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Secretary Lewis Announces Plan To Transfer MarAd To DOT

Secretary of Transportation Drew Lewis announced recently an Administration plan to transfer the Maritime Administration from the Department of Commerce to the Department of Transportation.

"The transfer is the first step in carrying out President Reagan's commitment to revitalization of the U.S. maritime industry," Secretary Lewis said.

"I intend to work personally with the Maritime Administration to promote the President's goals for the development and progress of our marine commerce," the Secretary added.

The proposed shift has the concurrence of Secretary of Commerce Malcolm Baldrige. Secretary Lewis said he had been working closely with the Secretary of Commerce and with Samuel B. Nemirow, the current Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Maritime Affairs, in planning the transfer. The enabling legislation is being prepared for early submission to Congress.

Under the transfer plan, Secretary Lewis said U.S. export performance would be improved "through better coordination of the inland waterways and surface transportation systems, as well as port access and development, with the maritime industry."

The plan is a simple transfer, Secretary Lewis said. No changes in statutory functions would result from the proposed transfer. Rail, truck, air and waterborne

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commerce would be under a single Cabinet department—the plan envisioned when the Department of Transportation was established in 1967.

The Maritime Administration was created in 1950 to promote and sustain the U.S. ocean shipping industry. It assists the maritime industry in ship design and construction, in research and development and in market development.

President Reagan has called the maritime industry a "key contributor to our economic strength and security. Its continued growth and prosperity," he said, "are necessary to the economic renewal we all seek."

When the proposed transfer occurs, MarAd will be the eighth operational agency in the Department of Transportation, which already houses two other marine organizations—the United States Coast Guard and the St. Lawrence Seaway Development Corporation.

Work On Two Tankers At Northwest Marine Will Total Over \$7.8 Million

The Maritime Subsidy Board has determined the fair and reasonable price and construction-differential subsidy (CDS) rates for the reconstruction of two 89,700-deadweight-ton tankers, the Chestnut Hill and Kittanning, operated by Chestnut Shipping Co.

Northwest Marine Iron Works, Portland, Ore., will rebuild the ships at a cost of \$3,930,976 per vessel. This price includes \$308,-605 worth of national defense features for each tanker.

The subsidy rate was set at 43.66 percent, or \$1,716,576 per vessel. This figure was based on an estimated foreign cost of \$2,214,400. A regional concept which combined Japan and Singapore as the representative shipbuilding center for the reconstruction work was used in estimating the foreign cost.

The work will include installation of inert gas and crude oil washing systems and the replacement of the vessels' cargo stripping pumps required by the 1978 Port and Tanker Safety Act.

The Chestnut Hill and Kittanning were built by National Steel & Shipbuilding Co., San Diego, Calif., in 1976 and 1977, respectively.

\$2.3 Million Awarded To SeaTec For Mooring And Pipeline Project

SeaTec International, Ltd., Gloucester, Mass., has been awarded a \$2.3-million turnkey project to install two 2,800 meter, 8-inch and 16-inch-diameter pipelines and a SOFEC four-buoy

CBM tanker mooring system at Probolinggo, Java, Indonesia.

The award came from Coutinho, Caro and Company, of Hamburg, West Germany, who are constructing a paper mill and sugar refinery for the P.T. Letjes Consortium. The mooring system will permit the transfer of fuel oil offshore and the pipeline will conduct oil to storage facilities located outside the mill.

SeaTec will perform the entire project on a turnkey basis, incorporating site survey, engineering, project management and installation of the pipeline and mooring terminal. The project is in progress and scheduled for completion by March of 1982.

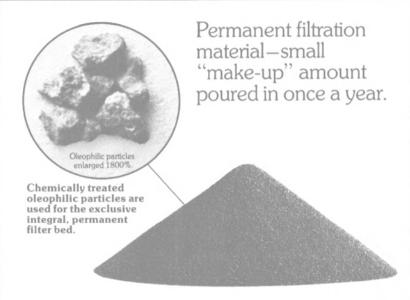
SeaTec International, Ltd. is a marine construction corporation with offices around the world.

\$23.4-Million Overhaul Contract To Todd Pacific

Todd Pacific Shipyards, Seattle, Wash., has been awarded a \$23,453,000 cost-plus-award-fee contract for repair and alterations regular overhaul of the destroyer USS Elliot (DD-967). The Naval Sea Systems Command is the contracting activity. (N00024-81-C-8500)

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Cat Introduces New Family Of High-Speed Diesels— Product Bulletin Available

Caterpillar Engine Division announces a new family of high-speed, heavy-duty diesel engines in the 800-1,600 bhp (600-1,200 kw) class. Designated the 3500 series, the engine family provides optimum value for a wide variety of high-horsepower applications.

The family will ultimately consist of V8, V12, and V16 models. The V12 (3512) is currently produced for limited distribution in the United States and Canada, with continuous and intermittent ratings of 1,055 bhp and 1,200 bhp (787 kw and 895 kw), respectively. Worldwide 3512 availability is anticipated during third quarter of 1981. Limited geographical distribution of the V8 (3508) is planned for fourth quar-

ter 1981. The V16 (3516) is similarly planned for 1982.

A 1.1-million-square-foot (102,-000-square-meter) production facility is under construction in Lafayette, Ind., to manufacture the engine family. This facility will enter volume production over the next several years. During the interim, the 3500 Series engines will be manufactured at Caterpillar's Engine Complex, Mossville, Ill.

The 3500 Series is an additive to the current 300 Series engine. The latter will remain in the Caterpillar Engine product line to serve all customers and the company's own product needs.

The 3500 Series will be available in marine propulsion and large marine auxiliary configurations. Typical 3512 applications include workboats, fishboats, prime and standby power installations, oil well fracturing, dredges, and cranes.

For a free copy of the 3500 Series product bulletin,

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Bateman And Hendler Get New Positions At Matson Terminals

Matson Terminals, Inc., has assigned Roger I. Bateman to the new position of vice president-administration, and appointed Dale B. Hendler controller. Mr. Hendler was formerly manager of internal audit for Matson Navigation company. B. Ray Evans, Matson Terminals president, announced the promotions.

Mr. Bateman, formerly vice president-controller, will be concerned primarily with administration of customer contracts and cost control efforts in his new assignment, Mr. Evans said. Mr. Hendler will be responsible for all accounting and budgetary matters. He joined Matson in 1980 after service as a senior accountant for Deloitte Haskins and Sells.

Matson Terminals, Inc., is a terminals and stevedoring subsidiary of Matson Navigation Company.

Hartzell Appointed To New Post At Armco Southwestern Steel



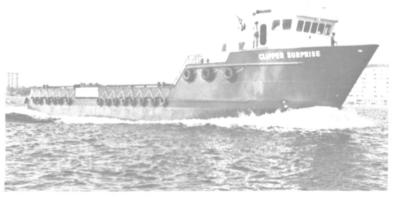
Richard L. Hartzell

Richard L. Hartzell has been appointed to the newly created position of assistant managertechnical services at Armco's Southwestern Steel Division. Mr. Hartzell's responsibilities will include technical assistance in selection, design, fabrication and welding of products of the division, a manufacturer of carbon and alloy steel plates, bars and shapes. He is located at the head-quarters of Armco, Southwestern Steel Division, Houston, Texas.

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NICOR Acquires Arthur Levy Enterprises And Offshore Island Boats

NICOR Inc. chairman and president C.J. Gauthier recently announced acquisition, with NICOR common stock, of two marine transportation companies — Arthur Levy Enterprises, Inc. and Offshore Island Boats, Inc. These two companies, along with Acadian Marine Service Inc., will operate as NICOR's offshore marine group. This acquisition will place the offshore marine group among the top 10 offshore service fleets in the world.

Both Levy Enterprises and Offshore Island Boats will operate 16 supply vessels from their Gulf of Mexico headquarters in Morgan City, La., providing logistical support to offshore oil and gas drilling rigs located in the U.S. Gulf of Mexico. Arthur I. Levy Sr., John Alcina, and Tim McKeand will remain as executives of the company. The current management will stay intact.

With this acquisition, NICOR subsidiary companies will operate a fleet of 30 special-purpose vessels serving the offshore oil and gas industry. Their activities include oceanographic and seismographic research, freight and container transportation, vessel chartering, and ocean towing in the U.S. and Mexican Gulf, Caribbean, and offshore West Africa.

"These acquisitions are consistent with plans to expand current marine interests, develop new markets, and encourage continued growth in the currently active offshore oil industry," said Mr. Gauthier.

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Tony Varrell Named Datrex General Manager

Tony Varrell has recently been appointed general manager for Datrex, Inc., Miami, Fla., the Southeast's largest certified inspection and repair center and distributors of inflatable boats, life rafts and marine safety equipment.

"Mr. Varrell has been extremely instrumental in expanding our dealer network on local, regional and national levels," John Simonsen, president of Datrex said.

Mr. Varrell, who joined Datrex more than two years ago, now coordinates internal customer relations and sales for both the Miami corporate headquarters and the Jacksonville branch office.

New Licensee In Japan For B&W Diesel Engines

Following negotiations between Kawasaki Heavy Industries, Ltd. and M.A.N.-B&W Diesel GmbH on behalf of B&W Diesel A/S, Copenhagen, a license agreement was signed recently authorizing the production of B&W two-stroke diesels in Japan by Kawasaki. The 10-year agreement includes all B&W two-stroke uni-

flow scavenged engines of the types K/L-GFCA and L/GB-GBE.

Three Japanese manufacturers will now be producing B&W twostroke engines. In addition to Kawasaki, Mitsui Engineering and Shipbuilding Company, Ltd. and Hitachi Shipbuilding and Engineering Company, Ltd. are also B&W licensees.

In the Japanese market, B&W two-stroke engines have accounted for 50 percent of the engines ordered in the past two years.

Devoe Introduces New Rust Control Coating— Literature Available

New Bar-Rust is now available from Devoe Marine Coatings Company as an advanced cost-cutting, rust control coating for ballast tanks and void spaces. Bar-Rust is said to cut costs because it eliminates the need for costly blasting. It is recommended to be applied over tight rust. The new

product is water-based, has no solvent fumes, is non-toxic, and will not burn.

Bar-Rust can be applied even over damp surfaces, cures hard rapidly, and is tolerant to humid conditions. It is a tough, light colored, permanent rust control coating that effectively converts rust into an additional protective barrier.

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A new steel "super" dry dock will arrive at the Galveston Division of Todd Shipyards Corporation early in 1982, to service ships of almost all sizes and types including offshore drill rigs.

The new arrival will be 853 ft. long and 164 ft. between wingwalls, with a lifting capacity of approximately 40,000 tons for ships up to 225,000 dwt. It will be equipped with four travelling dock arms fitted for high pressure waterblasting; two wingwall cranes, each with 35 ton lifting capacity; and such pollution control features as oily water tanks, sewage treatment plant and a flush pontoon deck.

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H.A. Severn Jr. Appointed General Manager At Chesapeake Shipbuilding

Chesapeake Shipbuilding, Inc. recently announced the appointment of H. Anthony Severn Jr. as the company's general manager. Formerly with the Electric Boat Division of General Dynamics, Mr. Severn will be responsible for the overall supervision and coordination of the shipyard's operation.

Located in Salisbury, Md., Chesapeake Shipbuilding specializes in the construction of steel vessels up to 280 feet in length, and has the capability to perform major repairs and modification. The company is currently constructing the nation's largest coastal cruise ship.

In addition to construction and repair services, Chesapeake Shipbuilding also offers a full range of professional design and engineering services.

Sondgeroth Appointed VP For Consolidated Grain And Barge Co.



Dale Sondgeroth

Consolidated Grain and Barge Company, St. Louis, has announced the election of Dale Sondgeroth to the position of vice president. He joined Consolidated in 1971 as assistant terminal manager at Hennepin, Ill., followed by his promotion in 1974 to assistant barge operations manager, and manager of barge operations in 1976. In 1978, Mr. Sondgeroth was named sales manager, the position he held prior to his recent promotion.

New Product Bulletin Describes Biospherics' Oily Water Bilge Alarm

A new product bulletin is available that describes Biospherics' self-cleaning "Oilarm" oil-inwater bilge alarm. Factory set to trigger a set of Form C contacts at 15 ppm, the threshold is internally adjustable from 0 to 100 ppm of oil in water.

The on-line device samples the overboard discharge seven times per minute without the use of sampling lines, automatically cleaning the optical surface with each stroke of the sampling piston. Oilarm is the newest of a series of self-cleaning instruments manufactured by Biospherics Incorporated, Lanham, Md.

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TIW Industries And DMI Sign Agreement To Build Dredges In Canada

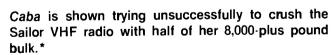
TIW Industries Ltd. of Toronto has signed an agreement with DredgeMasters International, Inc. (DMI) of Hendersonville, Tenn., to cover the manufacturing of portable dredges for Canadian and international markets. The agreement covers complete man-

ufacturing and assembly of a minimum of three DMI dredges per year at TIW's Central Bridge Limited plant in Trenton, Ontario.

TIW Industries Ltd., is a broad-based Canadian metal fabricator, specializing in oilfield and petrochemical equipment and satellite tracking antennas. The company has already produced two dredges for DMI, which are now in use in Columbia and Mexico.

DredgeMasters International, Inc., a subsidiary of Valley Industries, Inc., is a world leader in the design, manufacturing, and marketing of portable dredges for the marine construction, mining, pulp and paper industries, and a wide variety of industrial applications. The agreement will make the complete range of DMI dredges — in pump sizes from 4 to 30 inch—available in Canada, under Canadian manufacture.

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Todd Continues Expansion —\$12-Million Drydock Ordered From Bender

Todd Shipyards Corporation has contracted for a 14,000-displacement-ton floating drydock for its Houston Division, to be built by Bender Shipbuilding & Repair company of Mobile, Ala. The dock and related pier and upland facilities improvements will cost approximately \$12 million

and is scheduled to become operational by mid-1982.

The dock, 396 feet long with an inside width of 120 feet, will expand the Houston Division's ability to provide repair and overhaul services for the growing number of commercial ships and large barges entering the port, and vessels serving the offshore oil and gas industry in the Gulf.

The new facility is one of several major projects authorized

by Todd recently to upgrade and expand the company's ship repair capabilities. The company has announced it will install a \$40-million Syncrolift facility at its Los Angeles Division, and will transfer from its San Francisco Division a 40,000-displacement-ton drydock to its Seattle Division at a cost of \$20 million, including modification to the drydock and construction of a new pier and related facilities to house the dock.

Why, you ask, would anyone build a radio that, like a tank, can withstand a 4,000 pound load?

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Sailor's larger case allows the use of a magnet about three times the size of competitors. This results in much more of a "hi-fi" clarity. This design also avoids blowout—a frequent cause of failure in smaller radios.

What do users say?

Commercial fishermen are a tough clientele. They demand the best, then run it night and day in an extremely demanding environment. In Europe, where Sailor is based, over 60% of all fishing boats have chosen Sailor. Sailor radio was designed for and is used in the roughest environments in the world: North Sea fishing boats, Navy ships and lifeboats, as well as outposts in deserts and steaming jungles. In over 60 countries, people know Sailor builds the best possible radio.



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Paddle flow switches are available from Gems Sensors Division of Transamerica Delaval to provide a flow or no-flow condition for shipboard and other marine applications. The FS-550 paddle units are said to offer the same quality and reliability that has been provided by other Gems flow controls over the past 25 years.

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Minimum pressure drop is inherent to the FS-550. Pipe sizes from 1 inch to 6 inches can be monitored with this versatile paddle switch. Made of compatible bronze and/or stainless steel, the FS-550 defies corrosion and other problems related to monitoring seawater and other coolant liquids.

For more information and free literature on the FS-550,

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Eller & Company Acquires Uiterwyk Cold Storage

Arthur E. Erb, president of Eller & Company, Inc. of Tampa, Fla., has announced the purchase of Uiterwyk Cold Storage Corp. The transaction includes all stock and assets owned by Uiterwyk Cold Storage, one in a group of companies operating out of Tampa under the Uiterwyk name. This new venture will operate as Harborside Refrigerated Services, Inc.

Since it commenced operation in 1974, Uiterwyk Cold Storage has been a leader in the movement of refrigerated commodities worldwide. More than 700,000 tons of refrigerated products including fresh citrus, frozen concentrate, meat, and poultry, have passed through this facility during its seven years of operation.

A tenant of the Tampa Port Authority since 1973, Uiterwyk Cold Storage has owned and operated the largest dockside cold storage facility in the United States. This complex includes a 110,000-square-foot freezer warehouse complemented by two chill buildings totaling 48,000 square feet.

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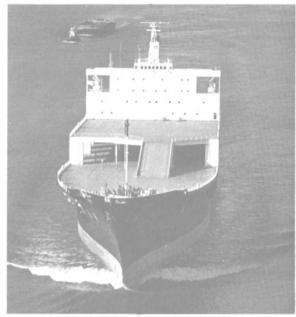
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Conversion Of RO/RO 'Ponce' Completed By Sun Ship



The S/S Ponce (shown above) left Sun Ship Inc. recently after undergoing a 22month, \$30-million conversion at the Chester, Pa., shipyard. In the unusual project, which began in July 1979, a new hull section was spliced into the center portion of the roll-on/roll-off (RO/RO) trailership, and its ma-

chinery plant was modernized.

The new 90-foot hull section increased the ship's length to 790 feet and boosted the Ponce's trailer-carrying capacity by 35 percent to a total of 410 forty-foot overthe-road trailer equivalents. The installation of party heilers required the same and a warriety of of new boilers, generators, and a variety of other auxiliaries improved both fuel efficiency and operation ease. While on sea trials, the Ponce reached a speed of 25 knots.

