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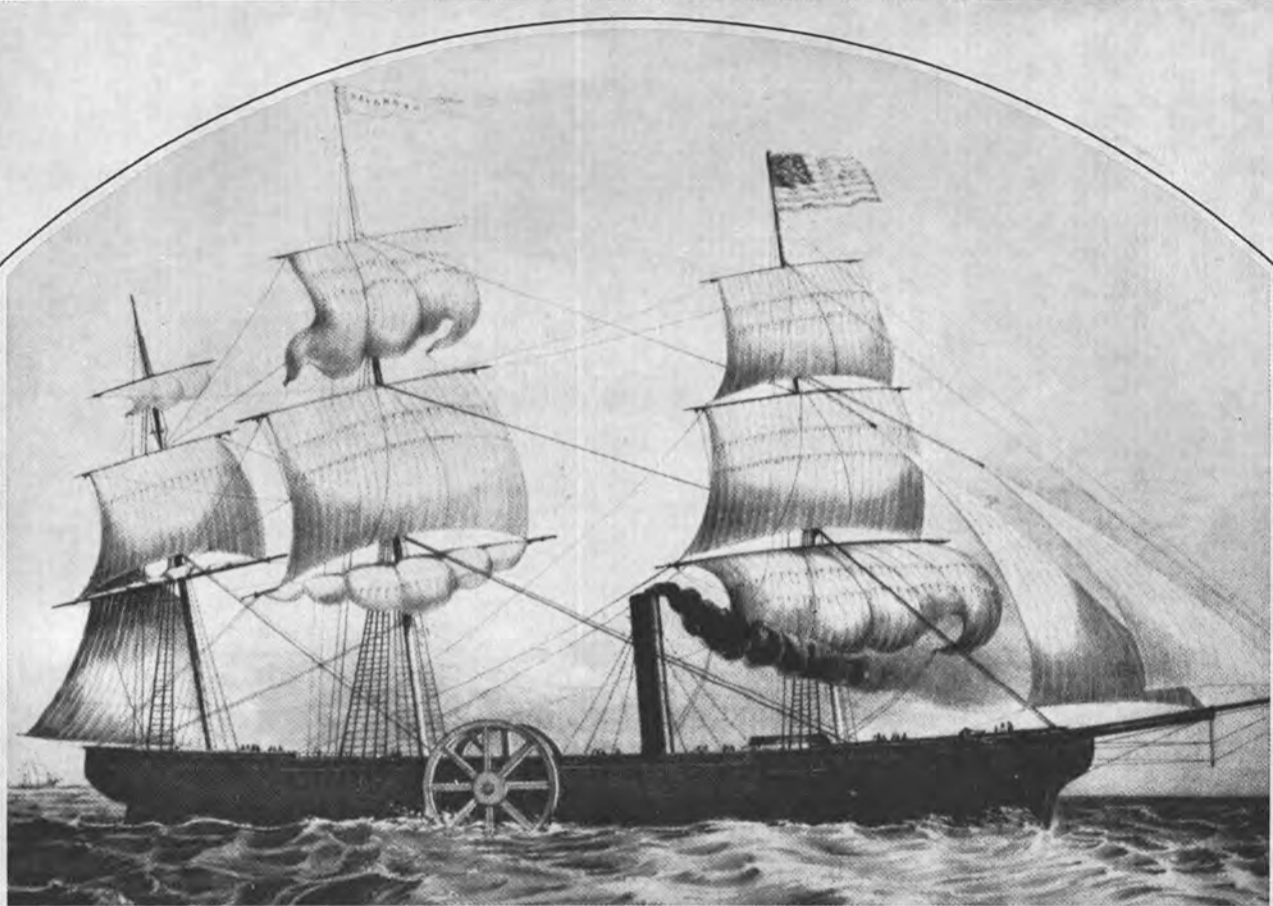


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World-Wide Shipping Orders 170,000-Dwt Tanker From IHI

IHI (Ishikawajima-Harima Heavy Industries Co., Ltd.) recently received an order for a 170,000-dwt tanker from World-Wide (Shipping) Ltd., Hong Kong.

The tanker will be built at the IHI Aioi Shipyard, with delivery scheduled for July 1975. She will have the following approximate dimensions: a length of 915 feet, a breadth of 146 feet, a depth of 81 feet, and a draft of 62 feet.

A 32,000-hp IHI-Sulzer 8RND-105 marine diesel engine will be installed as her main propulsion machinery.

Mitsui Zosen Completes Superdock

A superdock capable of constructing tankers of between 400,000 and 600,000 deadweight tons has recently been completed by Mitsui Zosen, one of Japan's largest shipbuilders. The new dock, located at Chiba City near Tokyo, is intended for bisectonal hull construction.

The dock is about 653 feet long, 236 feet wide and 41 feet deep. Construction of the superdock, started in the fall of 1971, cost more than \$26.6 million.

Oil Transport Barge Requests Title XI For Towboats/Barges

Application for Title XI mortgage and loan insurance in connection with two double-side barges and two twin-screw towboats has been filed with the Maritime Administration by Oil Transport Barge Lines, New Orleans, La. A contract to build both the barges and towboats has been awarded to American Marine Corp., New Orleans. The cost of the towboats will be \$1.3 million each, and the barges will cost \$450,000 each.

Title XI Approved For Construction Of 19 River Barges

A Title XI application from 1973 Barge Leasing Corp., 1 Rockefeller Plaza, New York, N.Y., in connection with 19 dry-cargo river barges has been approved by the Maritime Administration. Dravo Corporation, Pittsburgh, Pa., will build 12 rake-type barges at a cost of \$1,549,632, and seven box-type barges will be built by Twin City Shipyard, Inc., St. Paul, Minn., at a cost of \$917,000.



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"Balboa" owner chooses Waukesha diesels for converted 1000 ton tuna seiner

The 190-ft. long "Balboa," out of Mayaguez, Puerto Rico, fishes tuna in both the Atlantic and the Pacific. She is a converted U.S. Naval vessel and most of the imaginative redesign is the work of owner John Mauricio.

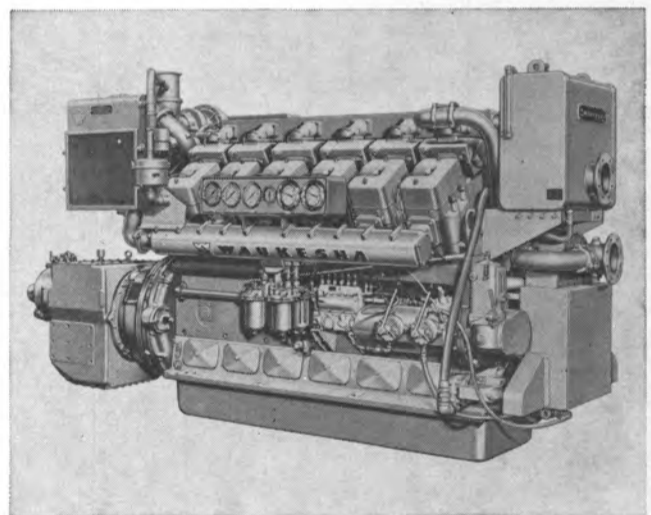
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Two Waukesha VHP L5792 supercharged and intercooled diesels, each rated 1421 continuous horsepower at 1215 rpm, power the twin screws. With her 4-blade, 92 x 92 inch screws turning at 243 rpm at full power, the "Balboa" cruises at speeds up to 14.2 knots.

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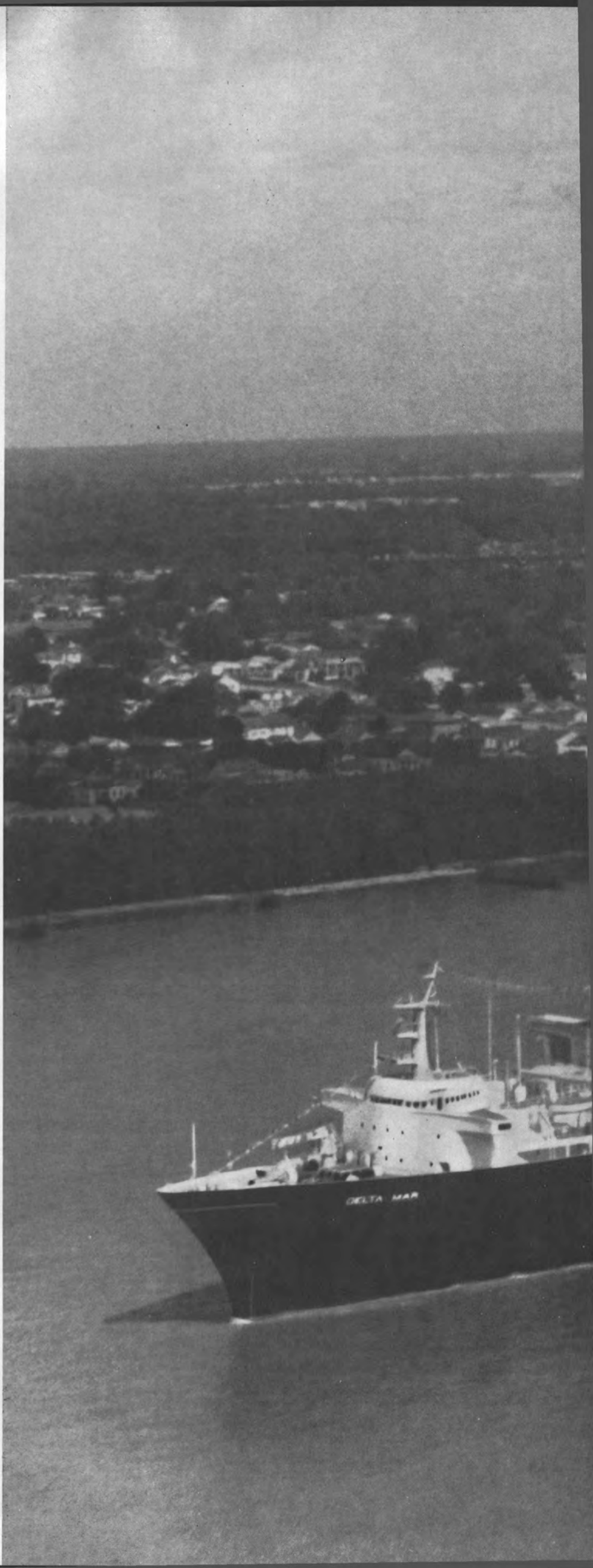
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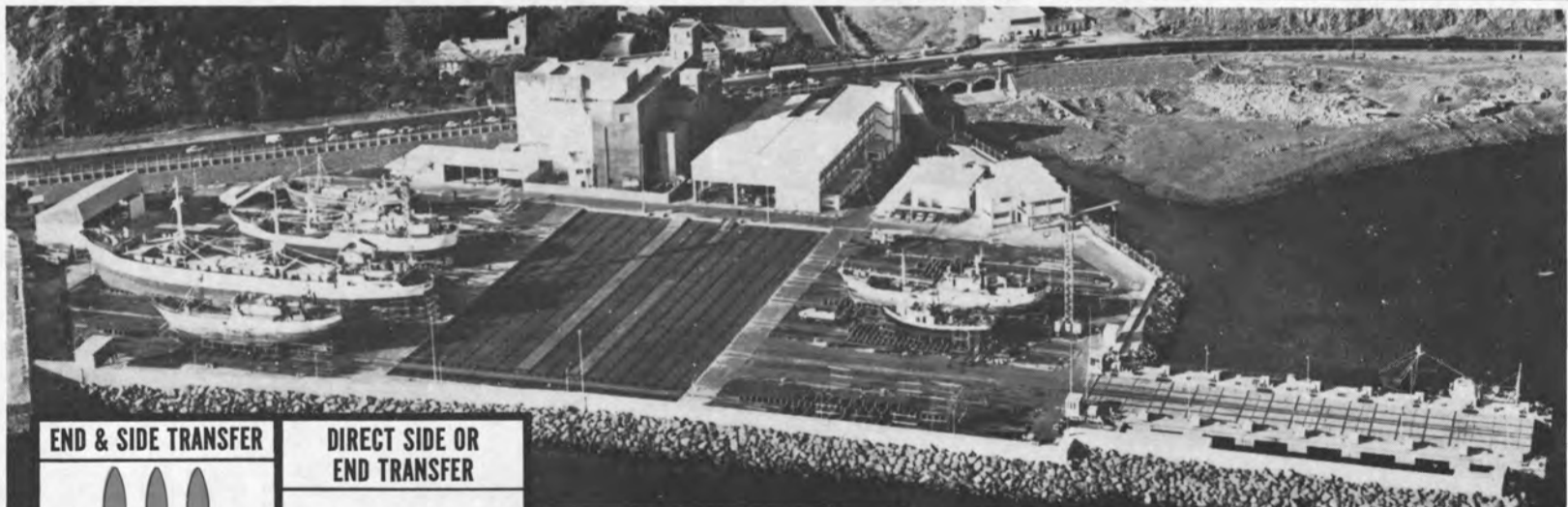
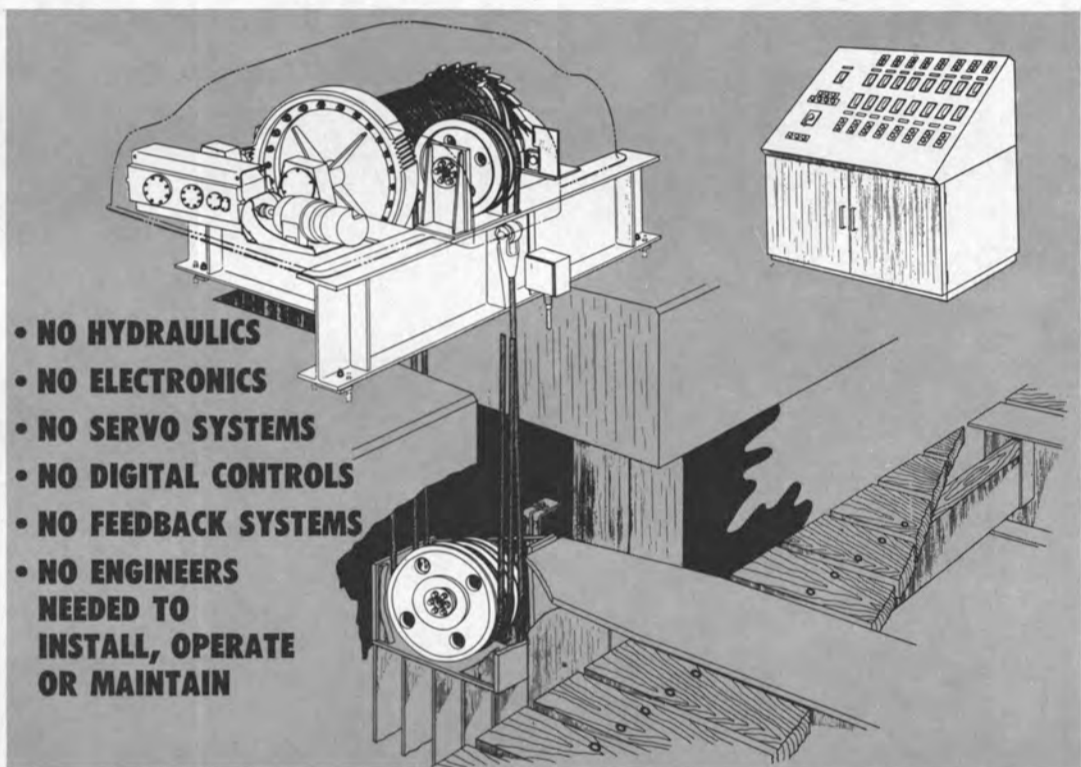
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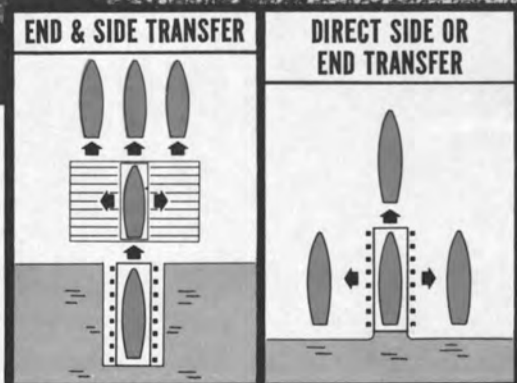
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B.B. Cook Jr. Elected To Delaval Board



Barton B. Cook Jr.

W.J. Holcombe, chairman, Delaval Turbine Inc., recently announced that Barton B. Cook Jr. has been elected director by the board of directors.

Mr. Cook's early service with the company, beginning in 1955, was primarily related to the design and application of marine propulsion systems. Later, he became manager of the marine department and in 1966 was named manager, engineering, of the Turbine Division.

In 1967, Mr. Cook was elected vice president, marketing, and served on the corporate staff in that capacity until 1972, when he was named general manager of the Turbine Division and assumed responsibility of the company's Condenser and Filter Division and its European joint venture, Delaval-Stork V.O.F.

Mr. Cook is a graduate of the University of Michigan, with a B.S.E. degree in naval architecture and marine engineering. Throughout his career, Mr. Cook has been active in The Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers and the American Society of Mechanical Engineers.

Tidewater Earnings Up—Fleet To Be Increased Costing \$40 Million

Tidewater Marine Service, Inc., New Orleans, La.-based surface support contractors to the offshore oil industry, had earnings of 58 cents per share for the first fiscal quarter ended June 30, 1973, compared with 45 cents per share for the same period a year ago, president and board chairman John P. Laborde told shareholders at the company's annual meeting in New Orleans on August 10, 1973.

Net earnings for the first quarter were \$2,270,893, compared with \$1,757,517 last year. Gross revenues were \$16,257,903 for the 1973 quarter, compared with \$14,694,731 a year ago.

The results were the best for any quarter in the company's history, Mr. Laborde said.

Mr. Laborde attributed the results to the fact that business was good in all operational areas with particular emphasis on the U.S. Gulf of Mexico, where three lease sales were successfully completed during the past year with prospects for another in the near future.

Mr. Laborde also noted international recognition of oil and gas shortages has improved the in-

dustry's position worldwide and indicated that demand for the company's services should continue high for the remainder of the fiscal year.

A fleet expansion program involving expenditures of approximately \$40 million in domestic and foreign shipyards is well under way, Mr. Laborde stated, with deliveries due throughout 1973 and into 1974. Financing for this construction has either been arranged or is in the final stages of agreement, he said.

New Orleans Bank Lends \$14 Million For Supply Vesels

A direct loan of \$7 million, and another \$7-million guaranteed loan approved by the Export-Import Bank of the U.S. is being made by the First National Bank of Commerce in New Orleans, La. The loan is in support of a \$17.5-million sale of six offshore supply vessels for use in the North Sea and other offshore drilling sites.

The borrower, Allseas of Panama

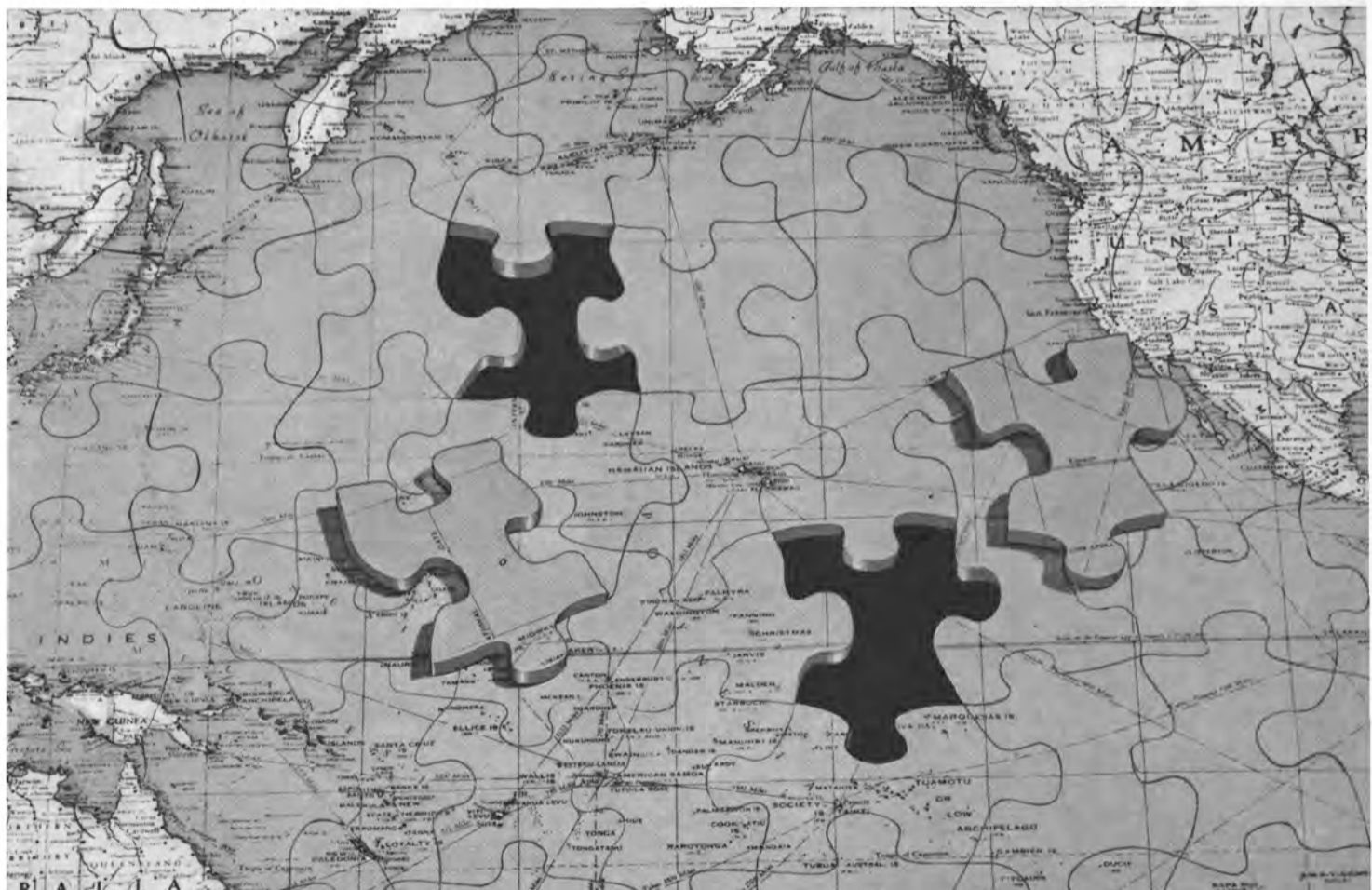
Inc., will make a cash payment of \$3.5 million toward the total costs. Allseas is a new company established to operate tug and supply vessels to serve marine oil rigs.

