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#### Blount Marine To Build Another New York-Class Harbor Cruise Vessel

Cruise International (CI) of Norfolk, Va., operator of the "Spirit" line fleet of seven harbor cruise ships, has announced plans to build five New York-class vessels in the next two years. Two will be built in 1988, and three in 1989.

A contract for the first of the two has been awarded to Blount Marine of Warren, R.I., builder of the other Spirit vessels. CI plans to homeport this vessel in Los Angeles. The contract for the second vessel to be built this year is expected to be awarded soon. A special committee is evaluating port cities for assignment of Spirit vessels.

The Spirit of New York has recently completed its inaugural season carrying about 180,000 passengers. It was named an outstanding passenger vessel of 1987 by Maritime Reporter and Engineering News (January 1988 issue, page 23), and is regarded by maritime experts as one of the finest vessels of this type in operation. According to **Richard O'Leary**, president of CI, all future vessels will be of this design.

Presently nearing completion at Blount Shipyard in Warren is the seventh ship in the Spirit line, the 192-foot Spirit of Chicago, a 600passenger sister ship to the Spirit of New York, which is scheduled to begin service in Chicago's Lake Michigan this month.

For free literature giving complete details on the facilities and capabilities of Blount Marine,

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#### Kone Fels Secures \$3.6-Million Contract For Two Gantry Cranes

Kone Fels Cranes Pte Ltd, a subsidiary of Far East Levingston Shipbuilding Limited (FELS), has secured a \$3.6-million contract to design and manufacture two rubbertired gantry cranes for the Burma Ports Corporation. The cranes will be built under license from Ferranti Container Handling Ltd of the U.K. and will be used for transferring containers between vessels alongside and trailers at the quay.

Besides the Burmese order, Kone Fels has delivered similar cranes to the Port of Trinidad and Tobago and also the Port of Singapore Authority.

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PROPULSION UPDATE

### Krupp Mak Manufactures Medium-Speed Diesel Engines For Naval Ship Applications —Free Literature Available—

A medium-speed diesel engine designed for heavy fuel operation and low fuel oil consumption is an ideal basis for engines with the load profile for naval operations.

Such medium-speed engines should be designed for: continuous operation; dependability; excellent economy; heavy fuel operation; and minimum service requirement. Additionally, these engines should be compact, with a simple design and uncomplicated systems.

In turn, engines with these characteristics would be well-suited for: high shock loads; extended low load; high operational safety of both the engine and its systems; preventive maintenance; shock load safety; and low emissions.

Diesel engine manufacturer Krupp Mak, which has more than 100 years' experience in naval equipment, offers a number of medium-speed, four-stroke heavy fuel engines in the output range from 740 to 9,900 kw (1,000-13,500 hp) under the trade name Mak.

For example, Krupp Mak offers the heavy-fuel engines M453C and the M332, both of which boost low fuel consumption. The company reports that both engines feature good ratio of maximum to mean piston pressures, but a moderate, and therefore operational safe values. Additionally, the moderate engine load permits a very favorable compression ratio. The engines run very clean at low loads, partially as the result of high injection energy.

Both engines feature clean and simple construction. Through fine tuning and the use of high-grade spheroidal graphite iron casting, both engines feature excellent rigidity and thus low vibration.

Engine Specifications				
Туре	M332	M453C		
Bore (mm)	240	320		
Stroke (mm)	330	420		
Output range (kw)	1000-1500	1800-5300		
Output (kw/cyl.)	167-200	330		
Speed (rpm)	720-900	600		
BMEP (bar)	18.6-17.9	19.7		
Cylinders	6-8	6,8,9,12,16		

### U.S. Coast Guard Awards \$3-Million Contract

To Gianotti & Associates

Gianotti & Associates of Texas, Inc., Annapolis, Md., a naval architecture and marine engineering firm, has been awarded a three-year, \$3-million tasking order contract to provide engineering support to the U.S. Coast Guard Research and De-



The relatively long piston strokes are essential for Mak engines. They permit quiet running of the engine with high mechanical efficiency. The cylinder air exchange is more effective as with a short stroke engine. The engines are built for a low thermal load, in order to be suitable for heavy fuel oil operation. This will provide the highest operational safety at frequently changing loads, which are usual in naval operation. A bonus of the Mak engines' designs is an extremely clean exhaust. The marriage of nitrided cylinder liners and the all-around chromium plating of the piston rings and associated ring grooves result in ex-tremely low wear, and consequently, excellent lube oil consumption.

Since the engines are designed for rough operation, an unusually long overall service life is expected for naval operation. Piston rings should be changed after 20,000 hours, valves overhauled at 10,000 hours and pistons and cylinder liners should have a service life approximately equal to the life cycle of the engine itself.

For free literature on the Krupp Mak M332 and M453C diesel engines,

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velopment Center, Groton, Conn. The contract award includes tasking in the areas of hydrodynamic analysis and simulation, structural analysis, design synthesis, reliability analysis, full scale ship/structure testing and model ship/structure testing. The U.S. Coast Guard Academy, New London, Conn., is the contracting activity (DTCG39-88-D-80638).



Product tanker Torm Margrethe will be powered by a single five-cylinder L70MCE MAN B&W diesel engine.

### Burmeister & Wain Christens Eighth Product Tanker In Series

The 750-foot M/T Torm Margrethe was recently christened at ceremonies at Burmeister & Wain Skibsvaerft A/S in Copenhagen.

The single-screw tanker is the eighth in a series of Panamax product tankers, type CPT54E. She was contracted for by K/S Margretheholm, a partnership of Danish tax investors, and will be operated by the Danish shipping company Torm.

The vessel, which has a beam of 106 feet and draft of 38 feet, is equipped with one five-cylinder, two-stroke MAN B&W L70MCE diesel engine, which develops 10,900 bhp at 84 rpm MCR or 9,800 bhp at 81 rpm CSR. The engine runs a four-bladed propeller with a diameter of 7.2 m or 23.6 feet. She has an average speed of 15.1 knots at a loaded design draft/ballasted condition of 90 percent.

In her engine room, the Torm Margrethe has four auxiliary engines—two six-cylinder MAN B&W T23LH-4E diesel engines each direct coupled to a 600-kw generator and two eight-cylinder MAN B&W L28/32 diesel engines each coupled to a hydraulic pump of 1,680 kw. One is also coupled to a 1,200-kw generator.

The bridge is equipped with the most up-to-date navigation instruments such as a direction finder, radar, satellite communication system, satellite navigator, autopilot and gyrocompass. The bridge also is equipped with remote control equipment for the propulsion machinery to allow for unmanned engine room operation.

The vessel has been designed with 12 cargo tanks (six on the port and six on the starboard side). She will be capable of carrying up to 12 different oil products and chemicals at one time. She will be classed and registered as +1A1 "tanker for oil and caustic soda, COW, EO, INERT," and in accordance with the "Tanker Safety and Pollution Prevention 1978." She also will be equipped with a gas generator to

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Equi	pment List

Equipment List
Main engine
Auxiliary engines MAN B&W Holeby
Boilers
Generators
Electric motors AEG Dansk Akts.
Radars
Radio station
Gyro/autopilot Aage Hempel Int'l
Remote sounding
Bridge maneuvering system &
alarm system
Cargo oil pumps
Cooling water pumps
Purifiers
Steering gear
Windlass & mooring
Fire equipment
Fire equipment
Hose-handling cranes MTT
Lifeboats
Pipelines Ludvigsen & Hermansen
Painting of cargo tanks Mühlhann
Painting of ballast tanks Ole Dufour
Paints, cargo tanks J. C. Hempel
Other paints
Farvefabrik

pump neutral, non-explosive gas (inert gas) in the tanks to avoid the risk of explosion during loading and unloading.

For free literature on the shipbuilding facilities of Burmeister & Wain.

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#### Comsat Maritime Services Moves To New Address In Washington, D.C.

Comsat Corporation Maritime Services recently announced that they have moved their offices from Clarksburg, Md., to Washington, D.C., and can now be reached at the following address: Comsat Maritime Services Sales and Marketing Office, 950 L'Enfant Plaza, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20024, phone (202) 863-6567 or 1-800-424-9152, Telex 197800, Fax (202) 488-3814/ 3819.

#### Sofec Concludes Management Buyout From Vickers PLC

Sofec, Inc., headquartered in Houston, Texas, has recently concluded a management buyout from Vickers PLC. A group of six managers headed by Sofec president **Bill Kiely** completed the buyout with financial support from Pacifi-Corp Credit, Inc., of Portland, Ore.

Sofec is an engineering and construction company that designs, fabricates and installs specialized marine facilities for military and offshore oil operations. They currently have a large order backlog with several major projects underway for the U.S. Navy in addition to supply of a Turret Mooring System to Yemen Exploration and Production Company that will permanently moor one of the world's largest storage vessels offshore the Yemen Arab republic.

The company was formed in 1972 and acquired by Vickers in 1983. For further information and free literature,

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#### Sea-Land Buys Last Three USL Ships; Outbid For Five Others

Sea-Land Service Inc. recently purchased the last three remaining United States Lines Lancer Class containerships at a San Francisco auction for \$22.8 million. Two weeks earlier, Sea-Land had been outbid by the Puerto Rico Management Shipping Authority (PRMSA) at a New York auction for five Lancer Class vessels.