The Ponce's first destination after conversion was Port Elizabeth, N.J. The ship will be making scheduled trips between Elizabeth

beth and San Juan, Puerto Rico.
One of 10 RO/RO ships built by Sun Ship, the Ponce was launched in November 1967, and delivered in March 1968. She is oper-ated by the Puerto Rican Maritime Shipping Authority, and is assigned to carry cargoes from major East Coast ports to San

New Torque Controller Introduced By Delaval -Literature Available

A new device to limit or prevent damage to thickeners, clarifiers, mixers, elevators, hoists, conveyors, or other process or materials-handling systems where large torques are encountered, has been introduced by the Delroyd Worm Gear Division of Trans-

america Delaval Inc.

Designated the TQ-8 torque monitor and controller, it is available on any Delroyd worm gear speed requer. The new unit is adopted by the controller of t adaptable to single or multiple reduction reducers with vertical or horizontal configuration, shafted or shaft mounted, so long as the reducer is driven through an induction motor.

A transducer pickup is installed on the motor mount, the monitor/controller itself being up to 200 feet away. Shaft speed is converted to slip (which varies linearly with torque in the 10-115 percent load range), and is compensated for temperature and line voltage variations with solid state

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McDermott Receives \$20-Million Amoco Contract

McDermott International, Inc., a subsidiary of McDermott Incorporated, has been awarded a \$20-million contract by Amoco (U.K.) Exploration Company to install and trench a 10-inch gas pipeline and install a 20-inch crude pipeline. These pipelines, each about eight miles long, will connect the NW Hutton Field platform to the WELGAS Tee and the Cormorant "A" platform, respectively.

McDermott will perform the work, located in the U.K. sector of the North Sea, with Lay Barge 27, Jet Barge 4 and Derrick Barge 101.

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

Major Work On 'Wavertree' Performed By Bethlehem Yard

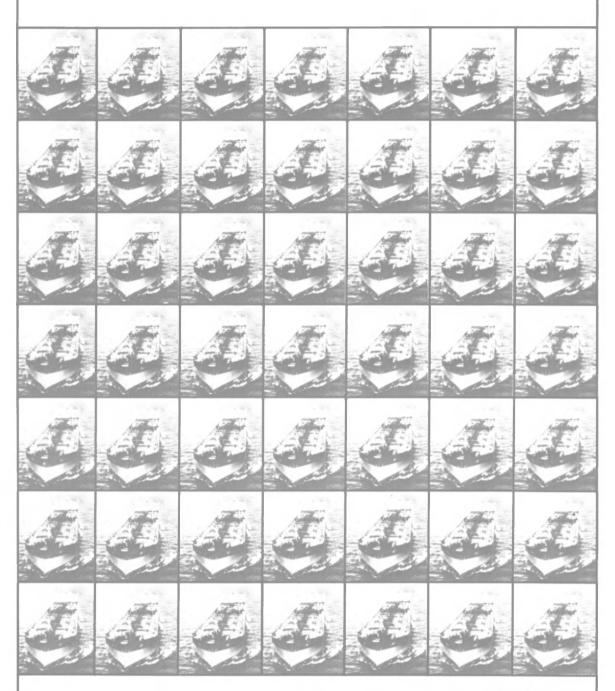


Major steps to reconstruct the nearly century-old sailing ship Wavertree (shown above) to her original design were accomplished at Bethlehem Steel Corporation's Hoboken, N.J., shipyard recently.

Owned by the South Street Seaport Museum, the Wavertree will have 110 feet of her upper deck, from frame 36 through frame 91, restored to its original configuration. Wrought iron was used to construct the Wavertree when she was built in 1885 by Oswald, Mordaunt & Co. in Southampton, England; modern steel will be used in the reconstruction. The vessel was originally built as Southgate, but was given the name Wavertree when Leyland Brothers, one of the great Liverpool shipping establishments, bought her and renamed her for a suburban village.

Richard E. Blackinton, general manager of the Hoboken yard, said: "Bethlehem Steel is proud to play an integral part in the reconstruction of this historic ship. As long as there is commerce between nations, much of the traffic will move by ship. The Wavertree recalls earlier days of commerce when mariners and their sailing ships battled wind and sea to deliver their cargoes."

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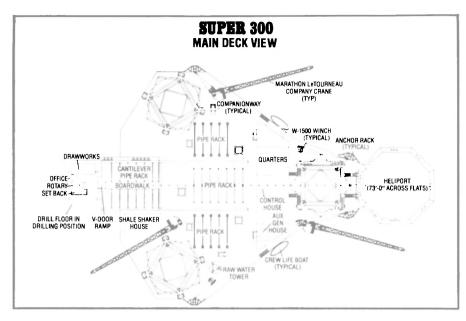
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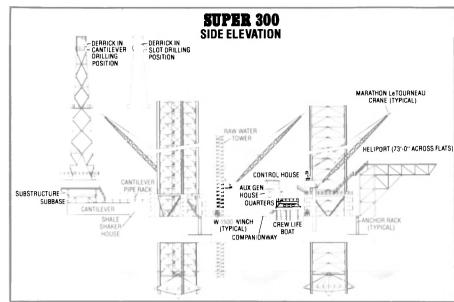


Marathon Introduces New Super 300 Jackup For Harsh Environments

Marathon's new Super 300 selfelevating offshore drilling platform, introduced during the 1981 Offshore Technology Conference, is designed to meet an offshore

industry need for a jackup compatible with harsh environments too severe for standard 300-foot water depth rigs, but not hostile enough to require a "Gorilla" rig.

VORTE: SPARK ARRESTOR Vortex Spark Arrestors, in use for more than 40 years, are custom-designed for specific engine/vessel installations. Although suitable for all size diesel engines, they become most economical in the 5000 bhp range and higher. Vortex was selected for Sun Ship Hulls 676 and 677 powered with 14,400 bhp Sulzer diesels. The Vortex/Uniflo design offers: 1. POSITIVE VORTICAL ACTION: all sparks extracted. 2. DUST CHANNEL: sparks immediately extracted from hot gas chamber. 3. ABSOLUTELY DRY: no corrosive action. 4. MAINTENANCE FREE: no moving parts. 5. MINIMUM DRAFT LOSS: straight through design. 6. CANNOT CLOG: large, accessible passages. 7. SELF CLEANING: solids provide scouring action. Send for descriptive literature on our full line of spark arrestors, mufflers, and dust catchers for coal and oil-burning vessels. MAPECO PRODUCTS, INC. 20 VESEY ST. • NEW YORK, N.Y. 10007 212/732-7863 • TELEX 12-6075



Like Marathon's Gorilla, the Super 300 will have both cantilever and slot drilling capabilities.

The Super 300 is engineered to survive 60-foot waves and 100-knot winds in 300 feet of water. Its ample variable load capacity makes this jackup suitable for work in areas where frequent resupply of consumables is impracticable.

With its slot and cantilever drilling configurations, Marathon's newest jackup is capable of operating on those frontiers of offshore drilling where frequent storms or other climatic conditions presently hinder resupply and prohibit exploration or development activities. The Super 300 drilling pattern allows full design storm rating for exploratory wells drilled through the slot. Conventional cantilever drilling can be carried out in lesser weather conditions. In the cantilevered position, the derrick can be extended 45 feet past the stern and 12 feet on either side of the centerline. This results in a total drilling pattern of 70 by 24 feet.

The Super 300 incorporates field-proven features such as the rack and pinion elevating system used for more than 20 years on all Marathon jackups. This system uses four, six-high gear units for each square leg to provide a

constant jacking speed of 90 feet per hour. The constantly engaged pinion gears of this system provide an additive upward and downward fail-safe drive force as the rig is raised or lowered.

Overall length of the Super 300 is 270 feet, while the overall width is 250 feet. With a hull depth of 28 feet, the unit is bigger and heavier than Marathon's Class 116 jackup and can carry more variable and fixed load—up to a total of 10,500,000 pounds.

In an optional version of the Super 300, the 443-foot-long legs can be lengthened to 510 feet to allow drilling in 350-foot waters. Maximum storm conditions for this special configuration are 55foot waves and 100-knot winds.

Marathon Manufacturing Company is the leading manufacturer of mobile offshore jackup drilling rigs, and is a multiproduct company manufacturing materialshandling equipment, fabricated metal products, steel buildings, white oils, batteries, and consumer goods, and provides civil engineering and construction services. Marathon Manufacturing is a wholly owned subsidiary of The Penn Central Corporation.

For more information and free literature on the Super 300

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Paper On Real Time Monitoring Presented At Pacific Northwest SNAME

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At the spring meeting in Vic- the Pacific Northwest Section of The Society of Naval Architects



At spring meeting of SNAME Pacific Northwest Section (L to R): Ronald B. Thicke; coauthors Robert E. Nichol and Bruce Hutchison; Les Coward, Section chairman; and author Karl Strauss.

and Marine Engineers heard two papers. "Experience with Real Time Motion Monitoring on the Barge Foss 245," presented by Robert E. Nichol of Diehl & Lundgaard, Inc. and Bruce L. Hutchison of L.R. Glosten & Associates, Inc., was followed by "Selection and Design of Hydraulic Systems Including Arctic Operation," by Karl H. Strauss of Western Hydrostatic System Ltd.

The Real Time Motion Paper was brought about by the shipment by barge of a 240-ton failed steam generating unit from the Surry, Va., nuclear power plant in the spring of 1980, which provided an opportunity to apply modern state-of-the-art motion monitoring and damage avoidance techniques to a towed ocean barge. This paper reports on: (1) The project background, including pre-voyage risk analysis which resulted in the recommendation that real time motion monitoring be provided; (2) The design and installation of the motion monitoring system; and (3) The tug master's experience during the voyage with the real time motion feedback. The paper concludes by comparing selected motion records from the motion monitoring system to motion predictions based on log book and hindcast sea state data.

It was concluded that the real time motion monitoring worked well on the subject barge shipment, and achieved the primary objective of providing useful feedback to the tug master concerning the effects of his actions on the barge and cargo. It was suggested that the technique is sufficiently promising to warrant wider use by the offshore tug/barge industry.

The Selection and Design paper was broken into five parts: hydraulics and the arctic environment; key features and capabilities; hydraulic system structure; components—selection and recommendations; and fluids, materials causes and effects. The first four sections of this paper provide a practical guide to the different hydraulic system types, their capabilities and applications. The last section deals more with the theory and principles involved, upon which some of the recommendations made are based.

The material covered is primarily based on hydrostatic systems for northern climates; however, the principles covered apply to most systems in all environments.

Dravo Acquires The Ryan-Walsh Group

Dravo Corporation, Pittsburgh, Pa., announced it has acquired the Ryan-Walsh group of companies following approval by shareholders of the Mobile-based cargo-handling organization. The acquisition was made on the basis of 18.825 Dravo common shares for each of the 21,911

shares of Ryan-Walsh common stock issued and outstanding.

Ryan-Walsh is one of the largest cargo handlers on the Gulf and South Atlantic Coasts. The firm operates bulk terminals or other facilities at New Orleans, Mobile, and 10 other Southern ports, handling both bulk commodities and general cargoes.

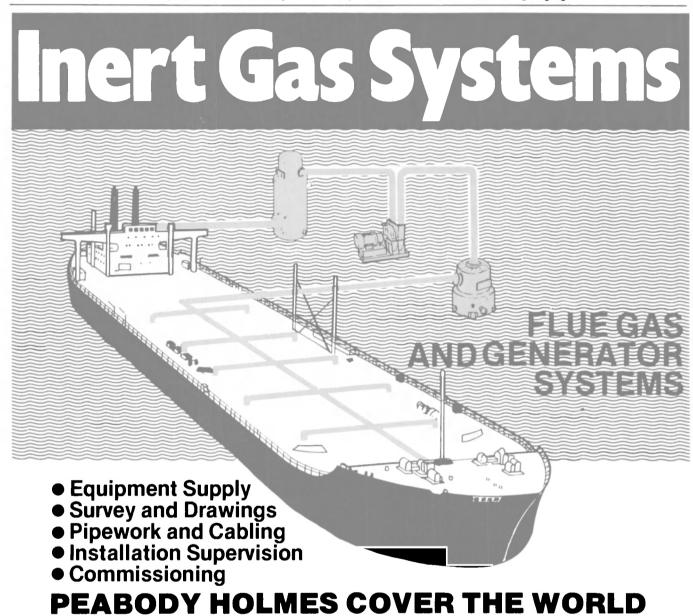
Through several subsidiaries, Ryan-Walsh also is engaged in

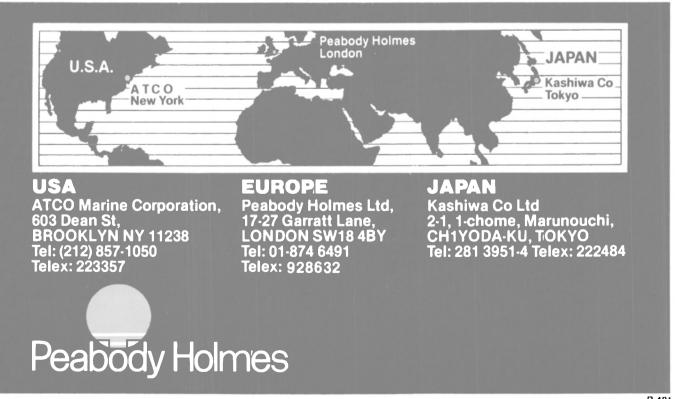
container leasing and repair, crating, and steamship agency and barge fleeting services. Ryan-Walsh had revenue of about \$65 million in 1980.

Robert Dickey III, Dravo chairman and president, said that "the increasing volume of grain and coal exports being routed through Gulf Coast ports should provide attractive growth opportunities for Ryan-Walsh, as should the

anticipated completion of the Tennessee Tombigbee Waterway, which will dramatically increase activity at the Port of Mobile."

Mr. Dickey noted the expected operating synergies between Ryan-Walsh and several existing Dravo activities including barge transportation, design and erection of bulk terminal facilities and fabrication of bulk materials handling equipment.





Cooper Named To Head All International Affairs Activities For FMC

Dr. Leslie L. Kanuk, acting chairman of the Federal Maritime Commission, has announced that James C. Cooper, the FMC's deputy managing director, has been given responsibility for all Commission international affairs activities. In its role as a regulator

of international ocean trading involving the United States, the FMC deals frequently with foreign companies and governments in liaison with the Department of State.

Mr. Cooper is a veteran of over 20 years of service with the Commssion. He has held a number of staff positions, including director, Bureau of Enforcement, and director, Bureau of Ocean Commerce Regulations.



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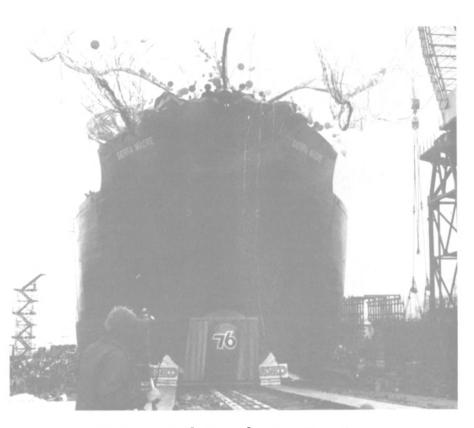
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Union Oil Products Carrier Launched At NASSCO Yard

Christening and launching ceremonies were held at National Steel and Shipbuilding Company (NASSCO) recently for the Sierra Madre (shown above), one of three 37,500-dwt Carlsbad Class product carriers being built for Union Oil Company of California.

A gathering of more than 400 invited guests witnessed the ceremonies. Sponsor for the ship was Mrs. Verna Burk, wife of Glenn O. Burk, president of West Coast Shipping Company, Los Angeles. Mrs. Joan Hanley served as matron of honor. She is the wife of Donald L. Hanley, senior vice president, refining and marketing, Western Region, "76" Division Union Oil Company. Mr. Hanley was the keynote speaker. Others participating in the program were C. Larry French, president of NASSCO, and John M. Murphy, NASSCO vice president of corporate relations.

The Sierra Madre is the third of three sister ships to be launched at NASSCO in the past six months. All are scheduled for delivery in 1981. The vessels are a new NASSCO design. Each is 658 feet in length with a 33-foot draft and carrying capacity of 300,000 barrels. The Sierra Madre will be capable of transporting 10 different products simultaneously. She will carry products from Union Oil's refineries in Los Angeles and San Francisco to Alaska, Hawaii, and the U.S. West Coast.

The new ship will incorporate the most modern equipment available and will meet the latest safety and environmental protection standards including double bottoms, a clean segregated ballast system, an inert gas system, a sewage treatment plant, collision avoidance radar, and a backup steering system.

NASSCO's current backlog of approximately \$665 million includes a total of nine product carriers, three Navy destroyer tenders, and a cable repair ship. NASSCO has been engaged in marine construction for 36 years, and is wholly owned by Morrison-Knudsen Company, Inc., Boise, Idaho.



Participants in recent launching ceremony at NASSCO yard are (L to R): Capt. Stan Wetherell, U.S. Coast Guard; John McCoy, American Bureau of Shipping; Ed Hood, president, Shipbuilders Council of America; Bob Frazee, California State Assembly; C. Larry French, president, NASSCO; Mrs. Glenn O. Burk, sponsor; Mrs. Donald L. Hanley, matron of honor; Glenn O. Burk, president, West Coast Shipping Company; Donald L. Hanley, senior vice president, "76" Division, Union Oil Company; John M. Murphy, vice president, corporate relations, NASSCO; and William McMurren, president and chief executive officer, Morrison-Knudsen Company.



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Shaver Transportation Company has recently taken delivery of a new ship handling tug, the Portland, for service in the Port of Portland. The Portland is propelled by two Maritime Industries model 1650 H 360° steerable Z-drives, each rated at 1,700 bhp. The Maritime propulsion units are believed to be the largest currently installed in North America for tug application.