A spokesman for the Export-Import Bank said the loans are to be repaid in 16 semi-annual installments, beginning November 5, 1974, at an annual interest rate of 6 percent on outstanding balances.

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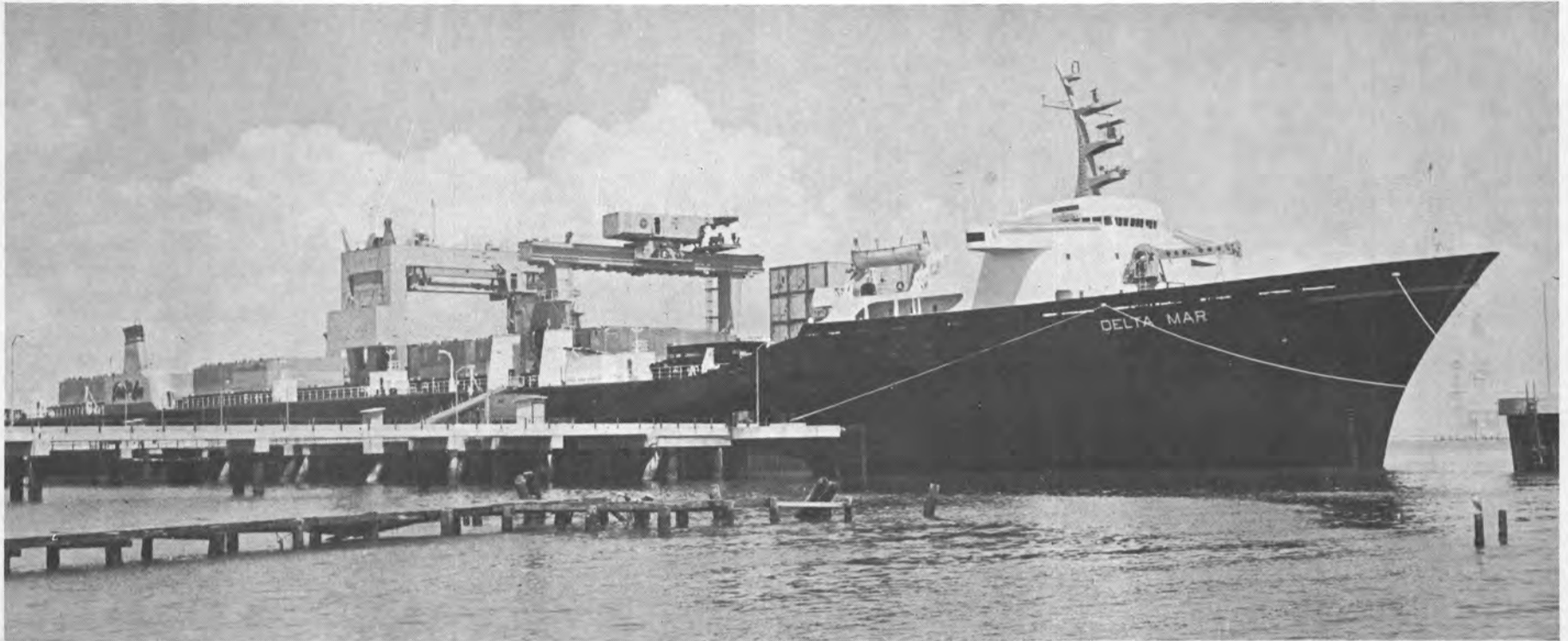
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The Delta Mar tied up in Barbour's Cut, Tex. Both the container crane and the lighter crane can be seen plus containers and lighters stowed on the deck.

Avondale Shipyards Delivers Largest LASH Ship

The DELTA MAR

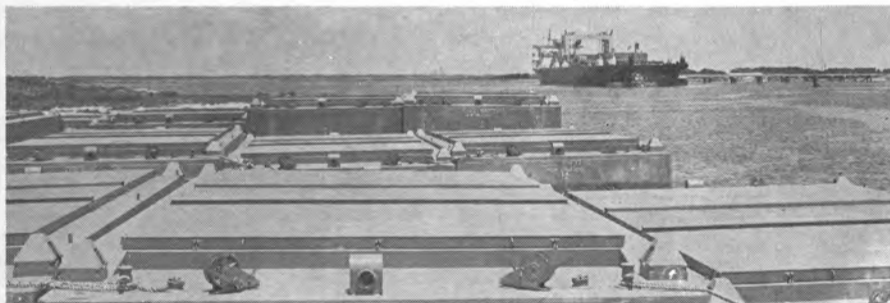
The first of a new design of giant LASH ships, the Delta Mar, was recently delivered to the Delta Steamship Lines of New Orleans. This vessel is the first of three sisterships for Delta, and was built by Avondale Shipyards, Inc., also of New Orleans. Following this group will be three for Central Gulf Lines, Inc. These vessels are the largest unitized cargo liners ever built in the United States.

The new Delta Mar has the distinction of being the first ship contracted for, as well as delivered, under the 1970 Merchant Marine Act.

The Delta Mar and her two sisterships, the

Delta Norte and the Delta Sud, will be in the Gulf, U.S., to the East Coast, South America, trade. Each vessel is initially configured to transport 74 lighters and 288 containers of 20-foot equivalent size. The Waterman and Central Gulf new LASH vessels will transport lighters only in a total amount, per vessel, of 89 lighters. The Delta provides easy adjustment to any ratio of lighters and containers during the life of the ship, from a 100 percent lighter capability of 89 lighters to a 100 percent container usage for 1,740 units of 20-foot equivalent size. Both 20 and 40 foot containers are provided for.

The Delta Mar is the 12th LASH vessel to be completed by the Avondale Shipyards. A previous group of five somewhat smaller vessels have been constructed for Prudential Grace Lines and another group of six for Pacific Far East Line. Four other LASH vessels are also at sea, these being the Moslash two LASH vessels operated by Central Gulf Lines which were constructed in Japan, and the Combi Line two LASH vessels which were constructed in Belgium. The pioneer LASH ship M.V. Acadia Forest, was placed in service nearly four years ago. With the arrival
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A view of the Delta Mar in Barbour's Cut. In the foreground are marshalled lighters tied to the bank in readiness for being taken and lifted on-board the ship.



A stern view of the Delta Mar with a tug going into the slot with a lighter. The fendering system in the stern slot can be seen as well as the crane with a barge.



The Delta Mar taking on her first loaded barge at New Orleans in preparation for the ship's maiden voyage. The massive Morgan crane can lift and transport 455 long tons.

Avondale Shipyard Delivers The Delta Mar

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of the Delta Mar in South American waters LASH vessels will be sailing to all six continents, and the LASH System can truly be said to have achieved world-wide service.

The design of the Delta Mar was developed by the naval architectural firm of Friede & Goldman, Inc., and licensed for use to Delta Lines by LASH Systems, Inc. Jerome L. Goldman, the inventor of LASH, is president of both LASH Systems, Inc. and Friede & Goldman, Inc.

PRINCIPAL CHARACTERISTICS

Length Overall (Extreme)	893 feet
Breadth	100 feet
Design Draft	28 feet
Deadweight (At design draft), long tons	21,300
Scantling Draft	38 feet
Deadweight (At scantling draft), long tons	40,090
Normal Service Speed	22.4 knots
Shaft Horsepower, Continuous	32,000
Barge Capacity	74
Container Capacity, 20-foot	288
Barge Crane Capacity, long tons	455
Container Crane Capacity, long tons	30
Maximum Container Capacity, 20-foot	1,740
Crew Complement	33

GENERAL ARRANGEMENTS

Delta Mar has been constructed in accordance with the requirements of the American Bureau of Shipping to entitle her to the highest class for ships of this type, as well as conforming with the regulations of the Coast Guard.

The profile appearance of the Delta Mar is of the unique type in that the house is located well forward and the machinery located as far aft as possible. This arrangement permits the best part of the vessel to be used for the transport of cargo, and at the same time offers excellent protection for the on-deck stowage of lighters and containers. Officers and crew members are quartered in the forward superstructure. The navigating bridge design is ultra-modern in appearance as well as offering 360 degree visibility. Clear, unobstructed walkaround is provided on the entire bridge deck. Forward of the accommodations and bridge house a stores crane is located on the starboard side for quick and easy handling of stores into the second deck stowage space.

At the aftermost part of the vessel two cantilevers are located which allow the lighter crane to overtravel the vessel for off-loading and on-loading lighters over the stern. The container crane on-loads and off-loads containers over the port or starboard side of the vessel.

Both the lighter crane and the container crane work their respective lighters/containers simultaneously, thus assuring rapid loading or discharging of cargoes.

All holds are so arranged that complete access is had to all lighters and to the cell stow of the containers. All holds are so dimensioned that conversion from lighter to container or from container to lighter hold transport is a relatively simple matter, not requiring shipyard facilities.

Each of the holds, having from one to three vertical cells are secured for sea and on-deck lighter/container stow, by steel pontoon type hatch covers. Handling of the hatch covers is accomplished by the LASH gantry crane in a matter of minutes. As the gantry lighter crane does not travel to the position of Hold No. 1, cell position No. 1, the hatch cover for this cell is of the hydraulic folding type.

To handle the lighters which transport 370 long tons of cargo, a gantry crane having a hoisting capacity of 455 long tons is provided and runs

on rails mounted on both sides of the ship. This crane was manufactured by Morgan Engineering Company of Alliance, Ohio. The crane legs are equipped with guides giving continuity with the cargo hold and stern guides. Lighters are lifted vertically or lowered along these guides either from water level or double bottom top up to the highest point. These guides insure that the lighter does not sway while the crane is traveling along the deck. A load frame is provided which is equipped with a latching device which clamps onto the lighter or hatch cover. A swell compensating device is also provided which allows for latching-on and latching-off a lighter while relative motion between lighter and vessel is experienced.

The lighters are secured in the holds as well as on deck by a system of wedging.

PROPULSION MACHINERY

The Delta Mar is powered by one cross-compound propulsion unit of DeLaval design and manufacture, comprising a high-pressure ahead turbine, a low-pressure turbine including ahead and astern elements, and double-helical, double-reduction gears. The turbines are connected to the reduction gear through flexible, mechanical dental-type couplings. The units provide 32,000 shp to the propeller.

The thrust bearing is of the hydro-dynamic bearing having pivoted-pads of the Kingsbury Inc. design and is located well aft of the reduction gear. Lubrication to this thrust is supplied from the lubrication system of the main-propulsion reduction gear. The bearing is of the horizontal double-equalizing type, having eight thrust shoes on each side of the thrust collar, which is integral with the thrust shaft. The estimated forward thrust load is 350,000 pounds and the total bearing area in square inches being 1,061.

Steam at 850 psi and 950° F is admitted to the h-p turbine inlet through the DeLaval throttle arrangement which incorporates hydraulic power assist features thus providing a means of interfacing the ship's control system with the turbine ahead and astern control valves.

The condenser is a rectangular, peripheral-flow, single-pass unit. The condenser is arranged to support the l-p turbine, being bolted rigidly to the l-p turbine exhaust. Circulating water is supplied by a scoop injection method, along with a circulating pump for slow-speed operation and maneuvering.

Steam is generated by means of two Combustion Engineering single-cased welded-wall construction units, with oil burners located in the furnace roof. Each unit is composed of a steam drum and a water drum connected by a bank of inclined generating tubes. The units are further provided with floor-screen tubes which shield the

superheater elements from direct radiant heat of the furnace. Frontwall/roof tubes, sidewall tubes, lower frontwall header, upper and lower sidewall headers, and external downcomers are provided. Sidewall tubes connect the upper and lower sidewall headers. Each tube in the furnace floor, roof, side and front wall is joined to the adjacent tube by a welded fin. In this welded-wall construction, the tubes form a gas-tight enclosure on three sides of the furnace. The need for insulation and refractory has therefore been greatly reduced. A superheater, auxiliary and control desuperheater and economizer are further provided. Burners are located in the roof, firing downward and evenly across the screen, superheater, and generating bank.

The electrical power for the vessel is supplied by two 2,000-kw electrical generators. One is steam-turbo driven while the other is diesel driven. The steam turbine-generator is provided with a reduction gear all being mounted on a supporting-type base plate. The unit is so arranged that the exhaust steam from the turbine flows downward into the ship's main condenser.

Characteristics of the unit are: No. of stages 5, speed rpm 10,638, steam pressure psig at throttle 850, steam temperature °FTT 950, exhaust pressure in. Hg abs 1.5, reduction gear output shaft-speed rpm 1200.

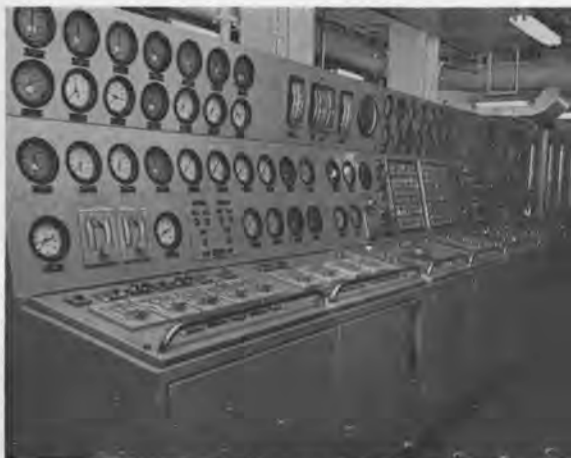
The other generator is diesel driven. The diesel is in a 16 cylinder "V" block arrangement capable of developing 2,793 rated brake horsepower. The unit is in a standby status and is equipped with necessary controls to automatically start the engine on failure of the normal power source and bring the engine to generator operating speed, ready to assume load.

DECK MACHINERY

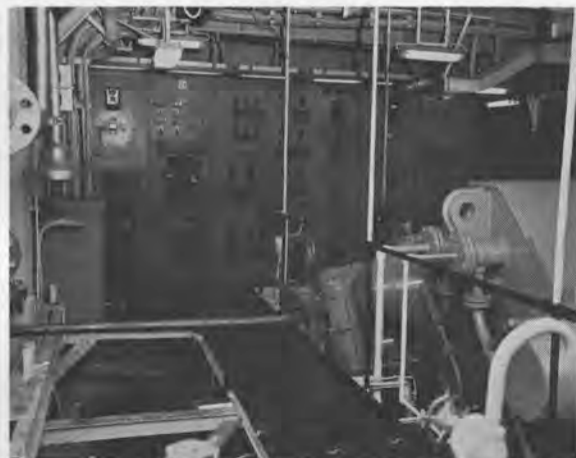
The lighter handling crane is the product of Morgan Engineering Company of Alliance, Ohio. The crane is provided with four independent gantry drives which move the crane and its load fore and aft. Positive rack-type drives assure full traction under all conditions of operation. Should one, or even two, of these gantry drives be out of service, the remaining drives can still propel the crane at reduced speed. The hoisting arrangements consist essentially of four hoisting drums and associated pairs of blocks. Each hoist is driven by its own electric motor. In turn, the hoist drive gears are so arranged that one or two of the motors can be out of service, and still the crane will be operable at reduced speed.

The container-handling crane is the product of Skagit Corporation of Sedro-Woolley, Washington.

The crane is provided in an "L" configuration having forward and after gantry trucks located
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The engine room central control console where all engineering watch functions are conducted. Shown are the boiler, engine, auxiliary and electrical controls.



A view of a distribution panel located outboard of the main engine, port side. The low-pressure turbine casing is viewed along with the jacking gear.

on the extreme ends of the horizontal members. Vertical structural members are positioned toward the after part of these horizontal structurals upon which a transverse beam is provided to accommodate an athwartships travelling hoisting cab. As the containers are placed in a forward and aft position on the dock for pick-up/or discharge by the crane, and the containers are placed athwartship while on-board, the cab rotates to accommodate this requirement.

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ACCOMMODATIONS

The accommodations provided are of the highest standard. Located on the cabin deck are the captain, deck officers, and radio officer's quarters. A passenger stateroom and day room are also located on this deck, while on the upper deck the engineering staff is accommodated along with the officers' lounge and a passenger stateroom. All staterooms are furnished to the highest standards along with complete and individual toilet/shower facilities.

The main deck accommodates the other members which make up for the remainder of the crew, being the able-bodied seamen, ordinary seamen, electricians, stewards, and firemen/water tenders.

Provisioning for the need of the crew is accomplished by the use of 8 x 8 x 10 foot, food/linen/stores containers, which lend themselves to rapid and efficient handling on and off the vessel. Additionally to these, refrigerated containers, permanent chill, and freeze boxes are provided for the vessels every day needs. Electrically operated fork lift trucks are utilized for the handling of the containers to and from the hatch opening area which is serviced by the rapid handling stores crane located on the main deck.

NAVIGATION EQUIPMENT

The Delta Mar is controlled and maneuvered from a central console located in the 360-degree visibility wheelhouse. This bridge is fitted with one main combined console which in turn has a radar unit located on both the port and starboard sides. The radar on the port side being the true motion unit while the unit on the starboard side has the relative motion radar. Behind this conning station a chart room is located. This station has blackout arrangements for versatility as required for its use at all times. Located for-



Shown on the platform when the Delta Mar was launched are, from left, **Jerome L. Goldman**, LASH designer and president of Friede & Goldman, Inc., naval architects; **Jorge O. Petterson**, president of the Latin American Shipowners Association; U.S. Representative **Leonor K. Sullivan** (D-Mo.), Chairman of the Merchant Marine and Fisheries Committee of the House of Representatives, and sponsor for the Delta Mar; **Robert J. Blackwell**, Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Maritime Affairs, and **Capt. J.W. Clark**, president of Delta Steamship Lines.

ward of the central control console, on the bridge front, is a gyro repeater, a VHF unit, and a shaft RPM indicator.

The following instruments are located within the confines of the chart room. An Omega receiver, a depth finder, wind speed and direction, chronometer, course recorder and recording Fathometer. Located outside the chart room are the master gyro compass, the smoke detector, log recorder, auto dial telephones, inclinometer, and clock.

The radars were provided by the Radiomarine Corporation and supplied as a type CRM-NID-75 True Motion 3CM unit, and a type CRM-NIC-75 Relative Motion 3CM unit.

The master gyro was provided by the Sperry Rand Corporation. The unit is a Mark 227 Mod. 0 gyro compass.

Two depth recorders are provided, one being an ITT Mackay Marine Model DE-741 unit which utilizes a chart and the other a Raytheon Company Model DE-740 Digital Fathometer. The chart unit is located within the chart room while the digital unit is located at the conning station.

Capt. **J.W. Clark**, president of Delta, stated: "It is of particular significance to the Gulf Coast and to the nation that these advanced vessels will specifically serve the South American trades. We believe these high-capacity and highly adaptable ships will have the ca-

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The chief engineer's day room and office is spacious. Similar day room and office is provided for the captain.



This view of the pilot house shows the bridge console with conning station, throttle control, watch call buttons, navigation lights, etc. centrally located between the radars.



The chart room is located centrally behind the pilot house. An Omega receiver, a depth finder, wind speed and direction indicator and other instruments are in this room.

J.O. Crooke Retires From Bethlehem Steel Shipbuilding Division

The retirement, effective August 31, of J.O. Crooke, general manager of the Beaumont, Texas, shipyard of Bethlehem Steel Corporation, was announced by Walter F. Williams, vice president-shipbuilding for the corporation.

Mr. Crooke, who is also retiring from the position of executive vice

president and director of Bethlehem Singapore Private Ltd., a Singapore shipyard, is completing 32 years of service with Bethlehem and its predecessor company at Beaumont.

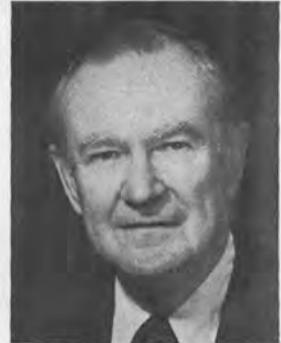
Mr. Crooke, a director of Union State Bank in Beaumont, was elected president of the bank earlier this year, and will devote full time to his duties as bank president.

A native of Conroe, Texas, he attended Houston Law School, La-

mar University and the University of Texas. He is a registered professional engineer in Texas, both in structural and industrial engineering.

He joined the engineering department of Pennsylvania Shipyards Inc. in Beaumont in August 1941, and subsequently served as draftsman, supervisor of controlled materials and assistant to naval architect. When Bethlehem acquired the yard in 1947, Mr. Crooke be-

came assistant to superintendent of sales. He later served as assistant superintendent of sales and development, superintendent of planning and production, assistant to manager, and assistant manager. He was named manager in 1962 and general manager in 1964.