In San Francisco, Sea-Land outbid Malcolm P. McClean, the former chairman of the bankrupt USL, and Eastern Overseas, a New York shipbroker, that bid on just one of the ships.

The three vessels bought by Sea-Land, the American Lark, American Legion and the American Liberty, each have a capacity of 1,300 TEUs.

At the New York auction, PRMSA bought five USL Lancer Class ships for \$44,125,000. Sea-Land bid \$44 million for the five ships.





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9th International Conference & Exhibition on Roll-On/Roll-Off Marine Transport

#### Gothenburg, Sweden, June 7-9

RO/RO 88, the 9th International Conference and Exhibition on through transport utilizing roll-on/ roll-off (RO/RO) methods, will be held at the Svenska Massan in Gothenburg, Sweden, from June 7-9, 1988.

The central theme of the conference will be the future of the RO/RO business. Leading spokesmen from the various sectors of through transport, such as shipping, ports, carriers and regulators, will discuss a number of important issues and ideas affecting the industry during the three-day, nine-session event.

For example, Leo Collar, president of Crowley Maritime Corporation, San Francisco, Calif., will present "A New Dimension—Strategic RO/RO Operations in Both Hemispheres," during the conference's first session, "Markets and Trading."

ing." During Session 3 on Wednesday, June 8, Mr. Zanetti, president of both the Port of Trieste and the Association of Italian Ports, will discuss "The Role of the Italian Ports in Expanding RO/RO Operations in the Mediterranean."

During Session 4, which runs parallel with Session 3, Mr. **Paro**, vice president of Diesel Technology Oy Wartsila AB, Vasa, Finland, will present "Cost-Effective and Reliable Machinery Concepts for RO/RO Vessels."

The nine sessions that will be presented during the conference are: "Marketing and Trading"; "In Four Years the European Trade Barriers Come Down"; Port Futures— Emerging and Expanding"; "Stevedoring and Lashing"; "Ship Design and Efficiency"; "Volume RO/RO— Car Trades and Forest Products"; "RO/RO Terminal Developments"; "Rail Traffic"; "Ship Survivability"; and "Forklift Trucks and Terminal Tractors."

A well-established feature of the RO/RO event is its large exhibition, which will provide attendees and exhibitors an excellent opportunity to meet face-to-face and explore business ventures. About 100 exhibitors will be on hand representing a number of sectors from RO/RO handling, shipping lines, ports, marine machinery and equipment.

The City of Gothenburg and its port will be the hosts for the RO/RO 88 social events. On Wednesday evening, June 8, a special gala reception and dinner will be hosted by the Port of Gothenburg aboard one of the Stena Line super ferries sailing between Sweden and Denmark. On Thursday, June 9, there will be an opportunity for delegates to join a guided tour of the Port of Gothenburg's facilities. A post-conference tour on June 10 will visit a Volvo production line at one of the

Group's most modern factories. For additional information on registration and attendance, contact: The Secretariat, 2 Station Road, Rickmansworth, Hertfordshire, U.K. WD3 1QP; telephone: Ricksmanworth (0923) 776363; fax: (0923) 777206; and telex: 924312.

#### RORO 88 PROGRAM & TOURS

Tuesday, June 7 09.00 Conference Registration Opens

09.00 RORO Exhibition Opens

12.00 PGS Warm Welcome Reception

14.00 RORO Conference Opens

Session 1: Markets and Trading "Global Liner Traffic—A Current and Future Analysis of Routes, Commodities and Cargo Flows." M. Sclar, vice president, Temple, Barker & Sloane Inc.

"Changes on the Atlantic—RORO Provides the Cutting Edge." **G. Hasse**, president, Atlantic Container Line.

"A National Carrier Looks to the Future," Dr. Saad A. Al-Ghamdi, chief executive, National Shipping Company of Saudi Arabia.

"A New Dimension—Strategic RORO Operations in Both Hemispheres," L. Collar, president, Crowley Maritime Corporation.

"Brazilian Through Transport—The Way Ahead for Shipping and Ports," **R. Klien,** owner, Transroll Navegacao SA.

"Can the West European Shipowner Avoid Flagging Out to Remain Competitive?" **P. Smith,** manager-shipping policy, Swedish Shipowners Association.

Session 2: In Four Years the European Trade Barriers Come Down

"EEC Shipping Policy and Future Priorities," **N. Turns,** principal administrator, EEC Council Secretariat.

"The Next 5-10 Years of Through Transport—Who Will Succeed?" **P. Rosendal,** managing director, International Transport Advisers. "The Lashing Problem Continues Because the Weak Links Are Still There," Capt. **H. Stradt,** marine surveyor, Allcargo Hafendienstleistungen GmbH.

"IMO Code of Safe Practice for Stowing and Securing Cargo," **S. Felding,** International Maritime Organization (IMO). Panellist: Capt. **H. Wasser,** mänager, Gerd Buss Afrika Terminal (Handling RORO Services of POL to Australia and the Mediterranean and Hoegh to West Africa).

09.00 Session 4: Ship Design and Efficiency (parallel with Session 3)

> "New Catamaran RORO Design for Norwegian Coastal Service—A Breakthrough in Hull Design," J. E. Wahl, director, IKO Logistikk AS.

RORO Conversions: Economic Ways to Increase Capacity and Improve Profitability—Featuring Case Study of Tor Line's Conversion of the Oden Vessels,'' **O. Fastesson**, managing director, Tor Line AB and **J. Christensen**, managing director, FKAB.

"Flexibility in Ship Tailoring and Management Provides Many RORO Solutions—A Presentation on the Multipurpose Use of the Searunner Class," Speaker to be announced, Stena AB.

"Cost-Effective and Reliable Machinery Concepts for RORO Vessels," **D. Paro,** vice president, Diesel Technology Oy Wärtsilä AB.

Lunch for Registered Conference Delegates

**NB:** During the afternoon of Wednesday, June 8, there will be an opportunity for interested delegates to join a conducted tour of the Gothenburg Port facilities.

#### 14.30 Session 5: Volume RORO—Car Trades and Forest Products (parallel with Session 6)

"Preparing for the Future—New Ships and New Opportunities," **O. Larsen**, managing director, HUAL Hoegh-Ugland Autoliners A/S.

"Forest Products: Economic Comparison Between STORO and RORO Handling—Bulk Return Cargoes—Future Developments," **T. Grandell**, technical manager, Transfennica Corporation.

"Changes in the Car Carrier Market," **H. Munthe,** vice president-marketing, Wallenius Lines.

"Auto Industry Uses Floating Motorway—Inland and Shortsea RORO from Factory-to-Distributor," Speaker to be announced, E.H. Harms & Co.

#### 14.30 Session 6: RORO Terminal Developments (parallel with Session 5)

"A Cost-Conscious Solution for Ramp Access While Berthed Conventionally," Capt. **H. Schmiedeberg,** operations manager, Gerd Buss.

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and exhibition center, and the Sara Gothia Hotel will be headquarters for RO/RO 88.

"Use Not Ownership for Intermodal Efficiency," J. Cleary, chairman, TIP Europe plc.

"The Through-Transporters View—Post-1993," **G.P. Cave-Wood,** chairman, Cave Wood Transport Ltd.

18.30 Welcome Reception from the City of Gothenburg in the City Hall (Borsen) Gustav Adolfs Torg

Wednesday, June 8

09.00 Session 3, Part 1: Port Futures—Emerging and Expanding (parallel with Session 4)

> "Today's Reality Versus Yesterday's Dream—At Changes in Third World Ports," **G. de Monie,** director, Antwerp Port Engineering & Consulting (APEC).

> "The Role of the Italian Ports in Expanding RORO Operations in the Mediterranean," **M. Zanetti,** president, Port of Trieste and president, Association of Italian Ports.

### Session 3 Part II: Stevedoring & Lashing (parallel with Session 4)

"Stevedoring for High Volume Ferry Traffic—Rolling/Containers/ Rail," **B. von Gerber,** operations manager, Port of Stockholm.

"New Cargo Handling Methods—Ro-Lux and More," L. Arminen, development manager, Steveco, Kotka and Hamina.

"Safe Packing and Securement of Cargo in Freight Containers and Vehicles," A new film introduced by: **R. Bacon**, technical coordinator, Videotel Marine International Ltd.

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"Experiences from the World's First Openwater Linkspan—17 Ships/Day—No Stevedoring— RORO/Ferry Traffic,' J. Rose, managing director, Marine Development, Dunblane, Scotland.

"A RORO Future for Old Quays and Port Facilities-in Western and Third World Situations, N. Nixon, managing partner, Nigel Nixon Knapton & Partners.

"The Development of Shoreside RORO Structures,' A. Masters, associate, Posford Duvivier.

#### 16.30 Session 7: Rail Traffic

"Operating the World's Largest Railships Between Germany and Finland—Is Big the Best for Long Distance Routes?" R. Heinecke, managing director, Railship GmbH & Co.

"Marketing Opportunities for Through Rail Transport—Reduced Inventory—Hazardous Cargoes

But How Competitive After 1992," Speaker to be announced, Deutsche Bundesbahn.

Wednesday Evening Reception and dinner hosted by the Port of Gothenburg aboard one of the Stena Line super ferries sailing between Sweden and Denmark.

#### Thursday, June 9

09.30 Session 8: Ship Survivability (parallel with Session 9)

> "Survival Capability Class: Increased Safety But Does It Destroy the RORO Concept?" S. Rusas, principal surveyor, Det norske Veritas.

