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The vessels are to be especially designed for shallow draft operation, with a capacity of 100 autos and 800 passengers, and a speed of approximately 15 knots. Measurements will be approximately 320feet long by 68-feet over-deck by 18-feet deep with a load draft of 7 feet. Propulsion will be twinscrew driven by two diesel engines of about 1,500-hp each. The vessels will be built to ABS

The vessels will be built to ABS and Coast Guard requirements for the service intended. Many innovations tested on other ferries designed by Coast Engineering will be incorporated into these ships to improve performance and operating efficiencies.

The design is being done under the personal supervision of Harry W. Keeling Jr., naval architect and president of the firm, and John C. Chivvis Jr.. chief naval architect.

Operator Applies For Mortgage Insurance On Offshore Drilling Unit

An application for loan and mortgage insurance to help finance construction of a \$17-million semisubmersible offshore deep drilling craft has been filed with the Maritime Administration. This is the first application for such a non-self-propelled unit to come to MarAd. Western Company of North America, Fort Worth, Texas, is the applicant.

Western said it planned to use the "vessel" throughout the world where gas and oil deposits are being developed in ocean depths in excess of 250 feet. It is planned to have the unit built by Bethlehem Steel Co. in its Beaumont, Texas, yard.

British Group Forms Container Repair Firm

According to reports from London, a new company, Orsett Container Repairs, Ltd., has been formed by the London Graving Dock Group and Lamport & Holt.

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Peterson Builders Delivers All-Aluminum

Research Vessel ALCOA SEAPROBE

A visionary oceanographic concept became a reality at Peterson Builders, Inc., Sturgeon Bay, Wis. as the all-aluminum research vessel, Alcoa Seaprobe, completed builder's and owner's trials and headed for the Atlantic Ocean. Once at sea, further tests of the vessel's deep-ocean search and recovery systems will be conducted before the ship proceeds to her home port of Washington, D.C., for special dedication ceremonies.

The Alcoa Seaprobe concept is based on ideas originally formulated by Willard Bascom of Ocean Science and Engineering, Inc. The vessel is owned by the Aluminum Company of America and will be operated by its subsidiary, Ocean Search, Inc. The 243-foot Alcoa Seaprobe is one of the most advanced deep-ocean search and recovery vessels afloat. It also is a striking example of aluminum marine construction.

George G. Scholley, Alcoa Seaprobe project manager and vice president of Ocean Search, Inc., said :

"When we moved from the drawing board to the shipyard in 1969, we faced a number of major aluminum and ocean engineering chal-lenges Raising of the Ocean Search, Inc. flag over the Alcoa Seaprobe marks the successful completion of phase one of this imaginative venture. We expect continued progress as the vessel probes the sea and undertakes numerous deep-ocean projects."

The ship carries a youthful, 33man crew, and can accommodate 19 engineers and scientists. The captain is Robert A. Wilson, 35, a graduate of the California Maritime Academy. Speaking about the Alcoa Seaprobe, he said :

"The crew represents a cross-section of talent as distinctive as the Alcoa Seaprobe herself. Graduates of some of the country's top maritime academies are working sideby-side with seasoned veterans of land and off-shore drilling operations.

"She is an exciting, well-engi-neered venture. A quick look at her design and capabilities makes it easy to understand why men were eager to sign aboard."

Aluminum Construction

More than a million pounds of Alcoa aluminum sheet, plate and extrusions, and nearly six million feet of aluminum welding wire were used in the construction of the 1,700-ton vessel. The ship was completed on schedule by Peterson Builders, Inc., and confirms a growing awareness that major aluminum marine construction can be accomplished economically and ef-

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ficiently with conventional shipyard equipment.

The construction of the Alcoa Seaprobe provides a practical "ref-erence manual" of advanced aluminum fabrication techniques that will aid shipbuilders around the world. Actually, two recent aluminum developments related to marine construction were applied on a large scale in building the Alcoa Seaprobe.

The first development was the temper of the aluminum, desig-nated H117, which insures virtual immunity to exfoliation corrosion for marine alloys 5456 and 5086. Alcoa Research Laboratories developed advanced fabricating methods to produce the improved temper. Aluminum alloy 5456-H117, primary material for the hull construction of the Alcoa Seaprobe, is available from Alcoa for general marine use, along with assistance on fabricating and joining techniques.

Principal Chara	cteristics
Length overall	243 ft
Beam	50 ft
Draft-hull	8 ft
Draft-propellers	14 ft
Displacement	1,700 ton
Speed	10 knot
Range	6,600 mile
Endurance	45 day
Center well	12 ft. by 36 ft
Pipe racker capacity	20,000 ft
Crew	33
Scientific party	19

The second development was in welding. The new welding specifications used were compiled by Alcoa specifically for shipbuilding. Introduced early this year, they were used in the construction of the Alcoa Seaprobe and are available from the company.

M. Lee Peterseim, managercommercial marine sales for Alcoa, commented:

"The use of these two Alcoa developments assured that the construction of the Alcoa Seaprobe exploited the latest technology in the application of aluminum for oceangoing vessels. We expect these modern construction developments, which have been approved by the American Bureau of Ship-ping and the U.S. Coast Guard, to produce the finest example afloat of aluminum's seaworthiness.

"The construction and operation of the Alcoa Seaprobe will provide theoretical and practical data that will be useful anytime a marine vessel is contemplated and constructed. Experience with this vessel confirms our belief that major construction involving aluminum can be accomplished with conventional shipyard equipment. In addition, the ship is the first all-alu-

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Alcoa Seaprobe on builder's trials performed in excess of planned requirements. This all-aluminum vessel not only introduced new techniques in construction methods but its capabilities for research exceed those of any existing or proposed vessel.



A view of the semi-automatic pipe-handling equipment which teeds multiple sections of 3 and 4-inch drill pipe into the sea below. Beneath the aluminum derrick, which rises 102 feet above the deck, a crew of "roughnecks"men experienced in land and off-shore drilling operations-send the pipe down through an opening in the ship's hull at the rate of 30 feet per minute.



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minum structure of its type to comply with Coast Guard regulations for structural fire protection."

Aluminum sheet, plate, extrusions, tubular products and welding electrode from Alcoa plants at Davenport, Iowa; Lafayette, Ind., and Massena, N.Y. were used in building the Alcoa Seaprobe. As an example of the product requirements for a job of such scope, more than one thousand miles of aluminum electrode and filler rod were used to join the hull, framing and superstructure sections.

The Design

The 243-foot (overall length) Alcoa Seaprobe has a 50-foot beam, a hull draft of 8 feet and a total draft over the vertical-axis propellers of 14 feet, and a displacement of 1,700 tons. The ship has a 45day cruising range of approximately 6,600 miles. It has a speed of 10 knots.

The hull form incorporates a chine which allowed for extensive use of flat plates for the shell. Amidships is the drawworks which are similar to those on off-shore oil-drilling platforms. A helicopter platform is provided on the stern of the vessel.

Propulsion is provided by two Voith-Schneider, cycloidal, omnidirectional propulsion units. The main source of electrical power for driving these vertical-axis propellers are two 800-kw General Motors diesel generator sets. Auxiliary power is supplied by two 250-kw General Motors diesel generator sets. The propulsion motors and controls were supplied by Electric Machinery Manufacturing Company.

The Alcoa Seaprobe can be controlled either from a console on the bridge or a console in the search/ recovery control center. These units were supplied by Decca.

The derrick has a height of 132 feet above the waterline. It is constructed of 6061-T6 aluminum tubing and 5456-H321 aluminum plate. It was designed for a hook load of 250 tons with a safety factor of two.

The drawworks is an EMSCO 800 with a 600-hp motor-generator power supply for d-c control. The 41/2-inch diameter OD, upset-in-

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ternal flush pipe in 60-foot sections is handled by a semi-automatic pipe-handling system. There are two A.B. Chance 5-ton

There are two A.B. Chance 5-ton Oceanographic cranes with interchangeable winch drums for handling equipment on the deck or over the side.

Operations

The Alcoa Seaprobe is a dynamically positioned ocean working platform. The ship can be precisely navigated for fine grain area searches and can hold a precision position in the open sea against winds and currents with the aid of the following systems:

1. Ocean-bottom-mounted acoustic reference systems,

2. Land-based, precision shortrange and medium-range radio location systems,

3. Radar positioning relative to land-based or moored reference points, and

4. Worldwide positioning systems employing satellites and/or VLF Omega.

Using a semi-rigid pipe system, the Alcoa Seaprobe deploys a search, identification and sensor package in close proximity to the ocean floor. The system is designed to permit accurate control of the sensor package relative to the ship's working platform and with regard to the sea floor or objects on the floor.

A thruster system at the working end of the pipe provides precision control and positioning of sensor packages, recovery mechanisms, viewing or recording systems, and real-time television examination of deep-ocean objects.

Using sonar and television for target location and identification, Alcoa Seaprobe is designed to be capable of selectively lifting multiton weights from the sea floor. This lift capacity is made possible by the tensile strength of the 41/2-inch diameter drill pipe.

The business end of the Alcoa Seaprobe system is located at the end of a pipe string made of 60-foot segments of drill pipe threaded together to reach the ocean depths required. Depending upon the task at hand, sensor systems are deployed for fine-grain bottom search and examination, target identification and marking, or oceanographic sampling and measurement. Recovery devices ranging from multi-purpose grappling claws to coring tools are available for lifting bottom objects or cores to the surface. A cable affixed to the exterior of the pipe provides the necessary electrical power, telemetry control signals, and data transmission circuits between the shipboard control consoles and the sensor systems probing the deep ocean.

Search—The basic search "pod" deploys side-scan sonar to sweep a 2,400-foot path along the sea floor. The pod is configured with forward looking sonar, television, still camera, target-illumination systems, and a dropable acoustic beacon to use in marking specific target locations.

Additional sensors, detectors and



This artist's sketch depicts how the Alcoa Seaprobe will be able to recover objects 6,000 feet down and weighing as much as 200 tons. The ship possesses the capacity to remain almost stationary above a target on the bottom of the sea, and then to lower a string of pipe which will support and power coring or drilling equipment, or search and recovery gear.

other special devices may be added to the pod to meet the requirements of specific missions.

Recovery—Heavy object recovery devices utilize rugged electromechanical and hydraulic systems for closure and holding control. Precise positioning of the recovery device with respect to the target is effected by sonar and transponder sensing devices in concert with remotely monitored television and target-illumination systems.

Sampling—In concert with television examination, bottom samples may be selectively recovered for the purpose of magnetic, chemical, biological, geological and paleontological studies. Shipboard precision navigation systems and a thruster system to control the end of the drill string permit finite positioning of devices and sensors with regard to the ocean floor.

Coring—The Alcoa Seaprobe can be outfitted to core in water depths to 18,000 feet. A bottom-oriented acoustic reference system is used to maintain position in the open ocean and permits wire-line recovery of cores for paleontologic and magnetic stratigraphy. Cores also can be recovered for studies concerned with the mechanism of sediment supply, transport, deposition, and to confirm seismic survey data for scientific or other exploratory purposes.

Its capabilities for research and exploratory oceanographic functions exceed those of any ship existing or proposed.

Ocean Search, Inc. is a venture of the Aluminum Company of America and Ocean Science and Engineering, Inc. It was formed to coordinate a variety of worldwide exploratory projects related to the ocean environment and its enormous potential for mankind's welfare. Alcoa has joined OSE in this venture which spearheads Alcoa's expanded involvement in oceanography.

Ocean Search, Inc. invites both individual scientists and organizations to conceive and propose projects now which will challenge the capabilities of this new deep-ocean tool, the Alcoa Seaprobe.

U.S. And European Marine Design Experts Will Present Outstanding Technical Papers

Twelve outstanding papers by technical au-thorities from the United States, The Nether-lands, Norway and Sweden will be presented at the 79th Annual Meeting of The Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers on November 11 and 12, 1971, at The New York Hilton Hotel in New York City. Daniel D. Strohmeier, the Society's presi-dent will deliver his annual address at the

dent, will deliver his annual address at the close of the technical sessions on Thursday, November 11. The president's address will be followed by a business session.

The 12 technical papers to be presented are:

Paper No. 1-"A Mathematical Method of Determining Hydrodynamically Induced Forces on a Semisubmersible" by J.P. Hooft. Synopsis-An approximate method is presented with which those hydrodynamic forces (added mass and damping) and wave-excited forces can be determined which have to be known in order to calculate the motions and strength of semisubmersible platforms which are still in the design stage. The derived calculation method enables the design of semisub-mersible platforms from a point of view of good behavior in a seaway.

Paper No. 2-"Directional Stability and Control of Ships in Restricted Channels" by Haruzo Eda.

Synopsis—The primary purpose of this paper is to evaluate ship controllability in various channels with a major emphasis on the relationship between channel dimensions and ac-ceptable ship size. To achieve this objective, a technical procedure has been developed utilizing digital computer capability and available hydrodynamic data. A series of digital simulations and stability analyses was made with a wide range of parameter variations.

Paper No. 3-"A Statistical Study of Wave-Induced Bending Moments on Large Ocean-going Tankers and Bulk Carriers" by Robert S. Little and Edward V. Lewis, with an ap-pendix prepared by Fred C. Bailey. Synopsis-The advent of the mammoth tanker provided the impetus for the American Bureau of Shipping to undertake and sponsor a study of full-scale measurements of hull-girder stresses in five large ships with the objective of determining what stress levels were being encountered under actual service conditions. This paper describes the study and constitutes a preliminary report on the findings of the project.

Paper No. 4—"Tankers and the Ecology" by Joseph D. Porricelli, Virgil F. Keith, and Richard L. Storch.