Shaver Transportation Company made the decision to build a tug with 360° thrust capability to take advantage of the vastly superior maneuvering characteristics that this type of propulsion offers—particularly for ship handling tugs. The accompanying polar thrust diagrams (Fig. 1) illustrate the superiority of the Z-drive tug over a conventional tug with nozzles and flanking rudders. As can be seen, the improvement in lateral and astern thrust, over the conventional tug, is impressive.

An important factor in making this decision was the ability to change thrust direction rapidly. A typical case where this would be required is when a tug wishes to switch from the pulling to the pushing mode (see Fig. 2). A tug with 360° propulsion can achieve this in a fraction of the time required by a conventional tug.

A decision had to be made as to where the propulsion units should be located in the vessel. Japanese practice has favored positioning them at the stern, in a location similar to that of conventional propellers, with the tow point forward of the propulsion units. The European practice has generally been to position the units well forward, in what has become known as the "tractor" configuration. This has the advantage that the tow point is aft of the propulsion units, making the vessel, in the pulling condition, very stable and safe from girding (girting). To reduce draft, it was decided to use the reverse "tractor" concept—a joint development of Maritime and Shaver. As can be seen from the drawings of the vessel, the propulsion units are located aft, although slightly forward of the position normal chosen for Z-drives. The Z-drives

are located above the bottom of the hull skeg, thus protecting them from grounding damage and minimizing the vessel's draft. The tug tows off the bow and therefore has the same inherent antigirding and anti-stemming characteristics as the normal tractor tug.

From the foregoing, it is apparent that the "reverse tractor" tug, as its name implies, will spend much of its time running astern. The hull has therefore been specially designed for astern operation, to optimize the water flow through the propulsion units and minimize wash impingement on the hull.

The Z-drives are controlled by a Maritime Industries single lever system. Thrust direction, engine speed and clutch are all controlled by a single joystick. There is one joystick for each propulsion unit, since it was preferred to retain full operator control of the exact position and rotational direction of each Z-drive. The alternative would have been a combined control, with the position

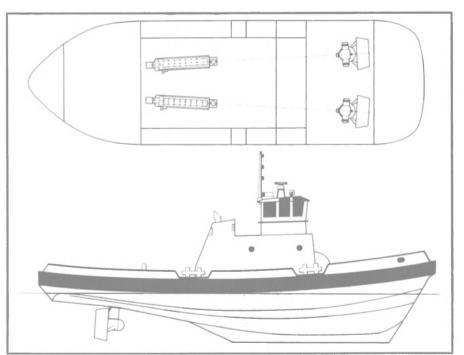
and rotational direction of both Z-drives under the control of a microprocessor. Such removal of intimate control from the helmsman was considered undesirable for tug operation.

The propulsion units incorporate a number of design features to enable them to survive encounters with logging debris — a not uncommon hazard in the Pacific Northwest. Most important of these is the shock absorbing steering system—a unique Maritime development, evolved over years of Z-drive operating experience in the log-strewn waters of British Columbia.

The Portland was designed by James A. Towers and Donald R. Hudson and was built by Nichols Brothers Boat Builders of Freeland, Wash. The principal particulars are as follows: length overall, 107 feet 7 inches (32.8 meters); length between perpendiculars, 100 feet (30.49 meters); beam (molded), 32 feet 6 inches (9.91 meters); beam (overall) 34 feet 2 inches (10.42 meters); depth (molded) 15 feet 34 inches



M/T Portland Maritime Industries' Z-drive propulsion units.



Vessel Profile

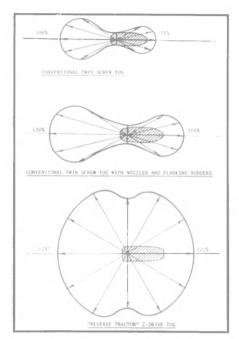


Figure 1 — Tug comparative thrust diagram.

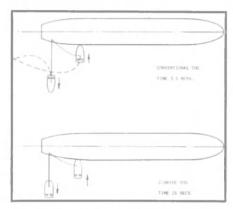


Figure 2 — Changing from pulling to pushing; comparison of maneuvers; conventional tug versus reverse tractor; Z-drive tug.



Pilothouse consoles showing Maritime single lever Z-drive controls.

(4.59 meters); draft, 13 feet (3.96 meters); propeller speed, 300 rpm; and propeller diameter, 86 inches (2.18 meters).

Her main propulsion power is provided by two Fairbanks Morse 38D81/8 diesel engines. Line handling is by means of twin Markey capstans.

New NKK Ship Design Will Reduce Fuel Use By Some 40 Percent

NKK (Nippon Kokan) has developed a new basic ship design promoting greater energy conservation, which will be applied to three vessels (two ore/coal carriers and a bulk carrier) being built for Showa Shipping Company and Nippon Yusen. Shinichi Hirayama, president of NKK America Inc., said these vessels

will be used to transport raw material for NKK steel works and are scheduled for completion in 1982.

The new design adopts such energy-saving measures as improved propulsion efficiency and waste heat recovery. NKK says these measures will reduce fuel consumption by some 40 percent on the ore/coal carrier. The vessel will have a propulsion plant

that uses the NKK medium-speed PC engine, together with a 9-meter, controllable-pitch propeller.

Another unique feature is the so-called "Shaft-Generator and Motor (SGM)" system that, after supplying the needs of various ship sectors, generates surplus electricity by use of waste heat from the main engine to the motor directly linked to the main

shaft for additional propulsion. The vessel also will be equipped with measures for improved waste heat utilization, including a boiler water heating system.

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Los Angeles SNAME Discussed Single-Point Mooring Technology

The final 1980-81 meeting of the Los Angeles Metropolitan Section of The Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers attracted 60 members and guests to the decks of the Princess Louise. This session was dedicated to past chairmen of the Section and to the introduction of new officers, selected to serve for the 1981-82 season, which begins in September. The new officers are: George Stiehl, chairman of the Section; George Henning, vice chairman; Dr. Maxwell Cheung, secretarytreasurer; and Gary Cash and Hans Schaefer, who were drafted to fill vacancies on the Executive Committee.

Prior to the presentation of the evening's technical paper, chairman-elect Stiehl presented a certificate of appreciation to outgoing chairman Edward (Ned) Stewart for a job well done. He

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then introduced Robert Mende, secretary and executive director of SNAME, who was in town to discuss arrangements for the annual SNAME Star Symposium, to be hosted by the Los Angeles Section in the spring of 1984 at Century City.

The paper titled "OTEC-1 Mooring" was coauthored and presented by Harold Ramsden and William Watts of Global Marine. Mr. Ramsden, who coincidentally was selected to hold the key position of Steering Committee chairman for the Star Symposium, began by describing the Department of Energy-sponsored OTEC-1 program. That program was officially discontinued in April 1981 after establishing three technological firsts: (1) the world's largest ammonia power plant; (2) the world's first significant large-scale cold water



Shown during the recent meeting of the Los Angeles Metropolitan Section of SNAME are (seated, L to R): Ned Stewart, chairman of the Section; Philip Finkelstein and John Marriner, past chairmen; Harold Ramsden, past chairman and coauthor; and Robert Mende, SNAME national secretary and executive director. Standing (L to R) are: George Henning, vice chairman-elect; Charles Heil, Robert Rourke, Charles Pollock, Frank Kuntz, Louis Dingler and Frank Nickels, all past chairmen; and George Stiehl, chairman-elect of the Section.

pipe; and (3) the world's deepest large-capacity, single-point moor. The last "first" was the subject of the paper, and proved extremely interesting as a primer

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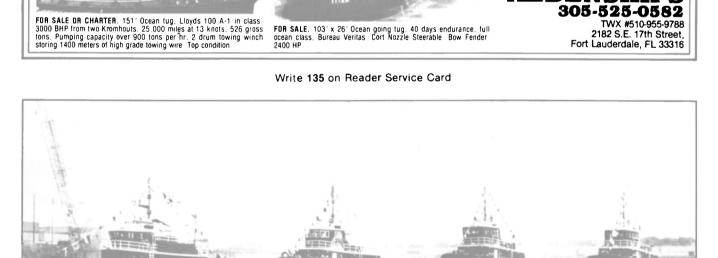
The mooring system was tailored to a site, off the west coast of the "big island" of Hawaii, chosen for the OTEC evaluation because it best met the 18 criteria established by the D.O.E. The paper clearly detailed the material and technological tradeoffs made by the Global Marine team, led by coauthor Watts, in progressing from a preliminary design to the exciting deployment of the operational mooring system that included a 300,000 pound chain "mass anchor." The presentation was followed by a lively question-and-answer session.

For those interested in gaining in-depth knowledge of the trials and tribulations required to design a successful single-point moor, a copy of the paper is available and may be obtained, for a reproduction and mailing fee, by writing to the SNAME Los Angeles librarian: James Bibeau, 5316 White Fox Drive, Palos Verdes Peninsula, Calif.

Oglebay Norton Elects Five Officers—Thompson Named Executive VP

Oglebay Norton Company has announced the election of five corporate officers: Renold D. Thompson, executive vice president of the company; Richard J. Kessler, vice president-finance and treasurer; John L. Selis, vice president-administration and corporate planning; Robert A. Thomas, assistant vice president-administration and general counsel; and David A. Kuhn, secretary.

Mr. Thompson, formerly executive vice president-operations, joined the company in 1952 and has held several executive positions. He is also a director of the company. Mr. Kessler, formerly assistant vice president-finance and treasurer, joined the company in 1969. He was elected treasurer in 1974. Mr. Selis joined Oglebay Norton in 1974. He was elected assistant vice president-corporate planning and tax counsel in 1980.



In what may be maritime history, Bay-Houston Towing Company recently christened the four newest members of the fleet all on the same day. Left to right: The Captain W.D. Haden, the W.D. Haden, II. the Barbara H. Neuhaus and the Mark K.

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Cummins Powers First Towboat Built By Brice Shipbuilding

Central Boat Rentals of Morgan City, La., recently put to work a unique inland, 60-foot pushbat built by Brice Shipbuilding Inc. of Chauvin, La. The Vail Trail (shown above) is an unusual ship in that it has six rudders for improved maneuverability and control.

The four flanking rudders and two steering rudders are controlled by a mechanical-over-hydraulic steering system with full follow-up. Power for the Vail Trail is provided by two matching KTA-1150 marine engines rated at 470 bhp each at 1,800 rpm. The powerful Cummins diesels drive Twin Disc MG 518 marine gears with 6:1 ratios and Coolidge 62- by 50-inch fourbladed wheels.

"The construction and design exceeds American Bureau of Shipping requirements for a new boat," said Don Bordelon, president of Brice Shipbuilding and naval architect for the Vail Trail. "The propulsion system will make the Vail Trail a very responsive towboat."

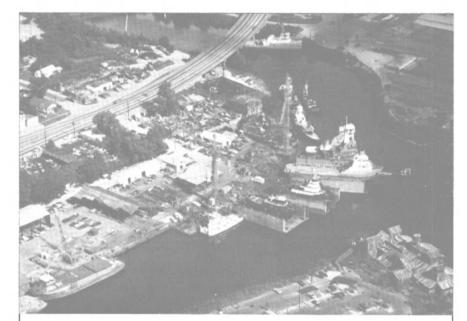
With a 27-foot-high pilothouse, a Vail Trail captain should not have any trouble keeping an eye on barges. In addition, the new boat has a specially designed bow platform located above the main deck for easy access to high barges and for carrying extra equipment.

Electrical power is provided by a Perkins 330 DKM-12 generator set rated 30 kw at 1,200 rpm. The KTA-1150 Cummins engines and the Perkins generator set were provided by Cummins Sales & Service, Inc. The boat will be serviced by the CS&S branch in nearby Morgan City.

Tom Lemmon, CS&S Morgan City branch manager, noted that

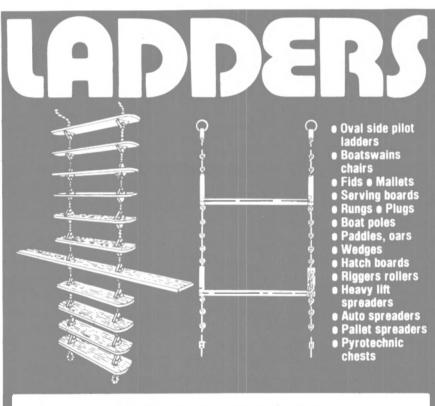
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Bethlehem Steel Names Messenger Assistant To Mgr-Ship Repair Sales

The promotion of James Messenger to the position of assistant to manager of ship repair sales in Bethlehem Steel Corporation's shipbuilding department was announced recently by Louis W. Gomlick, manager.

Mr. Messenger is advancing from sales engineer in the ship repair sales office, which is lo-

cated in New York.

A native of Brooklyn, he was graduated from the U.S. Merchant Marine Academy at Kings Point, N.Y., with licenses as third engineer and third mate. Mr. Messenger joined Bethlehem Steel that year as a member of the management training program and was assigned to the corporation's shippard in Baltimore, Md.

After completing a two-year training program, he was promoted to ship superintendent at the yard, and in 1977 was transferred to the New York ship repair sales office as a sales engineer.

J.J. Nevins Appointed **Assistant Vice President** For Adams & Porter

Adams & Porter Incorporated, New York, has announced that its board of directors has promoted James J. Nevins to assistant vice president. He is an account executive responsible for customer service in the areas of risk analysis, design and management of insurance programs, and negotiations with underwriters. His duties also include new business development.



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Mr. Nevins joined Adams & Porter in 1978 after working for seven years as a marine insurance underwriter. He is a graduate of New York University. Adams & Porter Incorporated, international insurance brokers and adjusters of average, was founded in 1907.

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Marinette Will Build Two 35-Foot Workboats

Marinette Marine Corporation has been awarded a contract by the Naval Sea Systems Command for the construction of two 35foot workboats.

The vessels are aluminum hull construction, with an overall length of 36 feet $4\frac{1}{2}$ inches, and a beam of 10 feet 8 inches. Power is supplied by twin 100-brake-horsepower diesel engines. The full load speed of the vessel is 11 knots, with a cruising range of 85 nautical miles and a cargo load of 6,500 pounds.

Report Available Comparing Qualities Of Synthetic Ropes

As synthetic fiber ropes are becoming more widely used in various industries and government agencies, there is a need for comprehensive engineering data to compare the various constructions. In a specially prepared technical report for the Offshore Technology Conference, Samson Ocean Systems, Inc. tries to fulfill this need by summarizing the data obtained from a series of systematic tests for strength, elongation and energy absorption.

Currently there are three commonly used constructions: twisted (three strand); plaited (eight strand), and double braided. Due to its tendency to hockle or kink, twisted rope is seldom used in critical applications where hockling cannot be tolerated. In addition, strength and elongation data for twisted and plaited constructions are similar.

Since there are many synthetic materials available, only the most common material — nylon — was used as the basis for comparing the two constructions. This comparison generally holds true for other materials as well.

The strength, stretch and energy absorption of double-braided and eight-strand plaited ropes are discussed in detail in the report. The main points may be summarized briefly as follows:

1. Strength

- (a) Size for size double braid is 25 percent to 40 percent stronger.
- (b) For equal weight, double braid is 15 percent to 30 percent stronger while being slightly smaller in size.

2. Elongation

- (a) Stretch data for new ropes should not be considered since synthetic fiber ropes stretch permanently and stiffen significantly with only a few load cycles.
- (b) Plaited eight-strand ropes stretch and stiffen after use much more than double braid. For used ropes, the elongation at the breaking point differs about 9 percent between plaited rope and braided rope. This compares to a difference of 15 percent with new unused rope.

(c) Under frequent cycling of load, synthetic fiber ropes stiffen significantly compared to one-time loading. Plaited rope stiffens more than double braid. On an equal size basis, the difference in elongation at the breaking point is about 3 percent. The performance of plaited and double braid is quite close under these conditions, which is representative of actual service conditions, such as mooring and towing operations.

3. Energy Absorption

- (a) On both a size and weight basis, double braid absorbs more energy than plaited rope when loaded to the breaking strength for all conditions (new, used, cyclic).
- (b) On both a size and weight basis, double braid absorbs more energy than plaited at the same percentage of breaking strength for the used condition and the cyclic load condition.

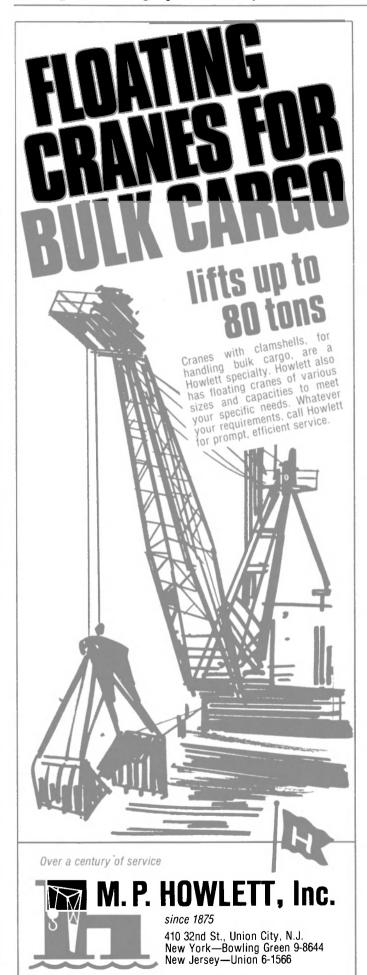
4. Fatigue

(a) Under cyclic load conditions, double braid retains its strength much longer than plaited rope.

The complete report, which is an addendum to the Samson Rope Manual, may be obtained from Samson Ocean Systems, Inc., 99 High Street, Boston, MA 02110.