"Risk Management for RORO Cargo Ships," J. Spouge, consultant, Technica Ltd.

"RORO Ship Survivability: Comments on Damage Stabilty Modelling," D. Boltwood, senior surveyor for damage stability, International Conventions Department, Lloyd's Register of Shipping.

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Possible," S. Felding, International Maritime Organization (IMO).

"Practical Solutions to Improved Survivability of RoRo Ferries," D. Byrne, technical manager, MacGregor-Navire (UK) Ltd.

"Putting a Lifebelt Around the Ship," E. Vossnack, consultant, Hook of Holland.

Session 9: Forklift Trucks and Terminal Tractors (parallel with Session 8)

**Panel Workshop Discussion** 

B. Bender, president, Ottawa Truck Corporation.

P. H. Lindberg, vice president, Sisu Terminal Systems.

H. Bendel, director, Lansing Bagnall AG.

(Panellist to be announced), Kalmar LMV.

R. Cheek, vice presidentmarketing, Valmet Materials Handling Ltd

(Panellist to be announced), PGS SpA.

12:45 Close of RORO Conference

13.00 Lunch for Registered Conference Delegates

> NB: during the afternoon of Thursday, June 9, there will be an opportunity for interested delegates to join a conducted tour of the Gothenburg Port facilites.

#### Friday, June 10 (morning)

Post-conference visit to Volvo production line to see the latest range of cars being constructed.

Post-conference visit to Swedish Maritime Research Centre SSPA, Gothenburg.

Friday, June 10

Gothenburg/RORO Golf Tournament 18-hole competition followed by lunch. Entry details will be enclosed with delegate receipts.

#### Wednesday, June 8/Thursday, June 9

The Port of Gothenburg by Motor Launch----Optional tour for interested delegates on Wednesday and Thursday

14.30 Depart by coach from Svenska Mässan.

- 14.50 Board launch to see: Floating parts of Gothenburg Maritime Museum; Fruit and Coffee Terminals; Railferry Terminal; Volvo Car Terminal; Gothenburg's Golden Gate Bridge; Oil and chemical harbours; Skandia/Alvsborg harbours; ACL/RoSA/Bore/Tor/DFDS; and Stena Ferry Terminals.
- 16.30 Disembark launch.

16.50 Coach arrives at Svenska Mässan.

#### Friday, June 10

Visit to the Swedish Maritime Research Centre, SSPA, Gothenburg

09.30 Depart by coach from Svenska Mässan.

09.40 Study tour of facilities of the Centre including: large ship model basin; cavitation tunnel; maritime dynamics laboratory; ship maneuvering simulator; and ballast simulator.

The resources of the Centre are also of interest to Port and Canal Authorities, as it provides studies for fairways, ports and port approaches. Experience in naval and offshore projects will also be shown to interested delegates if requested.

#### 11.45 Coach arrives at Svenska Mässan.

#### Friday, June 10

Ancra Marine

Robotic Car Production—A Visit to Volvo

10.00 Depart by coach from Svenska Mässan.

10.25 Arrive Volve Factory: Audio visual presentation Volvo Corp.; Board the "Blue Train"; Pressing Plant; Body Shop; Robot Factory; and Final Assembly, 240 and 740 Car Series.

12.30 Coach arrives at Svenska Mässan.

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Moran Towing Appoints Larson As Controller



**Thomas E. Moran,** CEO and chairman of the board of Moran Towing Corp., Inc., recently announced the appointment of **Robert E. Larson** as controller of the company. Mr. **Larson** will report to **Lee R. Christensen**, vice president of finance, and will be based at the headquarters office in Greenwich, Conn.

Mr. Larson comes to Moran with an executive background in financial management covering 18 years. Before joining Moran, he was associated with the Hartford Insurance Group, Continental Can Company and Price Waterhouse. He received his undergraduate degree from Hofstra University, holds an MBA from New York University and is a certified public accountant.

#### ITW Philadelphia Resins Offers Color Brochure On Grouting Systems

ITW Philadelphia Resins of Montgomeryville, Pa., has published a six-page full-color brochure on Chockfast Grouting Systems for machinery installation and foundation repair.

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#### **Mizell Named** Vice President-Sales At Trinity Marine Group

According to a recent announcement by John Dane III, president of Trinity Marine Group of New Orleans, Sidney J. Mizell has joined the group as vice presidentsales.

In making the announcement, Mr. **Dane** said that Mr. **Mizell** will

be responsible for domestic sales from 1978 to 1979. He resigned to and marketing for the four shipbuilding and repair companies of the Trinity Marine Group, which is owned by Trinity Industries, Inc. The four shipbuilding companies are: Halter Marine, Inc.; Moss Point Marine, Inc.; Equitable Shipyards, Inc.; and Gretna Machine and Iron Works, Inc.

Mr. Mizell, who joined Halter Marine Services, Inc., in 1972, served as its vice president, sales

co-found Champion Shipyards in Pass Christian, Miss., where he became vice-president and general manager.

For the past two years, he has served as a management consultant to Moss Point Marine, Inc., on the construction of four U.S. Army, 272foot Logistic Support Vessels (LSV) in a \$40.7-million contract.

Mr. Mizell, who holds a B.S. in Science from Southeastern Louisi-



Sidney J. Mizell

ana University, was also associated with Litton Ship Systems in Pascagoula, Miss., and the Boeing Company in New Orleans. The group's six shipyards are:

Halter Marine's facilities at Moss Point, Miss., and Lockport, La.; Moss Point Marine, Inc., in Esca-tawpa, Miss.; Equitable Shipyards, Inc., in New Orleans and Madisonville, La.; and Gretna Machine and Iron Works, Inc., in Harvey, La.

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#### **Versatile Pacific Wins Contract To Drydock Sea-Land Containerships**

Versatile Pacific Shipyards, Inc., of Canada has been awarded a contract by Sea-Land Service, Inc., to perform container guide modifications and drydock two former United States Lines' containerships, the American Washington and American Illinois.

The two recently purchased ships, which have been renamed the Sea-Land Performance and Sea-Land Quality, respectively, are 950 feet long with beams of 106 feet.

The Victoria Division of Versatile Pacific is performing the work on the two ships utilizing a graving dock at Esquimalt.

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Authors shown during the Port Engineers' Fort Schuyler Forum are (L to R): **Paul Byrne**, Electrocatalytic.; **William F. O'Brien Jr.**, P.E.; and **Albert R. Nolan**, Drew Ameroid Marine. Others presenting papers at the forum included **Hector G. Ballester**, Ameron Fiberglass Pipe Group, and **Garrick E. Louis**, adjunct professor of chemistry, SUNY Maritime College.

## Society Of Marine Port Engineers Holds 36th Annual Forum—Five Technical Papers Featured

The Society of Marine Port Engineers, New York, N.Y., recently held its 36th annual Fort Schuyler Forum at the SUNY Maritime College campus in the Throgs Neck section of the Bronx in New York City.

The theme of the forum was



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"Corrosion Materials and Material Protection," and five technical papers were presented as follows: "Principles of Corrosion," by Garrick E. Louis, adjunct assistant professor of chemistry, SUNY Maritime College; "Corrosion Resistant Metals for Marine Applications," by R. W. Ross, Nickel Development Institute; "The Five Year Drydock and Electrochemical Control," by Paul Byrne, Electrocatalytic, Inc.; "Soft Coating Ballast Tank Corrosion Protection," by William F. O'Brien Jr., P.E., and Albert R. Noland, Drew Ameroid Marine Division of Ashland Chemical Co.; and "Fiberglass Piping Systems for Ma-rine Applications," by **Hector G.** Ballester, Ameron Fiberglass Pipe Group.

#### Marine Ladders Of `Surlyn' HP Cut Costs, Offer High Performance

For many years hardwood ladders were used to board pilots onto the ships they would steer into port. But the expense and availability problems of these woods have forced manufacturers to find a replacement.

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The ladders range from 10 to 110 feet long. According to Du Pont, "Surlyn" HP offers broad temperature, weather and chemical resistance, as well as excellent stiffness properties, and are a cost-effective replacement for hardwood ladders.

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# Piraeus 6-11 June 1988

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# **The International Shipping Exhibition**

national shipping exhibition, will be held at the Piraeus Exhibition Center in Piraeus, Greece, from June 6-11, 1988.

The week-long Posidonia exhibition, which includes the Posidonia Forum, draws marine industry lead-ers from around the world. Typically, exhibitors have included shipping companies, port authorities, shipbuilders and ship repairers, ship products and services, engine manufacturers, cargo-handling equip-

Posidonia 88, the biennial inter- ment manufacturers, engine room machinery makers, shipping agents, maritime consultants, navigation and communications equipment manufacturers, marine paint suppliers, ship classification societies, towing and salvage equipment sup-pliers, etc. This year, more than 650 companies from 45 countries will be exhibiting. This eclipses the Posidonia 86 total of 620 exhibitors from 49 nations.

Launched in 1964, the Posidonia exhibition was first held in the Zappeion Palace in Athens. Posidonia 88, the 11th of its kind, is being held in the newly refurbished Posidonia Exhibition Center. This year's exhibition marks the 7th time it has been held at the Exhibition Center.