Synopsis-Modern tanker design must consider the impact of the ship on the environment and minimize the risk that its cargoes present to the ecology. The sources, magni-tudes and ecological effects of oil pollution are presented. This includes a worldwide tanker

casualty analysis of 1,416 recent incidents. Based on the analysis, tanker-design proposals are described and analyzed in terms of need, effectiveness and practicality.

Paper No. 5—"Three Winning Designs-FDL, LHA, DD-963: Method and Selected Features" by Reuven Leopold and Wolfgang Reuter.

Synopsis—A general framework for the de-sign process is described and examples are provided. Versions of this process often get "lip-service" but rarely are rigorously applied. The authors believe that the design discipline is equal in importance to the availability of technology in realizing the potential of introducing innovation into a new ship concept.

Paper No. 6-"A Simple Approach to the Strength Analysis of Tankers" by Richard Nielsen, Pin Yu Chang and Laurent C. Deschamps.

Synopsis—This paper presents new approaches to the structural analysis of tankers. For the longitudinal-strength studies, the ship's hull is treated as a grillage. For the transversestrength analysis, the application of finite ele-ments is employed but with a new twist, for the currently used coarse-mesh macro analysis is eliminated. The degrees of freedom can be thus increased with an accompanying reduction in computer time by 50 to 85 percent.

Paper No. 7-"The Design of Ships to Avoid Propeller-Excited Vibrations" by F. Everett Reed.

Synopsis-Propeller-excited vibrations have been either accepted as a characteristic of highpowered ships or were corrected at a great ex-pense after the ship was built. This is unnecessary. Modern technology and large computers, if properly applied, not only can free the ship-builder from the expense of correcting excessive vibration, but also can lead to efficient ships that attain new standards of vibrationfree operation.

Paper No. 8—"Prediction of the Power Per-formance of the Series 62 Planing Hull Forms"

by J.B. Hadler and E. Nadine Hubble. Synopsis—Results are presented of the first systematic study of the propulsion of planing craft, using propellers driven by inclined shafts with a rudder located behind each propeller. The results have been synthesized into design charts that may be easily used by the planingcraft designer in making preliminary design and trade-off studies on propulsion systems of planing craft.

Paper No. 9-"The Design, Construction, Testing, and Operation of a Deep-Diving Submersible for Ocean-Floor Exploration" by William Watson.

Synopsis—The submersible Guppy has become well known in ocean circles. It is a new type of undersea vehicle, quite different from the norm. This paper relates the experience of the members of the Aero/Hydro Space Division of the Sun Shipbuilding & Dry Dock Company in the design, construction and operation of this unusual boat. Guppy has an operational depth of 1,000 feet and carries a crew of two.

Paper No. 10—"LNG Carriers: The Current State of the Art" by William duBarry Thomas and Alfred H. Schwendtner.

Synopsis-LNG transport is a rapidly expanding, changing and challenging technology. The rapid escalation in ship size is perhaps the most evident manifestation of change. Ships are presently on order which represent nearly a five-fold increase in capacity over the first ships placed in commercial service only seven years ago, and these, at 125,000 cubic meters, may be dwarfed in the foreseeable future by giants of 250,000 cubic meters or perhaps larger.

Paper No. 11-"The Periodically Unattended Engine Room on the TT Thorshammer" by Bjorn Svenning, Sig Broman, Daniel E. Shaw, and Robert O. Butcher.

Synopsis-Advances in automation and cen-tralized control of modern ships have led to full acceptance of the periodically unattended engine room. The first turbine tanker, the Thorshammer, to receive "EO" classification for unattended engine-room operation by Det norske Veritas is now at sea. This paper de-scribes the powerplant and control system, with emphasis on the features and trials re-lated to the "EO" classification.

Paper No. 12—"The Marine Business in the Central United States" by Donald P. Courtsal. Synopsis-There are over 14,000 miles of commercially navigable inland and coastal waterways in the central United States. A unique and prosperous marine-transportation system has developed on these waterways. This paper describes the magnitude of the business, the physical limitations of the waterways, operating patterns and some of the technical aspects of the business. Particular emphasis is placed on the maneuvering of barge fleets and on the design of floating equipment.

A discussion period will follow the presenta-

tion of each paper. The Annual Banquet, for members only, will be held in the Grand Ballroom of The New York Hilton on Thursday evening with Mr. Strohmeier presiding. The principal speaker will be Adm. George H. Miller, USN, special assistant to the administrator, Maritime Administration.

A ladies' champagne brunch and a program of entertainment will be held in the Sutton Ballroom at The New York Hilton on Friday morning.

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Foreword

The population of the United States could reach 300 million people in the next 30 years. If this prediction comes true, then our nation must find and develop new sources of food, minerals and fuels to accommodate her people.

But known land-based reserves of natural resources are being rapidly depleted, and competition from other nations for these resources is increasing. More and more, industry, whose role is to convert these resources into the products people need, is looking to the oceans and, in particular, to the Continental Margins off our shores as a storehouse of vital raw materials.

Geologists and scientists have located potentially vast supplies of oil, gas and sulfur, iron, manganese, nickel and cobalt, and other minerals. These minerals are waiting for man to develop practical methods of recovering them, and venturesome companies are working hard to develop such techniques.

The resources of the Continental Margins and the deep ocean floor will become vital to the welfare and security of this nation not only during the next 30 years but for centuries to come.

The United States Government has proposed a treaty in which this nation would renounce a major portion of this vital mineral heritage and place these resources under the control of an as-yet-undefined International Seabed Re-sources Authority. It is conceivable that such a regime would be controlled by nations whose interests may be different than, or even hostile to, our own. It is an ill-conceived and shortsighted plan.

The American people are largely unaware of our Government's efforts to create such an international agency, with potentially broad powers over our nation's future economy. It is important that the people and America's leaders be made aware of the importance of the resources of the oceans and that they appreciate the conse-

This is the first part of the paper titled 'Oceans-The New Frontier," which vas prepared by the National Association of Manufacturers' Natural Resources Management and Conservation Committee. The second half of this paper will be presented in our next issue, November 15, 1971.

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quences of surrendering them to an international regime.

Industry believes that the Amer-ican people will agree that our nation's interests lie in forthrightly asserting our exclusive jurisdic-tion over the resources of our Continental Shelf and Slope and in establishing a progressive ocean resources policy that will encourage private individuals to probe this new frontier.

We hope this paper will inform the public about the potential importance of these resources to our country and will stimulate discussion leading to the establishment of a farsighted and progressive national ocean resources policy.

The New Frontier

America's dependence upon the oceans and their resources has influenced our nation's political his-tory since its earliest days, revealing cycles of interest and apathy that paralleled this country's needs and technical capabilities.

In the 1600-1700s, coastal colonies, which were surrounded by a hostile and unsettled wilderness, relied upon the seas for communications with the Old World and as an avenue of foreign trade. The livelihood of the early colonists depended upon ships and was centered in the seaports that were established by this growing industry. As a result, maritime interests flourished as the colonists recognized the importance of a free sea and a sound maritime policy.

During the 1800s a developing nation turned its attention inward as immigrants from Europe opened the West and began to settle a continent. A network of railroads was built and the country's attention shifted from coastal states to unsettled inland areas. As a result, maritime interest declined as the oceans provided a shield behind which this country developed. At the start of the 20th Century,

the United States was well on its way to becoming a major world power. Once again, maritime interests flourished as two world wars taught us the importance of maintaining a strong Navy and an efficient merchant marine. By the end of the Second World War, the United States was a major seapower, fully recognizing the importance of the world's oceans in areas of security and world trade. Since that time, however, rising labor and ship construction costs have contributed to the decline of the American merchant marine.

In the 1960s, atomic power created a new generation of submarines, expanding our Navy's inter-est in a three-dimensional arena extending from the ocean's surface down to its deepest depths. At the same time, rapid advances in science and technology provided a new dimension to man's under-standing of the seas. No longer was man's interest in the seas limited to the narrow spectrum of trade and security, but through the eyes of science and industry, we began to see the world's oceans in new depth and perspective.

Through rapidly expanding science and technology, we learned that:

-The world's oceans stabilize our climate, generate a major portion of our weather, and are the principal sources of rainfall upon which all life on the Continents depend.

The ocean floor contains abundant quantities of hydrocarbons (oil and gas), minerals, and metals, which are considered vital to the future of all mankind.

They supply a wide variety of foods, which in future years will become a major source of protein for the world's expanding population.

-Many marine organisms contain pharmacologically active substances which scientists believe will become the source of the "wonder drugs" of tomorrow.

The coastal zones provide recreation for growing numbers of people and act as a nursery and breeding ground for two-thirds of the world's fish catch.

The world's oceans are a gigantic laboratory about which we know little, except that man's future existence will depend upon his ability to use their resources.

By the mid-1960s, the world's oceans were no longer the private domain of the biologists and oceanographers. One by one, seemingly unrelated industries recognized their role in exploring and understanding the seas, committing funds and personnel to develop eir stake in the world's oceans. Today, more than 2,000 companies in a wide variety of industries earn all or part of their income from the sea. Many organizations, ranging from large, widely diversified

corporations to small, highly specialized firms are involved in some part of this new industry. Architects are designing habitats

for undersea living.

Pharmacologists are developing new drugs from marine plants and animals.

Lawyers and Diplomats are debating the legal status of the oceans and their resources.

Engineers are designing sophisticated sub-sea equipment.

Nutritionists are developing new sources of protein from marine organisms.

Recreation Experts are building underwater parks.

Manufacturers of Submersibles are building vehicles in which oceanographers can explore the ocean bottom.

Geologists are locating large deposits of minerals and metals such as sulfur, tin, manganese, nickel, copper, oil and gas.

Ocean Resources

The surface of the earth measures 197 million square miles, of which 70 percent, or 139 million square miles, is covered by water. The volume of the world's oceans is so great that if the earth's crust was a smooth ball unmarked by valleys and mountains, the oceans would cover this planet to a depth of 8,800 feet.

Scientists have come to realize that the world's continents are enormous islands whose roots extend down into the earth's crust and that these continents extend out past the shores spreading out below the surface of the ocean like gigantic mountains down to the abyssal plain and the deep ocean floor. This region is known as the Continental Margins and is divided into three areas: the Shelf, the Slope, and the Rise.

The Continental Shelves, which are believed to contain the greatest concentration of resources, extend from less than one mile to more than 800 miles offshore. On the average, the greatest depth of the Continental Shelf is about 600 feet, and this depth is considered easily accessible to man via submersibles and diving projects such as the Navy's SEALAB.

The Continental Slope, which may be 10 to 20 miles wide, extends from the outer edge of the Continental Shelf to the top of the (Continued on page 17)

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Continental Rise. The Rise is a wide thick apron of land-derived layered sediments which slant gently down to the abyssal plain. The Slope and Rise are believed to be rich in resources. In comparison, the Continental Shelves constitute 7 percent and the Slopes and Rise about 17 percent of the 140-million square miles of ocean floor.

The abyss, or the deep ocean floor, appears to be a flat rolling plain at a depth of 10,000 to 18,000 feet under the surface of the sea. The deep ocean floor is scarred with deep trenches and studded with seamounts and tablemounts, which are flat-topped mountains that often rise to within a few hundred feet of the ocean's surface.

The average depth of the ocean floor is approximately 12,000 feet, and 79 percent of the ocean floor, which contains vast reserves of resources, is at a depth of less than 18,000 feet. Both industry and Government are developing manned submersibles capable of descending to 20,000 feet. When completed, this new generation of research submarines will provide a working platform from which 98 percent of the ocean bottom, or almost twice the total area of the land mass, will be accessible for scientific observation.

The most successful recovery of underwater resources has been the production of offshore oil and gas, presently limited to relatively shallow shelf areas. U.S. petroleum companies have invested more than \$13 billion in offshore activities. Offshore royalties and bonuses have resulted in the collection by the Federal Government of more than \$4 billion, four times the revenues generated for all similar leases on shore. On a worldwide basis, more than \$25 billion has been spent to date. In 1969, over 17 percent of the world's oil production was produced from offshore sources. By 1980, it is estimated that offshore wells will account for 35 percent of the world's oil production for an increase in quantity of more than 200 percent.

As an example of the world's increasing need for fossil fuels (coal, oil and natural gas), one company recently announced that it produced as much oil in the first seven months of 1968 as it did in its first 50 years of operation.

Turning to another group of natural resources, it is estimated that the consumption of metals in world markets in the next 35 years will equal all the metal used by mankind over the last 2,000 years. Worldwide use of all important minerals is expected to double within 15 years, and triple within 30 years. Yet known land-based sources are rapidly being depleted. As this picture unfolds, it be-

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comes evident that unless the resources of the seas are efficiently developed by the industrial and scientific communities of all nations of the world, society as we know it today cannot hope to endure. The world's oceans are a gigantic laboratory about which we know little, except that man's future existence will depend upon his ability to use the products they produce.

Geologists state that areas of the deep ocean floor lying beyond the limits of national jurisdiction which constitute more than 50 percent of the earth's surface—contain vast reserves of oil, gas, copper, manganese, phosphorite, nickel, cobalt, and other metallic elements.

In experimental drilling on the ocean floor, scientists have found evidence of oil deposits 12,000 feet under the ocean's surface. Geologists believe similar oil deposits may exist in other deep ocean areas.

In the Pacific Ocean, unconsolidated surficial deposits such as red clays containing aluminum and iron oxides, manganese, copper and nickel are believed to cover one-half of the entire deep ocean floor.

It is estimated that the ocean floor is covered with 10,000 billion tons of calcareous oozes similar to the limestone being mined on land, and that another 10,000 billion tons of siliceous oozes, similar to diatomaceous earth now being used for insulation, concretes, and other industrial uses may also be found.