J.O. Crooke

Mr. Crooke is active in civic affairs and has served on the board of directors of the Beaumont Chamber of Commerce for eight years. He is also a former vice president of the chamber. He is a past president of the Beaumont Rotary Club and served on the club's board of directors for five years. He is a former president and life member of the Beaumont Junior Chamber of Commerce and is a member of the Young Men's Business League. He is also president of the Beaumont Club.

He has served on the advisory board of the Beaumont Council on Alcoholism and is chairman of the advisory board of St. Elizabeth Hospital. He has served on the official board of Trinity Methodist Church and is also a member of the board of trustees of The Central City Development Corp.

Mr. Crooke is a former director of Greater Beaumont Inc. and a former member of the board of trustees and vice chairman of United Appeals. He is a member of The Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers and is currently chairman-elect of the Gulf Section of the Society. He is also an active member of other civic organizations and numerous professional organizations, including The Propeller Club, American Management Association, and Texas Manufacturers Association.

Norton, Lilly Names Captain Mihajlovic VP, Gulf Operations

Norton, Lilly & Company, Inc. has announced the appointment of Capt. D. Mihajlovic as vice president in charge of their Gulf operations.

Captain Mihajlovic, who is based in Houston, Texas, has had extensive experience in the shipping business and previously held management positions with American Export Isbrandtsen Lines, Inc. and States Marine-Isthmian Agency, Inc.

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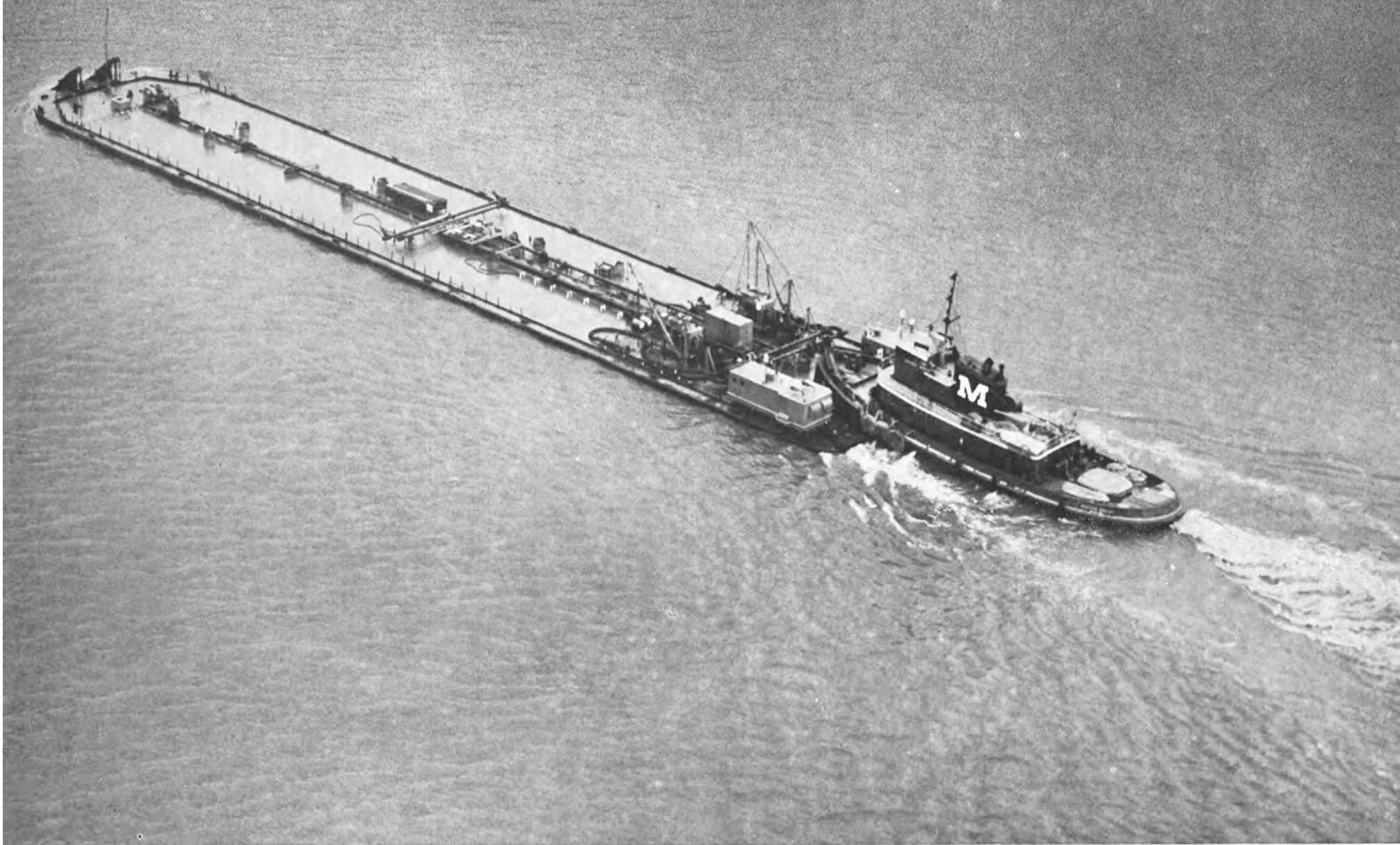
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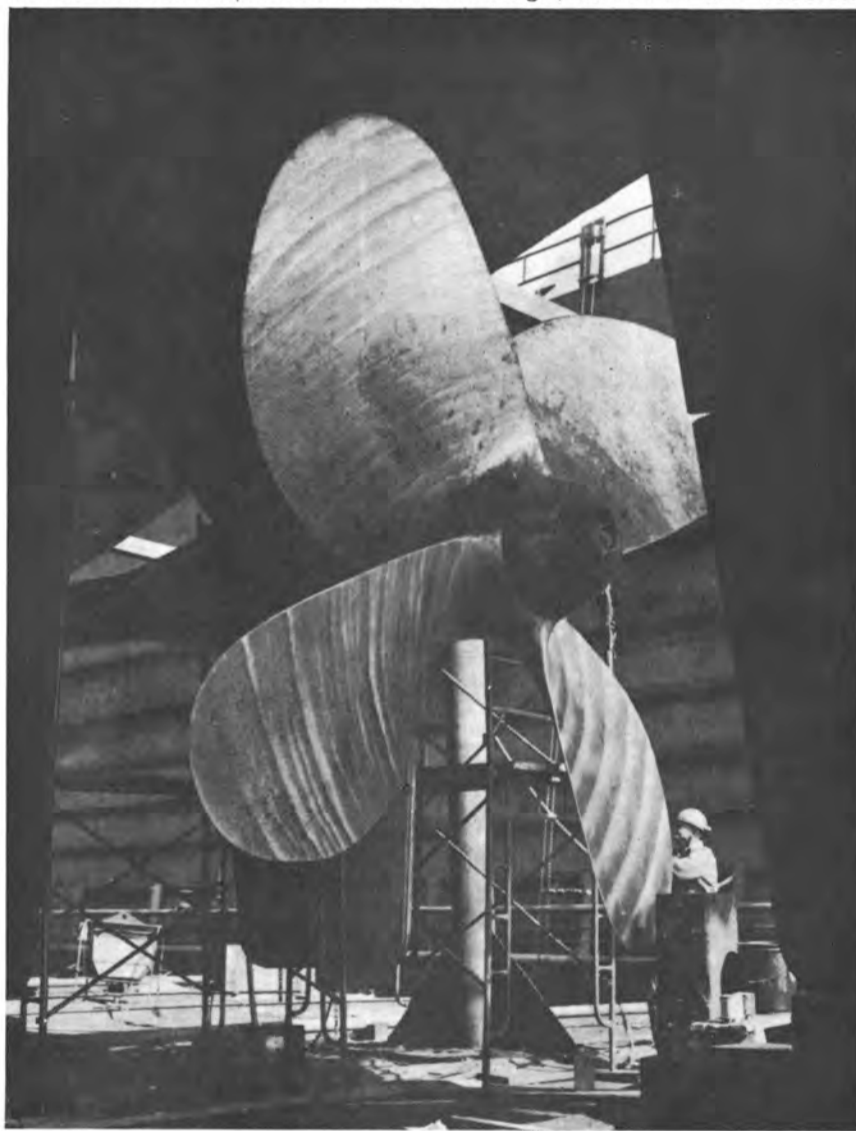
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NASSCO Announces Three Promotions



Harry R. Hipwell



George V. Tonner



Grover Edwards

National Steel and Shipbuilding Company, San Diego, Calif., has announced the following promotions: **Harry R. Hipwell** was advanced to the position of hull superintendent; **George V. Tonner** has been promoted to contracts administrator, repair division, and **Grover Edwards** has been promoted to assistant superintendent, welding.

Mr. Hipwell will report to **Ernest Schneider**. A graduate of New Brighton Technical School of Walsley, England, Mr. Hipwell has been with NASSCO for 14 years, serving in various supervisory positions. His most recent assignment has been that of assistant superintendent, hull department.

Mr. Hipwell is a member of The Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers and the past president of the NASSCO Management Club and the San Diego Area Council of Management Clubs.

Mr. Tonner will report to **William T. Egan**, vice president, administration. Mr. Tonner was born in San Francisco but at the age of five went to England with his parents. He was schooled at Blackpool Technical College and completed his apprenticeship training with Lusse Bros., an electrical manufacturer, also of Blackpool.

In 1955, Mr. Tonner returned to America, settled in San Diego, Calif., and went to work for Ets-Hokin-Galvan, Electrical Contractors.

He joined NASSCO in 1957 as a journeyman electrician and was soon advanced to leadman. He transferred to the repair estimating department in 1960 as an electrical estimator and for the past eight years has supervised the department.

Mr. Edwards will report to **Ray Parrott**, welding superintendent. In his new assignment, Mr. Edwards will in addition to assuming

greater supervisory responsibilities, provide instruction and technical advice to new construction and repair on welding production processes. He will also be involved in the development of new welding processes and setups.

Mr. Edwards was born in Tuskegee, Ala. He is a graduate of Tuskegee Institute High School and learned his profession at San Diego City College and at a U.S. Navy Welding School.

Mr. Edwards joined National Steel and Shipbuilding Company (NASSCO) in 1960 as a production welder. Since that time, he has held jobs with increasing responsibilities. For the past three years, he has held the position of general foreman, welding.

He is a member of the American Welding Society and the National Steel and Shipbuilding Company Management Club.

Marlin Drilling Orders Semisubmersible Unit From Beth-Beaumont

A semisubmersible drilling unit, to be named the Marlin No. 7, has been ordered from the Bethlehem Steel Corporation's Beaumont, Texas, shipyard by Marlin Drilling Co., Inc.

The vessel will be capable of drilling a 30,000-foot well in water up to 1,000 feet deep.

The unit, which will have two rectangular lower hulls to provide good towing characteristics, is scheduled for delivery in March 1975.

Tangarone Appointed Controller Of C-E Marine Division



Robert J. Tangarone

Robert J. Tangarone has been appointed controller, C-E Marine Division, Windsor, Conn., a unit of C-E's Windsor-based Industrial Group, according to **William C. Freeman**, general manager.

Mr. Tangarone joined C-E in 1970, and has held positions in marine engineering, service, erection, contract administration, and proposition/cost estimating.

He received a B.S. degree in mechanical engineering from the University of Connecticut and is currently completing an M.B.A. program at the University of Hartford.

Mr. Tangarone is a member of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers.

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Colt Industries' Power Systems Div. Promotes Phillips

The promotion of E.J. Phillips to manager of renewal parts marketing for Colt Industries' Fairbanks Morse Power Systems Division was announced by B.W. Feldmiller, vice president, customer service.

Mr. Phillips joined the company

in 1935 in the apprentice training program. He advanced through manufacturing management positions in the Beloit, Wis., plant and was later involved in field sales and service. Before returning to Beloit in 1968, he was manager of an Eastern region customer service office.

In announcing the promotion, Mr. Feldmiller pointed out that additional emphasis is being placed

on expanded customer service as an important factor in company growth. He stressed the extensive background and management experience of Mr. Phillips as being of extreme value in the implementation of an expanded customer service program.

In his new position, Mr. Phillips will be responsible for all renewal parts sales nationwide, as well as the foreign export market and Canada.

Bethlehem Names Leaf General Manager Beaumont Shipyard



Ralph A. Leaf

The appointment, effective September 1, of Ralph A. Leaf as general manager of the Beaumont, Texas, shipyard of Bethlehem Steel Corporation, was announced by Walter F. Williams, vice president, shipbuilding, for the corporation.

Mr. Leaf, who is advancing from assistant general manager of the yard, will succeed J.O. Croke, who retired August 31.

A native of Baltimore, Md., Mr. Leaf studied mechanical and civil engineering at Johns Hopkins University, as well as ship production and management development courses sponsored by the Massachusetts Institute of Technology and the University of Baltimore. He is a professional engineer in the state of Maryland and a member of the American Society of Naval Engineers and The Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers.

He joined Bethlehem Steel as a draftsman at its Baltimore ship repair yard in 1937, and through the years was promoted to naval architect, technical superintendent, assistant to manager, and assistant manager. He was transferred to the Beaumont yard as assistant manager in November 1965.

Mr. Leaf is a member of the Rotary International and a board member of The Propeller Club of the Port of Sabine, Texas. He is a member of the Beaumont Chamber of Commerce and serves on its waterways committee, industrial development transportation committee, and advisory council for technical-vocational education. He also serves on the board of directors of the YMCA, is chairman of the board of trustees of All Saints Episcopal School, and was a division chairman in the United Appeals Campaign in 1970, 1971 and 1972.

Oskarshamn Shipyard Wins \$124,000,000 Order For 7 Tankers

The Oskarshamn Shipyard in south Sweden has won an order valued at approximately \$124,000,000 for the delivery of seven tankers to M.A. Karagorgis, a Greek shipowner.

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Gene M. Woodfin has been elected as president of Marathon Manufacturing Company, Houston, Texas, one of the world's largest producers of drilling rigs for the offshore industry. He succeeds Wayne D. Harbin in that capacity.

Mr. Harbin will continue to serve the company as a director and chairman of the board. A spokesman for the company stated that Mr. Harbin will remain as an integral part of the management of the company and will work with Mr. Woodfin in directing the company's operations. Mr. Woodfin was also elected a director of the company, along with J.R. Butler of Houston, chairman of the board of Butler, Miller & Lents, Ltd., oil consultants.

Mr. Woodfin has been a partner in Loeb, Rhoades & Co., a leading investment banking firm in New York City, since 1959. Before going with Loeb, Rhoades & Co., he was a partner in the firm of Vinson, Elkins, Searls, Connally & Smith in Houston, where he specialized in oil, gas and corporate law. Mr. Woodfin was an officer in the United States Navy from 1942 to 1945 and is a native of Paris, Texas, and a graduate of the University of Texas and the University of Texas Law School. Mr. Woodfin is currently a director of Apco Oil Corporation, Susquehanna Corp. and Jim Walter Investments, as well as other Corporations. He is also the president and a director of the University of Texas Foundation at Austin, Texas.

Mr. Harbin stated: "I am pleased to have a man of Mr. Woodfin's business experience join the company, and I am looking forward to working with him in continuing the success of Marathon."

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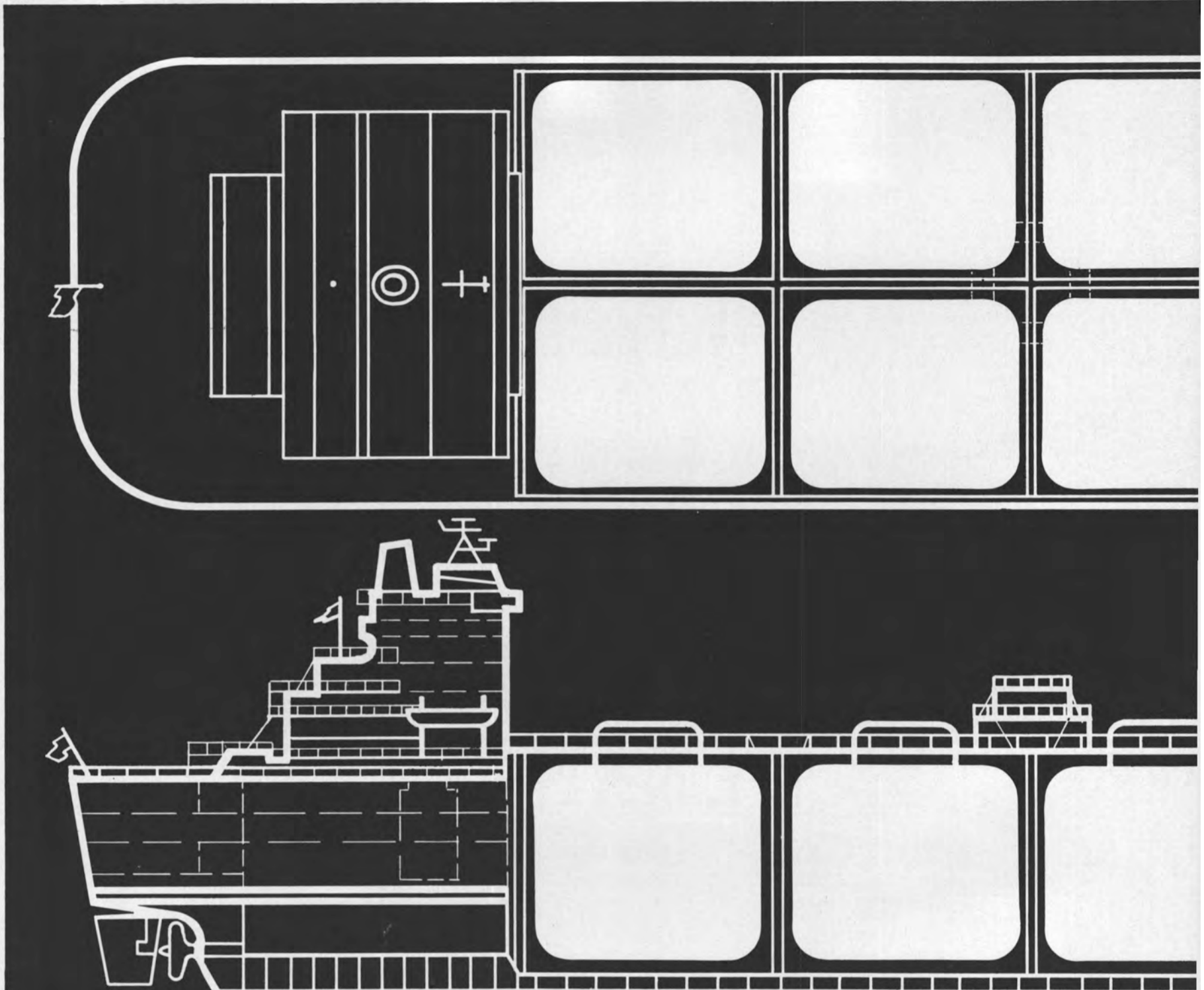