Posidonia 88 is being sponsored by the Hellenic Chamber of Shipping, the Union of Greek Shipowners, the London-based Greek Shipping Cooperation Committee, the Union of Mediterranean Cargo Vessels' Shipowners, the Shipowners' Union of International Lines, and

the Association of Greek Passenger

Ships. Évangelos Giannopoulos, the Minister of Mercantile Marine in Greece, will open the Posidonia Forum, along with Stathis Gour-domichalis, president, the Union of Greek Shipowners (UGS). Mr. Gourdomichalis will chair a discussion on issues affecting the future of international shipping. The Athens Intercontinental Hotel will be the site of the Forum on June 9. The event is open to Posidonia ex-

hibitors and leaders from the shipping industry who have been invited by the exhibition organizers.

Other keynote speakers at the Posidonia Forum, which is an integral part of the Posidonia Exhibition, are **George Anastassopoulos**, chairman of the Transport Committee of the European Parliament, **Basil Papachristidis**, INTER-TANKO chairman, and **Andrew G. Spyrou**, the former technical director of the Onassis Group.

Posidonia 88, like its predecessors, will once again be an important event, with few equals on the shipping calendar. It is one of the few times when so many shipowners and marine product and service suppliers are in one location.

The Greek-flag fleet accounts for one-third of the total cargo-carrying capacity of the European Community, and for over 10 percent of all dry bulk tonnage worldwide. If Greekoperated vessels under other flags are added in, then Greeks directly or indirectly control an estimated 44 million gross tons, or substantially over 10 percent of the total world merchant tonnage of all types. Therefore, without exaggeration, Greek shipping could be described as a billion dollar market. Every two years, Posidonia offers an excellent opportunity to tap this huge market.

For more information on Posidonia 88, contact: Posidonia Exhibitions Ltd., 4-6 Efplias Street, GR-185 37 Piraeus, Greece; telephone: (01) 4517859, 4517868; and telex: 241937 EXPO GR. Their representative in the United Kingdom is Seatrade, Fairfax House, Colchester C01 1RJ; telephone: (0206) 45121; and telex: 98517 DISOP G.

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# ELECTRONICS UPDATE

Sperry Marine GPS Core Module And 501TR/GPS Navigator Offer Reliable, Accurate Performance

#### —Free Literature Available—

Sperry Marine Inc., Charlottesville, Va., is now shipping its GPS Core Module and the 501 TR/GPS Navigator to a growing number of commercial shipowners worldwide, according to Sperry project manager **Bruce Angus.** 

The GPS Core Module is a singlechannel, sequenced, C/A code receiver which has been designed specifically for the professional marine user. Simplicity of hardware, reliability and availability of parts and unit ruggedness have been the design criteria for the GPS Core Module—all without compromising high performance accuracy.

Mr. Angus described the GPS Core Module receiver as automatically integrating all current and future operational satellites so that current buyers enjoy the early advantage of GPS with the assurance that the receiver will be performing optimally up to and after the full deployment of GPS satellites. Additionally, Sperry Marine offers a free satellite advisory software diskette to assist in predicting the interim GPS coverage on a given time and date.

The new GPS equipment features two RS232 ports which provide Lat, Long and Time updates every two to three seconds with a positional accuracy of 30 meters 2dRMS. The data format is flexible to configure and complies with SC104 format (the data message for differential corrections). Other formats such as NMEA0183 are available and, in addition, the unit has very low power consumption.

The Sperry Marine 501TR/GPS Navigator aids mariners wishing to specify the accuracy and continuity of GPS fixes. The 501TR/GPS uses an integrated transit receiver which fills the coverage gaps that will exist up to the time when all GPS satellites are deployed.

According to Mr. Angus, no other system available offers this combined transit/GPS capability with a common, complete single page navigation display. The operator is able to quickly become familiar with the screen location of essential navigation data and always knows whether the data is based on transit or GPS fixes.

Mr. Angus indicated that owners of existing Sperry Marine transit receivers will be able to easily upgrade their systems during a short onboard service call to full transit/ GPS receivers. These owners would then receive the full advantage of GPS technology at a minimum cost.

For free literature detailing Sperry Marine's GPS Core Module and 501TR/GPS Navigator,

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Sperry Marine recently introduced the 501TR/GPS Satellite Navigator and the GPS Core Module to the marine market.

#### Increase Shown In 1987 For Shipbuilding Orders

Lloyd's Maritime Information Services Ltd. recently reported in Lloyd's Register of Shipping's annual report that world shipbuilding orders in 1987 rose to an estimated 13.5 million gross metric tons from 12.7 million metric tons in 1986,

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reversing a three-year decline in the shipbuilding industry.

Tanker orders rose substantially to an estimated 6.1 million metric tons, about one-third higher than 1986, and new construction contracts for general cargo/container vessels increased for the third consecutive year to an estimated 3.4 million metric tons from just over 3 million in 1986, it was reported.

#### Portable Gun Offers New Literature On Drilling Extremely Accurate Holes

Portable Gun Drilling Systems, an engineering development company in Auburn, Wash., is offering free literature on a new application of an old method that the company has developed for drilling extremely accurate holes—a truly portable system.

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One operator can utilize twothree systems as required.

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free literature from Portable Gun Drilling Systems,

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#### Norman D. Albertsen Named Manager, NCEL Technology Base Programs

The Naval Civil Engineering Laboratory (NCEL) of Port Hueneme, Calif., recently named Norman D. Albertsen manager of technology base programs. He succeeds Joseph G. Berke, who was transferred to the U.S. Bureau of Standards in Washington, D.C.

Mr. Albertson is responsible for NCEL's 30 exploratory development programs valued at \$6 million, and 20 basic research projects worth \$2 million. He is also in charge of internal independent research/independent exploratory development programs.

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## **Bethlehem Steel Consolidation At Sparrows Point Strengthens Competitive Position**

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David H. Klinges

The new Baltimore Marine Divi-sion of Bethlehem Steel Corporation "will make us more competitive and will enable us to respond to the needs of the reduced marketplace more effectively," declared **David H. Klinges,** president, marine con-struction. He said the consolidation also strengthens the Sparrows Point, Md., yard's opportunity to participate in the offshore oil rig construction business.

In January, Bethlehem an-nounced that it would divest its shipyards in Beaumont and Port Arthur, Texas, and the Republic of Singapore and consolidate its marine construction business at the Sparrows Point shipyard.

The decision to sell the three yards was necessitated by poor market conditions and the resulting lack of adequate profitability for the work that was obtained.

The new division will market and produce offshore drilling platforms, ships and other types of marine products and provide a full range of vessel repair and modification services

Acquired by Bethlehem in 1916, the Sparrows Point yard has the capability to build and repair a wide range of vessels and fabricate a variety of structural components and industrial products.

The yard recently began leasing a floating drydock which allows it to handle deeper draft vessels, such as cruise ships, ore carriers, containerships, naval combatants, auxiliaries and amphibious vessels. The drydock, with a lifting capacity of 44,000 tons, "is a valuable supplement to our 1,200-foot-long graving dock and increases our competitive position in the marketplace," Mr. Klinges noted.

Because of the drydock's capabilities, the yard has been successful in attracting repair business. "In fact, Mr. Klinges said, "we've been fully booked with drydock work since that facility went into operation.'

Current major work at the yard consists of a \$130-million contract to build two oceanographic ships for the U.S. Navy and a contract in excess of \$30 million to build 15 steel sections for the Interstate 664 tunnel crossing at the Hampton Roads area or Virginia. The first steel section was towed recently to the construction site. The last tunnel section is scheduled to be delivered early next year.

Workers are putting the finishing touches on the oceanographic ship USNS Maury, which will be deliv ered to the Navy late summer. Her sister ship, the USNS Tanner, is scheduled for delivery next Febru

ary. Bethlehem is continuing to bid aggressively for new work for the Sparrows Point yard which current ly has a workforce of approximately 1,800.

Turning to the state of the industry, Mr. Klinges said that the problems now facing the nation' shipbuilding industry are primarily due to ineffective Federal maritime policies and foreign shipyard subsidization practices. He continued: "Today, over 90

percent of American shipyards are supported by Navy work. Without commercial work, naval construction cannot support the industry.'

On the bright side, however, Mr Klinges said that he was pleased with the findings of the report pre-sented to President **Reagan** by the Commission on Merchant Marine and Defense, which was created in recognition of the threat posed by the inadequacy of the nation's merchant marine fleet and its shipyard mobilization base.

"The report's conclusion-that governmental programs to deal with the 'deteriorating condition' of the maritime industry must be accorded high priority—is consistent with the position the industry has taken over the last several years, in Congressional and other forums, in citing the deep distress which all segments of the industry are experiencing,' he said.

The commission appointed by the President also recognizes any current program must incorporate a committment to build ships for American owners in American shipyards to be manned by American seamen to support commercial and military requirements alike in the event of an emergency.

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I-	Location:	200 acres on the east side
d		of the Patapsco River at Chesapeake Bay.
e	Facilities:	Has one of the largest build-
;-		ing basins in the U.S. at
y		1,200 x 200 feet—can ac-
		commodate vessels up to
;-		300,000 dwt. New floating drydock has 44,000-ton lift-
e s		ing capacity. Support facili-
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d		for the offshore oil industry.
u 9-		Manufactures a wide range
· -		of products for non-marine

"American shipbuilders," he con-tinued, "stand ready, willing and able to participate in any rational program which would meet the necessary security objectives of this nation. Programs which would ensure increased participation in American trade, transporting imported automobiles in American vessels and constructing handy-size tankers and cruise ships vital to American needs as military auxiliaries could well be a major start in redressing our current inadequacies.'