Thick layers of metalliferous muds containing large concentrations of heavy metals such as iron, manganese, copper, zinc, silver, lead and gold have been found in deepwater basins in the Red Sea and may exist in other areas of the world's oceans. Just the upper layer of metal-rich muds found in the Red Sea is believed to contain \$2.3 billion in copper, zinc, lead, silver, and gold. This estimate does not include the iron, manganese, mercury and other metals that would also be recovered in mining operations. Seawater contains vast amounts of dissolved minerals.

The manganese, iron, nickel, copper, cobalt and other metallic elements normally found in solution in seawater precipitate down through the water column forming solid nodules on the ocean floor. Concentrations estimated as great as 100,000 tons per square mile of these metal-bearing nodules can be found on the ocean floor. The Pacific Ocean alone is believed to contain an estimated 1.5 trillion tons of these metal bearing nodules. Techniques to recover and process manganese nodules from the deep ocean floor are rapidly being developed and observers believe that the first mining attempts will be operational within two to three vears.

Estimates of the value of ocean floor deposits vary greatly, but experts agree that when practical technology to mine these deposits is developed, the revenues derived will be in the billions of dollars. It is important to mention that there is no rule in existing international law which governs nations or entrepreneurs in recovering these resources. Such activity would be subject only to the principles and rules of international law in general, and to the law of the sea in particular.

The technology needed to recover the resources of the ocean floor is in an embryonic stage and will require substantial development/before exploration of the deep ocean floor will occur on a substantial scale. Present knowledge regarding the extent and distribution of the resources of this area is limited and incomplete. While companies have successfully recovered oil, gas, and other minerals from the relatively shallow depths of the Continental Shelf, there is insufficient knowledge about the techniques and equipment that must be developed before resources can be harvested from the deep ocean floor.

At this stage, it is impossible to anticipate what special problems the recovery of resources from deepwater areas will present. In this regard, the policy of the Federal Government should assure a climate that encourages private enterprise to invest in this area, and in which a risk investment, if successful, will yield a reasonable profit. While it is generally agreed that the entrepreneur must be guaranteed special concessions designed to protect his investment and to provide a reasonable rate of return, the present lack of knowledge about the problems of working in deepwater areas does not provide accurate insight into the type of concessions that should be granted. For example, as with land mining agreements, an entrepreneur mining the deep ocean floor must be guaranteed security of tenure over the area he is working, and he must be assured of an area to develop marine mineral resources which is greater than the area normally required for land exploration. At this early stage of investigation, the extent of these concessions-tenure and size of area to be awarded-cannot be accurately determined.

In the hostile environment of the ocean floor, the cost for completing an oil well in the relatively shallow depth of the Continental Shelf is two to three times greater than the cost of completing a well on land, and this increase in cost becomes greater with depth.* Appropriate arrangements for working the deep

*Drilling a well in water of moderate depth presently costs an estimated \$11 million as compared to an onshore cost of \$4 million. The cost for developing a well at this same depth currently averages \$13 million as compared to an onshore cost of \$4 million. sea floor must be established to make investments in this area profitable, and incentives for working this area must not be impaired by unrealistic conditions or prohibitive license fees.

This future recovery of marine mineral deposits will depend upon industry's interest and incentive to expand its current engineering capability. Because of the speculative nature of marine mining and the high risk involved in recovering minerals from the depths of the ocean floor, the entrepreneur must be assured maximum safeguards to protect his investment. Much more information and data will be required before realistic arrange-ments can be concluded for the promotion of long-range development. With this in mind, it is premature for the United States Government to commit this nation to an international regime with full licensing authority to govern and control exploration and exploitation of deep ocean resources.

At present, there is a legal vacuum concerning the deep ocean floor -or that area lying beyond the limits of national jurisdiction. The characteristics and status of the international machinery that may eventually govern this area cannot be determined until certain basic legal questions have been answered. Many legal experts believe that a commitment on machinery which will control and manage this area cannot and should not be made until a legal regime with a comprehensive and balanced set of principles has been accepted by all nations involved.

Considering the fact that there will be a very low level of activity in this area for a number of years to come, the international community should make temporary arrangements through which it can observe progress and become familiar with the special problems that recovery of resources from deepwater areas is certain to cause. A desirable step might be the establishment of an international registry to serve as a public record of activity.

Such an international registry would take the limited form of recording activity within the agreed international area, and might gradually be strengthened and expanded as needs, requirements, and more significantly, as experience dictates.

Questions such as the protection of proprietary information, selection of the most capable applicant, obtaining a reasonable return on risk investment, and preventing operators from holding areas of the seabed for purely speculative reasons are complex and will need careful consideration before an equitable and viable solution is found. More information, experience, and data are needed before the international community is capable of developing guidelines that will encourage rather than discourage activity in this area.

Lockheed Oil Spill Remover On Display In San Francisco

The shiny new prototype of an oil spill removal device, which resembles the paddle wheel of an old river boat, recently went on display in San Francisco, near famed Fisherman's Wharf.

Called Clean Sweep by its developer, Lockheed Missiles & Space Co., of Sunnyvale, the fourfoot-diameter, seven-foot-long Clean Sweep unit is mounted between the twin hulls of a catamaran.

The Clean Sweep on display is a production prototype of oil recovery devices which Lockheed plans to build and market to companies, consortiums, refineries and Government agencies engaged in combating oil slicks.

Lockheed recently received a patent for Clean Sweep, and the firm has been awarded a contract by the U.S. Coast Guard to develop an airtransportable eight-foot-diameter unit to tackle high seas oil spills.

The Clean Sweep concept is a series of parallel metal discs joined by overlapping metal vanes set in slots around the outside edge of the "drum."

As Clean Sweep rotates in a slick, oil is drawn into the drum and adheres to the sides of the discs. Wiper blades set permanently at a near vertical position inside Clean Sweep wipe oil from the discs. The oil runs into a central channel inside the unit's axle is pumped to storage.

The metal vanes act to draw oil inside Clean Sweep. As they move up the back side of the rotating unit, their overlapping position prevents excess oil from passing out of the drum.

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Hamlet And Rawson Named GE Marine Sales Managers



Robert F. Hamlet

Edward M. Rawson

Robert F. Hamlet has been appointed General Electric's regional marine sales manager for the Gas Turbine International Operations, and Edward M. Rawson has been appointed GE's manager of marine gas turbine propulsion system sales in Europe. The announcement was made by Agostino J. Travaly, manager of gas turbine marine sales for the Gas Turbine Business Operations.

As manager of regional marine sales, Mr. Hamlet is responsible for the development of marine heavy-duty gas turbine business in the European area:

Prior to his recent appointment, Mr. Hamlet held several marine sales positions, including a position as sales engineer for GE's Marine Sales Organization in New York. He was responsible for major shipowners and oil companies. A graduate of the Massachusetts Maritime Academy, Mr. Hamlet received a B.S. degree in marine engineering. He has been in GE's marine business since 1957, when he joined GE's Marine Turbine and Gear Department in Lynn, Mass.

Based in London, England, Mr. Rawson is responsible for the sale of marine heavy-duty gas turbine propulsion systems. Prior to his recent appointment, he was marine sales representative for the Far East and Australia. Mr. Rawson, a graduate of the Massachusetts Maritime Academy with a B.S. degree in marine engineering, has been in the marine business with GE since 1956. He has held sales positions in the Marine Turbine and Gear Department, Lynn, Mass., the Domestic Marine Sales Operation, New Orleans, La., and the Industry Control Department's marine operation, Roanoke, Va.

According to Mr. **Travaly**, "The rapid worldwide growth of gas turbine marine business results in our expansion of manpower abroad to meet the needs of the maritime industry." GE is the world's leading producer of gas turbines which are used worldwide by the maritime industry, electric utilities, and gas transmission companies. Market growth for gas turbines has more than quadrupled from 1965 to 1970.

Mooremack Seeks Subsidy For Refitting Six Freighters

Moore-McCormack Lines has applied to the Maritime Administration for a Federal subsidy to help meet the estimated \$978,768 cost of refitting six of its C-4 Constellation class freighters for additional container capacity. The line said it will spend \$163,128 on each ship to install deck fittings for 96 containers, and convert some of the fittings for 40-foot units to accommodate 20 footers. Most of the cost per ship, \$107,884, will go for structural changes in hatch covers.

go for structural changes in hatch covers. The six ships were delivered in 1964 and 1965 and are now employed in service between U.S. Atlantic ports and the East Coast of South America and between the U.S. Atlantic ports and South and East Africa.

The vessels have a speed of 24 knots and carry a 36-man crew. Each ship has accommodations for 12 passengers.





SNAME Honors Editor And 27 Authors At India House In New York



At the ceremony commemorating the publication of The Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers 1971 edition of "Marine Engineering," (seated) left to right: author R.T. Pennington, author Charles D. Rose, editor Roy L. Harrington, president of the Society Daniel D. Strohmeier, author and control committee chairman John R. Kane, author C.E. Habermann, control committee member John H. Lancaster, author J.W. Market; (middle row) left to right: SNAME public relations chairman John R. Blackeby, author and control committee member Jens T. Holm, author C.L. Long, author G.W. Soete, author and control committee member W.E. Jacobsen, author M.R. Gross, author

The Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers held a ceremonial luncheon on September 29, 1971 at India House, New York City, to honor the editor, the chapter authors and the members of the control committee of its recently published 1971 edition of "Ma-rine Engineering."

Daniel D. Strohmeier, president

of the Society, officiated. Narrating the myriad technological advancements that have occurred since the publication of Volumes I and II of the original "Marine Engineering" in 1942 and 1944 respectively, the 1971 edition is dramatically different in content from the original, having been completely rewritten. It covers naval as well as merchant practice, is comprehensive, factual, and accurately represents the consensus of opinion of the marine industry. Fulfilling its purpose, "Marine En-gineering" acquaints those already familiar with basic engineering fundamentals with the various engineering disciplines and applications which make up marine engineering.

Technical editor Roy L. Harrington, who has carefully reviewed each chapter, has had 12 years of technical ship design experience in a major shipyard. His background and literary prowess qualify him to expertly bridge the academic and practicing professional points of view of the SNAME member-

ship. The 27 authors are highly competent engineers, each being a spe-

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cialist in his field. The sum of their experience and learning constitutes an all-inclusive book of marine engineering knowledge. In addition, a control committee

of 10 experts in the field has provided sound guidance throughout all stages of the prepublication of the book.



At the book signing ceremony are left to right: editor Roy L. Harrington; author and chairman of the control committee John R. Kane; and president of the Society Daniel D. Strohmeier.

Handsomely bound in rich red and containing 882 pages and many illustrations, this edition is priced at \$30 for members and \$45 for nonmembers (add \$2.50 for overseas handling). Copies may be ordered from the publisher, The So-ciety of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers, 74 Trinity Place, New York, N.Y. 10006.

Irving W. Smith, author J.M. Gruber, author William I.H. Budd, author and control committee member Laskar Wechsler, control committee member Robert E. Yohe, author W.O. Nichols, author W.L. Williams, author Philip Liu; (top row) left to right: author E.A. Catlin, author E.E. Stephenson, author Harold W. Semar, author J.F. Sebald, author Burr Melvin, author Watt V. Smith, control committee member Ernst G. Frankel, publications committee chairman A. Dudley Haff, author A.O. White, and secretary of The Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers Robert G. Mende.

Esso And Hitachi Sign Contract For Four Huge Tankers

Contracts have been signed between Esso Tankers Inc., an affiliate of Standard Oil Company (New Jersey) and Hitachi Shipbuilding & Engineering Co., Ltd. for the construc-tion of four 277,000-dwt tankers.

The tankers will be built by Hitachi in Japan for delivery late 1973 through late 1975. The vessels will have the following measurements and characteristics: length, 1,066 feet; breadth, 173 feet; draft, 72 feet, and operating speed, 15.4 knots. The vessels will be propelled by

36,000-shaft-horsepower steam turbines and will be used in Esso's fleet in international tanker service.

State Of Maine Seeks Boatbuilder/Manuf. For Rockland Plant

The state of Maine is seeking a boatbuilder or marine equipment manufacturer to move into the former Maine Shipbuilding plant in Rockland, Maine.

Pursuing this quest, the Department of Economic Development has designed a descriptive flyer which presents in detail the 55,000-squarefoot building on 26 acres with 720 feet of ocean frontage. The description is available without cost from Dept. ME/S, Suite 901, 20 East 46th Street, New York, N.Y. 10017.

Todd Awarded **\$9.5 Million AML** Conversion Contract

American Mail Line has signed the first contract for subsidized ship work in the new fiscal year with Todd Shipyards. The agreement calls for converting AML's C-4 Oregon Mail to a containership. The work will be done at Todd's San Pedro, Calif., shipyard.

Addition of a 105-foot midsection to give the ship capacity to haul 836 of the 20-foot containers will cost \$9,463,323, according to the Maritime Administration. The government's subsidy share of the total cost will be 41.5 percent, the same rate that prevailed earlier this year on eight similar conversions undertaken by American President Lines.

Three Promotions At Matson Navigation

Matson Navigation Company has promoted William E. Plymale to the position of manager of freight operations. He was formerly assistant general manager of freight operations.

Efren Sanchez has been promoted to container operations manager, and David J. Field Jr. has been promoted to fleet operations superons super intendent. Mr. Sanchez was formerly container operations superintendent and Mr. Field was regional operations superintendent in Northern California.



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Southeast SNAME Hears USCG Boat Standards Paper At Fall Meeting

The fall meeting of The Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers Southeast Section was held on October 1, 1971, at the Coral Reef Yacht Club, Miami, Fla. Over 75 members and guests attended the dinner and technical session which followed. Section chairman Frank C. De Grim presided over the business meeting and ex-chairman Robert W. Hobbs led the technical session.