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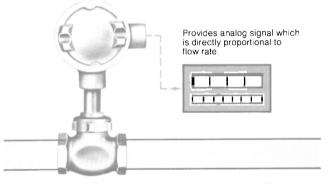
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SHIPBOARD AUTOMATION & MONITORING SYSTEMS

With the cost of marine fuel up about tenfold during the past eight years, efficient operation of shipboard machinery has become a must in today's merchant fleets. Manufacturers of automation and monitoring equipment have responded to the challenge with ever more sophisticated hardware to improve fuel efficiency and

safety, and to provide reduced manning.

We surveyed the major manufacturers and distributors of marine monitoring and automation equipment to find out about their latest products, applications, and results. The following review is based on the replies we had received at press time.

ALNOR INSTRUMENTS

A series of continuously-monitoring digital temperature analyzers, incorporating advanced microprocessor technology for continuous protection of diesel, natural gas, or gasoline powered reciprocating engines, has just been introduced by Alnor Instrument Company of Niles, Ill. The new instruments feature high-speed scan rates, temperature averaging and deviation analysis, and extensive alarm capabilities for immediate detection of abnormal engine operating conditions.

Available in single- and dualengine models, the Micro 5300 temperature analyzer is designed to monitor and analyze cylinder exhaust temperatures and other critical engine operating temperatures from engine startup through peak load.

The 5300DE dual-engine model, which monitors a combined maximum of 32 inputs from two engines, is designed primarily for marine applications involving port and starboard engines, and other dual engine systems. The 5300DE features a complete set of functions for both port and starboard sides.

The Micro 5300 scans temperature zones at the rate of 60 inputs per second, providing nearly instantaneous detection of alarm conditions. As each new thermocouple input is processed, the instrument automatically recom-



Alnor Instruments' Micro 5300DE.

putes average cylinder temperature and the greatest deviation of any one cylinder from that average. Temperature deviation is critical because too great a deviation indicates potentially serious engine malfunction and component damage.

In both the single- and dualengine models, 32 inputs may be monitored. The 32 inputs can be divided into two groups — averaged zones and extra zones. The averaged zones are monitored individually, then an average is calculated as well as deviations from average. The extra zones are only monitored, and are not used in averaging or deviation calculations.

Inputs that are not used for averaging cylinder temperatures up to the maximum number allowed may be used to monitor other internal temperatures, such as turbine or water inlet/outlet, and bearing or oil temperature conditions. These "extra zones" are selected by internal switches, and one of the zones is provided with a HI-TEMP alarm and separate thermocouple relay.

The selection of averaged zones and extra zones is programmed with simple selection switches inside the instrument. If an error is made by the user in the programming, e.g., programming for more than the maximum allowable zones, the instrument will display ERR and a number (the number identifies the type of error so the user quickly knows where to make the correction).

The unit is completely solidstate, designed with fewer component parts than previous models for greater reliability. It incorporates an Intel 8085A microprocessor, 4K of programmable read-only memory (PROM), and 1K of random-access memory (RAM).

Engineered to maintain accu-

racy in the presence of noiseproducing equipment typical of engine rooms, Micro 5300 is equipped with advanced shielding and filtering features. This provides noise rejection of more than 50 db in the normal mode and 100 db in the common mode. The unit is completely self-contained in a single enclosure; standard thermocouple alloy wire leads connect directly to the instrument at the rear panel.

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AUTRONICA

Autronica A/S of Trondheim, Norway, designs and manufactures a wide range of shipboard monitoring and alarm systems. Its KM-1 integrated alarm and monitoring systems is intended for monitoring temperatures, pressures, and on/off alarms. Different types of transducers may be connected to the same panel. The analogue value can be read on a moving coil instrument or on an optional digital display with automatic identification. Panels can be supplied in a wide range of sizes.

The KM-2 is a new version of integrated alarm and monitoring system, with two points per channel and digital reading as standard. Simplicity of channel design has been achieved by adopting thick film technic. This model is available with panel sizes from 12 to 120 points, and has outputs to alarm printer and mimic.

The MN-4 temperature monitoring and alarm system is for temperatures in the 0-100 C range, such as bearings and cooling media. It has high and low alarms with individual settings, and grouped alarm outputs optional. Panel sizes are available with 9, 14, 24, 34, 39, and 54 points. Tailormade sensors and installation material are available for all types of diesel engines.

The MX-5 model is a temperature monitoring and alarm system for exhaust gas in the range of 0-600 C. It has alarms for high temperature and abnormal deviation from average temperature, and common setting for all cylinders. Channels with separate

high alarm adjustment and alarm output are available for turboblowers. Panel sizes available for 9, 14, and 24 points. This system is based on thermocouple sensors.

The KB-6 central alarm system is for on/off alarm switches, with cassette sizes for 12, 20, 30, or 40 points. Systems with any number of channels can be supplied. Group alarm units and off/test units are integral parts of the cassette. A range of sub-alarm panels for cabins and wheelhouse is also available.

Among Autronica's diesel condition and monitoring alarm systems is the MJ-1, a thermal load analyzer incorporating an alarm function for each measurement point as well as averaging over four hours for the same points. Capacity is up to 30 points in one panel. This system is based on two measurement points in the cylinder liner (0-300 C) and one point in the top cover (0-600 C).

The MIP-calculator NK-3 is a pressure analyzer with calculation of mean indicated pressure (MIP). This system is based on one piezo electric pressure transmitter to be moved from cylinder to cylinder, on scavenge air pressure transmitter, and one inductive pick-up for piston position information.

The analyzer is connected to an oscilloscope for indication of the time-pressure curve. Optional is a pressure transmitter for injection pressure, also intended to be moved from cylinder to cylinder.

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GENERAL ELECTRIC

General Electric's Integrated Turbine Control (ITC) provides complete and instant control—from both the bridge and engine room—of steam flow, shaft speed, and other essential interfaces with its marine steam plant components. The system meets today's control needs and anticipates future ship control automation and unmanned engine room requirements.

GE's Medium Steam Turbine Department in Lynn, Mass.,

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makes the ITC, and is the only single-source supplier in the industry of both geared marine steam turbines and their controls.

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ITC's electro-hydraulic design incorporates proven solid-state components. The system's miniature electronic components fill only nine circuit boards, one-tenth of what is found on some other types of similar equipment. Plugin boards can be removed quickly for system checks, maintenance,

or replacement with a backup

Malfunction Proportional Control (MPC) is an integral part of ITC. MPC is adjusted to operate between the alarm and trip set points of the monitored conditions. It is designed to suppress normal and maneuvering throttle valve response rates, close down valves as quickly as necessary to track the malfunction, and activate alarms on both bridge and

engine room control panels. It also is designed to restrict turbine speed to a level proportionate to the severity of the conditions during abnormalities such as high drum level, overspeed, turbine vibration, or low boiler pressure—and it reacts to these abnormalities faster than the human eye and hand can function.

General Electric operates an ITC training school in Lynn, where actual shipboard operations are simulated by special classroom equipment. Ship crew members from around the world attend the school, where they learn to operate and maintain the ITC system.

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HENSCHEL



Henschel's Model 2550 Bell Logger.

Henschel Corporation, headquartered in Amesbury, Mass., has long been a supplier of equipment for ship control, interior communication, automation, and monitoring systems. Commercial marine products include engine order equipment, throttle control levers, bell loggers, digital master clock systems, shaft speed and rudder angle indicators, soundpowered telephones, audible signals, alarm/indicator panels, automatic whistle timer, and fire alarm system.

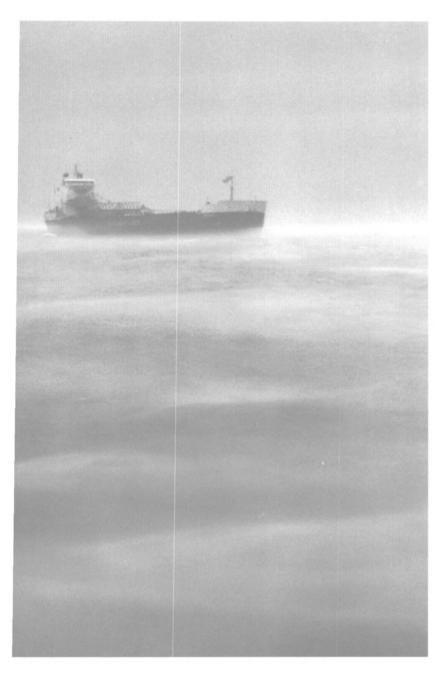
The latest Henschel product for use in automated marine systems is a new generation of bell loggers, the 10-2550 series. These microprocessor-based devices monitor, record, and display ship's control data acquired from existing ship's signals. Henschel's new bell logger may be programmed to acquire and record any user-defined input to satisfy particular automation/control requirements.

Henschel has supplied most of the ship control consoles for the U.S. Navy. Development efforts have produced the first programmed control levers to combine propeller pitch and throttle coordination into a single unit. Other naval products include synchro signal amplifiers, submarine steering/diving instruments, and switchboards for power distribution and combat systems.

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HYDE PRODUCTS

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The system is comprised of three units: rudder failure alarm panel, rudder angle transmitter, and helm-mounted sensor. The failure alarm panel is for bulk-head mounting in the pilothouse and contains an alarm bell and indicating light. A conventional rudder angle transmitter is provided for mounting at the ship's rudder. The third element of the system is a sensor that will be mounted in the steering transmitter in such a way that it is rotated by the operation of the helm wheel or autopilot. All devices are "self-checking" so that a fault in the devices will be indicated.

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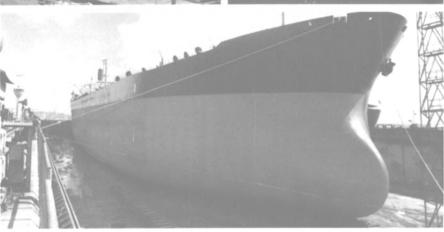
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The Series 6000 PMS is said to have a number of features that set it apart from other types of monitoring systems, and represents a quantum advance in state of the art monitoring. It provides

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Marcon recently introduced a new low-cost series called the Micro-Mate. These systems will provide automatic monitoring displays and logging for up to 136 points at a cost competitive with conventional alarm panels but with added features such as reduced wiring and installation cost, data logging either by printer or magnetic tape, connection to microwave of satellite communication link, and second display keyboard.

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MEGASYSTEMS

Megasystems has been installing its distributed microprocessor-based Seamatic II condition monitoring and trend analysis

systems aboard vessels since 1976. The company, headquartered in Boca Raton, Fla., now utilizes the same type of proven electronics to provide USCG-approved fire alarms, ABS unmanned engine room automation, cargo monitoring and control, data and bell logging systems, dredge automation and controls, tugboat automation, and generator control automation.

Megasystems recently delivered

its second complete automation system for a split-hull oceangoing hopper dredge. This ship will have eight intercommunicating microprocessor stations. Each local unit features continuous LED digital display of measured parameters. Only a single multiconductor cable is required to transmit complete data from one unit to the other, thus drastically cutting the cabling expense

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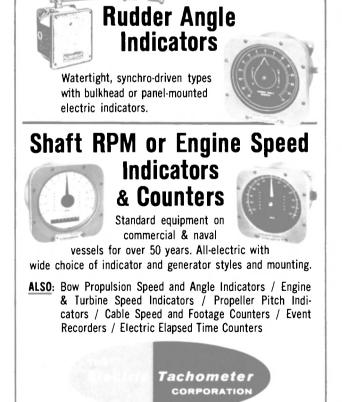
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Eurocard type modules. Megasystems' solid-state logic control modules and microprocessor instrumentation are being installed in a new Lloyd's Class icebreaking ferry to be delivered to CN

Marine later this year. Megasystems will soon be introducing its new Direct Optical Tuning (DOT) into the market.

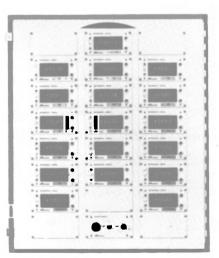
This new product is said to represent a significant advance over current products on the market, and will be the simplest to operate, the company says. It offers

advanced features due to the advances in electronic design that

were employed. The DOT system can monitor several different engine types, be made portable, provide complete injection and waveform displays including the ability to "freeze" and "expand" significant areas, provide exact pressure values for exact points of crankangle position, and provide the first truly practical cylinder load-balancing

capability. Write 76 on Reader Service Card

METRITAPE, INC.



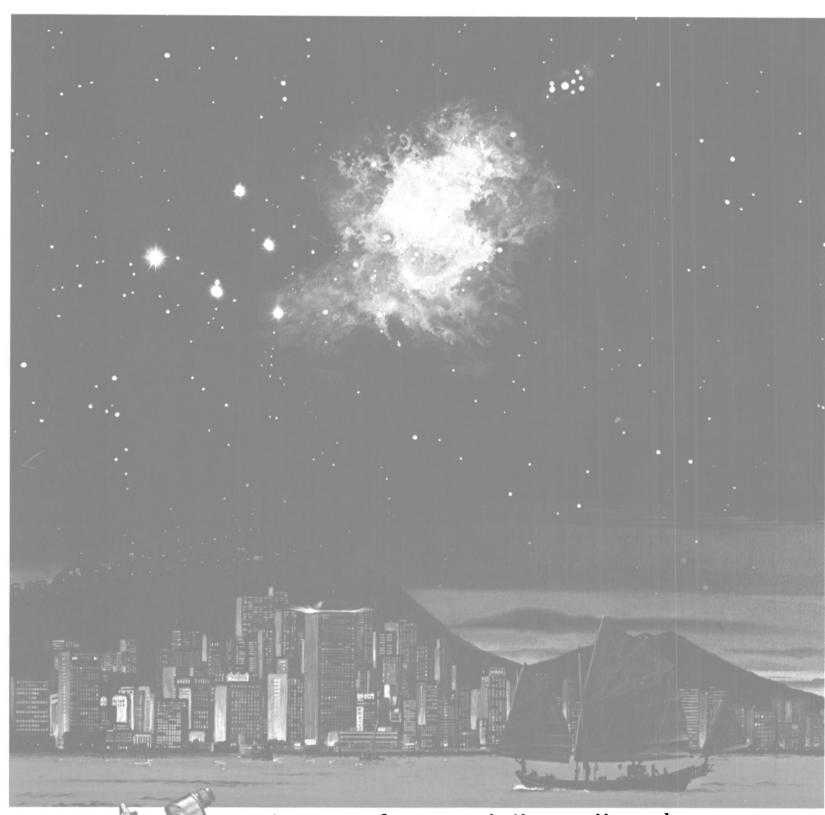
Metritape, Inc., Metrimodule System.

A recently introduced tank gauging system from Metritape provides centralized shipboard

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Mariners Seek Texaco's "STAR" Products

The Crab Nebula, as seen through a color telescopic camera, is actually the gaseous remnant of a star that blew itself asunder. More familiar

is Aldebaran the eye of Taurus or the Seven Sisters, the Pleiades, which guide ships beyond WORLD WIDE number to Hong Kong's magnificent harbor. For marine service and products proven to be as reliable as these celestial bodies, mariners seek Texaco and its star products.

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Shipboard Automation & Monitoring Systems -Metritape, Inc.

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monitoring of liquid level and temperature using standardized plug-in modular components. The new Metrimodule system features individual digital displays, measuring about 3.5 inches high, 7 inches wide by 5.5 inches deep

(89 by 178 by 140 millimeters), that provide level, temperature, and multiple alarm indications plus operational controls for each tank. The displays can be easily recessed into an existing console or panel box mounted in a bowup tank plan pattern (up to 23 displays plus system control mod-

Continuous tank ullage is shown to the nearest centimeter, tenth foot or inch, and product

temperature in degrees C or F at the press of a button. Three adjustable audible and visual alarms are for high, overfill and low levels. Low alarm also monitors deck cables for open circuit. The Metrimodule system includes Metritape Level/Temp electric sensors, intrinsic safety barriers, Metrimodule-digital displays and Multifunction-4 circuit cards. These standardized components are separate for each tank, interchangeable and plug-in. They insure that most component failures will affect only one tank and simplify service by shipboard personnelmaximizing system reliability.

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NATIONAL MARINE **SERVICE**



National Marine Service bridge console built for the dredge YAQUINA.

A diesel-powered vessel may have a complete safety watch and control system tailored to its specifications at economical cost. The key to customizing with economy is the use of standardized components to build the system. National Marine Service of St. Louis designs customized consoles with standardized pushbutton controls and switches, organized into control panels to fit a specific vessel. The monitoring systems permit unattended or reduced manning under U.S. Coast Guard and American Bureau of Shipping regulations.

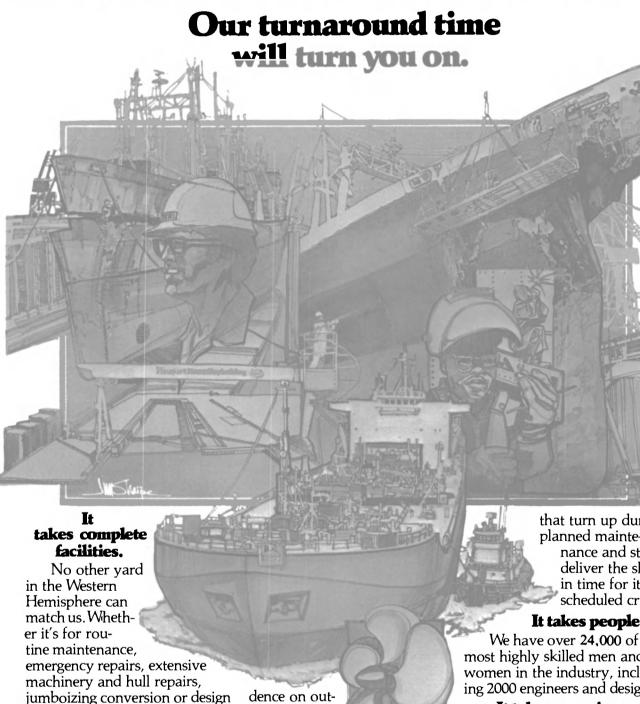
Modular design with solid-state electronics are said to provide exceptional reliability with low system cost. Included with monitoring and control systems are standard features that eliminate common operating problems. For instance, the system discards normal variations in operating parameters to eliminate false alarms. It also contains controls to activate and deactivate alarm circuits and eliminate nuisance alarms when engines start or stop. An alarm memory feature insures that alarms are not lost when engines are shut down. A front panel test allows testing of all system electronics whether engines are running or not.