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#### Mario Named General Manager, Comsat **Maritime Services**

Comsat Corporation has named Ronald J. Mario vice president and general manager of its Maritime Services business, succeeding George Tellmann, who retired after serving Comsat for nearly 20 years in key management positions relating to the company's roles in both the Inmarsat and Intelsat businesses.

In his new capacity, Mr. Mario will be responsible for all of the operating and administrative functions for Comsat Maritime Services and oversee the overall direction of the business, which provides mobile satellite communications to several markets, including passenger ships, commercial shipping vessels, and offshore oil facilities.

Comsat Corporation is a leading upplier o vices. As the U.S. member of Intelsat and Inmarsat, it links the U.S. by satellite with more than 160 other nations and nearly 6,500 ships at sea and offshore facilities.

At left: Some of the 15 steel tunnel tube sections under construction at Bethlehem Steel's Baltimore Marine Division. The 300-foot-long sections will be used to build the Interstate 664 tunnel crossing in the Hampton Roads section of Virginia. At right: The USNS Maury (T-AGS-39), the first of two oceanographic survey ships being constructed at Bethlehem Steel-Sparrows Point. She is scheduled for delivery in July.

#### Chao To Be Appointed Chairman Of Federal Maritime Commission



Elaine L. Chao

Elaine L. Chao, Deputy Maritime Administrator, will be appointed as Chairman of the Federal Maritime Commission, President Reagan recently said. After the Senate confirms the appointment he will also designate her to be the presiding officer.

Ms. Chao will fill the unexpired term of the late Edward V. Hickey Jr., who died suddenly in mid-January. That term ends June 30, 1991.

#### Alaskan Mine Acquires, Converts Two Barges For Floating Docks

Green's Creek Mining Company, operator of one of the most significant new underground mines to be developed in Southeast Alaska in many years, has acquired two deck barges that are being used as floating docks on Southeast Alaska's Admiralty Island, the site of the lead/ zinc/silver/gold mine going into production next fall.

Acquired by Green's Creek, a subsidiary of BP Minerals America, owned by British Petroleum Company, was Zidell's 135-foot AB-36, a flat deck barge being converted into a combination floating pedestrian dock and breakwater, and the 140foot Miss Rene, now being used as a floating dock in Hawk Inlet on the opposite side of Admiralty Island. The Miss Rene is part of a barge unloading system for transporting equipment and supplies to the mine.

#### Norwegian-Built Training Simulator Installed At French Maritime College

The maritime college of Nantes, France, recently installed a training simulator that will be used for the training of future engineers for the merchant marine. More than 150 guests, mainly from the French shipping and marine training environment indicated a solid interest in the Norwegian-built simulator.

Developed and manufactured by Norcontrol Simulation a.s of Horten, Norway, the simulator can be programmed to simulate anything happening to the machinery at sea, and it comes with light and sound effects for maximum realism.

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Consisting of three parts, the simulator is adapted to the French requirements for officers controlling both the bridge and engine room from one place.

With experience from 40 similar installations, Norcontrol Simulation is a market leader internationally. Several similar projects are now developing, further strengthening the company's position.

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Hartley Appointed Chief Executive At BP Shipping

According to a recent announce-

ment by BP Shipping, Nick Hartley has been appointed the chief executive of the company succeeding M.R. Pattinson. Mr. Pattinson retired from his position after 32 years of service in the BP Group.

Mr. Hartley has over 32 years' experience in the marine industry. Prior to his present appointment, he was manager of the corporate and services group of BP Shipping.



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#### Shipbuilders Council Elects Board Members

At the Shipbuilders Council of America board meeting held recently in Washington, D.C., James R. Mellor, executive vice president, Marine, Land Systems & International, General Dynamics Corporation, St. Louis, Mo., was elected chairman of the board of directors of the council. Mr. Mellor succeeds Hans K. Schaefer, president, Todd Shipyards Corporation, Seattle, Wash.

James Harvie, General Ship Corporation, East Boston, Mass., was elected vice chairman.

Both will serve a one-year term. In addition to Mr. Mellor and Mr. Harvie, others elected to the executive committee were: Albert L. Bossier Jr., Avondale Industries, Inc., Edward J. Campbell, Newport News Shipbuilding; Arthur E. Engel, Southwest Marine, Inc.; William E. Haggett, Bath Iron Works Corporation; Walter Herr, Colt Industries, Inc.; David H. Klinges, Bethlehem Steel Corporation Marine Construction Group; John L. Roper III, Norfolk Shipbuilding and Drydock Corporation; Gerald J. St. Pé, Ingalls Shipbuilding, Inc.; Hans K. Schaefer, Todd Shipyards Corporation; and Richard H. Vortmann, National Steel and Shipbuilding Company.

Elected officers for the coming year are John J. Stocker, president; W. Patrick Morris, vice president and general counsel; Silas O. Nunn, vice president, programs; and Beverly C. Kendall, secretary-treasurer.

#### Hitachi Zosen To Sell Kyushu Shipbuilding Plant

Industry sources recently disclosed that Hitachi Zosen Corp. plans to sell its major shipbuilding plant on the southern Japanese island of Kyushu for about 40 billion yen (128 yen equal US\$1).

It was also reported that Hitachi Zosen will operate the dockyard on a lease-back basis from the affiliate. The plant has an annual shipbuilding capacity of 250,000 gross tons.

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# PROPULSION UPDATE

## Schottel Offers Free Color Brochure On Its `Rudderpropeller,' And Units For Shallow-Draft Propulsion

Schottel, a leader in propulsion technology, has published a 20page, full-color brochure on the propulsion units marketed by the company.

The Schottel Rudderpropeller, the heart of the system, is a combined propulsion and steering unit. The engine power is transmitted through bevel gear sets to the propeller. In addition, the propeller can be rotated through 360 degrees to provide steering, so that full thrust is available in any direction. This system has been used worldwide for more than 35 years, providing maximum maneuverability with full power for ahead and astern. The units currently available range from 15 kw to 5,000 kw (20 hp to 7,000 hp).

Schottel Rudderpropellers are in service for main propulsion, propulsion assistance and dynamic positioning in all fields of shipping.

A joint venture of Schottel and Lips United B.V. was founded in 1981 for the marketing of large thrusters for oceangoing vessels. This company, in The Hague, is named Schottel-Lips B.V. Schottel-Lips thrusters are constructed of standard components, such as upper and lower gearbox, stem section and steering gear, to suit a customer's specific requirements.

The heart of the system—the Rudderpropeller—may be fitted steerable or non-steerable, retractable or nonretractable, for vertical or horizontal drive and with fixed or controllable pitch propellers.

To meet the increasing demand of shallow-draft propulsion units for navigation on rivers and canals, normally not navigable, special jet propulsion units have been developed. The units are capable of operating

#### JJH Inc. Expands CADAM To Portsmouth Location

JJH Inc., a leading naval engineering organization with facilities located in Crystal City, Va., Portsmouth, Va., Cherry Hill, N.J., Bath, Maine, Panama City, Fla., and Long Beach, Calif., recently announced the expansion of their CADAM capability to their Portsmouth facility

JJH Inc. has installed and is using the CADAM<sup>®</sup> graphics system supported by a Perkin & Elmer 3210 computer with eight megabyte memory, magnetic tape drive, highspeed printer, electrostatic plotter, and system console. The graphic workstations utilized by JJH Inc. personnel allows for the continued



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The Schottel Rudderpropeller is detailed in a free 20-page color brochure. The publication contains more than two dozen photographs of the system and other Schottel products. For your copy,

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development of an existing data base stored on 80 and 300 megabyte disc drives. The CADAM system is equipped with telecommunications which provide continuous electronic access to detail drawings and material lists during design development.

The CADAM system employed by JJH Inc. at Portsmouth is one of the most cost-effective tools available in support of service to the marine industry and provides such benefits as increased design productivity, shorter design lead time, improved engineering change control, standardization of design and the support of shorter production schedules.

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## Future Business Opportunities In Navy Ship Procurement, Ship Maintenance And Navy Technology Development

By Dr. James R. McCaul, President International Maritime Associates, Inc.

Exhibit 1—Trend in Navy Spending

(billions of \$)

Ship

Maintenance and

Modernization

\$3.0

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International Maritime Associates, Inc. (IMA) prepares detailed business reports covering the U.S. Navy market. They deal with future business opportunities available to shipyards, manufacturers, engineering firms and other marine suppliers. This article is based on information contained in recent reports.

#### Overview

The U.S. Navy is the major generator of work for shipyards and marine equipment manufacturers in this country. Total spending on new ship procurement has averaged \$10.8 billion per year over the past 10 years. This includes spending for ships systems and weapons, as well as the ship. Spending on ship maintenance and modernization has averaged \$4.7 billion per year this period. Spending on new naval technology development has averaged \$7.6 billion. Details are shown in jor players include Newport News (aircraft carriers and attack subma-

#### Ship Procurement

Fiscal

Year

1980

1981

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1989

As of early March, 90 naval ships were on order in 17 shipyards. Ma-

Ship

Procurement

\$6.5

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Source: Department of the Navy

jor players include Newport News (aircraft carriers and attack submarines), General Dynamics-Electric Boat (Trident and attack submarines), Ingalls (Aegis combatants and LHDs), Bath Iron Works (Aegis combatants) and Avondale (fleet

Navy

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oilers and LSDs). These and other shipyards currently building naval ships are shown in Exhibit 2.