Comdr. Richard Brooks, USCG, Chief of the Boating Standards Division, Office of Boating Safety, U.S. Coast Guard Headquarters, Washington, D.C., presented a paper on the subject titled "The Coast Guard Boating Standards Program," and led the lively discussion which followed. In his paper, Commander Brooks reviewed the history of recreational boat standards and Federal legislation in the United States, supplemented with statistics of the industry, covering the production and accident record leading to the present Coast Guard involvement. The need for comprehensive standards covering load capacity, safe powering, flotation, fire and explosion, and lifesaving devices on almost all water craft was presented, with accent upon the manufacturer's responsibility in the new standards being prepared.



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Maritime Reporter/Engineering News

Commander **Brooks** stated that the 1970 Federal Boat Standards Law specifies that the Coast Guard is authorized to prepare the standards in question, administer their application, and assess necessary penalties for noncompliance. The new regulations are expected to be released in early 1972, and will include a minimum standard covering the particulars of construction and performance required to avoid safety defects, for which the manufacturer will be held responsible under the law.



Officers attending the meeting of the Southeast Section in Miami, left to right, are: Edward L. Teale Jr., vice chairman of the Section; Frank C. De Grim, chairman, and James S. Krogen, secretary-treasurer.

On Saturday morning following the meeting, Jean E. Buhler, chairman of the steering committee for the 1973 spring meeting of the Society, which will be held at Disney World, presided over a meeting of his committee.

The next meeting of the Southeast Section is scheduled for January in Jacksonville, Fla., with a visit to Rudolph F. Matzer's testing tank facility planned.

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For copies of the product literature, write to Marketing Manager, Raytheon Company, Ocean Systems Center, P.O. Box 360, Portsmouth, R.I. 02871.

Great Lakes Section Hears Three Papers At Annual Fall Meeting

The fall meeting of the Great Lakes and Great Rivers Section of The Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers was held at Louisville, Ky., on September 29-30, 1971. One hundred Great Lakes and Great Rivers representatives attended the sessions and the afternoon tour on September 30. An open panel on the subject of "Sewage Control for Great Lakes Vessels—the Technical Problem" was held on September 29. The session was taped and reprints will be produced detailing the discussions of the more than 15 firms represented and the question and answer session by Society members.



Shown above at the meeting in Louisville, left to right (standing) are: Ralph F. Clark, author, president of Marine Loss Control, Inc.; R.H. Suehrstedt, chairman of the Great Lakes and Great Rivers Section; John O. Greenwood, Section public relations chairman; (seated) Prof. J.B. Woodward III, Section papers chairman; Comdr. William M. Devlin, USCG, author; and Frank Foster, author, sales manager, Carlisle & Finch Co.

The morning session on September 30 included a business meeting and the following papers: "The Naval Architect & His Influence on Marine Loss Control" by **Ralph F. Clark**, president, Marine Loss Control, Inc.; "Xenon Lamp Searchlights" by **Frank Foster**, sales manager, Carlisle & Finch Company and "Aids to Navigation on the Arkansas Waterway" by Comdr. **William M. Devlin**, United States Coast Guard.

After lunch, the ladies in attendance toured the area on the steamer Belle of Louisville, while the gentlemen boarded buses for the trip to Jeffersonville, Ind. and a tour of the modern facilities of Jeffboat, Inc. A barge launching climaxed the afternoon at 3 p.m.

A reception and dinner concluded the fall meeting. Plans were announced for the next meeting to be held at Cleveland, Ohio, on January 18, 1972. This winter meeting will feature several films of maritime interest during the afternoon session, as well as technical papers during the morning session.

Panocean Appoints Robert M. Pentz

The appointment of Robert M. Pentz as manager of the Panocean Agency to direct all of its activities in both the United States and Canada, has been announced by Peter Burbank, president of A.L. Burbank & Co., Ltd., general agents in the U.S. for Panocean. Panocean Shipping & Terminals Ltd. operates chemical and special liquid bulk tankers, with terminals in Rotterdam, Antwerp and a new terminal under construction in Eastham, England.

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MTRB Meets To Review Maritime Research Goals



Maritime Transportation Research Board members discuss maritime problems during coffee break at the meeting at the University of Michigan. Left to right: John B. Oren, Edgar F. Luckenbach Jr., Rear Adm. Edward J. O'Donnell, USN (ret.) and James J. Henry.

The Maritime Transportation Research Board, under the chairmanship of Edgar F. Luckenbach Jr., met September 15-17 at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, to review national maritime research goals. The Board, which is a unit of the National Research Council-National Academy of Sciences-National Academy of Engineering, meets twice a year to recommend long-range plans for maritime transportation research and to review the progress of its committees and panels. The members of the Board and its panels and committees contribute their time and effort to the work of the National Academy, which is a private, nonprofit organization chartered by Congress to provide advice to the Government.

The meeting was highlighted by a presentation by Rear Adm. George Miller, USN, of the Maritime Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, who explained the Administration's new effort to coordinate Department of Commerce and Department of Defense planning concerning the role of the U.S. Merchant Marine in national defense.

During its deliberations, the Board took time off to visit the naval architecture facilities of the University of Michigan. Prof. Harry Benford and Board member Prof. Raymond Yagle, explained the University's naval architecture program and arranged for the members of the Board to discuss design projects with several of the school's students.

Before adjourning September 17, the Board reviewed the progress of three ongoing research projects. The first of these projects is being conducted by the Shipbuilding R&D Panel under the chairmanship of Dr. John C. Warner, president emeritus of the Carnegie Institute of Technology. This panel is analyzing the shipbuilding industry in the United States to determine what private and Government research and development should be un-dertaken to revitalize the U.S. shipbuilding industry. The second project reviewed is one to determine what the U.S. strategy should be with respect to nuclear merchant ship development. This panel is being chaired by Edwin Haefele of Resources for the Future. The third study, which is being conducted under the chairmanship of Dr. Carl C. Chambers, vice president for engineering affairs of the University of Pennsylvania, is dealing with the question of what support, if any, universities and institutional research organizations should receive from the United States Government and industry for maritime research.

The Board tentatively approved three additional research projects to be initiated in the forthcoming fiscal year. The first is a study of the organization of human resources in the maritime industry. This effort will analyze, among other things, the changing relationship of man to his work aboard ship with an eye toward changing the traditional organization and relationships of men aboard ships at sea. The second study will be a continuation of the Board's previous efforts in merchant marine safety. This project will be directed toward improving the procedures for the collection of merchant marine casualty and loss statistics. It will also analyze and make recommendations in the area of human failure as a cause of ship losses and casualties. The third project will assist the maritime industry in planning for conversion to metric standards and units of measurement when the Department of Commerce recommendations for a national metric program are enacted.

For long-range planning, the Board directed that study definition panels be set up to recommend R&D action on the following subjects: (1) the present and projected relationship of the U.S. merchant marine to bulk cargo imports; (2) the future role of coastal and inland waterway routes as a transportation alternative to new highway construction; (3) the criteria for a competitive U.S. merchant marine, and (4) the future national requirements for ports.

The members of the Maritime Transportation Research Board are: MTRB chairman Edgar F. Luckenbach Jr., president and chairman of the board, Luckenbach Steamship Company, Inc.; MTRB vice chairman Richard M. Michaels, director of research, The Transportation Center, Northwestern University; John Storm Bull, president, Moran Towing and Transportation Company, Inc.; Robert A. Carl, Special Assistant to the Under Secretary of the Navy; Prof. Louis E. Davis, professor of organizational sciences, director of the center for organization studies, Graduate School of Management, University of California at Los Angeles; John T. Gilbride, president, Todd Ship-yards Corporation; Paul Hall, president, Sea-farers International Union; James J. Henry, president, J.J. Henry Co., Inc.; Ran Hettena, vice president of operations, Maritime Overseas Corporation; David C.G. Kerr, partner, Macfarlane, Ferguson, Allison & Kelly; Dr. Samuel A. Lawrence, vice president for ad-ministration, Cornell University; Albert E. May, vice president, American Institute of Merchant Shipping; Prof. Harold M. Mayer, department of geography. Kent State Univerdepartment of geography, Kent State Univer-sity; Kenneth A. Meyers, general manager-Northeastern region, Corrugated Container Division, Continental Can Company; Rear Adm. Edward J. O'Donnell, USN (ret.), superinten-dent, State of New York Maritime College; Robert J. Pfeiffer, executive vice president, Matson Navigation Company; Richard F. Pol-lard, vice president, The Chase Manhattan Bank; Maurice L. Sellers, naval architect, Newport News Shipbuilding and Dry Dock Company; Nathan S. Simat, president, Simat, Helliesen & Eichner, Inc.; Walter Wells, vice president and manager, marine office, Appelton & Cox; Prof. Raymond A. Yagle, department of naval architecture and marine engineering, University of Michigan; Robert T. Young, president, American Bureau of Shipping, and Charles Zeien, vice president, Sun Shipbuilding and Dry Dock Company.

The executive director is Rear Adm. John B. Oren, USCG (ret.), and Harvey C. Paige is the executive secretary. The project managers are: Leonard E. Bassil, John H. Leeper, Richard W. Rumke, and S. Lynn Walton.

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The Marine Safety Council of the United States Coast Guard has approved the use of independent aluminum marine fuel tanks for commercial service. The Coast Guard's authorization covers fuel tanks fabricated with ¼-inch Type 5086 aluminum alloy and other alloys acceptable to the commandant.

To qualify for Coast Guard ap-

proval of their commercial use, the aluminum marine fuel tanks were determined to be corrosion resistant in a marine atmosphere.

The following steps were taken to qualify the aluminum alloy for Coast Guard approval:

First, the Aluminum Association supplied the Coast Guard with documented, historical evidence of aluminum's ability to resist corrosion. The documentation included written testimony of individual boat owners over the last two decades. Second, to test the marine fire resistance of aluminum fuel tanks, the Aluminum Association retained Tropical Marine Testers, Inc. in North Palm Beach, Fla., to conduct a fire test as specified in Standard E-3 of the Marine Department, Underwriters Laboratories (formerly Yacht Safety Bureau).

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U.S. Coast Guard approval of the use of independent marine fuel tanks fabricated with ¼-inch marine aluminum alloy applies to all commercial boats, including offshore crew and supply boats.

The Coast Guard regulations authorizing the use of these aluminum fuel tanks are scheduled to be published later this year in the Federal Register.

Prudential-Grace Lines Names Frank Harlocker To Executive Post



Frank R. Harlocker

Frank R. Harlocker has been appointed executive vice president for traffic and sales at Prudential-Grace Lines, Inc., it was announced by Spyros S. Skouras Jr., chief executive officer of the line. Mr. Harlocker will also be a member of the firm's executive committee. He will report to A.T. de Smedt, president of Prudential-Grace Lines.

Prior to his new appointment, Mr. Harlocker was president, chief executive officer and a board member at American Union Transport Forwarding, Inc. He was previously president and a director of Acme Fast Freight, Inc., and president, chief executive officer and a director at D.C. Andrews & Company. Mr. Harlocker is presently a director of the Maritime Association, Port of New York.

T.J. Stevenson Appoints Maldonado

The appointment of **Ralph Maldonado** as assistant vice president for T.J. Stevenson & Co., Inc., has been announced by the company. The firm was recently named as general agents in the United States for the independent Korean-flag express liner service of the Korea Shipping Corp., Ltd., which operates between the United States and Korea and Japan.

In his new post, Mr. Maldonado will be responsible for the development and operation of KSC's services and vessels.

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Steamship Accountants Elect Esposito Pres.

At their annual convention in Boston, Mass., the Association of Water Transportation Accounting Officers elected Michael J. Esposito, senior vice president of American Export Lines Inc., as president. They also elected Thomas B. O'Brien, assistant treasurer of Farrell Lines Incorporated, as executive vice president. Regional vice presidents elected were: Benjamin Abramowitz, controller of Marine Carriers Corp.; Lloyd J. Fitzpatrick, vice president, finance, of Lykes Bros. Steamship Co., Inc., and James W. Lipscomb, vice president of Columbia Steamship Co. John P. Mooney, auditor of Farrell Lines Incorporated, was elected secretary-treasurer.

Elected to the executive committee were: J. Robert Pierson, vice president of Victory Carriers; Robert E. Schenk, controller of Farrell Lines Incorporated; John J. McKenna, assistant treasurer of Moore-McCormack Lines, Inc.; John F. Moynihan, group controller of Sea-Land Service, Inc., and Arthur C. Cramer, assistant treasurer of American Foreign Steamship Co.

J.J. Henry Co. Appoints C. Richard Schaeffner



C. Richard Schaeffner

C. Richard Schaeffner, a former vice president of the Advanced Marine Technology Division of Litton Ship Systems, has been appointed West Coast representative of the J.J. Henry Co., Inc., New York City based firm of naval architects and marine engineers.

As AMTD vice president in Culver City, Calif., Mr. Schaeffner was responsible for the integration of engineering and the direction of design for the Navy's Amphibious Assault (LHA) ship. He also directed the design of the Navy's proposed Fast Deployment Logistic (FDL) ship, for which J.J. Henry Co. was the design agent. Mr. Schaeffner was also vice president, engineering and sales engineering for Litton's Ingalls Shipbuilding Corporation, Pascagoula, Miss.; assistant manager of the New Orleans branch of the George G. Sharp Company; manager of op-erations for the Madco Shipyard, Madisonville, La., and a partner in Delta Engineering Associates.

Mr. Schaeffner is past chairman of the Gulf Coast Section of The Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers and is a member of the American Welding Society and of the Technical Committee of

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the American Bureau of Shipping. He is a graduate of Fordham University and of the University of Michigan's department of naval architecture and marine engineering.