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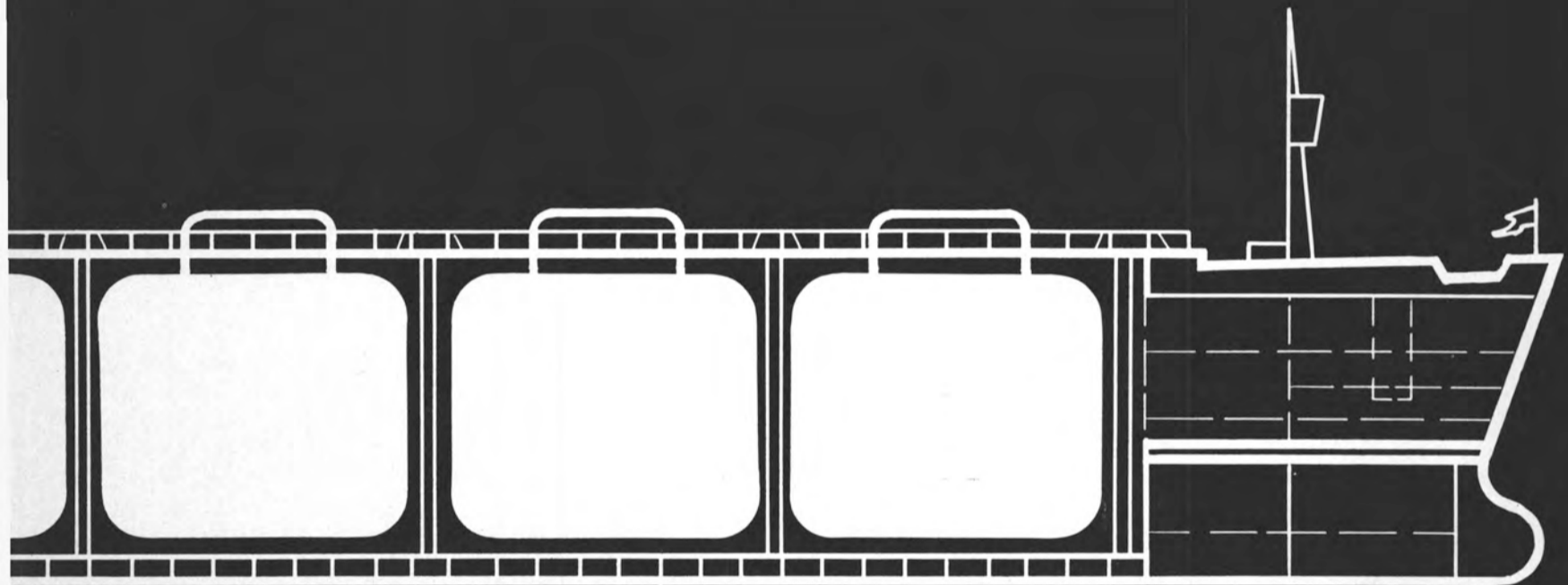
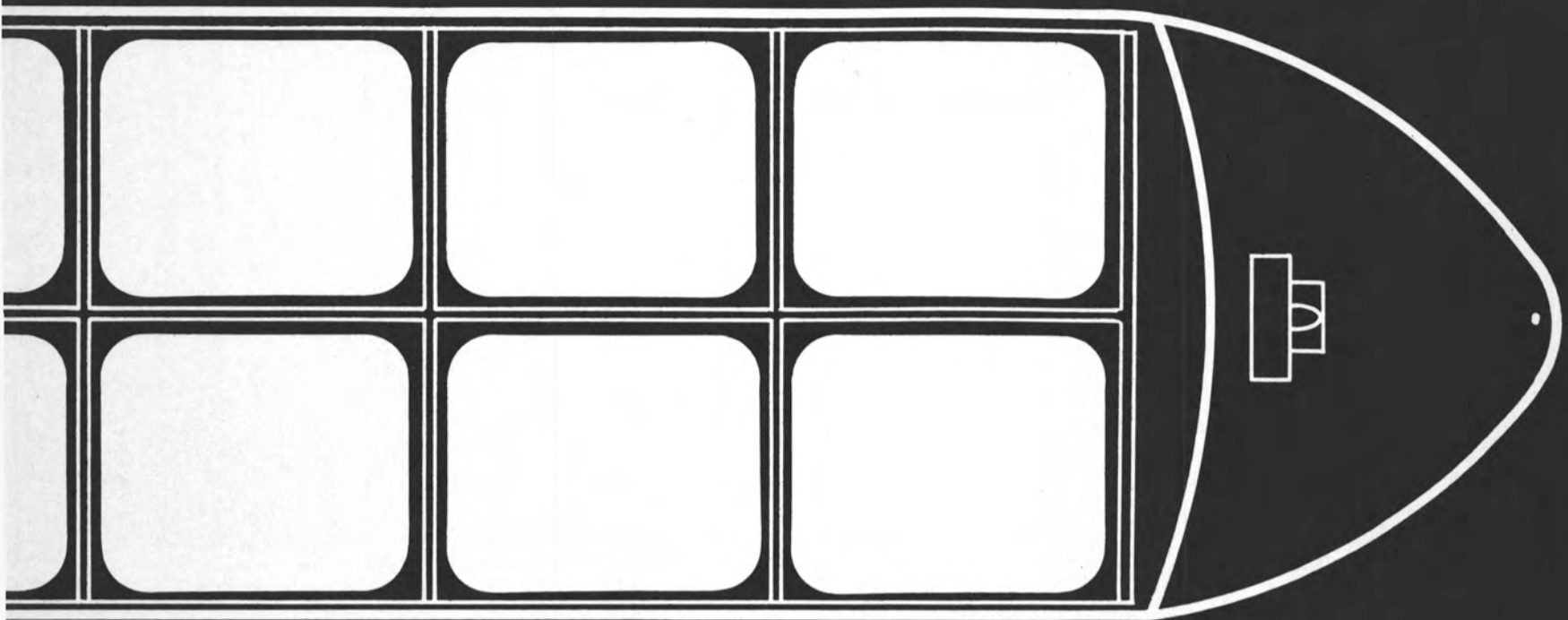
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Evans Succeeds Romberg As NASSCO Chief Naval Architect



Kenneth Evans



Capt. Albert K. Romberg

The advancement of **Kenneth Evans** to the position of chief naval architect at National Steel and Shipbuilding Co., San Diego, Calif. 92112, was announced by **John B. Letherbury**, vice president, engineering. He will fill the position vacated by **Capt. Albert K. Romberg**, who recently retired. Mr. **Evans** will report to the vice president, engineering, in carrying out his duties.

Mr. **Evans** is a native of Sunderland, England. He was schooled in naval architecture at Sunderland Technical College and alternately served a five-year apprenticeship as ship draftsman at Bartram and Sons, Ltd., also of Sunderland.

From 1954 to 1956, Mr. **Evans** was a design engineer and estimator for Furness Shipbuilding Company of Hoverton Hill, England.

He served as supervisor of the naval architects department of Davie Shipbuilding Company of Quebec, P.Q., Canada, from 1956 to 1961.

Since joining NASSCO in 1961, Mr. **Evans** has served as assistant naval architect, where

he was responsible for all hull design calculations and associated drawings with follow-up through detail design of working plans for both commercial and Naval vessels.

Mr. **Evans** has co-authored two technical papers entitled "Launching," and "Design and Construction of the 80,500-dwt OBOs." Both were presented to the San Diego Section of The Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers.

He is a member of The Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers, and the Royal Institution of Naval Architects.

Captain **Romberg**, U.S. Navy (ret.), a U.S. Naval Academy graduate, attended Massachusetts Institute of Technology and the Industrial College of the Armed Forces.

Captain **Romberg** served 26 years in the Navy as a commissioned officer in the Bureau of Ships, 12 years in various Naval shipyards, with progressive responsibilities in engineering and production. His last assignment was as commanding officer of the Naval Repair Facility in San Diego.

For the past 13 years, Captain **Romberg** has served as naval architect at National Steel and Shipbuilding Co., the last 10 as chief naval architect.

LNG Study Available From H.P. Drewry Ltd.

The publication of a study entitled "World Trade in Liquefied Natural Gas" has been announced by H.P. Drewry (Shipping Consultants) Ltd. According to the organization, the study closely examines the worldwide demand for gas and the geographical distribution of gas reserves in an attempt to quantify the scope for expansion in international LNG trades and the possible derived demand for LNG tankers.

Copies may be obtained from Drewry at 87 91 New Bond Street, London, W1Y 9LA.



NEW TYPE UNLOADER: A new concept for faster bulk unloading will be put into operation later this year upon delivery of a Catenary Unloader to Goodpasture, Inc., Brownfield, Texas. Built by Paceco, a division of Fruehauf Corporation, the Catenary Unloader consists of an endless line of buckets connected by wire rope and suspended from a hinged boom with special sprockets. The suspended line of buckets form a catenary loop which affords unusual unloading versatility. As the bucket line moves, it digs and fills at a steady rate regardless of depth of material. Maneuvered by the hinged boom, buckets reach into the remote areas of a ship's hold and clean up with practically no residual. The new unloader will be operated by Shippers Stevedoring Company at Galena Park on the Houston Ship Channel, Texas. Material to be handled will be clinker cement, barytes, titanium sand, fertilizer, and phosphate rock.

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Shipbuilding Contracts Pending Before MarAd

Speculation as to merchant shipbuilding involving construction differential subsidy (CDS) funds, which might be awarded in the near future, centers on the following applications now pending before the Maritime Administration:

Three 38,200-dwt tankers for Moore-McCormack Lines, Inc. to be built by National Steel & Shipbuilding Co., San Diego, Calif.

Seven 80,500-dwt oil/bulk/ore (OBO) vessels—three for Hedge Haven Farms, Inc. and four for American Trading and Production Corp.—to be built by Todd Shipyards Corp., San Pedro, Calif.

Two 125,000-cubic-meter liquefied natural gas (LNG) carriers for subsidiaries of Amoco International Oil Co. and Natural Gas Pipeline Co. of America to be built by Tenneco's Newport News Shipbuilding, Newport News, Va.

Six 380,000-dwt very large crude

carriers (VLCCs) for affiliates of Burmah Oil Co. to be built in the new Todd Shipyards Corp. facility at Galveston, Texas.

Two 265,000-dwt VLCCs for a subsidiary of Maritime Fruit Carriers Co., Ltd., to be built by Bethlehem Steel Corp., Sparrows Point, Md.

Four conversions of 13,500-dwt Challenger class freighters to 80,000-dwt tankers for United States Lines, Inc.—shipyard not yet selected.

Other active possibilities for U.S. yards, according to industry sources,

are said to include three 55,000-dwt wood product carriers, two 120,000-dwt tankers, three 100,000-dwt ocean-going tug-barge systems for coal transport, and four to six additional 125,000-cubic-meter LNGs, plus conversion of two liquefied petroleum gas (LPG) carriers.

In addition, Suwannee River Lines, newly formed subsidiary of Occidental Petroleum Corp., has applied to the Maritime Administration for CDS in the construction of six 67,000-dwt chemical carriers to transport superphosphoric acid from the United States to Soviet ports and to bring ammonia back to the United States as part of a trade agreement Occidental concluded earlier this year with the Soviet Union. The cost of the ships is placed at \$348 million.

National Steel & Shipbuilding Co. and Overseas Shipholding Group, Inc. have reached tentative agreement on construction of four 89,000-dwt tankers for operation in U.S. domestic trades at an estimated price of \$120 million. Three would be delivered in 1977 and one in early 1978. Title XI Federal mortgage insurance guarantee is sought, and agreement supersedes the conditional contract announced in March covering the same vessels based on CDS.

Concerning CDS, shipbuilding contracts awarded in late June seemingly exhausted available funds, except for \$50 million deferred for commitment in FY '74 by the Nixon Administration and \$30 million set aside for acquisition of existing vessels for the reserve fleet. A budget request for FY '74 would provide an additional \$275 million, but these funds, though authorized, have not yet been appropriated by Congress.

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Sol Frisch has been elected a vice president of General American Transportation Corp. (GATX), Chicago, Ill., it was announced by chairman T.M. Thompson.

Mr. Frisch is also a vice president, director, and member of the executive committee of American Steamship Co., a subsidiary of GATX.

A licensed professional engineer for more than 30 years, Mr. Frisch joined the GATX engineering staff in 1945. He subsequently held a number of engineering, sales, and marketing positions, and in 1968 was assigned to corporate planning to work on special assignments for management.

A native of New York City, he holds engineering degrees from Cooper Union and New York University.

Acadian Marine Service Appoints J.R. Jumonville



J. Robert Jumonville

J. Robert Jumonville has been appointed administration manager of Acadian Marine Service, Inc. Mr. Jumonville will work out of the company's New Orleans office and will have responsibilities in Acadian Marine Service's international operations.

A native of New Orleans, Mr. Jumonville is an economics graduate of Tulane University. He formerly worked with a ship agency in several executive capacities and is experienced in technical accounting.

Acadian Marine Service is an international marine transportation company operating more than 50 vessels serving the oil field and construction industries. The company has offices in Lafayette, New Orleans, Morgan City and Delcambre, La.; and Hamburg, Scotland and Bermuda.

MarAd Consolidates 3 Independent Offices —Names Marvin Pitkin

In a further effort to improve the competitive ability of the American merchant marine, the Maritime Administration has reorganized its research, market and port development, and intermodal systems promotion activities.

According to Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Maritime Affairs Robert J. Blackwell, who recently announced the reorganization along with other agency changes, these elements will now be combined under one high-level manager.

Formerly located in three independent organizational components, the Offices of Research and Development, Market Development, and Ports and Intermodal Systems will now be under the jurisdiction of an Assistant Administrator for Commercial Development.

"By bringing these offices together," Mr. Blackwell said, "we hope to strengthen the ability of the Maritime Administration to aid the shipping and port industries in capitalizing on new technology. The integration of these activities, designed to improve the competitiveness of American-flag steamship lines, will hopefully reduce the time lag between the development and commercial application of new shipping systems.

"It will also improve communi-

cation between ship operators, port administrators and exporters and importers," he stated.

Marvin Pitkin, formerly the agency's Assistant Administrator for Research and Development, was named to head the new organization.

Mr. Blackwell also disclosed that John J. Nachtshiem has been appointed Assistant Administrator for Operations, succeeding E. Scott Dillon, who has retired. Mr. Nacht-

shiem will also continue as Chief of the agency's Office of Ship Construction.

James A. Higgins, who formerly headed the agency's Office of Advanced Ship Development, will now serve as Mr. Pitkin's deputy in his new position.

Lewis C. Paine and Armour S. Armstrong will continue as Chief, Office of Market Development, and Chief, Office of Ports and Intermodal Systems, respectively.

ABS Publishes 1973 Record

The 1973 Record of the American Bureau of Shipping is now available according to an announcement by the bureau. Requests for the publication, which sells for \$125 annually with semimonthly supplements, can be addressed to any local office of the bureau, or to the Book Department, American Bureau of Shipping, 45 Broad Street, New York, N.Y. 10004.

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FMC Wins Fourth Oil Tanker Contract

FMC Corporation, Portland, Ore., received a contract for one more \$17-million gas-turbine-powered oil tanker to be built at their Marine and Rail Equipment Division in Portland. This brings the total ships being built at the division to four, with contracts totaling \$70 million. The first tanker is scheduled to be launched in Febru-

ary 1974, while the fourth will be chartered to Standard Oil Company of California in early 1976.

The FMC Division, formerly Gunderson, Inc., brought the first shipbuilding to the Portland area since World War II, with this tanker project.

The 35,000-ton tankers incorporate innovative design concepts developed by Chevron Shipping Company (a subsidiary of Standard Oil) after several years of study.

The hull design and gas turbine-electric power units combine to produce a safe, economical, environmentally sound tanker. Chevron officials believe these vessels will establish a precedent in U.S.-tanker design and operation.

Construction methods are vastly modernized from the World War II system when steel was placed one piece at a time as the ship took form on the ways. FMC constructs steel modules weighing

over 100 tons each and sets them in place with a giant crane. Modular living quarters will be installed in the steel deckhouse to facilitate construction. The pilothouse will be equipped with the latest design navigational equipment.

The hull on each tanker is 650 feet in length, with a molded breadth of 96 feet and a molded depth at the side of 50 feet. The design draft is 34 feet. Ship cargo will be divided into a tank layout in accordance with the latest requirements of IMCO, the international maritime agency of the United Nations.

FMC developed both hull and propulsion system details in consultation with Chevron Shipping Company, Nickum and Spaulding Associates—the naval architects, and General Electric—the propulsion system manufacturers. Chevron's new-design concepts, which are embodied in these vessels, are creating considerable interest in the maritime industry.

To handle expanded shipbuilding work, FMC acquired an additional 23 acres adjacent to its existing facility in Northwest Portland, according to C. Bruce Ward, division manager. The company also invested in a \$1-million 200-ton-capacity whirley crane, a computer-operated burning machine for cutting metal plates, and new types of welding equipment.

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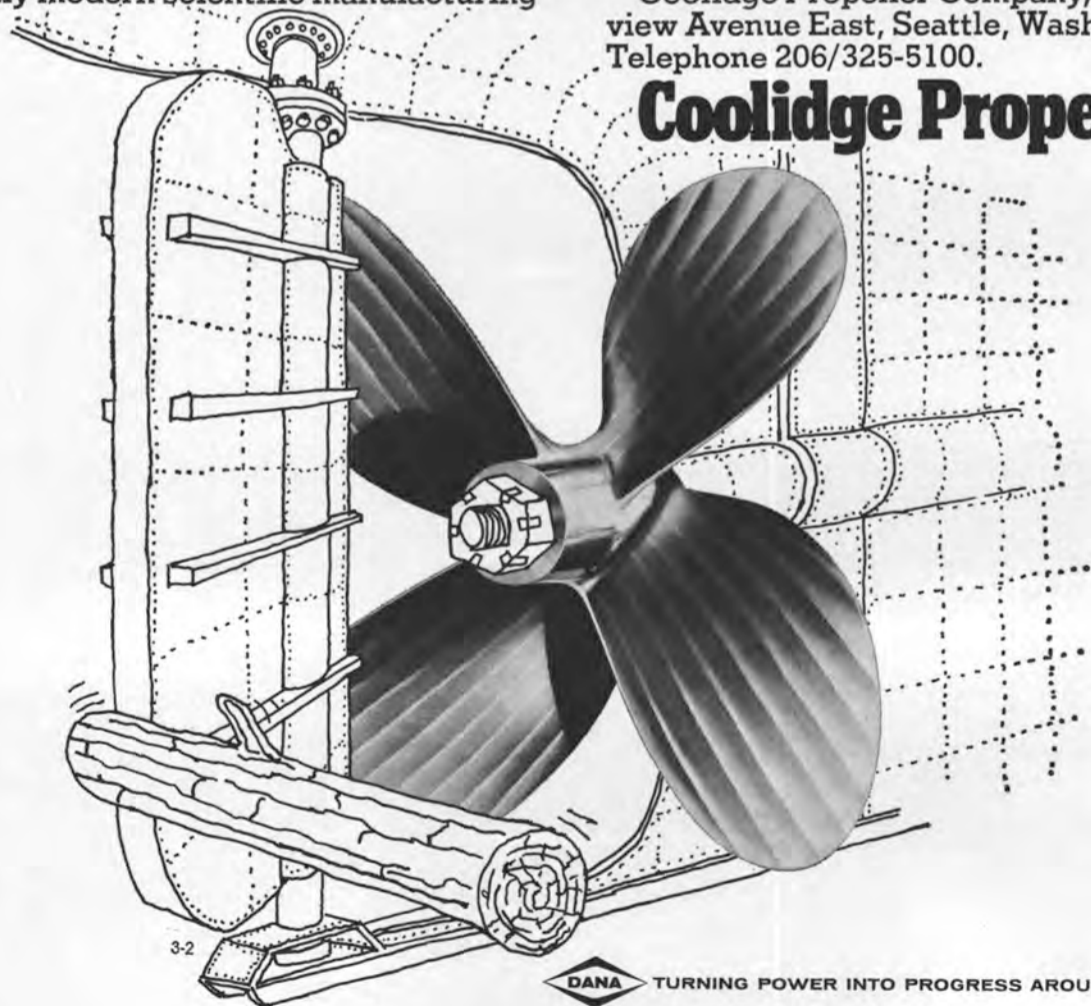
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J.B. Allison & Assoc. Initiate A Financial Consulting Service

J.B. Allison, president of J.B. Allison & Associates, Inc., financial consultants, 1414 Dallas Federal Savings Building, Dallas, Texas 75201, recently announced that a needed consulting service has been instituted by J.B. Allison & Associates for the intermediate and smaller ship, tug, barge, and inland and offshore drilling owners and operators considering lease financing of marine equipment.

The service consists of analysis of the owner's requirements and recommendation, contact and negotiations with leasing companies and other financial institutions.

A similar service is also available to shipyards interested in their own leasing program or in programs available through numerous leasing companies.

J.B. Allison & Associates, Inc. have been involved in the preparation and negotiations for Title XI mortgage guarantees under both lease and loan structures.

Mar-Ten Marine Moves To New Offices

Mar-Ten Marine Associates, Ltd. of Houston, Texas, the American operating organization of Martin Marine Co., Ltd. of Grand Cayman Island, has moved its offices to Jacinto Towers, 10202 East Freeway, Houston.

**Nolty J. Theriot, Inc.
Names John W. Arendt
General Superintendent**



John W. Arendt

John W. Arendt has joined Nolty J. Theriot, Inc., the New Orleans and Golden Meadow, La., marine and towing contractor, as general superintendent as of August 1, 1973. Mr. Arendt, who was previously superintendent of engineering and construction for Ingram Ocean Systems, Inc., will be based in Theriot's New Orleans offices and will assist the executive vice president, Charles R. Sanders, in all phases of management of the company's operations, both domestic and foreign.

**Title XI Aid Asked
For Four Tankers
To Be Built By Nassco**

First, Second, Third and Fourth Shipmor Associates, 511 Fifth Avenue, New York, N.Y., has applied to the Maritime Administration for Title XI mortgage and loan insurance in connection with the construction of four tankers.

The 89,700-dwt tankers, estimated to cost \$34,375,000 each, will be built by National Steel and Shipbuilding Company, San Diego, Calif.

**\$635 Million Amended
CDS For Six VLCCs
Filed By Central Gulf**

An amended application to an original request for construction differential subsidy covering multiples of three vessels in the categories of ore carriers, tankers, VLCCs or LNGs has been received by the Maritime Administration from Central Gulf Lines, Inc. of New Orleans, La.

The new filing requests CDS for six VLCCs of 380,000-dwt each. These VLCCs—costing \$635.4 million—will be used in United States foreign trade and are planned to be built at Todd Shipyards Corporation's Galveston, Texas, yard.

**Total Of 20 Barges
Ordered From Dravo
And St. Louis Ship**

The Maritime Administration has approved a Title XI application from Port City Barge Line of Louisiana, Inc., 230 Main Street, Greenville, Miss. 38701 for 20 open-top barges. Dravo Corporation will build 10 of the barges, and the other 10 are to be built by St. Louis Ship, St. Louis, Mo. The total cost of the barges is in excess of \$2.5 million.