The Navy plans to spend more than \$25 billion on ship construction over the next two years. This year's budget is \$16.2 billion—a major portion of which is represented by funding for two new aircraft carriers, three attack submarines, one Trident submarine and five Aegis cruisers. The FY 1989 budget request is \$9.1 billion. Details for ship construction planned over the next five years are shown in Exhibit 3.

Continuing coverage of this area is provided in IMA's quarterly busi-

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# U.S. NAVY



#### Exhibit 3—Navy Ship Construction Over Next Five Years FY 1988/92 SHIPBUILDING PROGRAM

			,	Subject to Further Review*		
-	FY   1988	FY 1989	FY 1990	FY 1991	FY 1992	
New Construction						
Trident	1 3	1	1	1	1	
SSN-688	3	2 1	2	2	1	
SSN-21	-	1	_	2	2	
CVN	2 5	_	1 1	-		
CG-47	5	_	1	-	_	
DDG-51		3 1	3	5	6	
LHD-1	1	1	_	1	_	
LSD-41 CV	1	-	1	1	2	
MCM-1	-	-			_	
MHC-51	-	2	3	3	4	
PXM		-	1	_	4	
AOE-6	-	1	-	2		
AE-36			_	1	1	
ARS		_	1	_		
TAO-187	2	2 3	2	1		
TAGOS			2 3 2	2	_	
AGOR/TAGS		1	2	4		
	15	17	21	25	21	
Conversions						
CV SLEP	1	_		1	_	
AO (Jumbo)	1	2	1	_		
TACS	2	-	—	—	_	
	4	2	1	1	0	

Note: Navy did not submit a new five-year shipbuilding plan as part of this year's budget proposal. The FY 1990-1992 portion of this table is identical to that of last year's five-year plan—and is subject to futher review.

Source: Department of the Navy

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ness report U.S. Navy Ship and Equipment Procurement.

#### Ship Maintenance

During FY 1987, 45 commercial shipyards received contracts for Navy ship repair and maintenance. Ship repair work was also performed in the eight naval shipyards and three Navy-owned ship repair facilities. Details for ship repair contracts in progress in commercial yards as early March 1988 are shown in Exhibit 4.

Spending for ship maintenance and modernization is projected to exceed \$9.4 billion over the next two years. This year the Navy plans to spend \$4.7 billion to perform 27 overhauls and 151 short term availabilities (SRA's/PMA's). In FY 1989 projected spending is \$4.8 billion to perform 23 overhauls and 158 short term availabilities. Budget details are shown in Exhibit 5.

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### Exhibit 5—Ship Maintenance & Modernization (in millions of dollars)

	FY 1987	FY 1988	FY 1989
Ship Overhauls	1,859.4	1,271.8	734.1
RA/TA	1,506.4	1,485.9	2,060.5
Modernization	1,342.5	1,026.1	1,077.0
IMA	368.4	325.2	321.1
Tech Support	145.6	137.5	139.7
Outfitting	289.9	315.4	360.5
Berthing and Messing	49.0	32.0	39.9
Inactivations	25.7	66.7	110.6
TOTAL: Ship Maint & Mod	5,586.9	4,660.6	4,843.4
Number of Overhauls (Units)	39	27	23

Source: Department of the Navy

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#### Exhibit 6—Highlights of Navy New Technology Program

Funding for development of the MK 50

advanced lightweight torpedo (ALWT) has

been substantially increased in the new

FY 1989 budget-with two-year funding

of development expenditures now pro-

Project definition contracts will be

awarded this summer to begin a 30-

month design and engineering phase for

Aegis engineering and development will

More than \$118 million is earmarked in

FY 1988-89 for surface ship ASW system

jected to exceed \$275 million

development and engineering

the new generation mine

exceed \$350 million

- A major high-level effort has been initiated to develop revolutionary surface ship designs
- Engineering development of the SSN 21 will require expenditures of more than \$400 million over the next two years
- More than \$800 million is to be spent over the next five years on advanced attack submarine concepts—a major new initiative to be managed by DARPA
- Design and development of nuclear propulsion technology will continue to exceed \$700 million annually
- D-5 ballistic missile development expenditures will exceed \$1.6 billion over the next two years as the program transitions to the production stage
- Tomahawk cruise missile development expenditures will exceed \$130 billion over the next two years

- Sea Lance ASW standoff weapon development expenditures will exceed \$150 million in FY 1988-89—a figure lower than originally planned due to budget constandard frequencies of submarine sonar systems will exceed \$275 million over the next two years Full-scale engineering has begun on the
  - Full-scale engineering has begun on the \$7.3 billion program to develop and deliver 28 AN/BSY(2) submarine combat systems
  - Expenditures to develop the Fixed Distributed System (FDS)—a key component of future offboard ASW surveillance—will total \$170 million in FY 1988-89
  - More than \$97 million over the next two years will be spent on developing advanced submarine communications systems
  - Almost \$87 million will be available in FY 1988-89 for developing new manufacturing technology
  - Source: International Maritime Associates, Inc.

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advanced composites and supercomputers to new propeller designs and electric drive propulsion systems.

In FY 1988 spending for Navy technology development will exceed \$9.5 billion. Next year the technology development budget is projected to be \$9.2 billion.

Shown in Exhibit 6 are some of the major technology development programs planned in FY 1988 and 1989. These and more than 200 other technology development programs are detailed in IMA's new report The New Naval Technology Program—A Detailed Guide to \$9.5 Billion in New Annual Sales for Manufacturers, Engineering Firms and Suppliers.

#### Newport News Awarded \$724.4 Million To Begin Two Carriers

Newport News Shipbuilding & Dry Dock Co., Newport News, Va., has received a U.S. Navy contract worth \$724.4 million to begin the construction of two aircraft carriers, CVN-74 and -75. The two flattops would be the Navy's seventh and eighth Nimitz Class aircraft carriers.

At present, Newport News Shipbuilding is constructing two carriers, the USS George Washington (CVN-73) and the USS Abraham Lincoln (CVN-72). The Lincoln was recently launched and christened at ceremonies at the yard. The 1,092foot-long Lincoln is scheduled to be commissioned in 1989.

#### ASMAR Launches New Transport Vessel For Chilean Navy

The Chilean shipbuilder and repairer ASMAR recently launched the new 2,767-metric-ton transport vessel it is building for the Chilean Navy. Construction was at AS-MAR's Talcahuano yard, and delivery is scheduled for July 1988.

The vessel, which will have an average speed of 15 knots, a crew complement of 80 and a passenger capacity of 250, is equipped with a helicopter landing deck and has a container handling capacity of 42 TEUs. As yet unnamed, it will be powered by two diesel engines MAK 8M453B of 3,600 hp each at 600 rpm, allowing a maximum speed of 18 knots. Electric power will be provided by two 400-kw generators, and one 500-kw and one 75-kw generator.

The vessel will have an approximate overall length of 338 feet, breadth of 56 feet and draft of 18 feet. The American Bureau of Shipping has been appointed for inspection and certification of the vessel.

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## **MAJOR NAVY CONTRACTS**

The following special section features the latest U.S. Navy contract awards for shipbuilding, ship repair, ship conversion, shipboard electronics, communications and weapons. This special section covers contracts awarded between January 29 and March 22, 1988. For contract awards prior to these dates, see the Naval Technology & Shipbuilding Supplement in the March issue of MR/ EN.

#### January 29

Ingalls Shipbuilding Incorporated, Pascagoula, Miss., was awarded a \$215,982,000 modification to a previously awarded cost-plus-award-fee contract for class standard equipment for CG's 69, 70, 71, 72 and 73. Work is expected to be completed in January 1994. The Naval Sea Systems Command, Washington, D.C., is the contracting activity (N00024-87-C-2165).

**Continental Maritime of San Diego**, Ćalif., was awarded a **\$4,926,630** firm-fixedprice contract for Selected Restricted Availability for USS Ranger (CV-61). Work is **expected** to be completed June 24, 1988. The Supervisor of Shipbuilding, Conversion and Repair, San Diego, Calif., is the contracting activity (N00024-85-H-8212).

Lockheed Shipbuilding Company, Gulfport Marine Division, Gulfport, Miss., was awarded a \$31,759,154 modification to a previously awarded fixed-price contract for long lead time material for the Landing Craft Air Cushion (LCAC) program. Work is expected to be completed in 1990. The Naval Sea Systems Command, Washington, D.C., is the contracting activity (N00024-87-C-2089).

**Phillyship**, Philadelphia, Pa., is being awarded a **\$3,805,219** firm-fixed-price contract for Selected Restricted Availability for USS Estocin (FFG-15). The Supervisor of Shipbuilding, Conversion and Repair, Brooklyn, N.Y., is the contracting activity (N00024-85-H-8202).

GTE Government Systems Corporation, Needham Heights, Mass., was awarded a \$17,834,000 letter contract with a not-toexceed amount of \$61,835,050 to be converted to a fixed-price contract for 139 Extremely Low Frequency (ELF) receivers along with various spares, parts, data and support services for installation in submarines. Work is expected to be completed in April 1991. The Space and Naval Warfare Systems Command, Washington, D.C. is the contracting activity (N00039-88-C-0157). February 1

Raytheon Company, Electromagnetic Systems Division, Goleta, Calif., was awarded a \$41,867,000 fixed-price letter contract for AN/SLQ-32(V) countermeasures systems for CG-47 and LHD-1 class ships. Work is expected to be completed in April 1991. The Naval Sea Systems Command, Washington, D.C., is the contracting activity (N00024-87-C-5013).