His headquarters are at 4818 Lincoln Boulevard, Marina Del Rey, Calif. J.J. Henry, president of the firm said that Mr. Schaeffner's office will serve J.J. Henry Co.'s Design Division in New York and its Production Divisions in Moorestown, N.J., and Cohasset, Mass.

Sterling To Publish Containerization Book

A new book, written by Lawrence J. Rimaldi and scheduled for spring publication at \$6.95 a copy by Sterling Publication Co., Inc. of New York, offers a training course in containerization and intermodal transport.

Called "Containerization: The New Method of Intermodal Transport," the book is designed as a basic text for the businessman whose goods have to be transported, or the employee of a shipping company. It calls attention to the enormous changes that are taking place and will take place in the handling of goods, not only in the ports, but by truck, rail, and air, because of intermodal coordination.

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Tom Robinson, Bill Jory, Dave Griffith, Dana Chalfant and Art Huge, pictured left to right, pause briefly for the photographer during tour of the Sparrows Point Yard.

Ronald Kiss, Dudley Haff and Herb Freinberg, shown left to right at a table in the Sparrows Point Country Club, listen to Jorgen Strom-Tejsen, at the microphone.

Chesapeake SNAME Tours Bethlehem Sparrows Point Yard

Bethlehem Steel Corporation opened the doors to Sparrows Point Shipyard on Friday, September 17, and issued a warm welcome to approximately 200 members of the Chesapeake Section of The Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers. Expertly organized tours and informative guides provided each visitor with a solid insight into the shipbuilding capability that now exists at Bethlehem-Sparrows Point.

Primary focal points on the tour, in addition to many ships in various stages of construction, included the new panel shop, blast-paint facilities, and the impressive shipbuilding basin recently completed at the south end of the yard. It is significant to note that these new facilities increase both the size and quantity of vessels that may now be fabricated at Sparrows Point.

In 1968, for example, the Bethlehem Steel Corporation Sparrows Point Yard was building tankers and containerships in the range of 34,000 to 69,000 deadweight tons, with a 1968 to 1971 program consisting of 20 ships made up of 16 tankers, two containerships, and two Navy ammunition ships.

This order book represented at the time a "sold out" condition for the two largest shipways through June 1971. The 69,000-deadweight-ton tankers also required lengthening these shipways, which created material-handling and erection problems due to the lengthened ways projecting into the main roadway of the shipyard. The active state of new ship construction and a favorable market forecast of new business, coupled with an indication of a trend toward even larger ship sizes which would be beyond the yard's existing facilities, prompted the corporation to announce its intention to construct a large building basin capable of building supertankers of up to 300,000-deadweight-ton capacity.

The introduction of the new basin would increase the shipyard's potential steel throughput capacity from the existing 70,000 tons to about 125,000 tons annually, thus creating a deficiency of the ground assembly facilities.

A study was undertaken to establish the best solution to this ground assembly deficiency, bearing in mind the type of construction the yard had been most competitive in building up to that time.

A review of tanker structural unitization indicated that a large percentage of the structural steelweight consisted of flat panel assemblies. Therefore, a panel production line, using advanced assembly techniques similar to those employed in the most modern European and Japanese shipyards, appeared to be the best solution to the problem, and at the same time should result in a reduction in man hours per ton, thereby enhancing the yard's competitive position.

Meanwhile, it could be seen that the proposed location of the new shipbuilding basin would result in the elimination of the large area being used for structural unit touch-up blasting and painting. With the projected increase in annual tonnage, combined with a shortage of real estate and the adverse effects of weather, it became necessary to design a new indoor touch-up blasting and coating facility.

Following the tour, guests and members proceeded to the Sparrows Point Country Club where, after cocktails and a crab cake dinner, Section chairman Jorgen Strom-Tejsen set the stage for chapter business and the technical presentations.

Herb Freinberg, assistant yard chief, started things off with a "Job Well Done" to those responsible for the tour, namely Ed LeBrun and Dave Sandebeck. Tom Robinson, chief architect, followed with a brief pitch for continued effort by all to increase chapter members, and he further noted that 67 names had been added since January '71. Dud Haff, CTD chief, introduced the main

Dud Haff, CTD chief, introduced the main speakers—David Watson, assistant hull superintendent, speaking on "The New Panel Shop and Blast-Paint Facilities," and James Foster, superintendent, maintenance, whose subject was "The New 1,250-Foot Graving Dock." Mr. Watson and Mr. Foster presented in

Mr. Watson and Mr. Foster presented in great detail the planning that went into these new facilities, associated construction and operational problems and, of course, the benefits to be derived now that all systems are essentially operational.

Herbert I. Freinberg, assistant yard chief, Bethlehem Steel, congratulating those responsible for arranging the tour.

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Dudley Haff, chief CTD at Bethlehem Steel-Sparrows Point, is shown introducing the main speakers for the technical session.

David Watson, assistant hull superintendent, delivering his paper "New Panel Shop and Blast-Paint Facilities."

James Foster, superintendent, maintenance at Bethlehem Steel, delivering his paper titled "The New 1,250-Foot Graving Dock."

General Electric And Mitsui Announce Joint Effort On Ocean Development Projects

The General Electric Co. and the Mitsui Ocean Development and Engineering Co., Ltd. (MODEC) of Japan have signed an agreement for development of ocean technologies and products.

Katsuji Rinoie, executive vice president of MODEC and counselor to the board of Mitsui and Co., Ltd., and Otto Klima, vice president and general manager of General Electric's Reentry and Environmental Systems Division (RESD), signed the pact at the General Electric headquarters building in New York. The Ocean Systems Programs Department of RESD, headquartered in Philadelphia, is the focal point for GE's oceanic activities. The Mitsui Ocean Development and Engineering

Company is responsible for ocean activities within the Mitsui group.

The agreement, which extends for 10 years, is described as "a significant event in the Japanese and United States oceans industries." It takes effect upon formal approval by the Japanese Government.

Broadly, the agreement calls for: (1) General Electric availability to support Mitsui in carrying out ocean development projects; (2) General Electric licensing of Mitsui in the use of General Electric Ocean Systems technology; and (3) Mitsui availability to support General Electric in executing ocean development projects.

Over the 10-year period, Mitsui will pay General Electric substantial royalties on licenses. However, more significantly, it is anticipated that the agreement will provide a vehicle for development and utilization of new and

COASTWISE OR HARBOR ... GILLEN MAKES SHORT WORK needed technology for use in the Oceans programs of both Japan and the United States.

Mark Morton, vice president and Group ex-ecutive of GE's Aerospace Group, of which RESD is a part, said: "This agreement is an important step forward in development of the oceans. Our complementary resources will make us better able in a sound, businesslike way to contribute to man's use of the oceans as well as to scientific knowledge of the effects of such usage."

Katsuji Rinoie and Otto Klima shaking hands after the signing. Looking on (left to right) are K. Sunaga, executive vice president, Mitsui-New York; K. Hanawa, New York representative of Mitsui Shipbuilding and Engineering Co., Ltd., and Mark Morton, vice president and Group executive of GE's Aerospace Group.

General Electric will draw heavily upon its experience in development and operation of manned undersea habitats, shipboard waste treatment systems, systems for support of the offshore oil industry, aquanaut support systems, and buoy systems.

MODEC is organized to supply essential engineering, consulting and construction services for such offshore projects as marine equipment, resources exploration and utilization, secondary transportation and integration systems, utility vessels, seaway excavation, bulk material handling and port facilities.

Det Norske Veritas' Japanese Technical Committee Holds Meeting In Osaka

The Japanese technical committee of Det norske Veritas held a meeting in Osaka on September 22-23, 1971, under the chairmanship of professor Kazuo Terazawa of Osaka University.

Among matters discussed at the meeting were rule proposals on adjusted requirements to minimum plating thicknesses of ship's sides and outer and inner bottom. A complete revision of the rules for determination of scantlings of rudders and rudder stocks was also discussed. It is proposed to determine scantlings by means of a direct calculation of bending moments and reaction forces.

As for machinery revised rules for pipes of steel, copper and copper alloys for use in piping systems subjected to internal pressure were submitted for discussion.

Revised rules for calculation of stresses due to thermal expansion have also been considered by the committee.

The increasing demand for ships for transport of liquid cargoes and liquefied gases has made it necessary for the Society to develop more advanced rules for the construction of these tanks. This concerns independent tanks as well as tanks which are part of the hull. A rule proposal concerning the construction of such tanks has been discussed by the committee.

Managing director of Det norske Veritas Egil Abrahamsen, and chief of the hull department at head office Andreas Haaland, also took part in the proceedings.

Hellenic Yards To Build 300,000-Ton Graving Dock -Six 300,000-Dwt Tankers

Hellenic Shipyards Company, Skaramanga, Greece, has announced a contract to add a 300,-000-ton graving dock to its already extensive facilities. In addition, orders to build six 300,000deadweight-ton tankers have already been received.

The dock will be completed in two, to two and one-half years. However, prefabrication will enable the ship construction in the dock to proceed rapidly thereafter.

The announcement was made at the launching at the yard's 21st SD-14 cargoship of 15,000-dwt. Six similar ships, of liner configuration, are under construction, as well as seven 35,000-dwt bulk carriers and five 30,000-dwt product carrying tankers.

Hellenic Shipyards was started in 1956 in a country with little industrial activity and has become one of the leading Mediterranean yards in ship repair, which continues to be a major activity. It has three floating drydocks, with capacities up to 72,000-dwt, and a 250,000-dwt graving dock, temporarily used for new construction.

Another Greek marine project being undertaken by the Niarchos Group is the construction of a diesel engine factory and associated with it, Greece's largest iron foundry. Grand Motori, a subsidiary of Fiat and the Italian Government's IRI, will participate in the diesel factory.

These marine projects are part of a 1970 undertaking by the Niarchos Group with the Greek Government, which also includes major expansion of oil refining facilities and a new aluminum plant for a total investment of more than \$200,000,000.

Texaco Contracts For Two Drilling Barges

Texaco Inc. has announced that it is entering into long-term contracts for two new semisubmersible drilling barges, primarily for use in the United Kingdom and other waters of the North Sea.

Texaco said that these drilling barges will be capable of drilling in offshore areas anywhere in the world. One will be built and operated by Storm Drilling Co., Houston, Texas, and the other by Sedco, Inc., Dallas, Texas. The first unit, scheduled for delivery in Feb-

ruary 1973, will be built by Storm in a U.S. Gulf Coast shipyard. The second unit, known as type 701, is to be delivered in the fall of 1973 and will be built by Sedco in the Hawker-Siddeley shipyards at Halifax, Nova Scotia.

NEW LANDMARK: Artist's conception shows how submarine building ways at Electric Boat Division of General Dynamics, Groton, Conn., will appear after they have been enclosed. Berlin Construction Co., Berlin, Conn., has begun work on the enclosure, which will provide an imfor production employees proved year-round environment The ways, 502-feet long and 186-feet wide, tower 140 feet above the Thames River. The shipyard development project will also include additional lighting and will not interfere with submarine construction currently under way. Four nuclear powered subs can be built within the structure.

MarAd Awards Curtiss-Wright **Contract To Develop Marine Power Transmission Systems**

The Power Systems Group of the Curtiss-Wright Corporation, Wood-Ridge, N.J., has been awarded a multimillion dollar two-phase development contract by the Maritime Administration (MarAd) to develop marine planetary gear transmission systems, it was announced by Leonard Schatz, director of the Curtiss-Wright Group.

The aim of the MarAd project is to develop a family of transmission systems capitalizing on the advantages of planetary gears over reduction gears currently in use. The epicyclic's compact, readily reversible, modular form make it attractive for a wide variety of ship types and sizes, particularly when combined with gas turbine prime movers.

The first phase of the contract is a one-year

program funded by MarAd at a cost of \$950,-000 to design and detail two planetary modules

The second phase, funded jointly by MarAd and Curtiss-Wright, will include fabrication and prototype testing. This portion is estimated to cost \$6 million and require about three years.

Two types of systems are to be developed leading to a family of derivative reduction gear modules satisfying the needs of merchant vessels for 15,000 horsepower to 75,000 horsepower per shaft.

The first system to be developed is a twostage planetary with reversing capability; the second is a two-stage planetary with reversing and contra-rotating output shafts.

Mr. Schatz emphasized that this work represents a continuation of effort to apply existing aerospace technology to industrial, marine and power generation markets.

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The 11,250-hp tug Martha R. Ingram is shown in the notch of the 285,500-barrel barge I.O.S. 3301.

Tug Barge Systems, Inc., a corporation equally owned by Breit Engineering, Inc. and Ingram Corporation, both of New Orleans, La., has recently been formed. The new company will offer a license for the rights to use certain patents and "know-how" developed by Breit Engineering, Inc. in connection with the rigid joining of oceangoing tugs and barges.

The tug and barge are designed to produce a single integrated unit when the two are joined with a locking system which prevents relative movement and results in a shipshaped form. By itself, the tug has good independent operating characteristics as an oceangoing vessel. Both the tug and the barge, as well as the combination when connected, have been approved and certificated by the U.S. Coast Guard and classed by the American Bureau of Shipping.

Tug Barge Systems, Inc. states that since the tug and barge can be built in separate yards where the efficiencies of specialization may be fully achieved, the tug-barge concept results in a lower cost unit than the cost of a similarly powered and sized ship, yet it can proceed at the same speed. This split of con-

Carboline Marine Division Names McGinnis In New York

The Marine Division of Carboline International, St. Louis, Mo., announces the appointment of J.M. (Jim) McGinnis as marine coatings sales representative in the New York City area.