The system includes all alarms and controls for a total engine safety watch: engine control console to bridge consol to a monitor panel in the chief engineer's quarters.

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PAN AMERICAN **SYSTEMS**

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monitoring and read-out systems, digital tachometer units, generator automatic transfer, and many others.

PAS equipment can be found in all corners of the world onboard many types of vessels, such as an 80,000-dwt tanker; a 200-foot offshore supply vessel; a 140-foot, triple-screw river towboat; a 50foot, twin-screw pushboat; a 200foot jackup barge; 65-foot, twinscrew pilot boats; 100-foot, triple-screw, high-speed crewboats; 140foot oceangoing tugs; and numerous other types.

Starting some 14 years ago in the 650-square-foot garage of its founder's home, PAS was launched into the manufacturing of its first monitoring and alarm panel intended for a dredge. This was to become a total disaster. This failure furnished the management of PAS with many important facts, and renewed its determination to become a leader in the industry.

Many new directions were set by PAS products, among them the philosophy that "if you make the electronics sound and simple enough, it should need no maintenance." To prove that point, in 1970 PAS started manufacturing equipment with the electronic circuitry that carried a five-year unconditional operating warranty.

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ROCHESTER **INSTRUMENT**

Series 4644 manufactured by Rochester Instrument Systems (RIS) of Rochester, N.Y., is a family of vibration-monitoring equipment consisting of: primary sensing elements that detect vibration levels and movements; signal conditioning devices that amplify and transmit sensor inputs; and plug-in, electronic modules that continually report these signals as useable data and initiate warnings and/or shutdown when preset limits have been exceeded.

Single- and dual-channel monitoring modules and a common system control module provide the operator's interface with the system to monitor the radial vibration, axial position, and phase reference of rotating machinery.

RIS high-density systems offering eight to 20 rack positions are available in seven standard configurations. All of them conform to, and in many areas exceed, the requirements of API 670. For instance, these systems occupy only about 50 percent of the panel space needed for con-

Standard features of a Series tem include a "power-up inhibit" feature to prevent false alarms; a flashing LED to identify first out alert or danger alarms; and field-selectable switching to permit on-site selection of such

operating modes as latch/nonlatch danger alarms, time delays, shutdown logic, and relay energize/de-energize for shutdown.

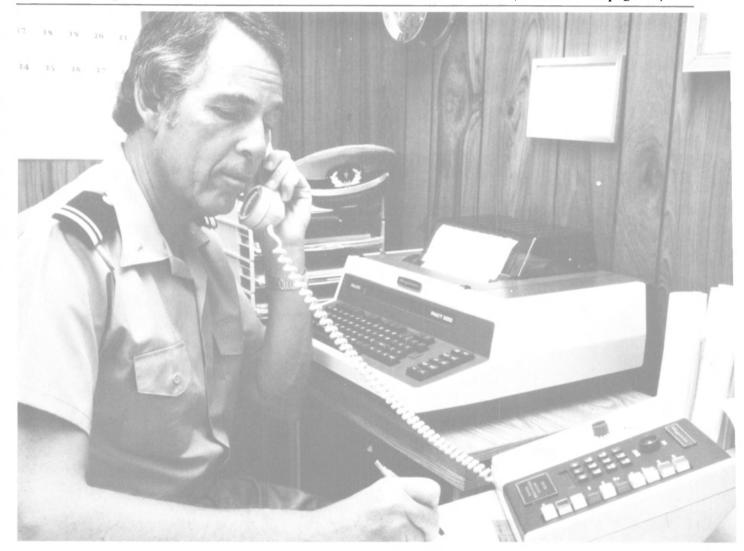
Series TM-2480 from RIS is a line of self-contained thermocouple and RTD temperature monitors capable of monitoring from six to 30 points. The units provide independent alarm and shutdown functions, and incorporate three-channel, plug-in modules to

provide high-density packaging. Three models are available: TM-2481 for monitoring up to six points; TM-2482 for up to 12 points; and TM-2485 for up to 30 points.

Each series TM-2480 unit incorporates a meter/common service module that includes the digital readout, optional integral calibration facilities, plus common alarm and common shutdown re-

lays for all channels. These monitors are intended for use with primary sensors that are T/Gs and RTDs, but they can also accept and condition analog input signals from other types of sensors. Another feature of the units is their ability to detect sensor failure without shutting down the monitoring function.

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SMITH-MEEKER ENGINEERING

Smith-Meeker Engineering Company (SMECO) of New York City, established in 1908, has a reputation in the marine industry for quality engineering design and systems manufacture. A natural spin-off from its experience in switchgear was the shift to automation and monitoring systems in the 1960s.

SMECO expertise in vessel machinery and electrical requirements, coupled with the knowledge of electronics designers, has resulted in a highly flexible and extremely reliable solid-state control and monitoring package to meet the regulatory requirements

for reduced manning and unattended engine room classification. This flexibility has now been extended to the design of dredge machinery control and inert gas control systems. All automation and machinery control systems are custom-tailored and are offered with either electro-mechanical sensors or with RTD and LVDT transducers and electronic meters offering 1-percent accu-

All proposals are fully itemized and are accompanied by a preliminary arrangement drawing, eliminating the possibility of hidden factors. Installation documentation is so detailed that, when accurately followed by an installing activity, systems can often be checked out and demonstrated in three working days.

For servicing, each system is accompanied by technical manuals, and installation and logic drawings. With the exception of SMECO-designed and manufactured plug-in, solid-state circuit cards and meters, all console components, sensors, and solenoids are commercially available from other sources, though a large stock is maintained for customer convenience and immediate delivery.

Seminars on operation and service can be arranged upon request, and SMECO field personnel are available if needed. The company is proud to note that most problems can be resolved by verbal communication. SMECO has made extreme efforts in developing its design and selecting components that have been proven most reliable.

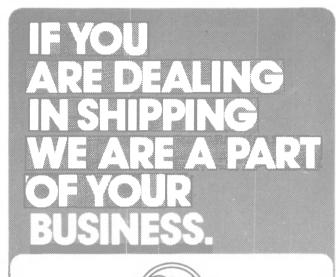
Since entering this field, nearly 100 vessels have been equipped with SMECO systems on a nationwide basis. Numbered among Smith-Meeker clientele are major oil companies, dredging companies, offshore supply vessel operators, towboat companies, and the U.S. Navy's Military Sealift Command.

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A typical uninterruptible power power system from Solidstate Controls, Inc. (SCI) of Columbus, Ohio provides a continuous and dependable supply of ac power to critical loads, and consists of a rectifier/battery charger, battery, static inverter, static transfer switch, and manual bypass switch. SCI has standard UPS systems in stock for immediate configuration and delivery in three inverter kva sizes — 3, 7.5, and 15—with electrically matched rectifiers/chargers in 50-, 75-, and 150-ampere sizes. For applications where batteries/charging equipment already exists, standalone inverters can be specified; for installations where no backup power source exists, SCI can provide most any type of battery.

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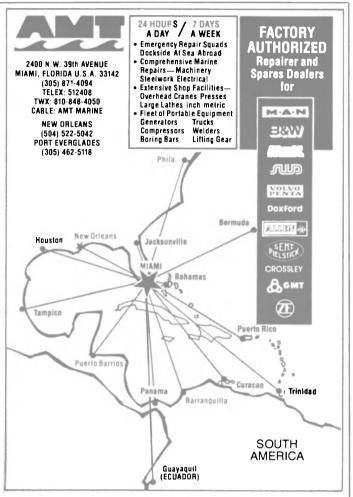
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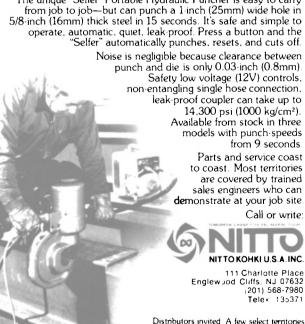
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bypass switch enables an operator to bypass the electronic portions of the UPS for maintenance purposes. Typical SCI configurations for uninterruptible power systems include float type, rectifier input type, and redundant systems.

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SPERRY

The Sperry division of Sperry Corporation, Lake Success, N.Y., has developed several systems that provide increased automation and monitoring capabilities for commercial ships. Sperry has developed an integrated bridge system that allows all bridge functions to be combined into a single, computerized console area, effectively permitting a decrease in necessary manpower requirements.

The division also has developed an engine control and monitoring system for use on diesel-powered ships. Three such sys-tems have been delivered to Levingston Shipbuilding Company in Orange, Texas, for use on the Pride of Texas and her two sister

The system on the Pride of Texas, a 36,000-dwt dry bulk carrier, permits fully automated control of the unmanned engine room. The system is fully approved by the U.S. Coast Guard for unmanned operations. The engine control and monitoring system permits full display of all engine parameters on a main console, which is also used to control the engine operation. In addition, the Pride of Texas system has seven remote alarm panels placed in key areas of the ship to provide warnings of an engine malfunction.

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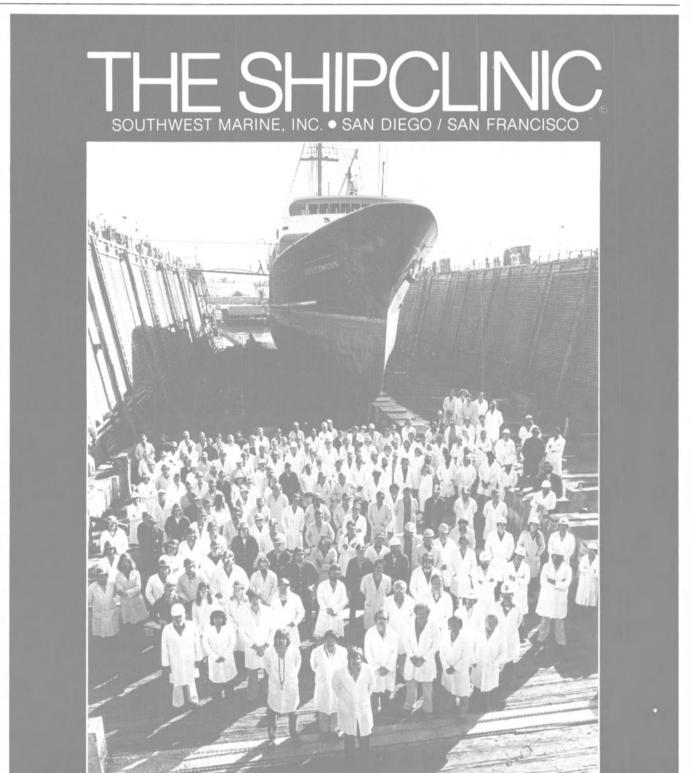
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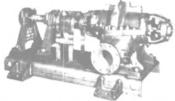
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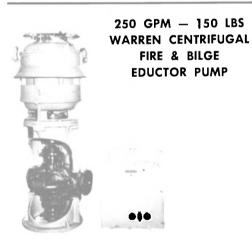
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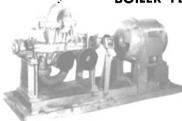
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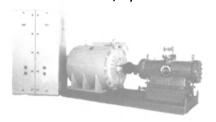


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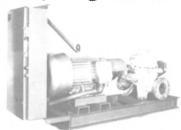


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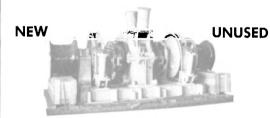
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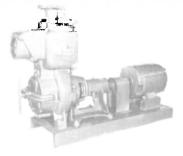
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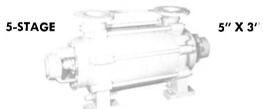
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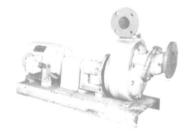
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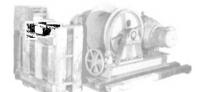
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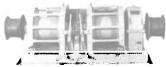
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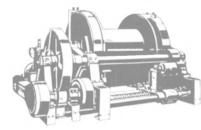
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The Port Information Resources Committee, Inc., has made donations totaling \$8,000 to two leading marine historical groups. In a recent ceremony at the Seamen's Church Institute, Committee chairman and president James P. McAllister presented \$4,000 checks to John B. Hightower, president of the South Street Sea-

port Museum and Peter Stanford, president of the National Maritime Historical Society.

The Port Information Resources Committee is responsible for the production and distribution of the annual New York Port Handbook, which details the organizations and facilities of the bistate port. Sold worldwide, the Handbook is



Shown at recent ceremony at Seamen's Church Institute (L to R): James P. McAllister and Clifford B. O'Hara present checks to Peter Stanford and John B. Hightower. Looking on are Randolph R. Brown, Bruno Augenti, N. Nick Cretan, Donald Seymour, and Walter Maloney.

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Other committee members attending the presentation included Clifford B. O'Hara, secretary-treasurer; Bruno Augenti, chairman of the Marine Index Bureau, Inc., representing the late Adm. John M. Will; Donald Seymour, standing in for Howard Seymour of Mohegan International Corporation; Walter Maloney, general counsel for the Committee; N. Nick Cretan, executive director, Maritime Association of the Port of New York; and Randolph R. Brown, representing the New

York Chamber of Commerce and Industry.

The South Street Seaport Museum is striving to bring a mix of commerce and culture to South Street in order to revive the Seaport district's 19-century character. They plan to expand from the existing base of the collection of ships to include shops, exhibitions, and educational programs.

The National Maritime Historical Society is devoted to furthering the understanding of our maritime heritage through research, preservation, restoration, and publication.

Great Lakes/Great Rivers SNAME Spring Meeting Held In Cleveland

The Spring Meeting of the Great Lakes and Great Rivers Section of The Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers was convened recently at the Westlake Holiday Inn near Cleveland. Total registration was 85.

Following registration and the business session in which the next year's officers were elected, three papers were presented as follows: "Ice Breaking by Tow on Mississippi River," by S.L. Denhertog, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Cold Regions Research

and Engineering Laboratory; "Narrative of Harbor Services on the Illinois River," by Ed Trumbull, vice president, Trumbull River Service, Lacon, Ill.; and "Great Lakes Export Coal Potential," by G.J. Ryan, Great Lakes Region director, MarAd and A.H. Ames Jr., chief, Region Port and Intermodal Development Office, MarAd.

For those who wished, the afternoon provided an opportunity for a tour of the Lorain Pellet Terminal owned by Republic Steel



Shown at recent meeting of SNAME Great Lakes and Great Rivers Section are (seated, L to R): Ray Yagle, instructor; Tom Stewart, vice chairman-Great Lakes; John Colletti, chairman; George Ryan, Great Lakes chief, Maritime Administration; A.H. Ames Jr., chief of Region Port & Intermodal Development, Great Lakes, Maritime Administration. Standing (L to R): Steven Newell, Dan Springer, Doug Donmermuth, Kurt Hagemeister, Ron Nix, and Paul Vickers, students.

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The Fall Meeting of the Section will be at Ann Arbor, Mich., October 23, 1981, held in conjunction with the 100th anniversary celebration of the School of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers at the University. A full technical session is planned and festivities will continue into Saturday, including the football game for the many alumni expected to attend.

Gulf Fleet Marine Names Vaccaro Contracts Manager

Gulf Fleet Marine Corporation, headquartered in New Orleans, recently announced the following appointments:

Ralph A. Vaccaro Jr. has been named contracts manager and will be responsible, on a worldwide basis, for the administration, negotiation and finalization of all contracts. Mr. Vaccaro joined Gulf Fleet in 1974 as insurance manager, and was appointed assistant secretary in 1979. He is a graduate of the United States Merchant Marine Academy at Kings Point, N.Y.



Ralph A. Vaccaro Jr.

Raymond L. Stratton has been named insurance manager and will be responsible for the placement, administration, and claims handling of Gulf Fleet's total insurance program. A graduate of McNeese State University, Mr. Stratton joined the company in 1976, and has served as insurance analyst since that time.

Jim Castle has joined Gulf Fleet's marketing staff as a sales representative in Houston, Texas. Mr. Castle has 10 years of sales experience in the oil and marine fields. He is a graduate of Sam Houston State University.

Gulf Fleet Marine Corporation is one of the Houston Natural Gas group of companies, and provides a wide range of services to the offshore petroleum and construction industries on a worldwide basis.

Chris Clark Named Vice President And COO Of Tickle Engineering

Arthur B. Tickle Jr., chairman of the board and president of Arthur Tickle Engineering Works, a Brooklyn-based engineering firm specializing in all phases of marine repairs, has named Chris Clark as vice president and chief operating officer. The announcement was made by Girolama Corso, executive assistant to the chairman.

Mr. Clark, a 1965 graduate of the U.S. Merchant Marine Academy, was previously general manager of the Marine and Industrial Divisions of the company.

Raymond Unit Awarded \$4.7-Million Contract

Henry F. LeMieux, chairman of the board and chief executive officer of Raymond International, Inc., Houston, Texas, recently announced that a unit of its wholly owned subsidiary, Raymond Offshore Constructors, was awarded a \$4.7-million contract to fabricate an offshore platform jacket and pilings for Atlantic Richfield Company.

The jacket will be a conventional eight-pile steel structure weighing 1,350 tons and containing a 16-slot drilling template. Upon completion in early 1982, it will be installed in water 180 feet deep on High Island Block 466 in the U.S. Gulf of Mexico.



