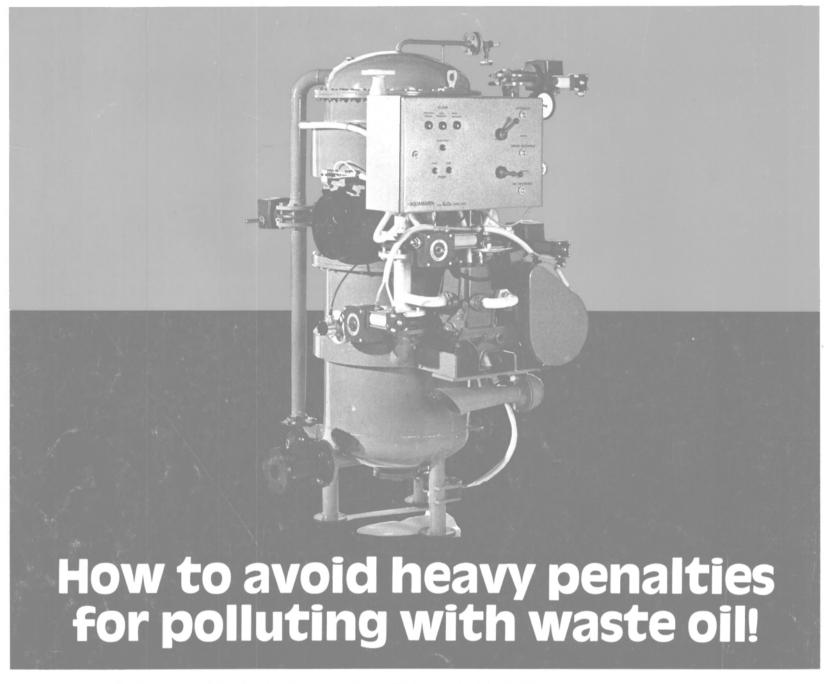
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