**Twin Disc, Inc.
Offers New Bulletin
On Marine Gears**

Twin Disc, Incorporated, has published a complete-line catalog covering Twin Disc Hydraulic Marine Reverse and Reduction Gears for workboats, fishboats and pleasure craft in the 100 to 1,000-hp range. The new Bulletin 319-E

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Works Managers & Superintendents	196
Naval Architects, Marine Engineers, Chief Draftsmen	767
Shipbuilding & Ship Repair Personnel (Draftsmen, Foremen, Inspectors & Others) not included in above classification	454
SHIP OPERATING COMPANIES, OWNERS, AGENTS & BROKERS:	
Companies, Presidents, Vice Presidents, Secretaries, Treasurers, General Managers, Purchasing Agents, Passenger & Freight Agents	2,721
Marine Superintendents, Port Captains, Port Engineers, Port Stewards	1,224
Deck Captains, First, Second & Third Mates Only	1,979
Engine Room Chiefs' & Licensed Assistants	2,935
Ship Operating Personnel Ashore & Aboard not included in above classifications	398
PROFESSIONAL MEN:	
Naval Architects & Marine Engineers	1,476
Admiralty lawyers	20
Insurance Companies, Agents & Brokers	55
NAVY	313
MARINE SUPPLIES & EQUIPMENT: Manufacturers	
Ship Chandlers, Dealers & Agents	1,777
Bunkers (Coal & Fuel Oil)	34
ALLIED MARINE INDUSTRIES:	
Freight Agents & Forwarders	4
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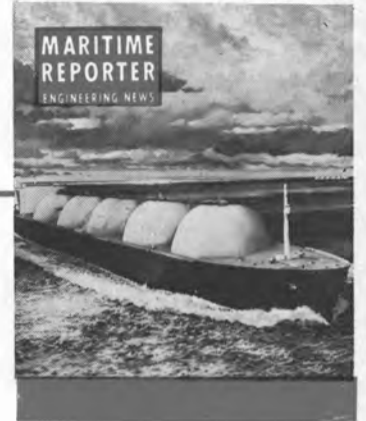
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Naval architects, engineers and chief draftsmen	1,166
Other employees (draftsmen, inspectors, foremen and others em- ployed by shipbuilding and repair companies) not included in above classifications	110
VESSEL OPERATING COMPANIES	
OCEAN, RIVERS, HARBORS, OFFSHORE OIL DRILLING AND RELATED OPERATIONS	
(Owners, Agencies & Brokers) Companies, directors, owners, agents, presidents, vice-presidents, managers, secretaries and treasurers	5,600
Port engineers, superintendents, purchasing agents, port captains, port stewards, naval architects and engineers shoreside	1,719
Other employees ashore not included in above classifications	49
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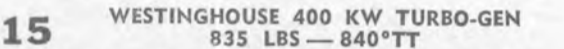
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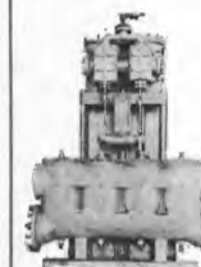
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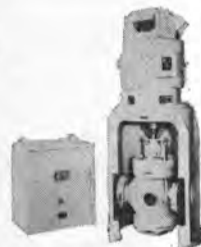
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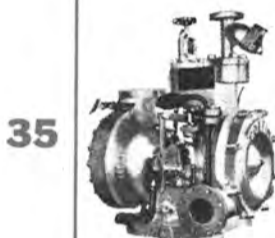


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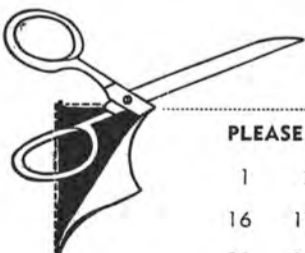
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Standard Oil (Indiana) Orders Seven New Tankers For Fleet

As a result of orders it has placed on its own account and arranged through charter-and-build arrangements, the tanker fleet of Standard Oil Co. (Indiana) will be increased by seven new ships.

The new ships, all to be operational by 1975, account for about one million deadweight tons and will bring the company's tanker capacity to approximately 3.6 million deadweight tons.

Two of the vessels, in the 128,000-ton class, will be built in Spain by Astilleros Espanoles, S.A., and two similar ships by Mitsui Shipbuilding and Engineering Co. in Japan. The four ships, to be owned by the company, are to be delivered in 1976.

Three 153,000-ton vessels are being constructed by another Japanese shipyard for delivery in 1974-75 and will be operated by the

oil company for 20 years at a full-term cost of more than \$100 million. The construction orders and charter arrangements have been made through the company's wholly owned subsidiary, Amoco Ocean Tanker Co.

The oil company's tanker fleet currently numbers 41 vessels, including its own ships and those operated under charter and units on order or under construction.

The total includes two 230,000-ton ships recently launched in Spain and two similar ships which have been ordered from a Spanish yard.

The seven new ships the company has ordered will be capable of delivering crude oil in volumes equal to a delivery rate of about 100,000 barrels per day from the Middle East to free world ports, according to R.S. Haddow, president of the company.

Mr. Haddow also pointed out that U.S. East and Gulf Coast ports are not now capable of docking tankers larger than the 70,000-dead-

weight-ton class. By placing the company's new large tankers in service to deeper-water foreign ports, he noted smaller vessels in its fleet will be free to move crude oil imports into U.S. ports.

Odense Steel Shipyard Ltd. Delivers 285,000-Dwt Tanker



The T/T Rania Chandris, equipped with the most modern navigation instruments, achieved a speed of 15.25 knots during her sea trials.

The tenth in a series of 285,000 tonners and the third this year from the Lindo Shipyard, Lindo, was commissioned following successful trials in Danish waters and was delivered to her owners, Chandris Tankers Limited, London.

The approximate main dimensions of the Rania Chandris are as follows: length overall, 1,139 feet; breadth, 170 feet, and depth, 93 feet. The vessel has a speed of 15.25 knots.

The main engine is a Stal-Laval turbine plant with an output of 32,440 shp at 85 rpm, a Combustion Engineering main boiler type V2M9, developing at normal output 95 tons steam per hour at 513 degrees, and a Combustion Engineering auxiliary boiler type V2M8, developing 32 tons steam per hour at 350 degrees.

The vessel is built to the rules of Lloyd's Register of Shipping class +100 A.1 "Oil Tanker" pt. H.T., +LMC.

The next 285,000 tonner for the A.P. Moller Shipping Companies, Copenhagen, is scheduled for delivery this month. She will be followed by another sister ship for the A.P. Moller Shipping Companies, and two for the Livanos Group.

With these vessels, the series of 285,000 tonners will be completed, and the yard will thereafter go ahead with the construction of five 330,000-dwt tankers for the A.P. Moller Shipping Companies.



MISTER CAP JOINS F & S FLEET: Service Machine & Shipbuilding Corp. of Morgan City, La., recently delivered the M/V Mister Cap, a 1,200-hp tug, to F & S Boat Corporation, a division of Elpac, Inc. The vessel, named after F.L. Capert, chairman of Elpac's board, measures 75 feet by 24 feet and is equipped with two 16V71N engines by General Motors, MG527 clutches by Twin Disc, two 30-kw generators by Delco with G.M. 371 power, anchor handling winch (100,000# line pull), fire fighting system, and a complete package of modern electronic equipment. F & S Boat Corporation is under the management of Andy Wedaman and Albert (Sam) Smith Jr., and operates 14 tugs from offices in Morgan City and New Orleans, La., Houston, Texas, and London, England.

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Oglebay Norton Company Elects Thompson And Benson



Renold D. Thompson



Keith S. Benson

Oglebay Norton Company, Cleveland, Ohio, has announced the election of **Renold D. Thompson** and **Keith S. Benson** as executive vice presidents of the company, effective August 15, 1973.

Mr. **Thompson** becomes executive vice president-operations and assumes responsibility for the direction of all the company's operations and services. Mr. **Benson** as executive vice president-administration and finance will be responsible for the direction of the administrative, legal, financial and corporate activities, including the development of new business ventures.

In announcing the election of the two new executive officers, **Courtney Burton**, chairman of the board, and **John J. Dwyer**, president of the company, stated: "We believe this major realignment in our management group will not only strengthen our company in its competitive position, but will also allow the president and other senior executives of our company to devote greater attention to long-range planning and future growth by the utilization of the company's total assets.

"Mr. **Thompson** has held top management responsibilities in several divisions of the company and is presently in charge of its iron ore and vessel operations. Under the new arrangement, he will now have all operating units and subsidiaries of the company reporting to him.

"The election of Mr. **Benson**, who was formerly chairman and chief executive officer of Pickands, Mather & Company, brings into our management an exceptionally qualified senior executive with considerable background and experience in our lines of business and in the development and implementation of expansion and financial programs for the procurement and transportation of raw materials."

Oglebay Norton Company and its subsidiaries are engaged in the mining, sale and transportation of iron ore, coal and other minerals, the operation of a diversified fleet of Great Lakes vessels and general cargo docks on the Great Lakes, and the manufacture and sale of hot tops and related items used in the pouring of steel ingots.

Second Intersociety Conference On Transportation To Be Held In Denver, September 24-27

Two hundred technical papers will be presented at the second Intersociety Conference on Transportation, September 24-27, 1973, at the Brown Palace Hotel, Denver, Colo.

Some 40 technical sessions will serve as platforms for transportation experts representing Government and industry, both domestic and foreign, to air their views. Technical scope is broad, with presentations relative to every phase of the transportation industry. This is largely due to the multi-society sponsorship—the first time a transportation conference has had such intersociety participation.

Sponsoring societies of this conference are The American Society of Mechanical Engineers, American Economic Association, Ameri-

can Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics, American Institute of Industrial Engineers, Inc., The Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, Inc., The Engineering Institute of Canada, The Institute of Management Sciences, Operation Research Society of America, Society of Automotive Engineers, and The Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers.

Items of particular interest to people in the marine industry include:

1. A panel discussion entitled "Environmental Protection and Tanker Design." This will be chaired by **Phillip Eisenberg**, president of The Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers, assisted by Rear Adm. **William M. Benkert**, Chief, Office of Environment and Systems, USCG. A broad participation by representatives of industry and Government is planned, and coming shortly before

the next meeting of IMCO, this event is expected to attract wide interest.

2. At one of two sessions devoted to the state-of-the-art in the major transportation modes, **Thomas Pross** of the Maritime Administration will give a comprehensive review of current developments in marine transportation.

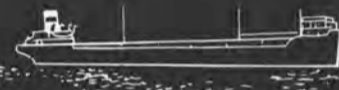
3. A paper by **Joseph Porricelli** and **Virgil Keith**, entitled "Tankers and the U.S. Energy Situation—an Economic and Environmental Analysis." This will be part of a special session on environment and energy.

4. "Hovercraft Technology" will be covered in a paper to be presented by **John Chaplin**, director of engineering for Bell-Aerospace, in a session devoted to advanced technology.

For further information and copy of program, contact **Ms. Marion Churchill**, Manager, Conferences and Divisions, ASME, 345 East 47th Street, New York, N.Y. 10017, telephone: (212) 752-6800, Ext. 226.

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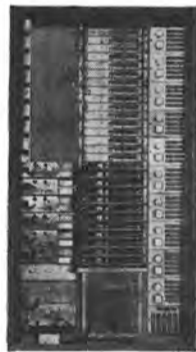
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Moore And McCormack Appoints L.W. Ehrhardt Director Of Planning

Laurence W. Ehrhardt has been appointed director of planning of Moore and McCormack Co., Inc. (NYSE, Pacific) according to Paul R. Tregurtha, executive vice president and chief financial officer. Mr. Ehrhardt will be responsible for the development and operation of long-range planning programs and

analysis of specific plans and activities of the company, whose principal activities are Moore-McCormack Lines, Incorporated in ocean shipping, and Pickands Mather & Co., which operates Great Lakes ore carriers, iron ore and coal mines, and acts as sales agents for various materials.

Mr. Tregurtha noted that Mr. Ehrhardt has "an extensive background in analysis, planning and development of operations and of

budget systems, and the use of computer technology in these areas."

Prior to joining Moore and McCormack, Mr. Ehrhardt, since 1969, had been affiliated with Applied Decision Systems, Inc., Wellesley Hills, Mass.—a consulting firm specializing in the application of quantitative analysis to problems of business decision making in large corporations—as treasurer and as a consultant. His previous

business experience also includes two years at Xerox Corporation, where he served as an operations research analyst and as a senior budget analyst.

Mr. Ehrhardt received a B.A. degree from Yale in 1961, and an M.B.A. degree in 1966 from the Harvard Graduate School of Business Administration, where he concentrated on managerial economics.

John T. Owens Named Controller At Sun Shipbuilding



John T. Owens

Sun Shipbuilding and Dry Dock Co., Chester, Pa., has appointed John T. Owens to the post of controller. In his new post, he will report to G.C. Liacouras, vice president-finance, and will be responsible for the general accounting functions of the Finance Division. Mr. Owens will carry out the duties of controller while continuing to administer his present duties as manager of the shipyard's cost accounting department.

A graduate of La Salle College with a B.S. degree in accounting, Mr. Owens joined Sun Ship in March 1966 as assistant to the controller and manager of cost accounting.

Ackerman Resigns From Newport News

L.C. Ackerman, chairman and chief executive officer of Newport News Shipbuilding & Dry Dock Co., has resigned, effective August 15, it was announced by the shipyard's parent company, Tenneco, Inc.

Mr. Ackerman has been top officer of the shipbuilding company since 1969, having previously been with the Walker Manufacturing Co., Racine, Wis., another Tenneco subsidiary.

John P. Diesel, president of the shipbuilding organization, will take over as chief executive officer, in addition to his present duties.

Bethlehem Beaumont Receives Contract For Self-Propelled Rig

Bethlehem Steel Corporation's Beaumont, Texas, Shipyard, has received a contract from Walker-Huthnance Offshore Co. of Houston, Texas, for the construction of a self-propelled jackup rig. To be named Ranger III, the new rig, similar to its sister ships Ranger I and Ranger II, is designed for drilling and work-over operations in water depths up to 70 feet.

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Seakeeping Symposium To Be Held Oct. 18-19 At Webb Institute

A symposium to commemorate the 20th anniversary of the milestone paper "On the Motions of Ships in Confused Seas," by Dr. Manley St. Denis and Dr. Willard J. Pierson Jr., has been organized by Panel H-7 (Seakeeping Characteristics) of the Technical and Research Program of The Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers. The purpose of the symposium is to present and discuss the current and future status of all aspects of seakeeping research and design applications. The symposium will take place at Webb Institute of Naval Architecture, Glen Cove, N.Y. 11542, on October 18-19, 1973, with all technical sessions held in the new Henry Auditorium.

In the 20 years since the St. Denis and Pierson paper was presented, almost everyone connected with ship design all over the world has learned to understand the principles set forth in this paper. During this time, rapid research progress, partially stimulated by the paper, has been made in the study of accelerations, shipping water, incidence of slamming, wave-induced bending moments, bow sonar effectiveness, added resistance, and other aspects of seakeeping. Furthermore, designers of unusual craft—catamarans, hydrofoils, surface effect ships, and floating platforms—have been able to use the basic techniques of the St. Denis/Pierson paper to ascertain seakeeping requirements for vessels for which there was no design precedent.

The symposium will be divided into three successive sessions dedicated to waves, transfer functions and ship responses (theory and applications), and 13 papers will be presented with ample time for discussion. Each of the papers will include a short review of the progress achieved over the past 20 years and will emphasize recommended future developments and applications. The keynote address on Thursday, October 18, will be given by Dr. W.E. Cummins (Naval Ship Research and Development Center), to be followed by three papers on the prediction, measurement and application of wave data presented by Dr. V.J. Cardon, Dr. O. Oakley (University of California, Berkeley), and Prof. D. Hoffman (Webb), and W. Marks (Poseidon), respectively.

Following a box luncheon served on the beautiful campus, the afternoon session will be devoted to subjects related to the transfer functions, with presentations by Prof. T.F. Ogilvie (University of Michigan), Prof. J.R. Paulling (University of California), and Dr. W.E. Cummins (NSRDC), respectively, on the theory, time domain analysis and problem areas.

A banquet will be held on Thursday evening at the Swan Club in

Glen Head to suitably honor the guests of honor, Professors St. Denis and Pierson.

The session on applications will take place on Friday, October 19, and will include five papers covering a wide-range of subjects by J.F. Dalzell (Davidson Laboratory), Dr. M.K. Ochi (NSRDC), Prof. E.V. Lewis (Webb), J.B. Hadler (NSRDC) and T.H. Sarchin (Naval Ship Engineering Cen-

ter), and Prof. M.A. Abkowitz and C. Chrissostemidis (Massachusetts Institute of Technology). One complete set of preprints will be made available to each participant and T&R Report S-3, "Proceedings of Symposium on Seakeeping (1973)," which will include papers and discussions, will be available early in 1974.

Advance registration fee (before October 1) is \$75 for members of

the Society and \$85 for non-members, including Thursday lunch and banquet. Registration fee after October 1 will be \$90 and \$100 for Society members and non-members, respectively. All interested persons are urged to contact Dr. Dan Hoffman, Symposium Organizing Committee Chairman, at the Webb Institute of Naval Architecture, Glen Cove, N.Y. 11542; telephone (516) 671-2356.

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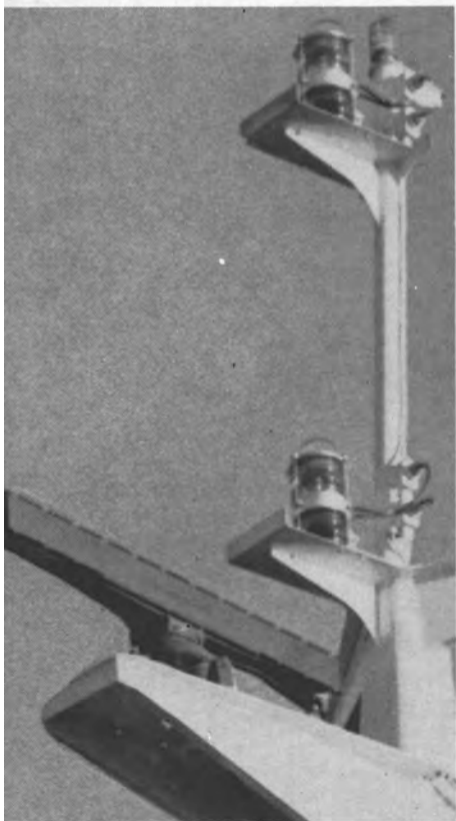
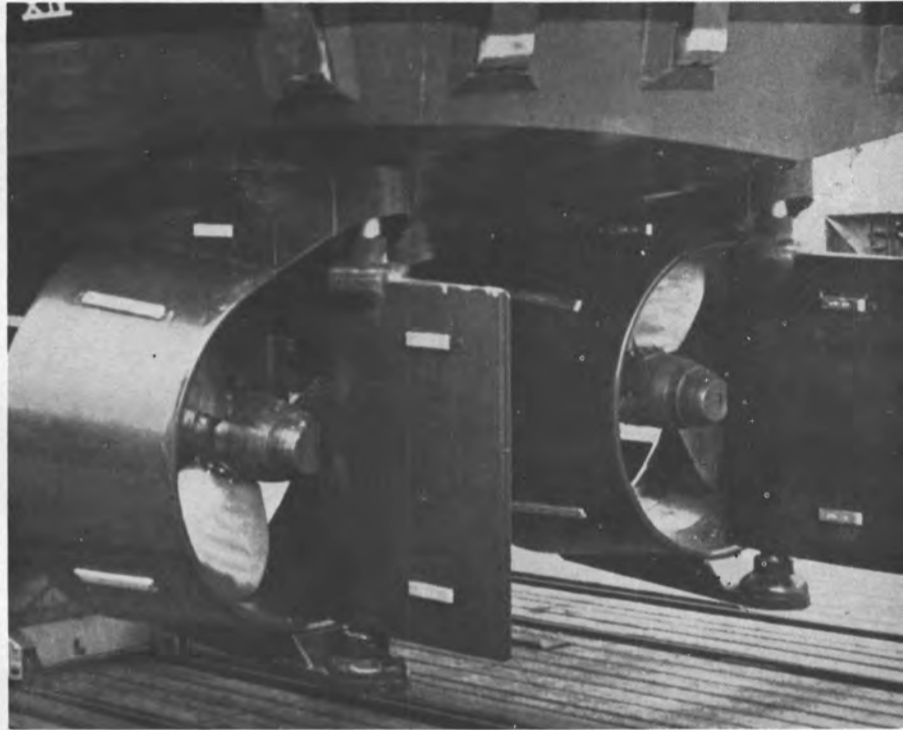
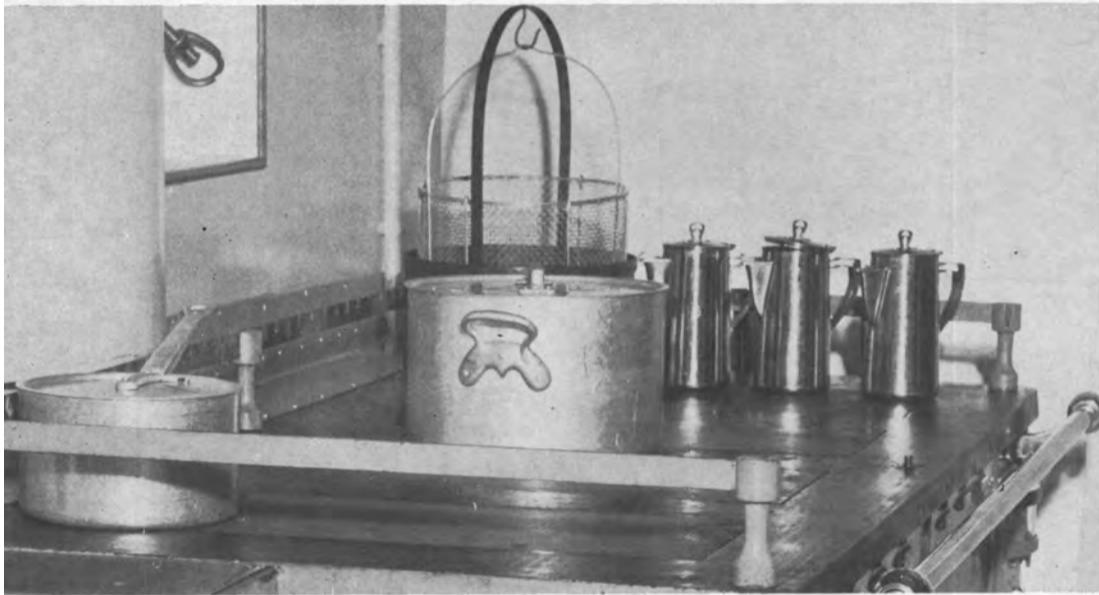
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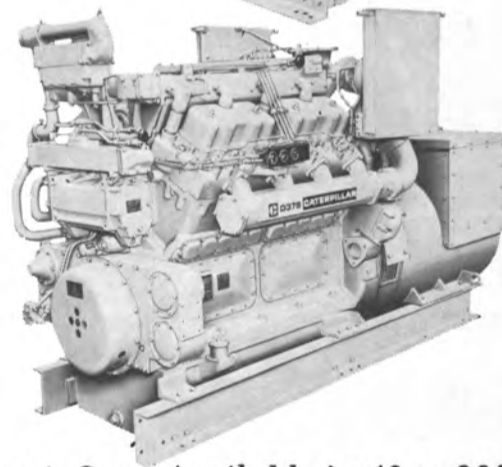
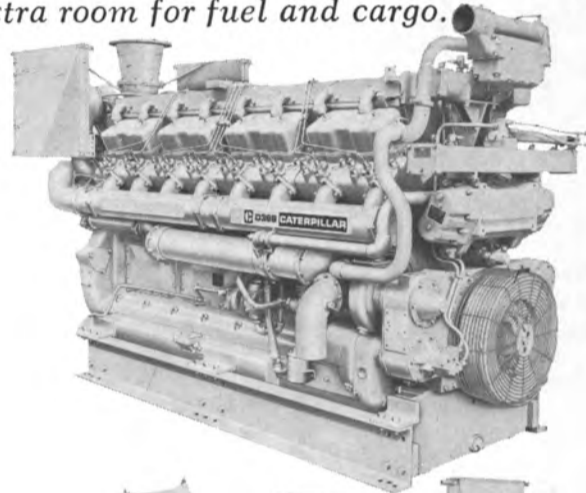
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National Steel And Shipbuilding Announces Four Promotions



Clarence L. French



John Angles

John V. Banks, president and chief executive officer, National Steel and Shipbuilding Company, San Diego, Calif., has announced the promotion of Clarence L. French to the position of director of engineering. Mr. French will assume the duties of John B. Letherbury, vice president, engineering, who retired on July 31.