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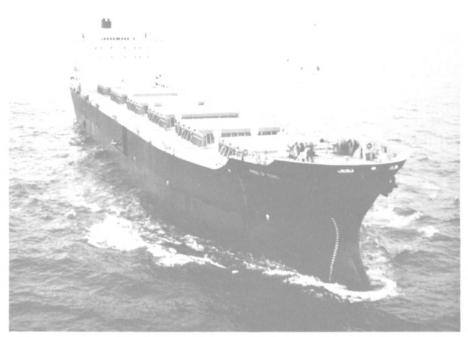
The bulk carrier Pride of Texas (shown above), first of a new class of U.S.-flag merchant ships, was delivered recently by Levingston Shipbuilding Company of Orange, Texas, to her owners, Asco-Falcon Shipping Company of Houston.

The new ship, about 612 feet long with a beam of 93 feet and depth of 50 feet, is designed to carry 36,000 tons of grain or other dry bulk cargoes in trade between U.S. and foreign ports. Her first cargo was a load of heavy grain shipped from a Gulf Coast port to the People's Republic of China. She is manned by an American crew of 26.

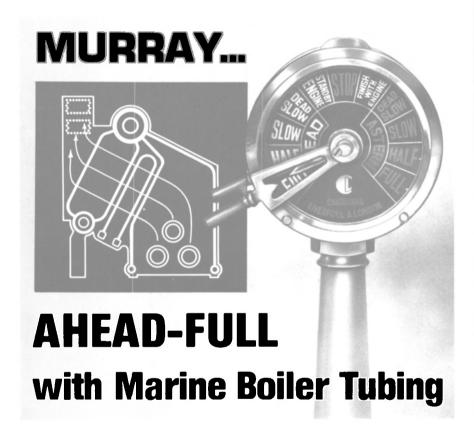
The propulsion plant in the Pride of Texas comprises two RV12-4 Transamerica Delaval Enterprise diesel engines, each with a maximum continuous rating of 8,125 bhp at 450 rpm. The ship achieved 17 knots on sea trials, but in service the engines will be operated at 15,600 bhp, producing a full-load speed of 15.7 knots. The vessel is classed by the American Bureau of Shipping and certified by the U.S. Coast Guard for unlimited ocean service.

The Pride of Texas is said to be the first dry bulk carrier to be built in the United States spe-cifically for U.S. foreign trade, and also the first to be built with the assistance of construction differential subsidy (CDS) provided by the Maritime Administration. Her design is a modified version of the highly successful future 32 dry bulk carrier developed by Ishikawajima-Harima Heavy Industries Company, Ltd. (IHI), a leading Japanese shipbuilder.

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of transferring Japanese shipbuilding technology to the Texas shipbuilder.

The owner of the three new ships, Asco-Falcon Shipping Company, is a partnership between Ashland Alpha Shipping, Inc. and the Falcon Group of Houston. The vessels will be bareboat-chartered to Equity Carriers, Inc., and operated by Titan Navigation, Inc., both of Houston.

The second ship in the series, the Texas Star, was launched on June 13 this year. (For details on the Pride of Texas launching, see the June 15, 1980 issue of MR/EN.)

New Bulletin Describes Colt-Pielstick PC-2 Series Marine Diesels

A new engine bulletin describing the Colt-Pielstick PC-2 series diesel engines for marine applications is available from Colt Industries' Fairbanks Morse Engine Division. The 14-page booklet is in full color and describes the PC-2 series diesels being built at the division's Beloit, Wis., plant. The bulletin also includes data on the higher-rated PC2.5 units at 650 bhp/cylinder. The Pielstick PC-2 is the world's most widely used, medium-speed, highhorsepower diesel engine. Typical applications are shown in the bulletin.

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McAllister Reports Ship **Financing Policy Now Under Government Study**

The Federal Government is in the process of establishing new guidelines in administering the merchant ship financing guarantees (Title XI) program, a Commerce Department official said recently. Bruce A. McAllister, deputy assistant secretary of commerce for maritime affairs, addressed a luncheon session of the Symposium on Financing United States Ship Construction sponsored by the Association of the Bar of the City of New York.

Mr. McAllister noted that pres-

ident Reagan's budget revisions of March 10 reduced by 25 percent the fiscal year 1981 and 1982 ceilings for ship financing guarantees under Title XI of the Merchant Marine Act of 1936. As a result, he said, the maximum level of guarantee authority available during the next $16\frac{1}{2}$ months will be \$1.2 billion. (By comparison, commitments under the Maritime Administration program in the 12 months ended last Sep-

tember 30 totaled \$1.1 billion.) Nearly \$4 billion in financing guarantees requests are now pending, and many more applications are expected to be filed before new funding authority becomes available, Mr. McAllister said.

As a general rule, until recently there had been no need to establish special priorities in processing Title XI applications, he said, but with current demand al-

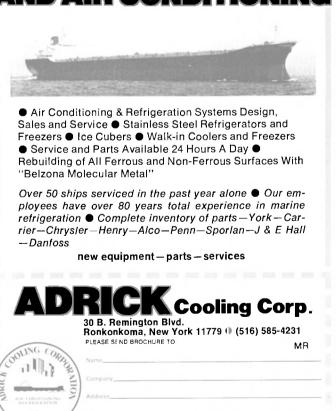
ready three times the existing funding authority, the agency now must adopt new criteria for the administration of the program.

Under the self-sustaining program, more than 5,000 vessels valued at \$10 billion have been financed during the past 45 years. During fiscal year 1980, Title XI yielded proceeds of \$42 million after paying all operating expenses, Mr. McAllister reported.



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34th Annual Statistical Analysis Released By Marine Index Bureau

The Marine Index Bureau, New York, the commercial depository for data concerning personnel illnesses and injuries for the American merchant marine and affiliated industries, released its 34th annual statistical analysis recently. The analysis covers ill-

nesses and injuries reported to the Bureau for deepsea seafarers during the calendar year 1980.

In announcing the analysis, Bruno J. Augenti, chairman of the board of the Marine Index Bureau, said: "According to the monthly U.S. Department of Commerce Merchant Marine Data Sheets, average employment for the year 1980 in the deepsea industry reached a new low of 19,720 jobs. In September 1945

(WW II), the number was 168,000 and in December 1951 (Korean War), it was 93,163." He further stated that "Deepsea personnel in the 40 years and over age group accounted for 3,444 of the total 5,992 illnesses reported and for 3,914 of the total 7,446 ininjuries.

"In all but four of the illness categories, seafarers over 40 suffered a markedly high number of diseases. Injuries for the over-40

age group were higher in all categories except one (back fracture). This does not mean that older seafarers suffer more illnesses and injuries than do their younger shipmates, but it does confirm that seafarers over 40 continued to constitute a major part of the seagoing population."

Mr. Augenti also pointed out that . . . "over the 10-year period 1971 through 1980, the incidence rate of illness and injury combined fluctuated within narrow limits and appears to be stabilizing. The combined rate for 1980 was 68.1, lower by 3.7 points than the 1979 rate."

For a copy of the full analysis—Circular Letter No. 98—write to Capt. Robert E. Hart, President, Marine Index Bureau, 17 Battery Place, New York, N.Y. 10004.

Underway Replenishment Machinery Topic At Long Beach/LA ASNE

The Long Beach/Greater Los Angeles Section of the American Society of Naval Engineers held a recent regular meeting at the officers club of the Los Alamitos Armed Forces Reserve Center. Capt. J.A. Gildea, USN, Section chairman, welcomed those present and recounted several of the more meaningful meetings held during the past year, and brought the members up to date with a status report on the vital statistics of the Section.

Captain Gildea then turned the meeting over to program chairman Carl E. Erickson, who introduced the topic for the evening and the two presenters: "New Overhaul Techniques for Unique Naval Deck Machinery," by Lon L. Denison, UNREP overhaul coordinator, Naval Weapon System Engineering Station, Port Hueneme, Calif.; and Arthur F. Green, supervisory production controller, Long Beach Naval Shipyard, Long Beach, Calif.

The speakers described the uniqueness of Underway Replenishment (UNREP) machinery and pointed out that unlike conventional deck machinery that is a product line of various manufacturers, UNREP machinery is specifically designed for the particular application. Thus each procurement for new or converted ships over the past 20 years has resulted in different designs.

The developing of overhaul techniques for the 34 unique UNREP winch designs has presented a technical challenge requiring unusually close cooperation between the fleet, the winch component manufacturer, the Navy's in-service engineers, and the Naval Winch Rework Facility. The coordination of this activity requires intimate knowledge of not only the machinery and its environment, but also the functions and mission assigned to each.

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Mario Moor Will Head Sulzer's New Subsidiary Company In Hong Kong

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Mario Moor

Mario Moor has been appointed managing director of Sulzer Hong Kong. He has worked for Sulzer's Diesel Engine and Marine Installation Department for more than 20 years, thereby gaining a wide theoretical as well as practical experience in diesel and marine engineering. He will be directly responsible to the diesel product management at Sulzer's head office in Switzerland.

Poling Moving Corporate Headquarters To Staten Island From Manhattan

The Poling Transportation Corporation has signed a three-year, half-million-dollar lease and has moved its corporate headquarters from lower Manhattan to One Edgewater Plaza, Staten Island. The announcement was made by A.T. Pouch, president of Pouch Terminal Enterprises, owners of the 300,000-square-foot harborfront complex.

Poling, an American-flag, Atlantic Coast shipping organization employing more than 300 people, has maintained its administrative offices in Manhattan for 72 years. It will now occupy 6,000 square feet on the Plaza's third floor overlooking lower Manhattan, New York Bay, and the Verrazano-Narrows Bridge.

Revised Rules On Mobile Offshore Rigs Issued By Det norske Veritas

Det norske Veritas has issued revised Rules for Classification of Mobile Offshore Units. The new edition supersedes the 1975-edition (with supplement of 1977).

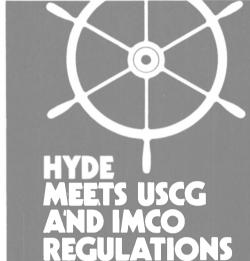
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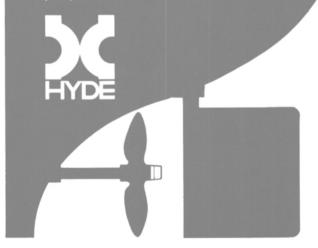


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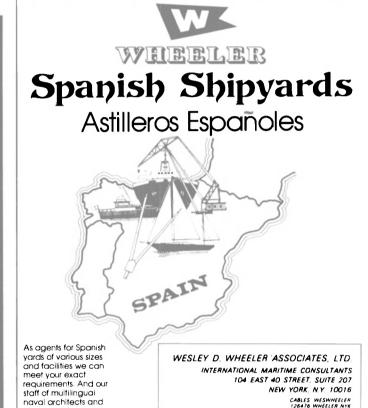
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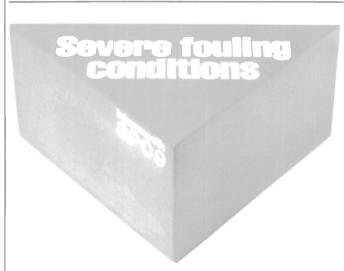


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Co-sponsored by the American Institute of Merchant Shipping (AIMS) and the Marine Section of the National Safety Council (NSC), the award ceremony at the Downtown Athletic Club in New York included top government officials and maritime company representatives in a broad

range of industry activity throughout the country.

Known officially as the Annual Ship Safety Awards Luncheon, the event was hosted jointly by the two key organizations, which spearhead accident reduction efforts nationwide in the maritime industry. The awards program covered operations of oceangoing general cargo ships, tankers, and

passenger vessels, shipbuilding and vessel repairing, stevedores, barge and towing services, and other activities of companies represented by both organizations. Each group handled awards for its own member companies.

Presentations by the AIMS group are known as the Jones F. Devlin Awards, and are based on accident-free operations by United States-flag ocean vessels of at least two years duration. Award presentations were made by retired Coast Guard Rear Adm. William R. Benkert, president of AIMS, and Capt. Jones F. Devlin, a former official with United States Lines Company and an acknowledged leader in maritime safety, after whom the AIMS awards are named.

The Marine Section presented separate citations to member companies of the National Safety Council who achieved accident-free records over the past calendar year based on specified standards of activity. The Marine Section presentations were made by Edward F. McIntyre, manager of safety and loss prevention at Farrell Lines and deputy general chairman of the Marine Section. He was assisted by Capt. David J. Linde of the U.S. Coast Guard.

Six U.S. companies were eligible to receive Devlin awards from AIMS this year, and 23 individual American-flag vessels were cited for continuous operations with no member of the crew missing a turn at watch due to injury. Devlin awards are based on three catergories of accident-free operations—two years, four years, and five years or more.

In the category of five years or more, AIMS awarded plaques to two operations. The vessel names and company affiliations are Amoco Connecticut of the Amoco Shipping Company; and the oceangoing barge Interstate 55 of the Interstate & Ocean Transport Company, which was cited for accident-free operation of 2,795 consecutive days, or more than seven years.

In the AIMS category of four years, awards were made to four vessels of Interstate & Ocean Transport Company. Included were Interstate 50, Ocean 115, Argoil 160, and Transporter.

A total of 17 vessels were cited for safety records covering at least two consecutive years but less than four years. They included the Middletown of Columbia Transportation; the Mobil Aero of Mobil Oil Corporation; the Exxon Bangor, Exxon Galveston, and Exxon Philadelphia of Exxon Company, U.S.A.; and the dry cargo vessels Thompson Lykes, Mallory Lykes, and Elizabeth Lykes of Lykes Bros. Steamship Company, Inc.

Also included in the two-year category were nine vessels of Interstate & Ocean Transport Company. They were Elk River, Chem

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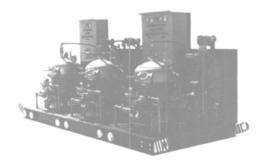


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AIMS represents American-flag vessel companies throughout the U.S. and is the largest management organization in the country's merchant marine industry. The Marine Section, on the other hand, is one of 28 industrial components comprising the National Safety Council. As such, it is the largest group in the coast-tocoast marine industry devoted to safety and reducing accidents among workers in the U.S. shipping industry.

In addition to compilation of records related to the annual Awards program, AIMS and the Marine Section are active in a wide range of other areas that further the concept of industry safety. These include the study of issues, development of proposals to reduce accidents, and participation in conferences in the United States and abroad that deal with such matters.

Rigos Firms Will Engage In Brokerage For Ocean Transportation Of Coal

Rigos Chartering and Rigos Maritime have announced that in addition to their present activities, they will also engage in brokerage for the ocean transportation of coal.

Capt. E.N. Rigos, president, said that special attention will be directed to such areas as port facilities (existing and proposed), transshipment areas and voyage analysis which will assist all parties concerned with coal transportation. The combined expertise of their dry and oil brokerage will be an asset to shipowners of combination tonnage, exporters, importers, traders and suppliers of coal, worldwide, he said. In addition, Mr. Rigos said they have assigned a special telephone number (212) 599-2512 for this activity.

IHI's New Shaft Generator System Meets Its Design Expectations

Installed on a new 80,700-dwt tanker, the first unit of the SSG (Super-economical Shaft Generator) system developed by IHI (Ishikawajima-Harima Heavy Industries Co., Ltd.), Japan, has demonstrated excellent performance through the ship's official trial runs, meeting all of its de-

sign expectations.

The SSG system is an exhaust gas turbogenerator mechanically connected with the main shaft of the propulsion engine through a reduction gearing. The first unit was employed for the tanker Neptune Pegasus delivered recently to Neptune Orient Lines, Singapore.

Through the performance tests, it was confirmed that the surplus turbine output is fed back to the propulsion system and that in case of turbine output shortage the power from the main engine can assist the generator to drive. Thus, it has been proven that the steam obtained from waste heat is effectively transformed into power and that the power is transmitted through the reduction gearing.

The propulsion machinery of the Neptune Pegasus is a 15,000bhp IHI S.E.M.T. Pielstick 10-PC4V diesel engine. With the engine operating at a 75-percent-rated output (11,250 bhp), ap-proximately 220 bhp surplus was fed back to the propulsion system after having completely provided the electricity required for the ship.

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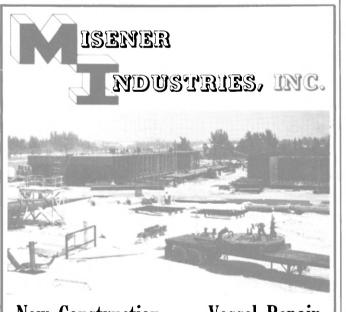
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Twin City Yard Lays Keel For Seagoing Split-Hull Dredge

Twin City Shipyard, Inc., St. Paul, Minn., recently laid the keel for a seagoing dredge that will join the fleet of Gulf Coast Trailing Company, Kenner, La., late this year. The new dredge—to be launched under the name Mermentau—is a sister dredge of the Atchafalaya, launched last year for Gulf Coast Trailing, and which is presently in service in East Coast waters.

Ronald A. Rossway, vice president of Twin City Shipyard, said the new vessel, 196 feet 10 inches long and 40 feet 8 inches wide, will feature both a hinged split-hull for the rapid dumping of dredged spoils, and hopper doors for pumping dredged spoils ashore. Propulsion is by deck-mounted twin 850-hp engines with propellers rotatable 360 degrees

to provide high maneuverability.

The shallow-draft dredge, with a maximum working draft of 14 feet 7 inches, will



Present for the keel-laying ceremony for the 197-footlong Mermentau at Twin City Shipyard, Inc. were (L to R) John C. Balogh, senior surveyor, American Bureau of Shipping, Duluth, Minn.; Chris Th. Spaanenburg, technical manager for Gulf Coast Trailing Co., Kenner, La.; John Buursema, president of Twin City Shipyard, St. Paul, and Ronald A. Rossway, vice president of Twin City Shipyard.