#### February 2

**AT&T Technologies,** Greensboro, N.C., was awarded a **\$23,574,739** modification to a previously awarded cost-plus-award-fee contract for oceanographic research. Work will be performed in Whippany, N.J. (96 percent), and Greensboro, N.C. (4 percent), and is expected to be completed September 30, 1988. The Space and Naval Warfare Systems Command, Washington, D.C., is the contracting activity (N00039-86-C-0492).

**Honeywell Incorporated,** Horsham, Pa., was awarded a **\$3,293,908** firm-fixed-price contract for the manufacture of 146 reserve battery assemblies for use on standard buoy bodies. Work is expected to be completed January 25, 1990. The Naval Weapons Support Center, Crane, indiana, is the contracting activity (N00164-88-C-0071).

May, 1988

Honeywell Federal Systems Incorporated, McLean, Va., was issued a \$3,716,246 delivery order under a basic ordering agreement for repair services for 57 line items for the Ship Non-tactical Automatic Data Processing (SNAP I) program. Work will be performed in Lawrence, Ma., and is expected to be completed December 3, 1988. The Navy Ships Parts Control Center, Mechanicsburg, Pa., is the contracting activity (N00104-87-G-A022). Westinghouse Electric Corporation, Plant Apparatus Division, Wilkins Township, Pa., was awarded a **\$506,176,000** costplus-fixed-fee contract for naval nuclear propulsion components to be used in the CVN-68 class aircraft carrier. Work is expected to be completed in September 1997. The Naval Sea Systems Command, Washington, D.C., is the contracting activity (N00024-88-C-4007).

General Electric Company, Machinery Apparatus Operation, Schenectady, N.Y., was awarded a **\$204,573,000** cost-plusfixed-fee contract for naval nuclear propul-

*"Welcome back, Baldt."* 

sion components to be used in the CVN-68 class aircraft carrier. Work is expected to be completed in September 1997. The Naval Sea Systems Command, Washington, D.C., is the contracting activity (N00024-88-C-4008).

#### February 3

Comprehensive Technologies Int'l Incorporated, Fairfax, Va., was awarded a \$5,038,393 cost-plus-fixed-fee level of ef-

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# **U.S. NAVY**

#### CURRENT NAVY & COAST GUARD VESSELS UNDER CONTRACT AT U.S. YARDS (As of March 1988)

SHIPYARD Navy Designation	NAME	APPROX. CONTRACT \$	EST. DELIVERY	SHIPYARD Navy Designation N	IAME	APPROX. CONTRACT \$	EST. DELIVERY
Avondale Shipyards							
T-AO-193 T-AO-195	Walter S. Diehl	116,000,000 101,000,000	8/88 5/89	Lockheed-Seattle LCAC (7)		115 506 051	C / C .
T-AO-197	unnamed	100.633.789	2/90	LCAC (7) unna LCU (Army-7) unna	amed	115,586,251 26.000.000	6/91
LSD-44	. Gunston Hall	166,000,000	8/88		inica	20,000,000	
LSD-45 LSD-46		153,400,000	2/89	Lockheed-Savannah			-
LSD-46	unnamed	153,400,000 150,000,000	4/89 11/89	LCU Kenesaw Mour			3/88 5/88
LSD-48		150,000,000	5/90	LCUs (Army-12) unna	med		7/88-11/89
Bath Iron Works				Marinette Marine			
CG-58		252,800,000	1/89	MCM-2 Defe	nder	46,000,000	8/88
CG-60	Normandy	191,800,000 191,800,000	9/89	MCM-4	npion	42,000,000	12/88
CG-63	Cowpens	193,300,000	12/89 4/90	МСМ-7	triot	51,848,816	10/89
CG-64	Gettysburg	193,300,000	11/90				
CG-67	unnamed	236,041,276	4/92	McDermott Inc. SWATH T-AGOS-19	med	25,424,347	10/89
CG-70	Arleigh Burke	226,123,977 321,000,000	6/93 7/90	YTT 8 & 9		21,700,000	10/05
DDG-53 J	ohn Paul Jones	189,900,000	7/92				
DDG-51 Class	<del>-</del>	22,600,000 <sup>1</sup>	5/92	Moss Point Marine	مراالم		2/00
Bethlehem-Sparrows Point				LSV	nker (	30,598,019²	2/88 3/88
T-AGS-39	Maury	66,000,000	4/88		j		0,00
T-AGS-40		66,000,000	8/88	AOE-6		200 007 044	4 (01
Bollinger Shipyard				AOE-6	рру	290,097,944	4/91
WPB (16)	unnamed	99,306,516	2/90	Newport News Shipbuilding			
				CVN-72 Abraham Lin	ncoln	1,550,000,000	12/89
General Dynamics-Electric Boat SSN-751	San Juan	280,100,000	6/88	CVN-73 George Washin SSN-688 Class	gton	1,550,000,000 22,000,000 <sup>1</sup>	12/91 10/88
SSN-752		280,100,000	10/88	SSN-723 States States States States SSN-723 States State	City	225,100,000	5/88
SSN-754	Topeka	324,500,000	2/89	SSN-750 Newport N	lews	278,000,000	8/88
SSN-755 SSN-757	Miami	324,500,000 283,000,000	6/89 10/89	SSN-753 Alt SSN-756 Scra	bany nton	319,000,000 259,833,000	7/89 9/89
SSN-760	unnamed	258,166,750	2/90	SSN-758 Ashe		259,833,333	1/90
SSN-761	unnamed	258,166,750	6/90	SSN-759		259,833,333	6/90
SSN-762 SSN-763	unnamed	258,166,750 258,166,750	10/90	SSN-760	med	55,000,000 <sup>6</sup> 257,118,500	2/91
SSN-21 Class		28,900,000 <sup>3</sup>	2/91	SSN-765	med	257,118,500	5/91
SSBN-734 SSBN-735	Tennessee	523,700,000	12/88	SSN-766 unna	med	257,118,500	8/91
SSBN-735 SSBN-736 SSBN-738 SSB	. Pennsylvania	531,600,000 500,870,000	8/89	SSN-767 unna SSN-21 Class	med	257,118,500 325,000,0007	11/91 2/94
SSBN-737		616,400,000	4/90 12/90	SSN-21 Class		23,390,510 <sup>8</sup>	4/88
SSBN-738	unnamed	674,100,000	12/91	SSN-21 Class		28,900,003 <sup>3</sup>	
SSBN-739 SSBN-734 Class		615,000,000	12/92	CVN-74 unna CVN-75 unna	med	724,400,000	
SSBN-734 Class		48,400,000 <sup>3</sup> 644,000,000	12/88 7/94	GVII-75	inneu j		
			,,	Pennsylvania Shipbuilding T-AO-191 Benjamin Isherw			
Halter Marine			2 (22	T-AO-191 Benjamin Isherw T-AO-192 Henry Eck	vood	111,000,000 111,000,000	10/88 5/89
T-AGOS-13 T-AGOS-14		14,250,000 14,250,000	3/88 7/88	T-AO-192 John Erics	sson	97,500,000	2/90
T-AGOS-15		13,844,067	3/89	T-AO-196unna		95,025,000	11/90
T-AGOS-16	Capable	14,031,914	7/89	Deterror Duilden			
T-AGOS-17 T-AGOS-18		14,031,914 14,031,914	11/89 3/90	Peterson Builders MCM-3	entrv	57,900,000	7/88
	unnamed	14,001,014	3, 50	MCM-5	rdian	57,900,000	6/89
Ingalls Shipbuilding				MCM-6 Devast		48,287,461	8/89
CG-57 CG-59	ake Champlain Princeton	325,500,000	8/88 10/88	MCM-8	cout	48,287,461	6/90
CG-62	Chancellorsville	238,600,000	6/89	Robert E. Derecktor Shipyard			
CG-65	Chosin	242,600,000	1Í/90	WMEC-910		30,160,000	5/88
CG-66		193,980,662 163,980,664	10/91 4/92	WMEC-911 Forv WMEC-912 Le		30,160,000 30,160,000	9/88 1/89
CG-68 CG-69, 71, 72 & 73	unnamed	769,142,667	1/94	WMEC-913 Moh	nawk	30,160,000	5/89
CG-47 Class	—	215,982,000 <sup>6</sup>	1/94	TB (Army-2) unna	med	16,500,000	89
CG-47 Class DDG-52	lobn Barry	44,128,775 <sup>5</sup> 162,149,000	9/91	Tacoma Boatbuilding			
LHD-1	Wasp	1,365,700,000	3/89	T-AGOS-11 Audac	cious		6/89
LHD-2	Essex	402,494,000	4/92	T-AGOS-12	Bold	18,590,001	10/89
LHD-3	Kearsage	378,685,0004	1/93	Textron Marine			
Intermarine USA				LCAC-13-24 (12)	med	187,000,000	89/-6/91
MHC-51	unnamed	20,926,936	4/91	Todd Pacific-San Pedro			
Lockheed-Gulfport				FFG-61	ham	96,100,000	11/88
		24,800,000	88	-			-
LCAC (7)		115,586,281 31,759,1546	90				

Footnotes: 1. Lead yard services contract; 2. CW3 H.C. Clinger delivered 12/87 under contract; 3. Design contract; 4. Contains \$26 million for advance procurement of material for LHD-4; 5. Yard planning services; 6. Long lead procurement; 7. Detail design contract; 8. Contract services.