Mr. French had been manager of engineering at NASSCO for the past year and a half. He joined the company in 1967 as project engineer. In 1969, he advanced to the position of chief materials engineer.



James C. Saunders



John Murray

Mr. French is a native of New Haven, Conn. He earned his bachelor of science, mechanical engineering, and bachelor of science, naval science degrees at Tufts University, Medford, Mass., in 1947.

He is a member of The Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers, American Iron and Steel Engineers, The American Society of Naval Engineers, the California State Professional Engineers, and the National Society of Professional Engineers. He is also a registered professional engineer, state of California.

Also announced was the promotion of John Angles to chief materials engineer. He will fill the position vacated by the late Gordon N. Carpenter and will report directly to the vice president, engineering.

In his new position, Mr. Angles will supervise the Materials Engineering Division in the timely and accurate preparation of specifications for purchased equipment, technical evaluation of equipment proposals, and vendor liaison. He will also serve as value engineer and be responsible for engineering subcontracts.

Mr. Angles was born in Edinburgh, Scotland, and schooled in naval architecture, engineering science and mathematics at the level of Ordinary National Certificate at the Kirkcaldy Technical School in Scotland.

He joined National Steel and Shipbuilding Company in 1960, and for the past three years has been chief draftsman.

Mr. Angles is active in The Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers, having served as chairman of the San Diego Section and vice chairman for the Southern California Section. He currently represents the San Diego Section on the national sections committee.

Mr. Banks also announced the advancement

of James C. Saunders to the position of manager, quality assurance department. Mr. Saunders will assume the duties of Fred Gunn, who also retired on July 31.

Mr. Saunders joined NASSCO in 1969 as quality control engineer after a 32-year Civil Service career with the U.S. Navy. For 23 years during that period, he was employed in various supervisory positions at Mare Island. His last nine years were with the supervisor of shipbuilding, San Diego, in the capacity of supervisory inspector of the quality control department.

Mr. Saunders was born in Oakland, Calif. He graduated from the Mare Island Naval Shipyard apprenticeship system as a shipfitter in 1940. His education includes an associate of arts degree from Vallejo Junior College, as well as numerous in-service technical courses sponsored by the U.S. Navy.

Also promoted at NASSCO was John Murray to the post of chief draftsman, machinery. He will report to George Uberti, chief marine engineer.

Mr. Murray was born in Edinburgh, Scotland. He received his education and engineering training at the Ramsey Technical Institute and Heriot Watt College in Edinburgh.

He joined NASSCO in 1962, and for the past nine years has been design supervisor.

GATX Leasing Corp. Applies To MarAd For CDS To Build 2 Towboats And 27 Barges

GATX Leasing Corp., San Francisco, Calif., has applied to the Maritime Administration for Government construction loan and mortgage insurance to help finance the building of two towboats and 27 barges. The craft will be chartered from GATX by Twin City Barge & Towing Co., St. Paul, Minn., for use on inland waterways in various bulk trades.

Planned for construction were 10 open hopper barges, 12 covered types, three petroleum tank barges, and two chemical barges.

The 21,900-barrel-capacity petroleum barges are to be built by Gretna Machine and Iron Works, Harvey, La.; the open hoppers and the 1,650-hp towboats by Twin City Shipyard, Inc., St. Paul, and the covered hoppers and chemical barges by Dravo Corp., Pittsburgh, Pa.

The barges, in all, the applications for loan and mortgage insurance said, would cost about \$4.9 million and the towboats \$920,544.

The Government financing aid would back 87½ percent of the financing cost of the barges and 75 percent of the towboats.

Twin City, established in 1968, owns seven oil barges and 14 towboats, it was indicated.



HITACHI DELIVERY: The Monemvasia, a 128,366-dwt tanker built at Hitachi Zosen's Innoshima Shipyard, was recently delivered to her owner, Metropolitan Navigation Corp. Approximate measurements of the vessel are length, bp, 836 feet; molded breadth, 136 feet, and molded depth, 73 feet. Classed by ABS, the new tanker is powered by a Hitachi B&W 9K84EF diesel engine with a maximum output of 23,200 hp delivering a trial speed of 15.7 knots. The Monemvasia's maiden voyage will be to the Persian Gulf.

Bethlehem Beaumont Delivers New Generation Self-Propelled Semisubmersible Drilling Unit



Designed by Friede & Goldman, the Pacesetter can drill in wave heights up to 30 feet.

Western Pacesetter I, the new \$20-million semisubmersible drilling vessel built for The Western Company of North America, was recently christened at Bethlehem Steel Company's Beaumont, Texas, Shipyard.

Senator **John Tower**, principal speaker at the christening ceremonies, cited the new semisubmersible as an excellent example of cooperation between industry and Government in seeking to overcome the energy crisis.

Senator **Tower** pointed out that Western received loan and mortgage insurance from the U.S. Department of Commerce Maritime Administration to aid in financing the construction of the Pacesetter. He stated that this is the first grant under Title XI of the Merchant Marine Act of 1936 ever made for construction of a semisubmersible drilling vessel. Western currently has two similar units under construction, also being financed under Title XI.

H.E. Chiles, chairman and president of Western, praised the excellent cooperation his company had received from the Maritime Administration.

The long-term financing will be in the form of a 15-year leveraged lease arranged by Manufacturers Hanover Leasing Corporation.

Mr. Chiles stated that the Pacesetter represented a major step forward in the field of offshore drilling for the Fort Worth-based firm. Western currently operates two jackup drilling rigs in the Gulf of Mexico.

Mrs. George C. Hardin Jr. of Houston, wife of the president of Ashland Exploration Company, was sponsor of the vessel and broke the symbolic bottle of champagne.

Ashland will make initial use of the Pacesetter drilling for oil in the North Sea for its Ashland Oil Development (U.K.) Ltd. subsidiary. Contracts have also been signed with Siebens Oil & Gas (U.K.) Ltd. and Transworld Petroleum Corporation for drilling which should last approximately two years. The three companies have an option to use the vessel for approximately one year beyond the primary contract period.

Western Pacesetter I is a new generation self-propelled semisubmersible drilling unit designed for operations in oceans virtually any-

where in the world. Its designers, the New Orleans firm of Friede & Goldman, Inc., state that with its installed power and tested hull characteristics, it should be unmatched in speed by any known unit of its type.

Designed for drilling in water depths to 600 feet or more, the Pacesetter is 260 feet in length and 200 feet wide. The unit has a basic structure of two parallel lower hulls, each 50 feet in width. Three caissons on each hull, each 32 feet in diameter, support the main deck.

When the unit is drilling, the lower hulls and caissons will be partially flooded to sink the unit to the depth desired to achieve maximum stability.

The Pacesetter is designed for drilling in wave heights up to 30 feet or more and meets the structural and stability requirements (both damaged and undamaged) of the American Bureau of Shipping and the U.S. Coast Guard for 100-knot winds and waves of 100 feet high.

The rig's ability to stay on position in rough seas is enhanced by eight 30,000-pound anchors and eight 3-inch mooring chains, which meet or exceed mooring capabilities of the largest rigs afloat. Propulsion is twin-screw with four GM Electro-Motive Division motors in each hull driving a 10-foot diameter

propeller, with 3,000-shaft horsepower per side.

J.O. Croke, general manager of Bethlehem's Beaumont Shipyard, welcomed visitors to the ceremony. Other honored guests included **George C. Hardin Jr.**, president, Ashland Exploration Company, **W.W. Siebens Jr.**, chairman and president, Siebens Oil & Gas, and **Roy Yowell**, Chief of the Office of Subsidy Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce Maritime Administration.

Farrell Lines Opens New Office In Melbourne

Farrell Lines will open a new office in Melbourne, Australia, later this year, according to **Thomas J. Smith**, president. **Allan M. Teicher**, who joined the line in 1965, will become owner's representative in Melbourne. He will work in conjunction with **George W. Jones Jr.**, in Sydney, who has been owner's representative for Australia since March of 1971.

With the entry of the Austral Entente into the Australia-New Zealand service, Farrell now has all four of the new container ships it ordered for this route in operation.



WEBB SEMINAR: Thirty persons from industry and Government attended a seminar on Practical Applications of Probability to Hull Structural Design held at Webb Institute of Naval Architecture, Glen Cove, N.Y., on August 1-3, 1973. Guest lecturers included Prof. **A.M. Freudenthal** of Payne Washington University; Prof. **S.R. Heller** of Catholic University; **E.G.U. Band** of Gayne, Inc.; Dr. **M.K. Ochi** of Naval Ship Research Development Center, and **John Dalzell** of Davidson Laboratory. Along with members of the Webb staff—Professors **Hoffman**, **Karst**, **Lewis**, **van Hooff**, and **Zubaly**—they discussed recent developments in the applications of probability theory to the determination of short-term and long-term distributions of wave loads, with implications for ship hull design. Shown, left to right: (front row) **J.E. Stevens**, Chicago Bridge and Iron Co.; **William Garzke**, Gibbs & Cox; **Robert Zubaly** (speaker), SUNY, Fort Schuyler, N.Y.; **E.G.U. Band** (speaker), Payne, Inc.; Lt. Comdr. **C.S. Loosmore**, USCG, Secretary, Ship Structure Committee; Dr. **M.K. Ochi** (speaker), NSRDC; **E.V. Lewis** (speaker), Webb Institute, and **Richard W. Rumke**, National Research Council; (second row) **Donald S. Wilson**, Naval Ship Engineering Center; **M.C. Bampton**, Aerojet-General Corp.; **A.E. Baitis**, NSRDC; **James R. Dwyer**, Ensign, U.S. Coast Guard; **P.R. Johnson**, Chicago Bridge and Iron Co.; **Sherman Cauldwell**, Naval Ship Engineering Center; **James Macallum Jr.**, Sperry Systems Management; **William A. Cleary Jr.**, U.S. Coast Guard, and **S. Rao Guntur**, Zapata Off-Shore Company; (third row) **E. Neal**, NSRDC; **Chad B. Doherty**, NOAA Data Buoy Office; Prof. **J.E. Goldberg**, Purdue University; **John S. Spencer**, U.S. Coast Guard; **David L. Folsom**, Lt. Comdr., U.S. Coast Guard; **Edward S. Geller**, Sperry Systems Management; **Ralph E. Johnson**, U.S. Coast Guard, and **Robert J. Kramer**, Texaco Inc.; (back row) Dr. **Paul van Mater**, U.S. Naval Academy; **William Siekierka**, Naval Ship Engineering Center; Dr. **Hung Chi Lee**, J.J. McMullen Associates, Inc.; Dr. **A.M. Elbatouti**, American Bureau of Shipping; Dr. **Sheng Lun Chuang**, NSRDC; **Henry J. Karsch**, J.J. Henry Co., Inc.; **William N. France II**, Exxon Corporation, and **Edward D. Schaeffer**, J.J. Henry Co., Inc.



Participants at the Pacesetter launching included, left to right: **M.C. (Clay) Chiles**, vice president and division manager, Western Oceanic; **H.E. Chiles**, president, Western Company of North America; **George C. Hardin Jr.**, president, Ashland Exploration Co.; **Mrs. Hardin**, sponsor; Senator **John Tower**; **Mrs. Clay Chiles**, and **J.O. Croke**, general manager, Bethlehem Beaumont Shipyard.

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Tracor, Inc. Awarded \$4.9-Million Contract

The Naval Ship Systems Command has awarded Tracor, Inc. a \$4.9-million contract to continue engineering, installation, and logistics support to the sonar systems on the Navy's missile-carrying submarines.

Under this contract, Tracor will coordinate with several other contractors, Navy laboratories and shipyards, and Navy offices involved in the development, installation, and logistics of sonars being developed and produced for the Navy's Polaris and Poseidon submarines. These sonars will provide the strategic missile fleet a better capability to avoid potential enemies at sea and to protect themselves if attacked.

As coordinator, Tracor will review the sonar designs and installation plans, and will assist in planning and carrying out tests at sea. The company will also make certain that the technical manuals and supplies needed to keep the sonars operating properly are adequate.

Tracor Group vice president Dr. Wayne Rudmose states that approximately 150 Tracor, Inc. scientists, engineers, technicians, and managers will be involved on this contract. Most of the work will be accomplished at Tracor's Rockville, Md., and Austin, Texas, facilities. However, Tracor representatives located in various manufacturing plants and shipyards throughout the country will also be involved in this work.

The program office for this 24-month contract will be in Rockville under the general management of division vice president Wendell C. Murray. The program manager, J.D. Morell, will report to Robert Jackson, director, tactical systems, submarine department. The program office will be supported by three system managers—Neil Ellis, J. Bailey Rathbone, and Richard Miller.

Tracor began its work in sonar systems in 1958, and has had a continued involvement with Navy sonar programs since that time. The company, headquartered in Austin, does research and development in a number of scientific fields and manufactures scientific and medical analysis equipment, electronic navigation systems, and electronic components. Tracor has operations in 11 states and six foreign locations.



FOR TEXACO NORTH SEA: The Netherlands Offshore Company, has announced that its catamaran survey vessel, the M/V Duplus (shown above), will be employed for subsoil investigations for Texaco North Sea U.K. Company. The vessel will be utilized for soils sampling to a penetration of approximately 400 feet below the sea floor in over 400 feet of water depth in the northern North Sea. The soil borings and soils engineering will be undertaken on board by McClelland Engineers Inc. of Houston, Texas. Technical assistance will also be provided by Dredging Investigation Ltd. of Bromborough, U.K., a related company to Netherlands Offshore Company. Drilling on this particular project will take the vessel into U.K. North Sea blocks off the Shetland Islands, as well as near Aberdeen.

**Ogden's ITO
Appoints Butler VP
Southern Stevedoring**



C. Baylor Butler

The appointment of **C. Baylor Butler** as manager and vice president of Southern Stevedoring Corporation, the Norfolk, Va., subsidiary of International Terminal Operating Co., Inc. (ITO), was announced by **F.X. McQuade**, president of ITO, an Ogden Corporation subsidiary.

Mr. **Butler** joined Southern Stevedoring in 1965 as a manager trainee, advanced to assistant superintendent, and then to superintendent and safety director before being appointed to his new post. Prior to joining Southern Stevedoring, he was associated with the Mutual Insurance Co. of Norfolk, Inc., and while with Mutual, attended the Comprehensive Insurance School at Oberlin College in Ohio.

Mr. **Butler** attended Western New Mexico University and the University of Washington in Seattle. During the Korean Conflict, he served in the U.S. Air Force and saw active duty in Korea.

Southern Stevedoring Corporation is a major handler of oceanborne freight in the Norfolk/Portsmouth area. Both containerized and breakbulk customers are serviced, including United States Lines, Dart Containerline, Finlines, Orient Overseas Line, Concordia Line, Mexican Line, and Turkish Cargo Lines. Southern Stevedoring also performs the loading and discharging of vessels for the U.S. Government at the Norfolk Naval Base.

**New Carboline Bulletin
On International Div.**

The International Division of Carboline Company, St. Louis, Mo., has announced the release of a new four-page bulletin describing the company's foreign operations and extent of coverage.

Illustrated Bulletin 500 discusses the range of services, manufacturing and warehousing available to U.S. companies, and engineering design and construction firms having overseas operations.

The categories of Carboline products are explained and include protective coatings, offshore and marine coatings, nuclear coatings, waterproofing, roof coatings, fireproofing products and tank linings. A listing of Carboline International affiliated companies is shown.

Copies of Bulletin 500 may be obtained by writing Carboline Company, 350 Hanley Industrial Court, St. Louis, Mo. 63144.

**Raytheon Offers
Automatic Continuous
Tracking Loran**

The Raytheon Loran System II, a navigational system featuring automatic continuous tracking, is now being offered by Raytheon Marine Company of Manchester, N.H.

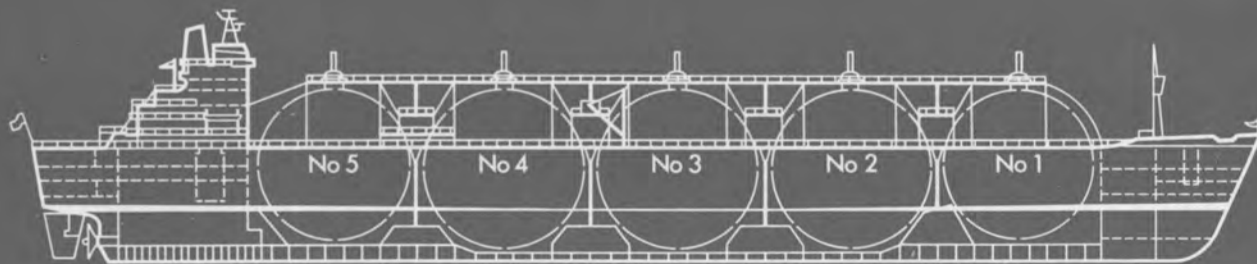
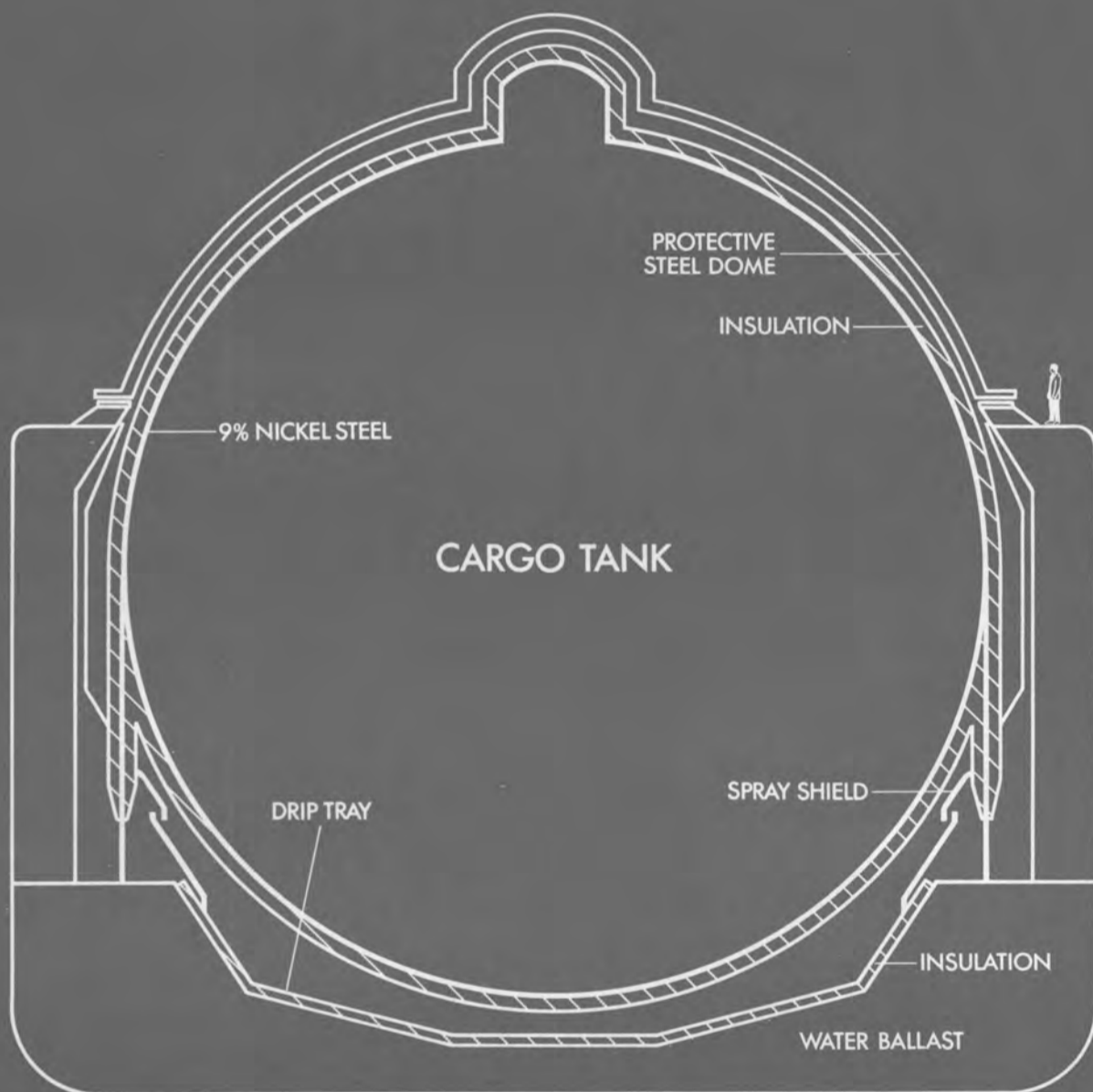
Two independent NA-110 Loran receivers operating from the same antenna provide an up-to-date

continuous fix. The automatic tracking system continuously presents two Loran lines of position so that at any instant the display will identify the ship's present position. Should either receiver become inoperative, the other will continue to function and determine all necessary lines of position for an accurate fix.