Mr. McGinnis has 17 years of experience with corrosion control materials and their application in the marine, oil, pipleine and gas distribution industries. He has worked in both sales and sales management capacities. Mr. McGinnis is a graduate of the University of New Mexico and a member of the National Association of Corrosion Engineers.

Carboline International develops and manufactures a broad line of corrosion resistant protective coatings, tank linings, deck coatings and anti-fouling materials for ships, boats, barges and marine installations. Headquarters are located at 328 Hanley Industrial Court, St. Louis, Mo. 63144. struction also brings about more competition by producing bids from yards that would otherwise be unable to quote on the construction of a large ship.

The method of connection is the heart of the system. It consists essentially of a deep notch with a partial bottom at the stern of the barge with three-sided wedges on the barge notch wings which support the tug. A large hydraulic cylinder at the tug's bow holds the tug securely in position. The tug and barge will then act as a rigid unit in a seaway, such that steering and handling is the same as a ship of the same size. The connection is designed to withstand the highest forces expected in an ocean storm, and separation will never be needed because of weather conditions. Separation could be effected quickly without undue damage under emergency conditions, such as fire, grounding or collision, this feature being in reality an additional factor of safety for life at sea.

The first tug-barge unit in service, the tug Martha R. Ingram and the barge I.O.S. 3301, designed by Breit Engineering, Inc., has been through both hurricanes Edith and Dora without separation and no adverse effects.

Hydrographic Survey Underway Off Southern California Coast

An extensive hydrographic survey is underway off the southern California coast to obtain up-to-date depth and oceanographic information of the sea bottom for nautical charts and bathymetric maps.

The survey is being conducted in a 2,500square-mile area, including San Pedro Channel and the waters around Santa Catalina and San Clemente Islands. The NOAA ship Rainier is carrying out the three-month project. The 231-foot, 1,660-ton ship under command of Capt. **Roger F. Lanier** of Seattle, Wash., has a normal complement of 79.

The Rainier's mission is part of a long-range program, now in its fifth year, to rechart with modern equipment the entire west coast and to map the sea bottom along the continental shelf. The vessel will provide detailed information on water depths over submerged hazards and channels and the general shape of the ocean bottom for future exploration and marine studies.

The ship is working now off the east coast of San Clemente Island. The vessel will obtain continuous graphic profiles of the bottom's configuration. The survey will reveal the location and extent of underwater features, such as canyons, ridges, mountains, valleys and plains for portrayal on nautical charts and bathymetric maps. This information will be used to show safe approaches to the coast, will aid Federal, state, and industrial interests in exploring and developing shelf resources and will provide marine scientists with an up-todate reference base for studying the structure, composition and formation of the sea bottom.

The Rainier is equipped with a data acquisition system capable of automatically recording and plotting hydrographic data. The vessel uses an electronic echo sounder to measure and record water depths. This instrument records depths by measuring the velocity of sound waves emitted from equipment mounted in the vessel's hull. Returning echoes are converted to distance or depth and form a continuous graphic profile of the sea floor. The positions of water depth data and underwater features recorded along the vessel's course are determined with electronic instruments. As this is done, automated equipment codes and plots the information.

Foreign-Flag Ships Owned By U.S. Companies Published By MarAd

The Maritime Administration's updated publication "Foreign-Flag Ships Owned by United States Parent Companies as of December 31, 1970," is now available in limited quantities, according to an announcement by that agency.

Copies can be obtained from the Public Affairs Office, Room 4893, Department of Commerce Building, Washington, D.C.

American Export Industries Completes Subsidiary Sale

American Export Industries, Inc. has announced it had completed the sale of its wholly owned computer and aircraft leasing subsidiary, National Equipment Rental, Ltd., to North American Car Corporation, a wholly owned subsidiary of The Flying Tiger Corporation. The sale price was 21 million dollars, payable in cash and notes.

The effect of the sale has been the reduction of AEI's obligation to the banks under a Revolving Credit and Loan Agreement by approximately 33.5 million dollars, according to an AEI spokesman.

NINE FOR SINGAPORE: Show under way during trials recently held in Lake Pontchartrain is Locolina IX an Equity Standard 59-foot water taxi. With the completion of this vessel, Equitable Equipment Company, Inc., New Orleans, La., brought to a successful conclusion a building program involving nine offshore boats for the account of Robin Shipyard (Pte) Ltd. of Singapore. All of the crew boats are named Locolina and are numbered I through IX. Ordered in late 1970, the vessels were completed on schedule and shipped singly and in pairs to Singapore from where they will operate in the Strait of Malacca and the South China Sea. Five of the Locolinas are the well-known Equity 59 footers. The remaining four are the 65-foot vessels, latest in the line of Equity Standard water taxis.

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MarAd Opens Seminars On Extending Lakes Navigation Season

A series of seminars to discuss lengthening the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence Seaway navigation scason was recently inaugurated by the Maritime Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce.

Held in Washington, D.C., the meeting was attended by representatives of the Great Lakes shipping

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Deputy Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Maritime Affairs **Robert J. Blackwell** opened the session, explaining the seminars' purpose as growing out of a study by the agency of Great Lakes marine insurance rates.

"Through these meetings, we hope to provide industry with the fundamental information necessary for a realistic insurance appraisal of an extended season," he said.

Highlighting the first session were presentations by Rear Adm. W.A. Jenkins, USCG, Commander of the Ninth (Great Lakes) Coast Guard District, and Richard D. Jaeschke, Vice President of Operations of the U.S. Salvage Association.

Admiral Jenkins outlined the Coast Guard's efforts to keep Great Lakes sealanes open during the 1970-71 winter season, while

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Mr. Jaeschke discussed the types of casualties sustained by vessels transiting ice-clogged passages, their costs, and possible preventive measures.

Future sessions of the group, which is formally known as the MarAd Great Lakes-Seaway Risk Management Study Group, are scheduled to be held periodically over the next two years in various cities.

Topics to be discussed in future conferences, according to Mr. Blackwell, include weather conditions encountered during the winter of 1970-71, the economics of Great Lakes water transport, design considerations for improved vessel performance in ice, the underwriters' view of Great Lakes vessel operations, and the activities of other Federal agencies working to lengthen the Lakes navigation season, particularly the St. Lawrence Seaway Development Corp. and the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers.

Participants in the first session represented Hanna Mining Co., Cleveland-Cliffs Iron Co., Inland Steel Co., Johnson & Higgins, Marsh & McLennan, and the American Institute of Marine Underwriters. Representatives of the Great Lakes Protective Association, Dow Chemical Co., and the Toledo-Lucas County Port Authority also attended.

AMF Appoints Tritten General Manager Cuno Division

Ray A. Tritten

Ray A. Tritten, formerly president of AMF Ben Hogan Company, Fort Worth, Texas, has been appointed division president and general manager of AMF Cuno Division in Meriden, Conn., according to an announcement by John L. Tullis, president and chief operating officer. AMF Incorporated.

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BMI, Inc., a manufacturer and supplier of galley equipment, has opened offices and plant at Pass Christian, Miss., according to an announcement by its president, Bruce B. Blickman.

Located in the heart of the Gulf shipbuilding area, BMI, Inc. has the capability for engineering and furnishing the galley from the small tug to the largest aircraft carrier, the company states. Its vice president and general manager, **Howard Green**, said: "Since we are a wholly owned corporate subsidiary of S. Blickman, Inc. of Weehawken, N.J., it is our purpose to apply the years of experience gained by our parent corporation in the marine field and to offer this experience to all U.S. shipyards."

Richard V. Warden Elected President ITT Decca Marine

D.H. Toller-Bond, chairman, has announced the election of **Richard V. Warden** as president of ITT Decca Marine Inc. of New York. ITT Decca Marine is a leading supplier of marine electronic navigation aids and automation equipment. Its principal products range from pleasure boat radar to advanced automation systems for mammoth tankers.

Mr. Warden was previously associated with Philco-Ford in a variety of management, marketing and technical positions specializing in aerospace systems. He joined ITT in 1962 and became product manager for their communications satellite and marine activities. Most recently, he was manager of worldwide marine products for ITT.

Raytheon Appoints Toyo Trading Co.

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Raytheon Company has announced the appointment of Toyo Trading Company, Ltd. of Tokyo, Japan, as the sole agent for Japan for its complete line of oceanographic instrumentation. The appointment covers marketing rights for a wide variety of equipment, including line scan recorders, complete bathymetric survey systems, sub-bottom profiling equipment, and acoustic telemetry and control systems.

The equipment, produced by Raytheon's Submarine Signal Division, Ocean Systems Center, Portsmouth, R.I., is used in surveying offshore resources and oceanographic and ecological studies. It is also used in remote control of offshore oil wells.

Toyo is a trading company specializing in electronic instrumentation and similar product lines.

Canadian Transport Ministry Appoints 3

The appointment of three to senior positions in the Transport Ministry's Canadian Marine Transportation Administration has been announced by Transport Minister **Don Jamieson**.

William A. O'Neil, former Director of 'Construction, St. Lawrence Seaway Authority, becomes Deputy Administrator, Marine Services. A'dm. A.H.G. Storrs, former Di-

rector, Marine Operations, C.M.-T.A., is appointed Assistant Deputy Administrator, Marine Services.

D.M. Ripley, former Director, Marine Hydraulics Branch, C.M.-T.A., becomes Senior Advisor, Policy and Planning, of the Administration.

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BMI, Inc., a manufacturer and supplier of galley equipment, has opened offices and plant at Pass Christian, Miss., according to an announcement by its president, Bruce B. Blickman.

Located in the heart of the Gulf shipbuilding area, BMI, Inc. has

the capability for engineering and furnishing the galley from the small tug to the largest aircraft carrier, the company states. Its vice president and general man-ager, Howard Green, said: "Since we are a wholly owned corporate subsidiary of S. Blickman, Inc. of Weehawken, N.J., it is our purpose to apply the years of experience gained by our parent corporation in the marine field and to offer this experience to all U.S. shipyards."

Richard V. Warden **Elected President** ITT Decca Marine

D.H. Toller-Bond, chairman, has announced the election of Richard V. Warden as president of ITT Decca Marine Inc. of New York. ITT Decca Marine is a leading supplier of marine electronic navigation aids and automation equipment. Its principal products range from pleasure boat radar to advanced automation systems for mammoth tankers.

Mr. Warden was previously as-sociated with Philco-Ford in a variety of management, marketing and technical positions specializing in aerospace systems. He joined ITT in 1962 and became product manager for their communications satellite and marine activities. Most recently, he was manager of worldwide marine products for ITT.

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Mr. Warden holds bachelor's and master's degrees in aeronautical engineering from Princeton and M.I.T. respectively. He also served as a naval aviator and destroyer navigator. Mr. Warden's hobbies parallel his professional background; he has maintained a commercial pilot's license and is an

Raytheon Appoints Toyo Trading Co.

Raytheon Company has announced the appointment of Toyo Trading Company, Ltd. of Tokyo, Japan, as the sole agent for Japan for its complete line of oceanographic instrumentation. The appointment covers marketing rights for a wide variety of equipment, including line scan recorders, complete bathymetric survey systems, sub-bottom profiling equipment, and acoustic telemetry and control systems.

The equipment, produced by Raytheon's Submarine Signal Division, Ocean Systems Center, Portsmouth, R.I., is used in surveying offshore resources and oceanographic and ecological studies. It is also used in remote control of offshore oil wells.

Toyo is a trading company specializing in electronic instrumentation and similar product lines.

Canadian Transport Ministry Appoints 3

The appointment of three to senior positions in the Transport Ministry's Canadian Marine Transportation Administration has been announced by Transport Minister Don Jamieson.

William A. O'Neil, former Director of Construction, St. Lawrence Seaway Authority, becomes Depu-ty Administrator, Marine Services.

A'dm. A.H.G. Storrs, former Director, Marine Operations, C.M.-T.A., is appointed Assistant Deputy Administrator, Marine Services. D.M. Ripley, former Director, Marine Hydraulics Branch, C.M .-T.A., becomes Senior Advisor, Policy and Planning, of the Administration.

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Aqua-Chem, Inc. Announces Top Executive Appointments

John K. Collings Jr., president of Aqua-Chem, Inc., Milwaukee, Wis., has announced the filling of top executive posts at the company's Water Technologies Division and other realignments of responsibilities within the division, which is a leading supplier of seawater desalting and water pollution control equipment. Mr. Collings said that Armando B. Steinbruchel has been named president and Robert R. Carnaroli executive vice president of the division. Both posts had been vacant.

Mr. Steinbruchel has been with Aqua-Chem since 1958, most recently as regional manager. He had previously been chief engineer for evaporator systems and played a key role in the development and growth of the company through his technological expertise in the engineering and design of present day AquaChem equipment. He was instrumental in the early development of Aqua-Chem's first water pollution control systems and the first longtube flash evaporators for desalting seawater. He also played an important part in the design and manufacture of the company's new Spray-Film evaporators just recently introduced. A native of Switzerland, Mr. **Steinbruchel** had been with the Swiss firm of Escher Wyss, Ltd. before joining Aqua-Chem.

Mr. **Carnaroli** has been corporate controller of Aqua-Chem, Inc. for the past year. Prior to joining Aqua-Chem, he had been assistant general manager of the Electric Assembly Products Division of General Cable Corporation and had earlier been with divisions of International Telephone and Telegraph Corporation in management and financial posts.

"These appointments, along with other reassignments of responsibilities within the division, will give us a highly capable and efficient

organization," Mr. Collings said. "Mr. Steinbruchel has outstanding capabilities in seawater desalting and water pollution areas, with broad experience in engineering and marketing. Mr. Carnaroli is equally capable in administrative and financial operations. We believe they will provide top level leadership for the Water Technologies Division."