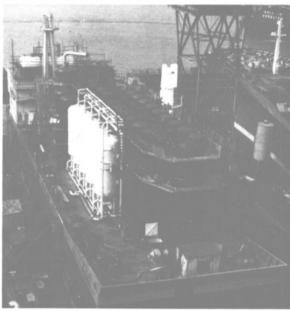
be used for diverse dredging operations in shallow rivers or for large coastal projects. The hinged deckhouse has messing and

berthing facilities for 16 men.

The Mermentau will be fitted with two dragarms, or trailing suction pipes, mounted on each side of the ship's forward section, and capable of dredging to depths of 65 feet. Its hopper, occupying most of the midship area, will have a capacity of about 1,300 cubic yards of dredged material.

Upon arrival at the disposal area, the hinged hull will open hydraulically into two halves and dredged material will fall through the gap thus created. If conditions require, as in beach reclamation projects, the dredge pump may be used to remove material from the hopper and pump it ashore. This operation is particularly useful when environmental considerations preclude the use of bottom dumping, Mr. Rossway said.

First Large-Scale Floating Seawater Desalination Plant Launched At Nordseewerke

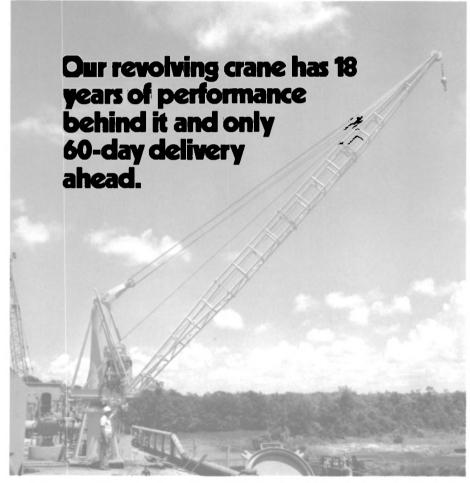


The first large-scale, floating seawater desalination plant built in Germany (shown above) was launched recently at Thyssen Nordseewerke GmbH, Emden. Mrs. Traute Matthofer, wife of the German Federal Minister of Finance, named the floating plant Meda in the presence of her husband and numerous honorary guests.

The Meda is a new joint development by INCON Anlagentechnik GmbH, Homburg/ Saar, and Thyssen Nordseewerke GmbH, which was supported by the German Federal Minister for Research and Technology.

The seawater desalination plant is designed for a daily output of about 5,000 tons of fresh water. This production is arrived at by a new combination of processes, i.e., vapor compression (VC), vertical tub flow evaporation (VTFE), and multistage flash evaporation (MSF), which is said to achieve a hitherto unequalled economy of operation. The plant is mounted on a nonpropelled barge of 67 meters in length, 16 meters in breadth, and 4.5 meters in depth, on which the deckhouse for the auxiliaries, controls, workshops, labs, and living quarters is arranged as well. The barge was built according to the rules and regulations of German-ischer Lloyd, who also supervised the construction.

After start-up and testing of the plant, it is intended to operate Meda as a demonstration unit in the Near East by INCON Anlagentechnik and Thyssen Nordseewerke. The two companies involved have taken crucial steps toward greater production program extension and diversification by implementing this new seawater desalination plant.



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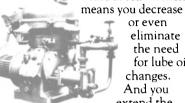
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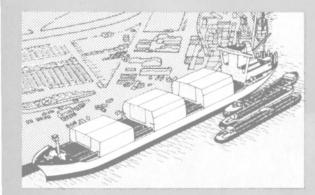
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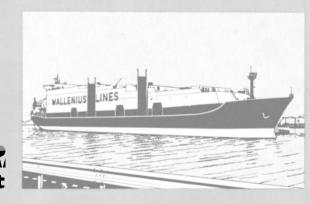
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Cat-Powered Research Vessel Delivered By Atlantic Marine



Rodney E. Lay, president of Rudolph F. Matzer & Associates, Inc. of Jacksonville, Fla. has announced that the research vessel Cape Florida (shown above) has been delivered recently to the National Science Foundation. The vessel was built by Atlantic Marine, Inc. of Fort George Island, Fla., and will be operated by the University of Miami's Rosenstiel School of Marine & Atmospheric Science. A sister vessel, the Cape Hatteras, is scheduled for delivery in the fall this year, and will be operated by Duke University.

The 135-foot vessels were designed by the Matzer firm to operate as Coastal Zone research craft. Each is propelled by twin Caterpillar D379 diesel engines with a total output of 1,130 bhp at 1,225 rpm, driving two Pay & Brink controllable-pitch propellers and providing a service speed of 12 knots. Main engines, propellers, and two Cat 3406-powered diesel generators were supplied by Ring Power Corporation of Jacksonville.

The Carrier Transicold air conditioning units were supplied by D.W. Anderson Marine Equipment of Jacksonville, deck cranes are by Appleton Machine Company of Appleton, Wisc. Hydraulics for steering, scientific winches, A frames, cranes, and other applications are from Motion Industries, Inc. of Jacksonville.

Last Of Ten Supply Vessels For NMS Launched By Promet



National Marine Services, a joint venture company formed by Jackson Marine Corporation and Abu Dhabi National Oil Company, will soon take delivery from Promet Private Limited, Singapore of its final order, as the last of its supply vessels, NMS 210 (shown above), was launched recently. All 10 supply vessels in the series, each measuring 176 feet by 14 feet by 38 feet, are used for offshore oil exploration work in the Arabian waters. They are typical Gulf of Mexico type, and can carry bulk cargoes like cement and drilling mud below their decks.

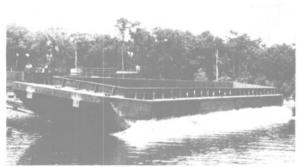
They can also carry fuel and water to drilling rigs, and are fitted with fire and pollution control equipment. In short, their

functions are mainly to service the oil drilling rigs

Worth \$3.5 million each, the vessels have accommodation facilities adequate for 22 people at a service speed of 12 knots. All vessels are classed by the American Bureau of Shipping. The launching ceremony was graced by Mrs. Martha Burrows, wife of the president of Brown & Root, Inc.

Samsung To Build Two Ships For Norwegian Owner— Valued At \$37.5 Million Each

Samsung Shipbuilding Co. of South Korea recently announced that K-S Dyvi Swan AS of Norway has ordered two 36,000-ton ships costing the equivalent of \$37.5 million each. The ships will be capable of carrying oil products, structures for oil-drilling work and other products. Delivery is scheduled for February 1984.



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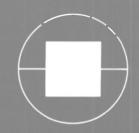
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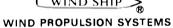
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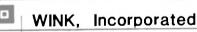


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NASSCO-Built Destroyer Tender Delivered To Navy



Present during signing of delivery papers for the USS Acadia are (L to R): Comdr. T.A. Branch Jr., Navy New Construction Office manager; Capt. W. Todd Hale, USN, supervisor of shipbuilding, conversion and repair, San Diego; Samuel D. Timmons, senior vice president, business affairs, NASSCO; and Capt. B.P. Hardy, prospective commanding officer of USS Acadia. Hardy, prospective commanding officer of USS Acadia.

USS Acadia (AD-42), the second of four Gompers Class destroyer tenders being built by National Steel and Shipbuilding Company (NASSCO), was received by the U.S. Navy recently in ceremonies at the San Diego shipyard. Capt. W. Todd Hale, USN, supervisor of shipbuilding, conversion and repair, San Diego, and Comdr. T.A. Branch Jr., Navy New Construction Office manager, accepted the vessel for the Navy from Sam D. Timmons, NASSCO senior vice president.

NASSCO completed work on the vessel resulting from government changes not included in the original contract. Acadia will

be home-ported in San Diego.

Gompers Class destroyer tenders are capable of providing repair and supply services to new destroyer type ships that have advanced missile, antisubmarine, and electronics systems. The 642-foot tenders also have facilities to service nuclear power

plants. They will provide repairs and modifications that do not require drydocking a destroyer and will carry spare parts, weapons, and munitions, and medical and dental personnel.

The first destroyer tender to be completed by NASSCO, USS Yellowstone, was received by the Navy in May 1980. The third and fourth destroyer tenders are scheduled for delivery in November 1981 and May 1983, respectively.

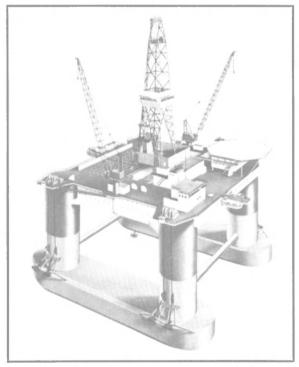
Delta Shipyard Delivers Inland Drilling Barge



Delta Shipyard of Houma, La., recently delivered the Inland Drill Barge DSD #4 (shown above) to Dean Shank Drilling Company, Inc. of New Orleans. The barge is 210 feet long, 50 feet wide, and 14 feet deep and becomes the fourth such drill barge the company is operating in the Gulf inland oil and gas industry. The new unit is designed to drill to 25,000 feet in water depths to

Drill Barge DSD #4 is the second inland drilling barge constructed by Delta Shipyard's new construction facility, which has been designed for the construction of drill barges, cargo barges, and offshore deck

Dome Petroleum Orders Drill From Cammell Laird Yard



Dome Petroleum, Calgary, Alberta, Canada, has placed an order for a semisubmersible drilling rig, design GVA 4000 (shown above) with Cammell Laird, Birkenhead, U.K. Cammell Laird Shipbuilders Ltd. is a subsidiary of British Shipbuilders. The rig is of Gotaverken Arendal design GVA 4000; it will be constructed under license from Gotaverken Arendal, Sweden, and in close cooperation between the two yards.

The rig is intended for drilling in the very rough areas north of the Shetland Islands in the North Sea. Dome Petroleum has a charter contract with the British oil compay Sovreign Co., which has recently been selected operator of Block No. 219 north of the 62nd parallel. Sovreign is partly

owned by Dome Petroleum.

In March 1981, a contract was signed between Gotaverken Arendal and Wilh. Wilhelmsen, Norway, to deliver a rig of this design in December 1982. Wilh. Wilhelmsen has a long-term charter contract with Saga Petroleum, Norway, for operation north of the 62nd parallel.

This rig, developed and designed by Gotaverken Arendal, represents a completely new design. It is a four-columned semi-submersible drilling rig whose main fea-tures are the large deck load capacity and positive seakeeping characteristics.

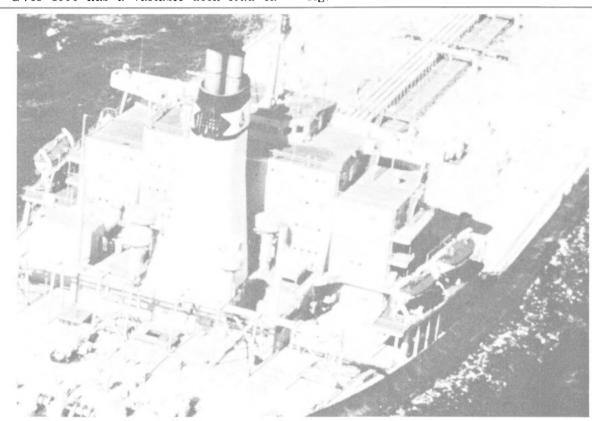
GVA 4000 has a variable deck load ca-

pacity above 4,000 tons in normal as well as in survival conditions. This exceeds the capacity of all rigs in the market. It is also the only rig that, without losing its deck load capacity, meets all the existing, new, and foreseeable demands on stability and safety put up by Norwegian authorities.

The GVA 4000 rig has a drilling depth of 25,000 feet, water depth of 2,000 feet, length overall of 280 feet 10 inches, beam overall of 252 feet, height to main deck of 134 feet 6 inches and height to lower deck of 108

feet 3 inches.

The features of GVA 4000 have raised a large interest among oil companies and drilling contractors. The license agreement between Gotaverken Arendal and Cammell Laird opens new opportunities to get access to the British offshore sector. In the course of 1981 Gotaverken Arendal therefore expects to sign new contracts for this type of



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Mrs. William T. Toutant smashes champagne on bow of towboat named after her husband, who is engineering vice president at Jeffboat, Incorporated.



Sponsor at recent christening of towboat W.T. Toutant was Mrs. Eileen Toutant. Vessel was named to honor her husband William T. Toutant, right.

ACBL Towboat 'W.T. Toutant' Launched At Jeffboat Shipyard

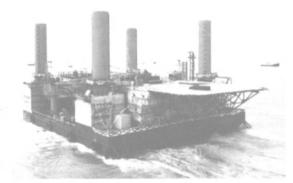
With a crack of the champagne bottle, Mrs. William T. (Eileen) Toutant recently christened the new towboat named to honor her husband at the Jeffboat, Incorporated shipyard in Jeffersonville, Ind. The new towboat, W.T. Toutant, is a 6,000-bhp vessel constructed by Jeffboat for its sister company, American Commercial Barge Line Company (ACBL). Both companies are part of the Inland Waterways Division of Texas Gas Transmission Corporation.

The vessel was decked out in bright pennants and a fresh coat of orange primer for the occasion. Immediately after the christening ceremony, the order was given to cut the ropes, and the Toutant slid down the Jeffboat launchways into the Ohio River. When she is completed and outfitted, the Toutant will go into service moving Western coal from ACBL's Hall Street Terminal in St. Louis to the Cajun Electric Cooperative's coal dock in New Roads, La.

The Toutant is named for William T. Toutant, vice president of engineering at Jeffboat. He is an alumnus of the U.S. Naval Academy, and has graduate degrees in engineering and business from Syracuse University and the University of Louisville. He is a registered professional engineer, a retired commander in the Naval Reserve, and is active in several technical and professional organizations.

Mr. Toutant began his career with Jeffboat as a naval architect in 1959, and held several related positions before being named a vice president in 1977. During his time with Jeffboat he has been instrumental in the design and development of the 5,000-, 5,600-, 8,400- and now the 6,000-horsepower class towboats. He has also provided guidance and engineering management in specialized equipment, including the Mississippi Queen and ferries Jeffboat constructed for Alaska and Texas.

Promet Launches Its Biggest Jackup For Offshore Company



The recent christening of Offshore Jupiter (shown above) was of great significance to Promet, as this is the largest rig christened to date at its yard in Jurong, Singapore. The ceremony was performed by Mrs. Audrey Richardson, wife of George T. Richardson, president and chief operating officer, The Offshore Company of Houston.

This four-legged, mobile jackup rig, 165 feet by 140 feet by 18 feet, is the first built by Promet for The Offshore Company. To date, this is the second project awarded to Promet by the company. The first project was for a conversion job at Abu Dhabi for the jackup rig Bahram. Promet completed the modifications in 28 days.

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The Offshore Jupiter is a versatile rig suited for areas such as the Arabian Gulf and the Gulf of Mexico. Equipped with recessed tank footings, it has a maximum water depth capability of 150 feet and a shallow water entry depth of 12 to 14 feet, plus a full cantilever capability for work-over/completion drilling operations.

The platform includes a cambered deck steel hull about 18 feet deep and is supported by four tubular caisson type legs. It can house 82 men on three levels above deck, and is classed by the American Bureau of Shipping and certified by the U.S. Coast Guard.

Still on the orderbook at Promet are two jackup barges for Sun Contractors, and rigs for Sedco Inc., Zapata Offshore, Drilling Investment Ltd., and Arabian Drilling.

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C.E. Matthews Appointed National Sales Manager For Morse Controls

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C.E. Matthews

Mr. Matthews, a 13-year Morse veteran, has previously served in a number of sales and management positions, most recently as sales manager, marine products. Prior to joining Morse, Mr. Matthews served 11 years in the U.S.

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Skagit Crane Provides Improved Fuel Economy —Literature Available

A new capability and improved fuel economy are now available to users of the model 343 pedestal crane manufactured by Skagit Division of Continental Emsco, Sedro-Woolley, Wash. The capability feature is provided by an optional remote-control console that allows an operator to better position himself during operations. This is especially important when lifting operations are difficult and/or when wave motion demands more precise timing for raising the lowering loads. This capability is available for all Skagit pedestal crane mod-

The improved fuel economy of the model 343 is achieved by using a smaller diesel engine than the one specified for Skagit's original units. Field testing proved the design of the crane's hydraulic system to be so efficient that the required operating results are achieved using the lesser horsepower engine.

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both his hands during remote operations. Fuel consumption, according to Skagit's engineering department, should now be 20 to 25 percent less than the earlier original unit, depending on the individual operator's technique and other application variables.