Each receiver is capable of tracking any one Loran A signal automatically.

The Loran System II receives all Loran A signals on 1850, 1900 and 1950 kHz. The units are highly sensitive, with low power drain (less than a 75-watt bulb), and feature plug-in solid-state circuitry. Price of the Loran System II is \$3,790.

Further information is available from Raytheon marine dealers or from Raytheon Marine Company, 676 Island Pond Road, Manchester, N.H. 03103.



MMC Appoints BASREC To Service Middle East

Efficient and prompt servicing for all Marine Moisture Control Company equipment has been extended to the Middle East with the appointment of BASREC (The Bahrain Ship Repairing and Engineering Company) as a service agency for ships plying routes in the Arabian Gulf.

In announcing the designation,

William Henry, vice president of MMC, said the BASREC facilities and personnel at Bahrain are geared to provide survey, repair and original installation services to meet the high standards established by his firm. He indicated that the appointment of BASREC is one more step in Marine Moisture Control's plan to provide a worldwide service and installation network.

Communications with BASREC

via cable and ship-to-shore radio are available on a 24-hour basis for emergency alert or scheduled reservation. If desired, a fully qualified repair technician or engineer can be alerted and placed aboard a vessel en route anywhere within the Gulf, thus minimizing costly route deviation or delays in port. Evaluation and servicing of all MMC products under the unique MMC 5-year prorated guar-

antee is also assured and expedited.

Some of the broad-range of Marine Moisture Control Company products to be serviced by BASREC include the MMC gear case dehydrator, lube oil clarifier-coalescers, sonic point and interface probe alarm systems for liquid level and pollution control, the MMC remote control valve system, MMC tank gaging systems, quick opening deck covers, remote reading digital draft indicators, the MMC mucking winch, plus the ubiquitous C-L coupling and its cryogenic counterpart, a standard item of equipment to LNG shipping.

On deck: the 4th of 20 mammoth LNG tankers, each slated to have innards of nickel alloys.

Construction of "Hull No. 196," blueprinted at left, is currently in progress at the shipyards of Moss Rosenberg Verft a s, Stavanger, Norway.

When she's completed next year, the giant 555,000-bbl. ship with spherical tanks of 9% nickel steel will be the fourth in a whole new generation of larger-sized LNG tankers scheduled for service by the mid-70's.

All 20 of the bigger tankers on the drawing boards to date have capacities in the 300,000-bbl. to 750,000-bbl. range.

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Marcona Corp. Names Koepke To Marine Post



John C. Koepke

John C. Koepke has been named general manager-Marine Operations Division of Marcona Corporation, San Francisco, Calif.-based shipping, mining and resource development firm. The announcement was made by C.W. Robinson, president of Marcona.

Mr. Koepke will assume primary responsibility for the direction of Marcona's fleet operations, which currently includes more than 1-million deadweight tons of owned vessels, plus an additional 1.5-million tons of chartered ships.

Prior to joining Marcona, Mr. Koepke served as vice president for Temple, Barker & Sloane, Inc., and earlier for Fry Consultants, Inc., both major management consulting firms, where he participated in the maritime, energy and public sector fields. His background also includes service with the U.S. Army Transportation Corps in marine cargo control.

Mr. Koepke is a graduate of Northwestern University and holds an M.B.A. degree from Harvard Graduate School of Business Administration.

Kawasaki To Build \$75-Million Shipyard

A shipyard capable of building vessels of up to 1,000,000 deadweight tons at a cost of about \$75,000,000 is planned by Kawasaki Heavy Industries Ltd. of Japan by 1978. Company officials cited increasing demands for large ships and said details will be worked out later.

Kawasaki currently maintains two shipyards, one in Kagawa Prefecture, Shikoku Island, capable of building ships up to 600,000 deadweight tons, and the other in Kobe, Hyogo Prefecture.

MA Awards Contract To Garrett To Study Brayton Cycle Power

The U.S. Department of Commerce Maritime Administration has awarded The Garrett Corporation a \$310,000 cost-shared contract, which is the initial study in a program to develop advanced closed Brayton Cycle turbine power for a liquefied natural gas ship refrigeration system.

The Quincy Shipbuilding Division of General Dynamics, which is building three of the cryogenic tankers, will act as a subcontractor to Garrett on the project. The Garrett study will be conducted by both AiResearch Manufacturing Company of Arizona and AiResearch Manufacturing Company, Los Angeles.

During the study phase, a 9,000-shp closed-cycle engine will be designed for auxiliary power applications. This engine, which would be the largest of its kind yet developed, would provide power for a liquefied natural gas refrigerator system for LNG tankers.

The refrigeration system, also being designed under the contract, is of an advanced design which will insure zero boil-off of the LNG cargo. This functional application for advanced engine technology promises increased efficiency for LNG shipping systems by eliminating boil-off of the cargo.

A secondary objective is to look beyond the 9,000-shp power plant and define a technologically advanced, economical, closed gas turbine main propulsion plant. Such advanced propulsion systems could be incorporated into future large cargoships in the 1980-90 time period.

If the study proves successful, a second phase will follow during which a 9,000-shp liquid natural gas refrigeration system will be built and delivered by the end of 1976. General Dynamics is presently building a tanker capable of carrying 125,000 cubic meters of liquid natural gas. It is

anticipated that the closed-cycle LNG Refrigeration System will be installed on this tanker, although the system has been sized for a second generation LNG tanker having a capacity of 165,000-200,000 cubic meters. The experience gained with the 9,000-shp auxiliary power unit for the refrigeration system is expected to provide a technological building block for development of the closed-cycle power plant as main propulsion.

The closed gas turbine engine is a sealed system in which the working fluid, clean dry gas, is continuously recirculated through the engine. High pressures of 200 to 500 psi are used to minimize the physical size and weight of the system.

The use of clean dry gas as the working fluid assures corrosion-free operation with low maintenance and long life. The engine is extremely efficient, with specific fuel consumption comparable to a diesel. It can operate on a variety of fuels, produces very little noise, and is vibration free. Very low exhaust pollution results from the external combustion approach.

A closed Brayton Cycle power plant differs from an open-cycle, an example of which is a jet engine, in that gases are continually recirculated in a closed loop. In the proposed closed-cycle power plant, the gas is compressed in conventional gas turbine fashion by a rotating compressor. After the gas exits the compressor, it is heated by passing through a recuperator and then a radiant heater, which takes the place of combustion in an open-cycle gas turbine.

The heated gas then passes through a turbine and into the recuperator, where heat is rejected into the compressor discharge air. After passing through the recuperator, the gas goes through a cooler which lowers the temperature to near ambient levels. The gas then re-enters the compressor to complete the loop.

The relatively low weight and small size of the

9,000-shp unit permit it to be containerized and quickly installed on the ship deck structure.

The LNG Refrigeration System is a fully-sealed reverse closed Brayton Cycle system in which mechanical energy is put into the system and thermal energy is extracted. This is a reverse of the process of the standard Brayton Cycle. In the LNG Refrigeration System, mechanical energy is put in through a compressor, and thermal energy is extracted by multiple heat transfer units and a turbo-expander. The system uses gaseous nitrogen as its working fluid and employs heat transfer equipment of conventional design.

The heart of the LNG Refrigeration System is a patented AiResearch turbo-expander unit utilizing gas bearings. Use of gas bearings eliminates conventional oil lubrications systems, thereby reducing maintenance, increasing operational life, and preventing contamination of the process fluids. Gas bearings also eliminate the need for dynamic bearing seals.

The LNG Refrigeration System, like the closed gas turbine power plant, will be containerized and mounted on the deck structure.

As part of the contract work, the method of integrating the LNG Refrigeration package into the ship with minimal impact will be studied. Other goals of the study are to evaluate optimum cycle efficiencies and operational techniques, operation and life cycle costs, maintenance and time between overhaul expectancies, and overall economics. The system will be designed in accordance with the American Bureau of Shipping and U.S. Coast Guard regulations.

General Dynamics will provide design guidance from the shipbuilder standpoint and will assure that appropriate maritime codes are met. General Dynamics' role also is to study the economics of ship operations.

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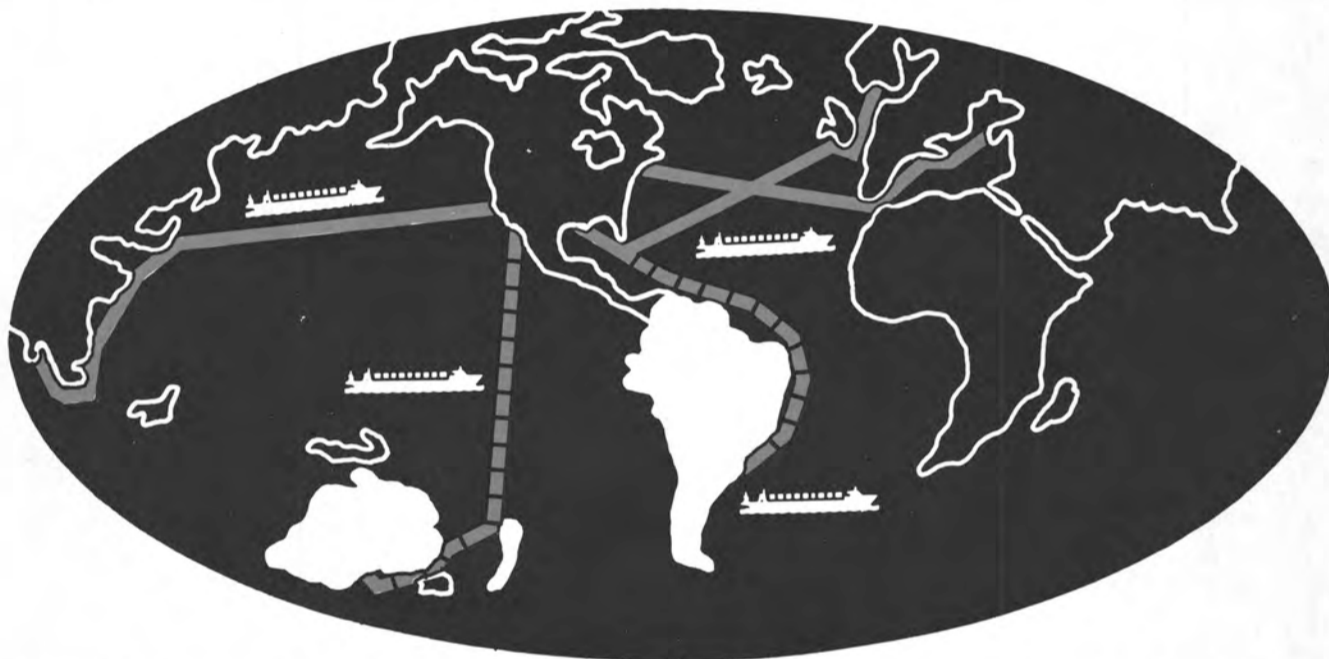
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Zeien Named Technical Program Chairman Of SOCCO

Charles Zeien, executive vice president of J.J. Henry Co., Inc., has accepted the chairmanship of the technical program committee of the Super Ocean Carrier Conference (SOCCO). The appointment was announced by Robert E. Apple, chairman of the steering committee. The conference will

be held January 16-18, 1974, at the Americana Hotel in New York City.

Mr. Zeien stated that the technical sessions will cover the entire range of subjects related to VLCCs, ULCCs, LNGs and other extra large bulk carriers such as slurry and dry bulkers. These subjects include financing, underwriting, legal, regulatory considerations, types of propulsion systems, controls, cargo handling, shallow

draft, inshore and offshore facilities, logistics, structural, and environmental. The chairman also stated that the conference could still accommodate some additional papers. Requests for information should be sent to the address below.

The papers committee includes Robert Rourke, vice chairman, West Coast representative of the J.J. Henry Co.; Elwin Messer, vice president-engineering, Todd Ship-

yards, San Pedro; K.M. Graham, manager of marine transportation, Pacific Alaska LNG Co., and John E. Marriner, consulting naval architect.



Charles Zeien

The Super Ocean Carrier Conference will also include a large exhibit area featuring displays reflecting the latest technology, product lines and facilities which support these huge ships, according to Mr. Apple. He also stated that the board of advisors for the Super Ocean Carrier Conference include an impressive group of leading executives in this critical segment of the marine industry.

Mr. Apple announced that the exhibit area still has some choice locations available. For further information on exhibits, technical papers, etc., write SOCCO, P.O. Box 269, San Pedro, Calif. 90733, U.S.A.

Celli Named President Containerized Shipping Division Of Seatrain



Joseph John Celli

Seatrain Lines, Inc. has announced the appointment of Joseph John Celli to the position of president of the firm's international containerized shipping division, headquartered in Weehawken, N.J., according to Howard M. Pack, president of the company.

Mr. Celli joined Seatrain in June of this year as a corporate vice president whose main area of responsibility was intermodal operations. Prior to joining Seatrain, he held the position of executive vice president of Associated Transport, and Werner Continental, both major trucking companies.

With a wide range of experience, handling all phases of common carrier operations, sales and finance, Mr. Celli is noted for his application of modern management sciences and technologies to maximize corporate efficiency and profitability. He has been associated with motor carrier transportation since graduating from Lehigh University under A.S.T.P. as an engineer.

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United States Lines Names W.J. Klauberg



William J. Klauberg

William J. Klauberg has been named vice president of traffic for United States Lines, it was announced by Donald G. Aldridge, executive vice president of the container company.

Mr. Klauberg joined the company in 1949. Most recently, he served as vice president for the West Coast Division from the inception of the company's expanded operations in that area to its present high-level of activity. This increase in traffic has resulted in the current construction of new container terminal facilities in Long Beach and Oakland, Calif., as well as in Honolulu.

Previously, Mr. Klauberg headed United States Lines' European Operations as vice president in charge of the London headquarters, after serving in a similar capacity for Far East Operations in the Tokyo office.

In his new post, he will direct documentation and booking procedures and oversee the commercial employment of the company's breakbulk vessels that are being returned after military service.

Mr. Klauberg is a graduate of the United States Merchant Marine Academy and the Georgetown University School of Foreign Service. He will operate out of United States Lines' corporate headquarters at One Broadway, New York City.

United States Lines operates a fully containerized Tri-Continent service between Europe, the United States, Hawaii, Guam and the Far East, utilizing an all-modern fleet of 16 high-speed high-capacity container ships.

IHI, Turkey Complete Agreement To Build \$41-Million Shipyard

Partnership negotiations for the construction of a \$41-million shipyard at Pendik, Istanbul, have been successfully completed between the state-owned Maritime Bank of Turkey and Ishikawajima-Harima Heavy Industries, Co., Ltd. of Japan (IHI).

The agreement is subject to review by the Turkish Government. Under the agreement, a joint company is to be formed with IHI holding 47 percent of the \$19 million initial capital stock and the Maritime Bank of Turkey and other Turkish public institutions holding the rest.

Curacao Drydock And Burmeister & Wain Sign Service Agreement

Burmeister & Wain Engineering Company Limited has entered into a service agreement with Curacao Drydock Co. Inc., Curacao, in the Netherlands Antilles. According to the agreement, this shipyard is authorized to act as an "Authorized Repair Shop for B&W Engines."

The agreement comprises the repair of B&W diesel engines in-

stalled in ships calling at ports in the Netherlands Antilles, as well as the supply of spare parts for these engines. Repairs and technical assistance will be effected by personnel specially trained in the maintenance of B&W engines.

Curacao Drydock Company possesses special workshops for the repair of ships and their machinery, and docking facilities include a drydock for vessels of up to 28,000 deadweight tons, as well as a new drydock for ships of up to 120,000 deadweight tons.

Levingston To Build Drilling Vessel For Global Marine, Inc.

A contract to build a 14,500-ton drilling vessel has been received by Levingston Shipbuilding Co. of Orange, Texas. The award for the 450-foot-long vessel was given by Global Marine, Inc., with delivery set for March 1975. Because of a dynamic positioning system, the vessel will be able to sustain its position without the use of mooring cables while drilling in seas of great depth.



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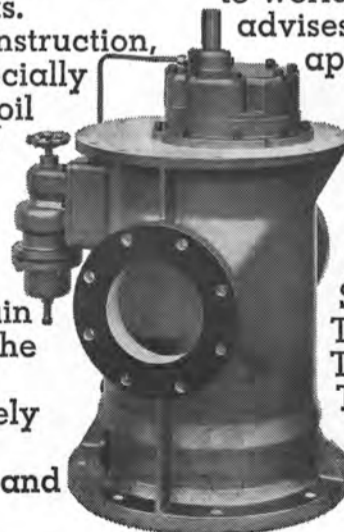
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Hapag-Lloyd AG, Hamburg/Bremen, Harrison Line, Liverpool, and KNSM Line, Amsterdam, have jointly awarded a contract for five full container vessels to the Gdanska Shipyard (Danzig). Hapag-Lloyd and Harrison each ordered two of

these vessels; one will be built for KNSM.

All five ships are intended for a joint service system to be introduced by the three lines between Europe and certain ports in the Caribbean. They will be equipped with on-board container cranes, their capacity being 1,200 twenty-foot containers. The Sulzer main engine will provide for a service speed of 22 knots.

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Western Gear Elects Eitner Vice President



Ade K. Eitner

Ade K. Eitner, manager of Western Gear Corporation's Heavy Machinery Division at Everett, Wash., has been elected a vice president of the company, chairman Bernard J. Bannan has announced.

Mr. Eitner was named manager of the Everett division a year ago, following three years in a similar capacity with the firm's Flight Structures Division, also at Everett.

At Heavy Machinery Division, he has spearheaded and maintained the company's leading position in developing and producing specialized proprietary equipment such as pipeline tensioners, heave compensators, riser and guideline tensioners, and other massive machinery and equipment for the offshore oil industry, marine, and industrial fields worldwide.

A native of San Francisco, Calif., and a 1955 graduate of the University of Santa Clara with a B.S.M.E. degree, Mr. Eitner has held successive managerial and engineering posts with other Western Gear divisions since joining the firm in 1955, including positions as program manager for several major

projects. He has also had duties in the corporation's executive office at Lynwood, Calif.

Mr. Eitner will continue as division manager of the Heavy Machinery Division at Everett, and will report directly to Western Gear president Philip J. Gomez at Lynwood, Calif.

Mitsubishi Negotiating Tanker Order With Anglo-Nordic Shipping

The Anglo-Nordic Shipping Group, in less than a month after its acquisition by P and O and the Reksten's Palmerston holdings, is negotiating with Mitsubishi Heavy Industries for three 402,000-ton ultra large crude carriers (ULCCs).

The finance for the tankers, which are to be built on fixed-price contract and delivered in 1977, is being arranged by Anglo-Nordic, formerly Zapata Naess.

A statement from P and O added that "In keeping with the present trading policy of Anglo-Nordic, P and O and Palmerston, employment for the new tankers will be arranged nearer the time of delivery."

P and O, the U.K. shipping group, and Palmerston, a company headed by Norwegian tanker owner Hilmar Reksten, each have a 50 percent holding in Anglo-Nordic. The affiliated Associated Bulk Carriers (ABC) shipping consortium is 75 percent owned by P and O and 25 percent by Palmerston, and it is not known whether these new ULCCs will be employed strictly by Anglo-Nordic or within the ABC framework.



FIRST STAGES OF OPERATION AT HUD: Over 40 members of the Institute of Marine Engineers, Hongkong Branch, recently visited Hongkong United Dockyards Ltd., Taikoo Yard, to view the first stages of an operation to join the stern section of the M/V Thomas to the tank section of the S/S Brussels. A short lecture given by W.B. Brown, presently in charge of this project, was followed by a visit on board both vessels which are now alongside Taikoo Yard. Mr. Brown explained that the Thomas enters drydock first and a double cut is made around the ship, leaving the two wing tanks and one center tank intact on the aft portion. These tanks will be fully ballasted to keep the aft body on the keel blocks while the forebody is pulled clear at low tide. The forebody of the Brussels replaces that of the Thomas and has a completely new section fitted to it, incorporating pump room, generators and motor room. This new section has been prefabricated into units weighing about 20 tons each. On completion of the attachment of this new section, the Brussels will enter the drydock to be lined up and joined to the Thomas stern. The ship thus formed will emerge under the new name of Kassos. Institute members will again visit this interesting project when work has progressed to a further stage.