In other changes, the Water Technologies Division has gone to the product manager concept, and **Charles D. Rose**, who was formerly vice president, sales, for the division will now become vice president, marketing, in charge of this new function.

Four product managers were named to report to Mr. Rose and are responsible for the full range of engineering, manufacturing and marketing of their lines. These are: Wilmer Pergande, product manager for vapor compression plants; Lee Hartenstein, product manager for marine products, pumps and vacuum systems; Wayne Wagner, product manager for packaged and field erected evaporators, chemical waste and radioactive waste concentrators, industrial heat exchangers and pollution control equipment; and Richard M. Ahlgren, manager of research and development studies. All have been active with Aqua-Chem for a number of years in their respective fields.

Mr. Collings also announced that Richard J. Stayton has been named manager of order planning and control and Russell H. Pipkorn has been named divisional engineering manager.

Mr. Collings said the reorganization within the division is designed "to establish more direct and complete responsibilities within the various product areas which capitalizes on the broad experience of those promoted."

Newport News Jumboizes Same Tanker Second Time

Sixteen years ago the Amoco Delaware was the first ship to be jumboized at Newport News Shipbuilding, a job that established the yard as the innovator in tanker jumboizing. Now the Amoco Delaware is back in Newport News for a second enlargement. When work is completed on her in December, she will stand as the first ship to be re-jumboized at the Newport News, Va., yard.

The new 486-foot forebody for the T-2 tanker Amoco Delaware is launched at Newport News Shipbuilding, the first ship to be re-jumboized at the yard. When the enlargement is completed later this year, the Amoco Delaware will have grown 110 feet since her first appearance at the yard in 1956.

Successful launching of the new forebody took place recently and with it came a payment of \$2,320,000 from her owners, Amoco Shipping Company. The new forebody is 486 feet long and will extend the Amoco Delaware's length to 633.5 feet from her present 571.5 feet. When the T-2 tanker first came to the yard in 1956 she was only 523.5 feet long. Her new cargo capacity will be 237,000 barrels of oil.

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Work On Galveston's **Container Facilities** Is Ahead Of Schedule

Work on Galveston's container facilities is progressing ahead of schedule, and the port's first container crane and dock will be ready to handle containerships by the end of 1971, with barge-carrying ship-loading facilities finished to to receive LASH and SEABEE vessels early in 1972.

C.S. Devoy, Galveston port director, reporting to the community on the projects, listed developments as follows:

(1) First 1,000 feet of the 1,700foot-long container dock in Galveston's East End is 93 percent complete, and the \$1,063,000 Japanesebuilt container crane arrived in mid-August and was erected at Piers 10-12 on October 1.

(2) Contracts amounting to \$1,-295,104 were awarded for firststage construction of barge-carrying ship-loading facilities at Pier 35 to handle LASH and SEABEE ships.

berth on Pelican Island across the Galveston Ship Channel from the Pier 35 barge terminal is presently being dredged to a depth of 45 feet, and the 15-acre barge marshaling area backing it up will be 14 feet deep.

All barges for the Lykes SEA-BEES loaded in West Gulf ports from Brownsville to Lake Charles will be brought to the Galveston terminal for loading aboard ship.

In a special election on March 10, 1970, Galveston voters approved issuance of \$7.7 million in tax obligation bonds to which the Port of Galveston will add \$10 million from revenues during the next 10 years for port modernization: to build a \$9.2-million container terminal in Galveston's East End between Piers 10 and 14; a barge consolidation terminal at Piers 34-35; berths for LASH and SEABEE ships; and a 15-acre barge fleeting station. Work started in November 1970, and the first Lykes SEABEE vessel, the S/S Doctor Lykes, now being completed at Quincy, Mass., (3) The SEABEE mother ship is due in Galveston in January 1972.

Japanese Develop Hydraulic Units **To Position Prefabricated Hull Sections**

Sohichi Takahashi

Industrial Specialist

Three Japanese companies, Nippon Kokan, Nippon Koki and Kayaba Kogyo, have jointly developed a hydraulic unit that will move heavy prefabricated steel units into accurate position for welding in less than half the time it took with the conventional method.

In constructing ships, steel assemblies, ranging from 20 tons to 300 tons, are prefabricated and continuously transferred to the building ways or building docks by crane. These assemblies are then positioned and welded together to form the ship's hull. When being positioned on the building way, the three-dimensional assembly is moved little by little until it is in position for correct alignment to the previous unit. After positioning, it is secured and the welding process started.

If this positioning accuracy is not maintained, it will result in a warped hull and the later assemblies will be more difficult to fit. In the conventional positioning process an assembly is raised by jacks, moved longitudinally and transversely by jacks and tack welded in position while being supported by a crane. By this method, it is reported to take 28 man hours to secure a prefabricated assembly weighing 300 tons.

The newly developed method uses three hydraulic units to position a 300-ton unit. Each of the identical units are mainly composed of a hydraulic jack which slides horizontally on a stainless-steel foundation. These units are positioned on the building way or dock floor and the prefabricated assembly lowered onto them. Each jack has a 153/4-inch cylinder that can raise the assembly a maximum of 6 inches. Theoretically, this hydraulic unit should be able to handle assemblies weighing 600 tons. Meanwhile, the jack is slid along the stainless-steel foundation by two 7inch hydraulic cylinders connected to the jack at right angles. By using these horizontal units, the entire jacking unit can be moved within the range of a 10-inch circle.

If the assembly must be moved a greater distance than the travels given above, the assembly is rested on the keel blocks and the moving process repeated.

Each hydraulic jack is provided with its own individual hydraulic pumps. All the control pushbuttons for the three units, 18 buttons in all-forward, backward, right, left, up and down-are mounted in one portable control console. When the relocation of the hydraulic units becomes necessary, it is performed by means of a vehicle used for transporting keel blocks. To improve on this method of moving the units, the companies are planning to convert them into self-propelled types for ease of relocation.

The Tsu Shipyard of Nippon Kokan has used these hydraulic jacks during the construction of a 250,000dwt tanker. They report that the positioner was applicable to 36 bottom assemblies and 20 other prefabricated sections. This yard also reported that instead of the usual 28 hours for positioning an assembly, it required only four manhours per unit.

Canadian Government National Harbours Board **Relocates Head Office**

The National Harbours Board of Canada announced that it has moved its head office in Ottawa to the Place de Ville at 330 Sparks Street. The Government agency had previously been located at the Trebla Building at 473 Albert Street.

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Thomas M. Reinhardt, president of International Paint Company, Inc., has announced the appointment of Grant Johnson to the office of executive vice president and a member of the board of directors of the parent company, with head-

quarters in New York City. Mr. Johnson joined the Interna-tional organization in 1965 as West Coast sales manager for the subsidiary, International Paint Co., (California) Inc. He was elected to the board of directors of that company shortly thereafter and was appointed vice president of that firm in 1967. Mr. Johnson brings with him 21 years of experience in the shipping industry, having been vice president of Columbia Steamship Co., Inc. before he joined International.

Astilleros Espanoles Launches Oil Tanker **Of Advanced Design**

Astilleros Espanoles, S.A., re-cently launched the advanced-design oil tanker Conoco Britannia at its Cadiz, Spain shipyard. The 115,000-dwt tanker, whose

keel was laid the day after the launching of her sister ship, the Conoco Espana, was christened by Mrs. John E. Kircher, wife of the president of Eastern Hemisphere Petroleum Division of Continental Oil Company. Both vessels will be used primarily to transport crude oil from North Africa to Conoco's Humber refinery in Lincolnshire, U.K.

Commissioned by Worldwide Transport Inc., Continental's ship-ping affiliate, both ships incorporate significant advances in tanker technology, including several de-sign "firsts." They are the first tankers afloat whose diesel engines are capable of burning the same crude oil as carried in their cargo tanks. Both are the first of their size fitted with variable pitch main propellers, and both have bow thrusters operating on each side of the bows, providing greatly increased maneuverability. Automated control devices allow the master to control the engines entirely from the bridge during maneuvering.

The ships feature advanced pollution control and safety equipment, including special reclaimed oil settling tanks and separate plants for obtaining nitrogen from the atmosphere for inerting the cargo tanks for greater safety. All

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cargo tanks are coated with corrosion resistant epoxy paint. Design of the cargo system utilizes Conoco's free-flow system of loading and discharging and permits a dis-charge rate of up to 10,000 tons per hour. The tankers will carry approximately 896,000 barrels of crude oil (31,360,000 gallons) and will cruise at 16 knots.

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The Conoco Britannia will go into service early in 1972 under the command of Capt. Carmelo Ar-regui and will carry a Spanish crew of 10 officers and 23 men. The Conoco Espana will go on her maiden voyage this month.

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environmental conservation. The conference will be of an interdisciplinary nature, so numerous other concerned associations are being invited to participate along with Federal, state and local government officials. The program will be directed at middle management in the marine field. Vessel own-

The conference will cover legislation, regula-

tions, standards, enforcement procedures, re-

search and technology, and future concepts for

ers, operators, shipbuilders, naval architects, marine suppliers, port and terminal operators and others in the marine field will be in attendance. There will be several hundred exhibits to complement the comprehensive conference program, which was attended by marine specialists from all over the world last year. Further details may be obtained by contacting **Carolyn Bloch**, IAPC Headquarters, Suite 700, 4733 Bethesda Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20014.

Roger Sommer To Head European Operations For Western Gear Subsidiary

Roger D. Sommer, formerly industrial relations manager of Western Gear Corporation at its Lynwood, Calif., headquarters, has been named vice chairman of the board of directors of Western Gear Europe, S.A., in Belgium. Mr. Sommer will direct Western Gear activi-

Mr. Sommer will direct Western Gear activities in all European countries and in South Africa from offices located at Transvaalstraat 7, B-2600 Berchum-Belgium, near Antwerp.

Initially, Mr. Sommer will concentrate on sales and service activities for Sky Climber, Inc., a Western Gear subsidiary which manufactures powered platforms and scaffold hoists widely used in construction and building maintenance; and Graphic Artis Division, maker of an extensive line of quality offset printing presses and business forms equipment and collating systems. He will report to Western Gear senior vice president Charles F. Bannan, board chairman of Western Gear Europe, S.A.

Mr. Sommer has a B.S. degree in business administration from Northwestern University, and a master's degree in industrial relations from Cornell University. He has been with Western Gear since 1964.

FIRST OF SIX: The first of six new PACECO SHIPSTAIN-ERS® for K-Lines of Japan is shown being lifted intact to its new home on the deck of the Oregon Maru docked in the Port of San Francisco. The SHIPSTAINERS, especially designed shipboard container handling cranes from Paceco, a Division of Fruehauf Corporation, Alameda, Calif., were ordered by K-Lines earlier this year for installation aboard its three modified containerships. Each of the six cranes being installed fore and aft on the three vessels has the ability to load and unload an average of 32 containers, or 800 to 900 tons of containerized cargo, per hour. The PACECO SHIPSTAINERS are designed with cantilevers on each side, giving them an outreach of 23 feet so that they can load and unload onto the pier from either side of the ship. Once the ship leaves port, the cantilevers fold completely within the crane's gantry frame for compact storage. The Oregon Maru and its two sister ships will inaugurate K-Lines' new container service between the United States and Southeast Asia this fall. Sailings are scheduled for every 15 days.

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National Marine Service Opens Houston, Tex., Parts Warehouse

Floyd McKneely, warehouse supervisor, prepares a delivery from loading dock of new National Marine Service Houston Parts Warehouse.

"In keeping with our program of continuing efforts to better serve the marine industry," **E.E. Ahlemeyer**, vice president, Engineering Services Division, National Marine Service, Incorporated, announced, "we have opened a new marine supply warehouse in Houston, Texas. Our broad line of marine diesel replacement parts and vessel supplies will be available for immediate delivery or pickup by our friends along the Gulf Coast." The new address is 3710 Dacoma Street, and the new telephone number, 24 hours a day, is (713) 688-1481.

This facility, under the direction of N.J. Calvin, Gulf Coast sales representative, and assisted by Floyd McKneely, will stock a complete line of diesel engine parts and boat supplies. This new warehouse, open around the clock, will provide walk-in service, or N.M.S. trucks will deliver the parts direct to location where they are needed.

National Marine Service is one of the largest suppliers of diesel engine parts in the country and brings years of successful service to the Gulf Coast area.

The new warehouse, with over 5,000 square feet for marine diesel parts and boat supplies, will complement their service in Hartford, Ill., by supplying customers along the Gulf Coast.

by supplying customers along the Gulf Coast. National Marine pioneered in the marine diesel unit exchange concept and will offer their wide range of exchange parts for engine overhauls.

The host of services National Marine offers from this new location includes certified tankerman service. U.S. Coast Guard certified and bonded tankerman employed by National Marine are now traveling throughout the Gulf Coast area. There has been an increasing demand for this service as a result of the problems of oil and chemical pollution.

lems of oil and chemical pollution. National Marine's traveling (marine diesel, pump and electrical) repair teams for marine diesel overhaul in the Gulf Coast will be coordinated and supplied through this new office. It may be obtained by calling N.J. (Jack) Calvin.

Overseas Shipholding Group Elects Morton Hyman President

The election of Morton P. Hyman as president of the Overseas Shipholding Group has been announced by the bulk shipping company, which owns and operates a fleet of 31 tankers and dry bulk carriers. Mr. Hyman has served as a director and secretary of the group since its formation. He succeeds Joshua Morrison, who has retired, but who will continue as a member of the firm's board of directors.

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The Washington Mail after conversion and jumboizing to a full containership by the San Francisco shipyard of Bethlehem Steel Corporation.