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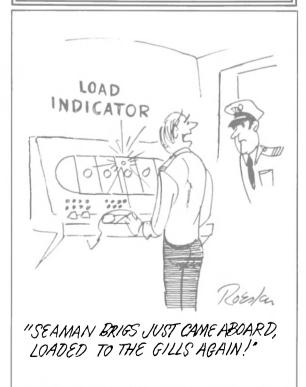
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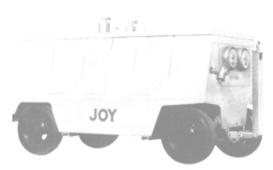
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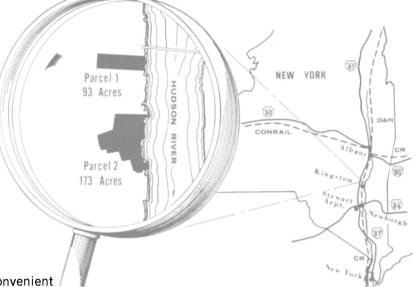
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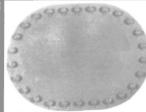
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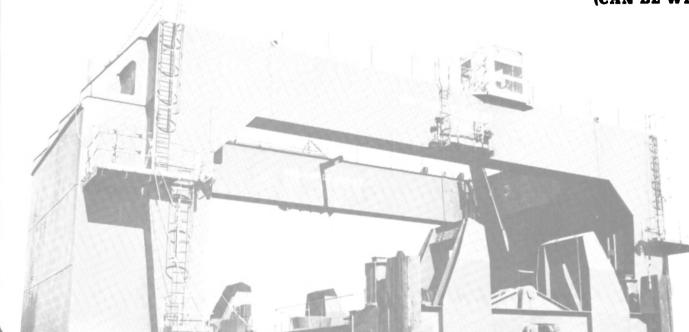
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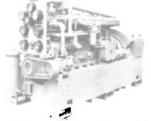
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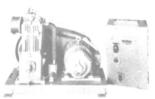
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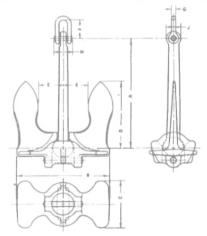
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Shell Oil Co., 1 Shell Plaza, Houston, Texas 77002
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MD 21230

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Hawaiian Ave., Wilmington, CA 90748
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Combustion Engineering, Inc., Windsor, Connecticut 05095
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Skinner Engine Company, P.O. Box 1149, Erie, PA 16512
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WA 98422
Transamerica DeLaval Inc., Engine & Compressor Div., 550 85th Ave., Oakland, CA 94621
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Bender Shipbuilding & Repair, P.O. Box 42, Mobile, AL 36601
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Blohm & Voss Company, 55 Morris Avenue, Springfield, NJ 07081
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Boeing Marine Systems, P.O. Box 3707, Mail Stop 14-11, Seattle,
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Great Lakes Towing Company, 1800 Terminal Tower, Cleveland. OH 44113

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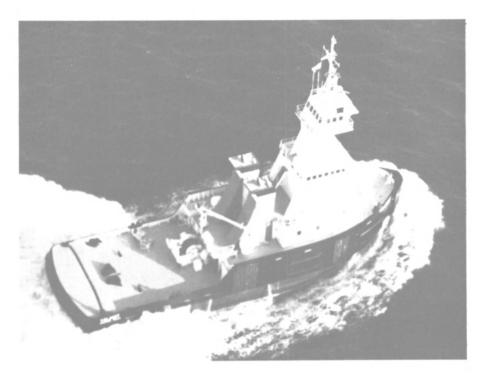
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Newest Bulkfleet Marine Tug Is Powered By MaK Diesels

The largest tugboat ever built in the United States to run on heavy fuel oil was completed and christened recently at McDermott Shipyards' Morgan City Division in Bayou Boeff, La. The 140-foot, twin-screw Valiant (shown above) was built for Houston-based Bulkfleet Marine Corporation. She was christened by Mrs. Audrey Brown, wife of James N. Brown, manager, marine operations, Gulf Oil Corporation. Contracted to Gulf Oil, the new tug will push the 28,000-dwt oil barge Bulkfleet Pennsylvania along the U.S. East Coast.

About 60 percent of the tugboat's length will be inserted and locked in the stern notch of the barge, forming an integrated unit with an overall length of 502 feet, beam of 84 feet, depth of 42 feet, and draft of 32 feet. The unmanned barge is equipped with four Goulds deepwell cargo pumps, each rated at 4,500 gpm at 125 psi; the pumps are driven by GM Detroit Diesel Allison 16V-71T engines.

The 192-gt Valiant is powered by twin Krupp MaK 6M155AK diesel engines, each with maximum continuous rating of 4.000 bhp (2,940 kw) at 425 rpm. They are designed to operate on fuel as heavy as 1,500 sec. Redwood, as well as regular diesel oil. These medium-speed engines drive two 14-foot, 4-bladed propellers through Lohmann and Stolterfoht 3:1 reduction gears. The 14-inch propeller shafts are supported in Cutless® water-lubricated, rubber-lined bearings.

The engine controls were supplied by WABCO under subcontract from MaK; a 48-point monitoring system was provided by



Mrs. Audrey Brown christens Bulkfleet Marine's tug Valiant. At left is Francisco San Miguel, manager of McDermott's Morgan City Division, builder of the new vessel.

Marine Electric. Electrical power is supplied by two 300-kw KATO generators driven by Detroit Diesel 12V-71T engines. The hydraulice steering system is by Sperry. Markey supplied the towing winch and capstan; the winch is powered by a Detroit Diesel 8V-71 engine. Other equipment includes Alpha Laval heat exchangers, Westfalia separators, and a full array of electronic gear for navigation and communications.

Designed by Design Associates of New Orleans, the Valiant has a beam of 43 feet, depth of 22 feet, and draft of 20 feet. She is classed +A-1 Unlimited Ocean Towing Service by the American Bureau of Shipping.

McDermott Shipyards, with shipbuilding and repair facilities in Morgan City (Bayou Boeff) and New Iberia, La. and Gulfport, Miss., is a subsidiary of McDermott Incorporated of New Orleans, a leading international energy services company. Bulkfleet Marine Corporation is a dynamic young company headed by J. Barry Snyder, president.

Texaco Acquires British Tanker From Globtik

Texaco Overseas Tankship Ltd., a wholly owned British subsidiary of Texaco Inc., has taken delivery of the 79,997-deadweightton motor tanker Texaco Westminster at the Aioi (Japan) shipyard of Ishikawajima-Harima Heavy Industries Co., Ltd., it was announced recently. The vessel is the second ship in its class to be acquired by Texaco Overseas Tankship Ltd. from Globtik Tankers London Limited.

The ship was christened Texaco Westminster by Mrs. William K. Tell Jr., whose husband is a senior vice president of Texaco Inc.

The Texaco Westminster is designed to carry either crude oil or petroleum products. Operating with a British crew of approximately 28, the vessel is equipped with systems to minimize pollution, an inert gas system, carries a full range of navigational aids, and is certified for unmanned engine-room operation.

Texaco Overseas Tankship Ltd. operates 23 tankers with a total deadweight capacity of almost 2.5 million tons. Texaco's international marine fleets have 130 oceangoing tankers owned or operated under term charter, totaling more than 15 million deadweight tons. This includes 43 mammoth tankers.

Literature Available On New Pressure-Wiper Seal For Hydraulic Cylinders

Literature is now available describing a new Pressure-Wiper Seal, known as the John Crane Type RH/BWC, recently introduced by Crane Packing Company. One-piece construction consists of a special abrasion-resistant elastomer bonded to a metal reinforcing washer, the internal anti-extrusion ring. Two unique designs provide an O.D. lip for positive seal in bore, a heavy-duty I.D. lip for positive rod sealing against fluid pressure and a heavy-duty wiper lip to prevent entry of foreign matter.

The Type RH/BWC Wiper Seal offers a sealing advance over typical "V" packing sets and U-cup arrangements. Benefits include: reduced space requirements, increased bearing space, ease of assembly and disassembly, reduced machining, component and assembly costs and also allows for the use of a shorter cylinder.

Operating conditions include up to 2,500 psi and a temperature range from -40° F to $+250^{\circ}$ F. Other elastomers are available for special operating conditions.

For more information on the John Crane Type RH/BWC Pressure Wiper Seal as explained in Bulletin No. P-3022,

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Hayward Buys Leslie Y-Strainer Line

—Literature Available

The Hayward Manufacturing Co., Elizabeth, N.J., has purchased the Y-Strainer product line of the Leslie Company, Parsippany, N.J. This line of strainers has been made and sold by Leslie for over 50 years.

The product line covers a complete range of sizes with pressures ranging from 125 pounds up to 2,500 pounds. The strainers are made of iron, bronze, carbon steel and stainless steel.

carbon steel and stainless steel.

Hayward is a leading manufacturer of basket strainers in both simplex and duplex types. It is felt that the addition of the Y-Strainer line to their present products will fit in with their general marketing activities and extend their strainer capabilities.

For free literature describing Hayward's complete line of basket and Y-Strainers,

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RCA Gets \$6.35-Million Navy Contract For AEGIS Engineering Support

RCA Corporation, Government Systems Division, Moorestown, N.J., has been awarded a \$6,350,000 modification to a previously awarded contract for additional engineering support to the AEGIS Shipbuilding Project. The Naval Sea Systems Command is the contracting activity. (N00024-79-C-5714)

Disney Joins SeaTec As Manager Of Marketing



Donald G. Disney

SeaTec International, Ltd., Gloucester, Mass., has hired Donald G. Disney to fill the post of international marketing manager. Mr. Disney will be responsible for marketing and sales development of this growing marine construction corporation around the world.

Mr. Disney has spent 32 years in the military, including command and at-sea operational direction of deepsea diving and saturation complexes. He was onsite commander in the U.S. Navy's successful effort to establish a world-record 1,010-foot open sea saturation dive in 1972.

In his most recent position with a major international underwater contractor, Mr. Disney spent six

years as sales and marketing manager.

Mr. Disney lives in Houston and will be based at SeaTec International's Houston office.

TCB River Barge Asks Title XI for Towboat And 80 Barges At \$29.7 Million

TCB River Barge, Inc., a subsidiary of Twin City Barge, Inc., South St. Paul, Minn., has applied to the Maritime Administration for a Title XI guarantee to aid in financing the construction of towboat and 80 river barges.

The barges will be of two types. Forty will be 195-foot-long rake hopper barges. The remainder will be 200-foot box hopper barges. The towboat will be 147 feet long with two 2,600-horsepower diesel engines.

All of the vessels will be operated on the U.S. inland waterways and on the Gulf Intracoastal Canal. They are scheduled to be delivered in 1982. Superior Boat Works, Inc., Greenville, Miss., will build the towboat. No builder has been named for the barges.

If approved, the Title XI guarantee would cover \$22,517,719, or 871/2 percent of the barges' and 75 percent of the towboat's \$29,-710,292 combined estimated cost.

New Furuno ADF Designed For Smaller Vessels— Literature Available

Furuno has packed a highly sensitive, position fixing/homing capability into a compact, easy to install and operate automatic direction finder, the new FD-171, designed with the smaller craft in mind. The FD-171 features digital frequency readouts for easy tuning, and five crystal-controlled spot channels for oftenused signals. An operator just selects the desired band, "tunes in the numbers," and gets compass needle bearing data without 180-degree ambiguity. In the event of a crowded frequency or weak signal, the aural null method allows an operator to switch to manual direction finding.

The accuracy of the Furuno FD-171 is better than +5 degrees, and the unit has a power requirement of only 18 watts. The system uses a fixed cross-loop antenna measuring 65 centimeters (2.13 feet) in diameter, built to withstand any commercial use.

For additional information and free literature on the FD-171. Write 45 on Reader Service Card

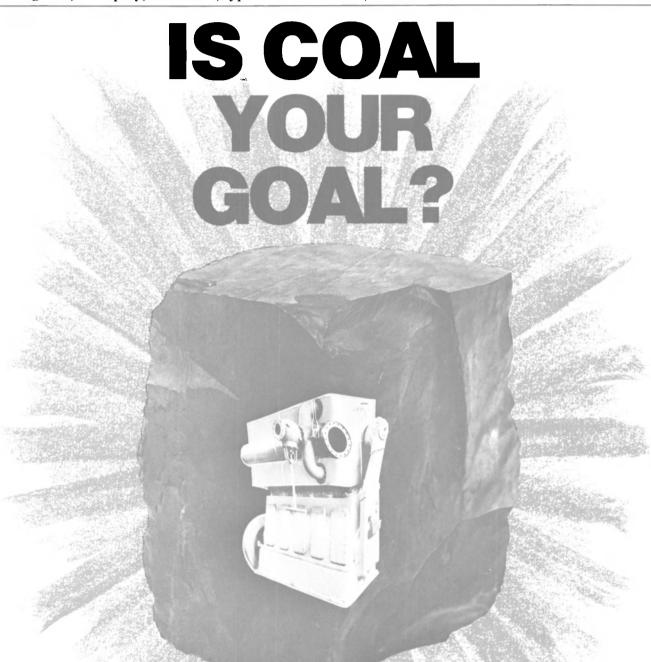
New Brochure Describes Joy Mfg. Ship/Shore **Power Connectors**

Rugged new ship/shore connectors that make connecting and disconnecting docked ships to shore-generated power easier and faster are detailed in a new brochure being offered by Joy Manufacturing Company, LaGrange, N.C. The new Joy three-phase connectors are said to offer several important features. They can handle currents up to 500 amps per phase, continuous, and have a voltage rating of 450 volts. An optional built-in power shut-off switch can withstand even the most harsh operating conditions, including rain, salt spray, humidity, and sunlight. They meet MIL-C-24368 in both the properly mated and unmated conditions.

According to the brochure, Joy ship/shore receptacles were designed to prevent contact misalignment and use a strain relief with an interlocking safety switch. The receptacle withstands shock (Type A, Grade A, Class 1 of MIL-S-901C) and vibration (Type 1 of MIL-Std-167) and features a reinforced ribbed housing for added strength. The fourpage publication also features connector dimensions, assembly dimensions, and mounting requirements and diagrams for each.

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EDO Reorganized—Its Nav/Com Line Will Be **Produced At Texas Plant**

Gerald Albert, president of EDO Corporation, College Point, N.Y., has announced a restructuring of its EDO-Aire operations. The communication and navigation product line, being produced at Fairfield, N.J., will be combined with the auto-pilot

product line at the EDO-Aire facility in Mineral Wells, Texas. This will result in the phasing out of the Fairfield facility and expansion of the facility in Mineral

This integration, scheduled for completion by year-end, will be accomplished under a planned program designed to satisfy all delivery and support commitments. Charles S. Davis will be president of the expanded oper-

ation at Mineral Wells, with Charles D. Hoefelmann as vice president and assistant to the president. Gerald H. Hoffman has been appointed vice president of marketing and James R. Younkin will continue as vice president of research. The position of EDO-Aire Group president is being discontinued and, accordingly, Edward Moore, who formerly held that position, is being re-assigned to the corporate staff and will continue as vice president and director of the corpo-

William E. Bright Elected **VP At Briley Marine**

Charles R. Briley, president and chief executive officer of Briley Marine, Inc., announced the election of William E. Bright as a vice president and director of the company. Mr. Bright joined the company following his retirement after 20 years of service with Tidewater, Inc. Until his retirement, Mr. Bright was executive vice president of that company and was responsible for their worldwide marine activities.

Mr. Bright will be responsible for new construction and serve as a member of the company's

operating committee.
Mr. Briley said: "Mr. Bright has been an industry leader almost from its inception. He is expected to play a major role in our company's growth plans.'

Briley Marine, Inc. operates a fleet of 53 offshore oil and gas service vessels worldwide.

SCNO Barge Lines Names Svilar To Chicago Post

The promotion of Dennis M. Svilar to Chicago area district sales manager for SCNO Barge Lines, Inc., St. Louis, Mo., was announced recently by Fred S. Sherman, president. Mr. Sherman stated that "the selection of Dennis Svilar is an important step in continuing SCNO's goal of fulfilling the transportation needs of our customers." A native of the state of Indiana, Mr. Svilar graduated from Indiana University in 1973, majoring in transportation studies. Prior to joining SCNO in January 1980, he had extensive exposure to all modes of transportation, especially water transportation.

A.L. Burbank & Company **Relocates Hampton Roads** Office To Norfolk

To provide expanded services to Iceland Steamship Company, Ltd. and local agency representation for its other principals, A.L. Burbank & Company, Ltd., announces the relocation of its Hampton Roads office to new and larger quarters in Norfolk. The new address is Suite 710, Wheat Building, P.O. Box 3589, Norfolk, Va. 23514. The new telephone number is (804) 627-4444; the teletype number remains un-changed at 710-882-7525, as does the toll-free 800 number, 466-8317, and the new cable address is Alburcolt, Norfolk.

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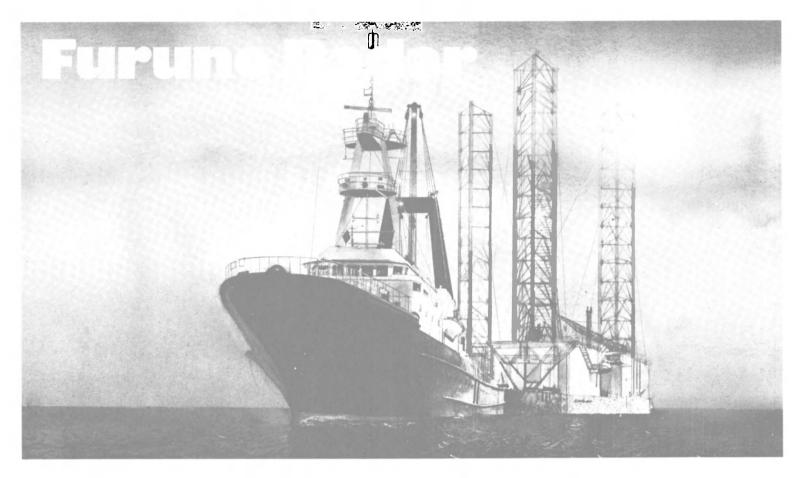
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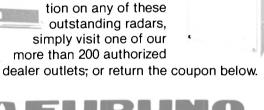
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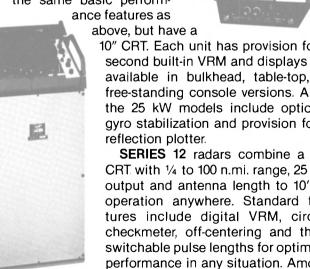


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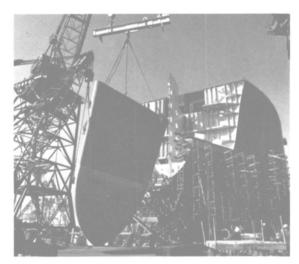
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