New Drilling Operation In North Sea Begun By Texaco Subsidiary

Texaco North Sea U.K. Company, a wholly owned subsidiary of Texaco Inc., has started new drilling operations in the North Sea, off the coast of Scotland, where the company holds nearly half a million acres.

Texaco North Sea is drilling in Block 3/4, which lies about 85 miles east of the Shetland Islands. Block 3/4, held 100 percent by Texaco North Sea, is located immediately to the south of Block 211/29, where drilling by others has uncovered the Brent Field.

Texaco's new drilling activity began when the semisubmersible drilling vessel Zephyr I arrived on location in late June.

Zephyr I has been specially constructed to withstand the unusually harsh weather conditions characteristic of the North Sea. It can operate in winds up to 37 knots and wave heights up to 25 feet. It can also operate in water depths of between 100 and 800 feet, and can drill to a depth of 25,000 feet.

Almost all machinery and controls are enclosed, enabling the crew to work the rig efficiently during severe winter weather. Eight anchors, each weighing 30,000 pounds, keep the Zephyr I on station.

An exceptionally large blowout preventer stack has been installed on the rig. It is more than 40 feet high and weighs about 180 tons. A sophisticated data-recording system has also been installed to evaluate sea conditions and their effect on the behavior of the unit.

Texaco participated in the first drilling operation in the North Sea nearly a decade ago. The company's total holdings in the North Sea area amount to about five million acres.

SNAME Presents New Edition On Guidelines For Coating Ships

A new updated edition of the "Coating Systems Guide for Hull, Deck and Superstructure (Revised 1973)" has been released by Panel 0-23 (Ships' Paints) of The Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers' Technical and Research (T&R) Program. This edition was necessary in order to provide detailed information on the new, proven, coating systems for ships which have come into service since 1969.

The bulletin presents concise tabulations of the application, performance and miscellaneous characteristics of the generic types of coatings now in service on U.S. ships. Basic health and safety precautions are included, as well as references to applicable U.S. Government specifications. The cost data has also been updated and compatibility tables expanded in an attempt to reduce the number of failures that seem to accompany the introduction of new coatings.

An expanded glossary of terms related to coatings helps to chemically

define the new coatings and also to recognize such new surface preparation techniques as hydroblasting. The grades of surface preparation are referenced to SNAME's popular T&R Bulletin 4-9, "Abrasive Blasting Guide for Aged and Coated Steel Surfaces," as this publication provides color photographs of various steels with different grades of blasting suitable for field comparison and evaluation with the ships' or the structures' blasted surface. These bulletins

also conform to other industrially accepted definitions for each grade of blasting as contained in the "Surface Preparation Specifications" of the Steel Structures Painting Council.

T&R Bulletin 4-10, "Coating Systems Guide for Hull, Deck and Superstructure (Revised 1973)" should be most useful to owners, operators, builders and designers of ships and offshore structures. It has been approved for publication by the ship technical operations committee and is

available through The Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers, 74 Trinity Place, New York, N.Y. 10006, at a price of \$9.75 per copy. Members of the Society may obtain a copy of the bulletin for \$6.50. If postage is received with the order, these prices include postage via third class mail in the United States and as "Printed Matter" in all other countries. Shipments will be insured or sent air mail at additional cost only if requested.

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Rolls Royce Gas Turbine Approved For Marine Use By Lloyd's Register Of Shipping

Lloyd's Register of Shipping has recently approved the design of the Rolls Royce Olympus TM3B gas turbine for use as a main ship propulsion unit and for other marine duties.

The TM3B engine is a fully marinized version developed from the Olympus series of aero gas turbines, of which the latest is installed in the Concorde. In its marine form, the Olympus has been adopted for propulsion in many naval vessels and is already in service with several navies. A closely similar type is also in use for land-based power generation.

The marinization of a pure jet aero engine is achieved essentially by the addition of a power turbine to provide an output shaft drive, the basic engine being used as a gas generator unit. Further

design changes affecting the engine structure and the control systems are necessitated by the requirement to operate continuously at sea level. Special attention is also paid to the effects of operation in a corrosive marine environment, involving the selection of resistant materials for components most affected and the provision of air filtration to minimize salt ingestion.

The operation and control of the TM3B is fully automated for remote or unmanned running and a comprehensive range of protective and safety devices is incorporated. Fire risks are minimized by the installation of engines in sealed enclosures within the engine room, equipped with automatic fire extinguishing systems.

Approval of the TM3B design by Lloyd's Register is for a continuous service rating of 18,000 bhp at 5,370 rpm (power turbine output) and a corresponding maximum rating of 21,000 bhp at 5,660 rpm. This approval follows the examination

of the engine design for compliance with the Society's Rules for marine gas turbines, in respect of basic structural integrity and safety and reliability in service.

TM3B engines certified under this approval will be subject to the usual Lloyd's Register survey requirements for marine engines relating to manufacture, testing, installation and maintenance.

Frigitemp Awarded \$40-Million Subcontract From Litton

Frigitemp Corporation, New York, N.Y., has been awarded a \$40-million subcontract by Ingalls Shipbuilding Division of Litton Industries to perform joiner installation work on a series of new Navy destroyers and amphibious assault ships.

Gerald Lee, Frigitemp president, said the contract—one of the largest of its kind ever awarded in the marine field—would be carried out by Frigitemp's Marine Division. He said the company is required to secure necessary performance bonds under the contract.

The subcontract to Frigitemp involves work on five LHA amphibious assault ships and 16 DD-963-class destroyers, with an option for future contracts on 14 additional destroyers.

Under the subcontract, Frigitemp will perform all joiner work on the vessels, including the assembly and installation of galley equipment, crew accommodations furnishings and other interior finishing work aboard the ships.

Mr. Lee said Frigitemp will coordinate the contracts from the company's new plant outside Gulfport, Miss., located about 40 miles from Pascagoula, where the ships are in production.

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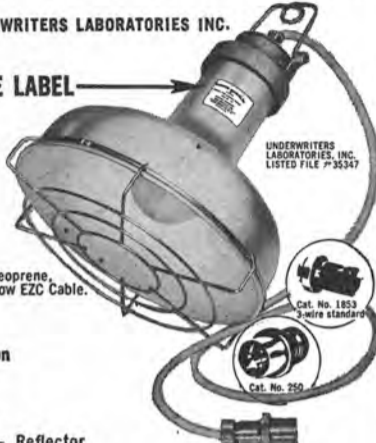
MILLION POUND LIFT: When Ingalls Shipbuilding Division of Litton Industries in Pascagoula, Miss., moved the deckhouse for the first of a fleet of amphibious assault ships it is producing for the U.S. Navy, the first direction was straight up—100 feet. The all-aluminum deckhouse, five stories high and weighing more than a million pounds, was fabricated on the ground and then lifted aboard the ship in two sections by four 200-ton-capacity cranes. After reaching the height necessary to clear the top deck of the LHA (background), the two sections, each weighing in excess of 250 tons, were moved into place on the starboard side of the ship. The deckhouse, which will contain all the ship's electronics and command and control functions, measures 42 feet by 180 feet by 50 feet high. The mast atop the structure adds an additional 54 feet to the total height, making the LHA tower some 200 feet above the ground. Designed by Ingalls to transport and land a Marine battalion landing team and support equipment, the LHA is 820 feet long at the flight deck, as large as a World War II aircraft carrier. The first ship, named Tarawa, will be launched this year.

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Shell Offshore Rigs Produce Fresh Water From Waste Heat

Off the Louisiana-Texas Gulf Coast, Shell Oil Company has many offshore production and drilling platforms at work. Both oil and gas are being produced.

Until five years ago, all of the fresh water was barged out for use by the crews manning many of the platforms; water used for drinking, cooking, make-ready and wash down. Today, this need is primarily met by the use of desalinators. Shell engineers designed a system using Continental Emsco supplied Maxim HJ50 waste heat recovery desalinators. These units provide normal freshwater requirements by utilizing the available waste heat on platforms.

The units are completely packaged on skids, and include piping, pumps, electricals and salinity controls—for easy handling and quick installation. The first HJ50 units went into Shell service in 1967. They now have over 55 units in operation on production platforms. A typical installation produces 2,400 gpd of fresh water using jacket water heat from generator drive engines.

The system operates under vacuum, with the boiling of seawater at a low temperature (125° F). Chemical cleaning is required every three months. Continental Emsco has coated the desalinator package exterior with Shell's specified corrosion resistant epoxy, and has included an electrolysis control system.

Maxim seawater desalinators are manufactured by Riley-Beaird, Inc., P.O. Box 1115, Shreveport, La., 71130, in a wide range of produced freshwater capacities—from 50 to 500,000 gallons per day.

Seatrains Consolidates Container Operations

Seatrains Lines, Inc. has announced the restructuring of its Container Division organization to provide centralized control and administration of international operations.

Joseph J. Celli, the division's president, said the new structure was designed to consolidate, with substantial cost savings, the previous largely autonomous operations of the company's widely separated port and marketing facilities, each with its own marketing and operations organizations.

Mr. Celli said Arthur C. Novacek has been named to the newly created post of executive vice president, responsible for worldwide marketing functions formerly held by the presidents of autonomous divisions. In his new position, Mr. Novacek will establish an integrated marketing network reporting to him through marketing vice presidents in each of the major zones of international trade.

Mr. Celli also named Ronald A. Kucks to the newly created post of executive vice president responsible for operations throughout the Seatrain system. Mr. Kucks was formerly vice president, transportation, for Associated Transport. Both new posts carry greater authority and broader control in Seatrain's expanded container system than had existed in the organization for any position previously, Mr. Celli said.

Also announced were the appointments of Kevan H. Cleary as vice president, management control, and George Workman, vice president, management information, and of three executive assistants to the president, John J. Haggerty, Peter G. Murphy and Kurt Rosenbach.

Mr. Cleary will have divisional responsibility for personnel, office management, cost control, budgeting and administrative services. Mr. Workman will oversee the division's data processing, industrial engineering and systems/procedures operations.



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SAFETY FIRST: Capt. **Bernard J. Hickey** (left), of United States Lines' containerliner S/S American Liberty, receives Fleet Seamanship Safety Award noting ship's 366-day accident-free record, from **Kenneth W. Gundling**, vice president for marine operations of United States Lines, and **L.H. Pert** (right), assistant marine superintendent. United States Lines has started this award program to recognize safety achievements by its fleet and personnel. There were six other containerliners with perfect records for 1972.

Boston And Lockport Block Co. Acquired By Joslyn Mfg.

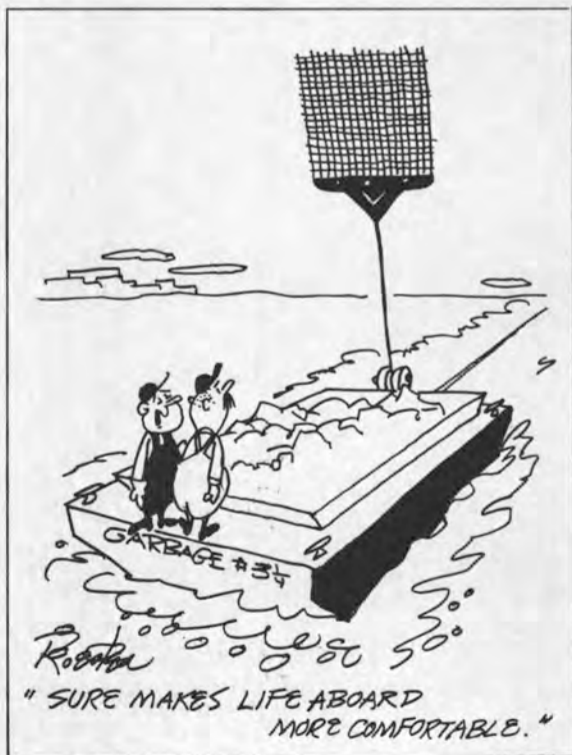
The formal signing of final papers for the acquisition of the Boston and Lockport Block Co., Inc., Boston, Mass., by the Joslyn Mfg. and Supply Co., Chicago, Ill., was announced in Boston by officials of both companies.

The joint statement reads as follows:

"Completion of the acquisition of the assets of Boston and Lockport Block Co., Inc. was announced by **George W. Stamm**, president of Joslyn Mfg. and Supply Co., Chicago, and **Donald C. Seamans**, president of Boston and Lockport Block Co., Inc., Boston. The consideration was not announced.

"Mr. Stamm stated that the business should be continued under the name of Boston and Lockport Corp. under present management with Mr. Seamans serving as president. The company will be operated as a subsidiary of Brewer-Titchener Corp., Cortland, N.Y., which is a wholly owned subsidiary of Joslyn Mfg. and Supply Co.

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Isherwood System Reduces Large Ship Operating Costs

Sir Joseph W. Isherwood & Company Limited, consultant naval architects and marine engineers, with offices in London and Newcastle upon Tyne, are launching a new service—A-mar-Z—which aims to provide a powerful management tool to enable fleet managers to optimize the costs associated with the total repair and maintenance function of ships of all sizes.

By identifying the total work load necessary to maintain ships in service and apply planning techniques to ensure that manpower deployment is executed in the most cost effective manner, Isherwoods are making available a service designed to overcome many of the problems that detract from the profitable operation of modern ships.

Many modern vessels, including VLCCs and containerships, incorporate a high degree of sophistication in an endeavor to improve their commercial productivity. Technical problems, however, aggravated by a number of external factors, have resulted in recent times in an unprecedented increase in repair, maintenance and associated off-hire costs, which has detracted from the value of the investment made in these areas.

This situation has caused many owners to question traditional methods of managing maintenance, and in some cases planned maintenance schemes have been implemented in an endeavor to bring costs back under control.

From their observations and after "in-depth" research, Isherwoods have concluded that the majority of these planned maintenance schemes are failing to produce the anticipated benefits. They believe that the reason for this failure stems largely from too great emphasis being placed on office-bound systems and insufficient attention being paid to the job of effectively managing the whole range of maintenance and repair activities.

Illustrating the size of the problem, Isherwoods have determined that currently some VLCCs spend up to 40 days out of service in an 18-month period due to maintenance and repairs, and total costs of about \$1,500,000 during such a period are not untypical.

The A-mar-Z system has been designed to overcome the problems in an economical fashion. Given full management and sea-staff support, the system has the potential to reduce the total repair bill during an 18-month drydocking interval by some 33 percent and on the basis of their quoted costs for operating this system, this gives a saving to cost ratio of the order of 6:1.

The A-mar-Z system not only provides the basic planning and documentation software, but makes available an operating bureau which provides the ship manager with a complete management service—without any of the problems and overheads associated with in-house systems. The planning system is all embracing in respect of maintenance and repair activities and covers steelwork, pipework, systems and spares, in addition to the traditional planned maintenance which is concerned principally with rotating machinery.

Cost reduction is the major objective of the scheme. This is achieved by maximizing the amount of maintenance, inspections and repairs carried out at sea, using shoreside facilities only for work which cannot possibly be carried out at sea.

In order to effect work on board ship, which is beyond the resources of the ship's staff, skilled labor will be made available by a number of approved specialized contractors who will undertake the work at sea. The work will be planned and coordinated by the planning bureau.

To complete the all-embracing nature of the system, advisory services, including drydock planning, operating manuals and operational research will be made available through the bureau.

A-mar-Z is operated by Isherwood's Maintenance Services Division based in Newcastle upon Tyne and in association with the following approved contractors: Wm. McCrindle & Son, work squads; R. Pollard Associated, operating manuals; Engineer Test Services (Far East) Ltd., steelwork surveys (ultrasonics); Rodger, Morley Ltd.; vibration analysis, and I.M.E.C. (Marine Ltd.), automation and electronic equipment maintenance.

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Astilleros Espanoles Launches Second Of Four 230,000-Dwt Tankers For AMOCO Transport



Pictured at the launching, left to right: **Luis Nadal**, director of the Cadiz Yard; **Robert Haddow**, vice president of supply and transportation of AMOCO International Oil Company; **Mrs. Haddow**, sponsor; the port commander, and **Mrs. Delgado**, wife of the director of the Southern Area of Astilleros Espanoles, S.A.

The 230,000-dwt AMOCO Singapore has been launched at the Cadiz Shipyard of Astilleros Espanoles, S.A. This is the second of a series of four vessels that are being built at the Cadiz Shipyard for AMOCO Transport Company of the U.S.

The approximate measurements and main particulars of the vessel are length overall, 1,096 feet; length between perpendiculars, 1,027 feet; molded breadth, 167 feet; molded depth, up to main deck, 86 feet, and molded draft, 65 feet. The cargo tank capacity (100%) is about 10,011,857 cubic feet, and the anticipated fully laden trials speed is 15.3 knots.



The 230,000-dwt tanker AMOCO Singapore slides down the ways at the Astilleros Espanoles Cadiz Shipyard.

The propulsion machinery on the AMOCO Singapore comprises an AESA-Burmeister & Wain 8K98FF type main engine, totaling 30,400 bhp at 103 rpm, built by Astilleros Espanoles, S.A.

Other equipment such as winches, windlasses, steering gear, main boilers, heavy forgings and castings have also been constructed at different works of Astilleros Espanoles, S.A.

Mrs. Ginger S. Haddow, wife of the vice president of supply and transportation of AMOCO International Oil Company, served as sponsor during the launching ceremony, accompanied by authorities, executives of the shipbuilding company and officials of the AMOCO Group.

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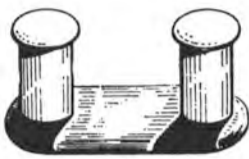
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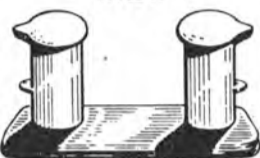
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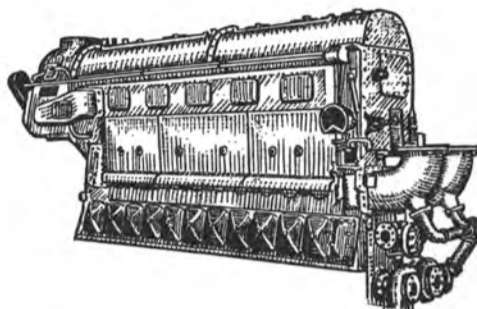


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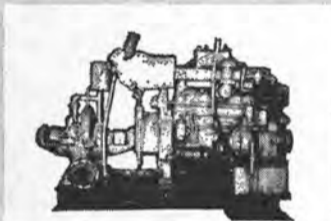
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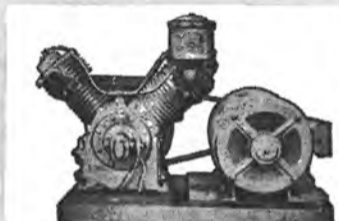


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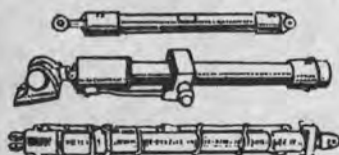
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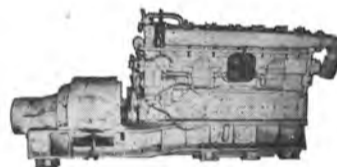
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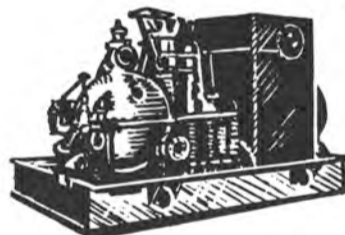
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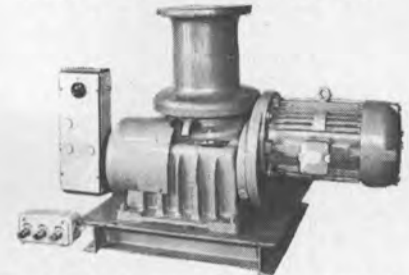


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Also in the background, the second, and the stern section of the third of four 120,000 dwt tankers on order here are under construction in our new 1,200 x 200 ft building basin, the largest in the United States. To follow these big tankers are five that will be more than

double their size: 265,000 dwt, the largest ships ever built in this country. These nine tankers will keep the basin busy well into 1976. They are based on the ninth and tenth cost-saving "standard designs" developed since World War II by Bethlehem's Central Technical Division (CTD), which is headquartered here.

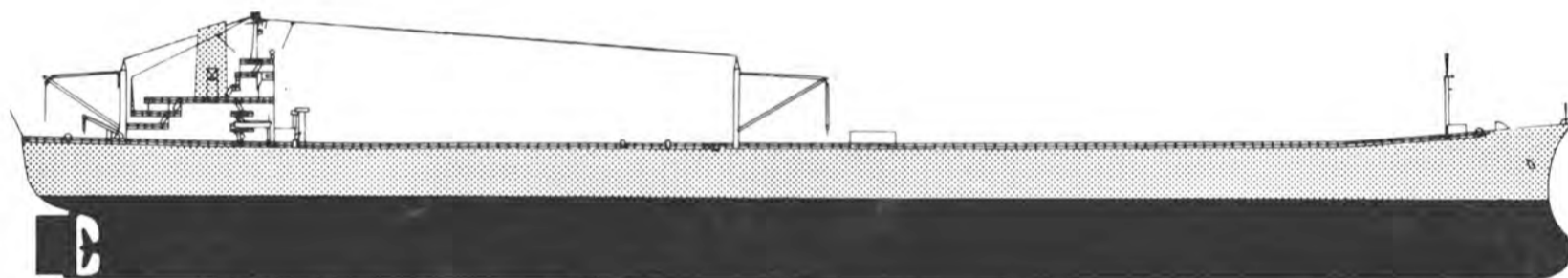
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