Bethlehem Delivers First AML Full Containership

The Washington Mail as the ship appeared prior to entering Bethlehem's shipyard.

The first of three Mariner-type cargo vessels to be jumboized and converted into full C-6 containerships for American Mail Line was delivered recently by Bethlehem Steel Corporation's San Francisco shipyard. The delivery of the Washington Mail to her owners marked the completion of one of the largest containership conversions ever accomplished in the United States.

The Washington Mail, now 669 feet long, was lengthened 105 feet through the installation of a new mid-body container cell section. The ship's container-carrying capacity was expanded from 211 twenty-foot units to 892 twenty-foot containers or combinations of 20

The new 105-foot long mid-body section (top) is shown being floated into position during the conversion. This exacting maneuver occurred after the vessel had been cut in two and the bow section floated out into San Francisco Bay (bottom).

and 40 footers. The ship's deadweight was increased from 14,803 tons to about 20,000 tons.

The J.J. Henry Co., Inc. prepared the conversion design and supervised the shipyard work for the owner. George G. Sharp, Inc. prepared the detailed construction plans for the shipyard.

In addition to the new mid-body, two new decks were added topside of the deckhouse and an 800-hp bow thruster was installed for improved maneuverability in close quarters.

Bethlehem's conversion of the Washington Mail and her two sisterships, the Japan Mail and Philippine Mail, is being carried out under a \$25.5 million American Mail Line-U.S. Maritime Administration joint contract.

The original passenger quarters were rearranged during the conversion so that the spaces added by the additional decks in the house would be utilized. The all new air-conditioned luxury quarters for 12 passengers include spacious staterooms, an upper observation lounge, dining room, exercise room and library.

Another feature of the ship's conversion is the addition of a third turbo-generator, rated at 875 kw, to handle the increased loads and refrigerated containers. The vessel as a C-4 Mariner had only two 700-kw turbo-generators.

The wheelhouse was relocated on the highest of the two new decks to provide better visibility. Automated main-engine control from the bridge also has been provided. In order to strengthen the vessel to accommodate its greater length and to provide the maximum width for container holds, the conversion further entailed the installation of six foot wide, nine foot deep box girders on each side of the extended hull. The girders are 489 feet long, nearly three-fourths the length of the ship.

To provide added deck space for containers and room for the possible installation of loading cranes, a 70 foot long sponson was built along each side of the vessel at the bow and stern.

The Washington Mail entered the Bethlehem yard about nine months ago. The ship's new mid-body section was launched January 22, 1971. At that time, the vessel was placed stern-in on the yard's new 65,000-ton capacity floating dry dock and cut in two just forward of her deckhouse.

The bow was floated out into the bay while the ship's new mid-body was towed into the dock and welded to the stern portion of the vessel. Then, the bow was brought back into the dry dock and joined to the new mid-bedy, thus completing the ship's lengthening from 564 feet to 669 feet.

The new mid-body, built at Bethlehem's San Francisco yard, weighs 1,200 tons. In addition to container cells, it is fitted with wing tanks for fuel oil. A total of more than 4,000 tons of new steel was utilized to containerize the ship.

Conversion of her two sisterships is proceeding in the same manner, with the Japan Mail scheduled for delivery this month and the Philippine Mail early next year.

AML Planning

Robert E. Benedict, American Mail Line's president, recently announced plans involving the addition of a fourth C-6 containership, a near 60 percent increase in the number of yearly voyages and a dramatic change in the line's service pattern.

With the addition of a fourth converted Mariner-type ship to a full containership, American Mail Line will have embarked on a \$45.8 million program. Of this amount, American Mail Line will spend \$10.6 million for containers and \$35.2 million for the conversions. The U.S. Government share for construction subsidies is \$13.4 million.

The new operating plan calls for operating the containerships in an express service with weekly sailings between the Pacific Northwest and the Japanese ports of Yokohama, Kobe and Nagoya. The line's semi-container vessels will operate between the Pacific Northwest and Korea, Hong Kong, Vietnam, Singapore, Malaysia and Taiwan, with twice-monthly service. The remaining C-4 Mariners will be used on the company's extended area route to Southeast Asia and the Bay of Bengal.

World Dredging Conference To Hear 30 Technical Papers Nov. 30 - Dec. 3 In N.O.

The worldwide community of dredgers and dredge builders are making their plans to converge upon New Orleans November 30, 1971, for the Fourth World Dredging Conference (WODCON). An elaborate field trip has been planned for the first day with a tour of the Mississippi River dredging projects, past, present and future, on the river boat President. Luncheon buffet Louisiana-style, a Dixieland combo and a fully narrated tour of the river by a representative of the Port of New Orleans will make the river trip a valued event. That same evening there will be a cocktail reception hosted by the Gulf Coast Dredging Association, followed by a "Miniature Mardi Gras Ball" theater presentation by one of the leading theatrical groups in the city. Following the first eventful day and evening, the conference will get down to business, with technical papers and industry exhibits beginning the morning of December 1 and running through the afternoon of December 3. All events will be held at the Jung Hotel Convention Center. Each day there will be formal speakers at the luncheons. The luncheon speakers will be: December 1—Lt.Gen. F.J. Clarke, Chief of Engineers, U.S. Army; December 2— Patrick H. O'Neill, president, International Mining Corp., and December 3—A.L. Quinlan, vice president and general manager, McNamara Marine.

There will be 30 technical papers presented on subjects ranging from pipeline hydraulics, pumps-designs and maintenance, dredge designs and operations, to ecological effects of dredging. Industry exhibits will be presented by a cross section of companies serving and active in the dredging industry. The Hall of

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The sponsor of the WODCON IV is the WODCON Association, an international nonprofit organization representing the leading dredging contractors from over 20 countries, six foreign government dredging organizations, builders and engineering companies. It was formed in May 1967 at the occasion of the first WODCON meeting in the New York City Coliseum. Co-sponsors of WODCON IV include the World Dredging Association (WODA), which is a technical society of individuals involved in the dredging industry from over 35 countries, Texas A&M University and Oregon State University, who are helping with the technical paper program. This year's chairman of the WODCON As-

This year's chairman of the WODCON Association and for the conference is **O.M. Gautreaux**, president of Williams-McWilliams Co., headquartered in New Orleans and one of the oldest dredging firms in the United States. Chairman of the board of directors of both WODCON and WODA is **Bill Bauer**, internationally known as a leading figure and pioneer in the dredging industry. He is the founder of Bauer Dredging Company of Port Lavaca, Texas, which is now owned by the Texas Gas Transmission Co.

For more information on registration and participation in WODCON IV, contact WOD-CON, **M.J. Richardson**, Executive Secretary, P.O. Box 20810, Long Beach, Calif. 90801, telephone (213) 832-4291.

Alco Offers Brochure On Heavy Duty Marine Diesels

A 16-page brochure on heavy duty marine diesels is available from Alco Engines Division of White Industrial Power, Inc. The full-color brochure gives information on engines from 6 to 18 cylinders, offering from 550 to 3,960 hp. General specifications of the Alco 251 four-cycle engine, as well as its ratings and characteristics, are included in the brochure.

To obtain a copy of this brochure, write Alco Engines, 100 Orchard Street, Auburn, N.Y. 13021.

MOBIL GRANT TO KINGS POINT: The Mobil Foundation, Inc., has made an educational grant of \$1,000 to the Kings Point Fund, Inc., for the benefit of the United States Merchant Marine Academy and its midshipmen. At informal ceremonies recently held in New York, Rear Adm. Arthur B. Engel, USCG (ret.), superintendent of the U.S. Merchant Marine Academy at Kings Point, N.Y., is shown accepting the \$1,000 grant to the Academy from Mobil Oil Corporation, represented by Henry J. Luck Jr., general manager of marine transportation. The picture of a Mobil tankship in the background was presented by the company to the Academy on the same occasion. The gift will be applied, according to fund officials, in areas of maritime education and undergraduates need not fully funded by Government training appropriations. For many years, the Fund has conducted annual giving drives to assist the Academy in these and other fields, including student loans, betterments to buildings, grounds and equipment, sail training, and extracurricular activities.

1971 Marine Technology Show Draws 2,800 Attendees— Next Conference Date Set

The 7th National Conference and Exposition of the Marine Technology Society attracted a record audience of 2,800 marine scientists, interested corporations, academicians, and professionals.

The major attraction of the three-day marine conference, the only one permanently held in Washington, was the Society's Exposition, featuring more than 100 prime U.S. and foreign marine, scientific, and manufacturing firms' wares and services.

Among the companies represented at the Exposition were General Dynamics, Neyrpic Canada Ltd., Ocean Recovery Systems, Inc., Seatech Corporation, U.S. Steel, Westinghouse Electric Corporation, Unisuit USA, NUSonics Corporation, ITT Cable Division, Hermes Electronics Ltd., and Humble Oil and Refining Company.

Delegates who toured the exhibit hall represented major buyers in marine engineering and science in the U.S. and Canada.

The Marine Technology Society is the interdisciplinary organization of 5,000 professionals engaged in marine and oceanic studies. MTS members study and develop the resources of the earth's watery environment with an eye toward feeding increasing populations and making the seas work for mankind.

MTS technical committees covered the entire spectrum of oceanic interests, including economics, agriculture, conservation, law, and fossil fuel requirements,

The Society has announced that next year's Conference and Exposition will be held at the Sheraton Park Hotel, September 10-13, 1972, in Washington, D.C.

Lockheed Promotes Robert N. Waters

Robert N. Waters, who has been executive vice president-administration of the Lockheed Shipbuilding & Construction Company, Seattle, has been promoted to assistant treasurer of Lockheed Aircraft Corporation, the parent Lockheed Corporation, in line to succeed treasurer W. Neal Brown on Mr. Brown's retirement next January.

tirement next January. An Idaho native, Mr. Waters grew up in Everett and was graduated from Whitman College in 1942. After service as a navigator with the Navy and several airlines, he returned to school in 1948 to earn a degree from Georgetown University.

Mr. Waters has worked for Lockheed since 1954 and went to Seattle in 1966 as project manager for the fast deployment logistics ship. He stepped up to administrative director of the shipyard in 1967 and to vice president-administration in 1968.

313,000-Dwt Is New Size Of Shell Tankers In Belfast

A revised order by Shell International Marine Limited makes four tankers contracted for with Belfast's Harland & Wolff shipyard the largest ever ordered in the United Kingdom.

Last April, Shell ordered five 256,000-ton tankers from the Northern Ireland shipyard. It was recently announced that four of the five ships are to be expanded to 313,000 tons. The four ships will have the same overall carrying capacity as the original five, and the fifth tanker will not be built.

The cost of the ships remains about the same— \$180 million — and delivery will take place, as previously scheduled, during 1974 and 1975.

"It means," said a company executive, "that Harland & Wolff is really in the big leagues of big shipbuilders. These ships are the largest on order for Shell anywhere in the world. Our new facilities can build the biggest ships afloat and this order proves it. It's a breakthrough."

Finding Oil And Gas Around Britain's Shores

Sir David Barran, chairman of The "Shell" Transport and Trading Company, speaking in Harrogate in Northern England, said that Britain's energy requirements were expanding at a rate which would call for the maximum effort by all concerned if they are to be satisfied.

Sir David, who was speaking to the Institute of Purchasing and Supply Conference, stated that the national fuel policy must henceforward take account of the new factors which had emerged since the White Paper of 1967. These were: (1) the proven availability of natural gas from the North Sea, and the prospective availability of indigenous oil from the North Sea and other parts of the continental shelf around the U.K. shores; (2) the certainty that the days of very cheap oil are over and that oil costs will continue to rise; and (3) the consequent improvement in the competitiveness of at least some of the country's coal reserves.

Wherever coal could be economically produced, it should be, having regard to the rising costs of imported oil. Every effort should be made to help nuclear energy to become more efficient and more economical, although Sir **David** did not think it could take over a much larger share of the energy burden before the 1980s. Moreover, all fuels should be burned in the most economical way to reduce waste.

"Future generations may well be appalled at the wanton improvidence with which we have squandered our energy resources in recent years," said Sir **David**, "unless we use the time we still have to mend our image for posterity."

Turning to the oil industry, Sir **David** said that the maximum effort should be made to develop oil and natural gas resources in U.K. waters, both in the interest of security of supply and to help the balance of payments.

"The North Sea is full of promise," he went on, "and there is a tremendous incentive for further work." But only a continous, difficult and costly drilling program can decide for certain what oil is there. "Depending on the success of current and future exploration, the North Sea may by 1980 be producing enough oil as well as gas to provide a significant proportion of the U.K.'s requirements. The importance of success on this scale would be considerable, not only in terms of the balance of payments but in helping to restrain the producing governments in the Middle East and elsewhere from unreasonable demands."

The national fuel policy should therefore give the utmost encouragement to the oil companies to get on with the job. "It would be tragic if future development of the North Sea's evident potential in hydrocarbons were to be hamstrung by idealogical objections and unrealistic protests about 'excessive profits.' All the industry is asking for is the rate for the job." The best way to ensure the highest possible level of future exploration activity for gas under the North Sea was for producers to know that they would get the competitive market value for that gas.

As far as oil was concerned, Sir **David** said that the present system of granting licenses provided no guarantee that exploration effort was optimized. There should be a bar on speculators who made a bid and then sat on their acreage in the expectation that in due course they would be able to farm out their blocks to a genuine operator who had worked hard and found something next door.

"North Sea exploration should not be treated as a lottery," said Sir **David**. "What the U.K. energy economy requires is oil, not rent—oil in the shortest possible time to improve the balance of payments and security of supply position. I believe that this objective would be better served if applicants were required to tender exploration work programs, supported by promissory notes as a guarantee of good faith."

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