#### **KEY TO NAVY DESIGNATIONS**

AOE Fast Combat Support Ship	LCM Landing Craft, Mechanized	MHC	T-AGS
CG Guided Missile Cruiser	LCU Landing Craft, Utility	MSH Mine Hunter	T-AO Oiler*
CVN Aircraft Carrier, Nuclear	LHD Amphibious Transport Dock	SSBN Ballistic Missile Sub, Nuclear	TB Tugboat
DDG Guided Missile Destroyer	LSD	SSN Submarine, Nuclear	WMEC Medium Endurance Cutter†
FFG Guided Missile Frigate	LSV Logistic Support Vehicle	SWCM Special Warfare Craft, Medium	WPB
LCAC	MCM Mine Countermeasures Ship	T-AGOS Ocean Surveillance Ship*	YTT Warping Tug

\*Assigned to Military Sealift Command †Coast Guard

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#### **Major Navy Contracts**

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fort contract for various technical and management services for the Strategic Submarines Program (Trident). Work is expected to be completed September 30, 1992. This contract combines purchases for the U.S. Navy (99 percent) and the United Kingdom (1 percent) under the Foreign Military Sales program. The Naval Sea Systems Command, Washington, D.C., is the contracting activity (N00024-88-C-6050).

Atlantic Dry Dock Corporation, Ft. George Island, Fla., was awarded a \$7,466,000 firm-fixed-price contract for Drydocking Selected Restricted Availability (DSRA) for USS Underwood (FFG-36). Work is expected to be completed August 18, 1988. The Supervisor of Shipbuilding, Conversion and Repair, Jacksonville, Fla., is the contracting activity (N00024-85-H-8111).

General Dynamics Corporation, Electric Boat Division, Groton, Conn., was awarded a \$179,300,379 modification to a previously awarded cost-plus-fixed-fee contract for engineering services and prototype hardware for the Submarine Improved Performance Machinery program. Work will be performed in Groton, Conn. (24 percent); Fitchburg, Mass. (38 percent); and Sunnyvale, Calif. 38 percent, and is expected to be completed September 30, 1991. The Naval Sea Systems Command, Washington, D.C., is the contracting activity (N00024-83-C-4181).

#### February 4

Southwest Marine Incorporated, San Diego, Calif., was awarded a **\$9,148,194** firmfixed-price contract for the Regular Overhaul of USS Stein (FF-1065). Work is expected to be completed October 28, 1988. The Naval Sea Systems Command, Washington, D.C., is the contracting activity (N00024-85-H-8221).

Rexroth Corporation, Bethlehem, Pa., was awarded a **\$5,559,550** firm-fixed-price contract to furnish four MK-7 Mod 3 arresting gear engines, one arresting gear engine without cooler and associated technical data as required for the CV-65 overhaul. The contract also includes various line items of arresting gear hardware for the CV-64 overhaul. Included are cylinder ram assemblies, accumulator assemblies, control and retracting valves, airflasks, elbow assemblies, saddle assemblies, crosshead bodies, fixed-sheave bodies and associated technical data. The contract also carries option quantities of arresting gear engines and pendant cams which will not be exercised at this time. Work will be performed in Rexroth Hydraudyne, Boxtel, the Netherlands, and is expected to be completed in July 1990. The Naval Regional Contracting Center, Philadelphia, Pa., is the contracting activity (N00140-88-C-RB23).



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#### February 5

**Raytheon Company,** Sudbury, Mass., was issued a **\$9,855,479** modification to a previously awarded cost-plus-fixed-fee contract for engineering services for the Fleet Ballistic Missile Program. Work is expected to be completed September 30, 1988. The Strategic Systems Program Office, Washington, D.C., is the contracting activity (N00030-88-C-0006).

**Raytheon Company,** Sudbury, Mass., was issued a **\$57,442,700** modification to a previously awarded cost-plus-incentive-fee contract for guidance system components for the Trident Missile Program. Work is expected to be completed October 31, 1989. The Strategic Systems Program Office, Washington, D.C., is the contracting activity (N00030-87-C-0074).

**Unisys Corporation,** Great Neck, N.Y., was awarded a **\$10,581,401** modification to a previously awarded firm-fixed-price contract for six Aegis MK 82 Mod 0 gun and guided missile directors and six MK 200 Mod 0 director controls and ancillary equipment for CG-68, CG-71 and CG-72. Work is expected to be completed July 31, 1990. The Naval Sea Systems Command, Washington, D.C., is the contracting activity (N00024-87-C-5172).

#### February 8

Hughes Aircraft Company, El Segundo, Calif., was awarded a **\$9,919,000** cost-plusfixed-fee contract for engineering services for the Trident Missile Program. Work is expected to be completed September 30, 1988. The Strategic Systems Program Office, Washington, D.C., is the contracting activity (N00030-88-C-0007).

Lockheed Missiles and Space Company Incorporated, Sunnyvale, Calif., was issued a \$35,000,000 modification to a previously awarded letter contract for reentry body hardware and support equipment for the Trident Missile Program. Work is expected to be completed in October 1990. The Strategic Systems Program Office, Washington, D.C., is the contracting activity (N00030-88-C-0088).

**C. Construction Company Incorporated,** Tyler, Texas, was awarded a **\$5,395,000** firm-fixed-price contract for the construction of 12 strategic weapons magazines at the Naval Submarine Base, Kings Bay, Ga. Work is expected to be completed in February 1989. The Naval Facilities Engineering Command, Southern Division, Charleston, S.C., is the contracting activity (N68248-85-C-5026).

Science Applications International Corporation, San Diego, Calif., was awarded a \$7,132,190 firm-fixed-price contract for the environmental monitoring of dredge/disposal activities at Naval Station Puget Sound, Everett, Wash. Work is expected to be completed in July 1991. The Naval Facilities Engineering Command, Western Division, San Bruno, California, is the contract-

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# **U.S. NAVY**



#### CURRENT NAVY, COAST GUARD & MARAD OVERHAUL, REPAIR & CONVERSION CONTRACTS AT U.S. SHIPYARDS (As of March 1988)

SHIPYARD	SHIP	TYPE OF WORK	\$VALUE	COMP
Alabama Dry Dock	USS Lexington (AVT-16)	PM	10,131,466	8/90
Amertech Industries	Empire State (MarAd)	REP & OH	417,528	4/88
Atlantic Dry Dock	USS Aubrey Fitch	DSRA	6,950,000	3/88
	(FFG-34) USS Underwood	DSRA	7,466,000	8/88
Avendele Chinyanda	(LSD-36)	SRA	9,998,452	7/88
Avondale Shipyards	USS Boone (FFG-28) USS John J. Hall (FFG-32)	DSRA	11,170,581	9/88
	USS Radford (DD-968)	ROH	20,700,000	5/89
Bath Iron Works	4 USCG cutters	ROH	117,452,000	89
	USS Brumby (FF-1044)	ROH	14,501,392	4/88
Bethlehem Steel—Beaumont	USS Koelsch (FF-1049) Chesapeake (NDRF)	OH DD	12,000,000 499,500	8/88 3/88
Bethlehem Steel—	USNS Neosho	DD & OH	4,489,339	5/88
Sparrows Point	(T-AO-143)			
Braswell Shipyards	USS Antigo (YTB-792) USNS Neosho (T-AO-143)	SRA DD & OH	1,047,448 7,366,392	4/88 8/88
Charleston Naval Shipyard	USS Andrew Jackson (SSBN-619)	он	112,058,684	3/90
	USS Woodrow Wilson (SSBN-624)	он	120,928,007	3/89
Colonna's Shipyards	USS Richard E. Byrd (DDG-23)	DSRA	4,280,000	7/88
Continental Maritime	USS Ranger (CV-61)	SRA	4.926.630	6/88
	USS Mars (AFS-1)	DPMA DSRA	10,073,284 3,677,605	5/88 4/88
	USS Barbey (FF-1088) USS Cook (FF-1083)	DSRA	3,324,711	4/88
DMI Shipyard	MSB-1	ROH	41,057,000	
General Ship Corporation	USS Trippe (FF-1075)	ROH	8,801,078	5/88
Haustan Shin Banala	USS Stephen W. Graves (FFG-29)	EDSRA REP	10,969,490 933,248	6/88 3/88
Houston Ship Repair	Texas Clipper (MarAd) Chesapeake (NDRF)	REP	299,985	4/88
	Mount Washington (NDRF)	REP	549,000	5/88
Industrial Welding & Machine	State of Maine (MarAd)	REP	517,200	5/88
Ingalis Shipbuilding	USS Stark (FFG-31) USS Wisconsin (BB-64)	REP MOD	28,700,000 221,768,170	8/88 10/88
	USS Richmond K. Turner (CG-20)		28,780.830	8/88
Jonathan Shipyard	USS Saginaw	PM	9,900,000	6/90
Long Beach Naval Yard	LPH Class Ships	PM MODIF	8,096,132 7,422,802	10/90 4/88
McDermott Inc. Metro Machine	IX-513 Barge Atlantic Fleet LPDs	PM	5,334,400	8/91
	USS Bowen (FF-1079)	он	6,900,000	_
Mid-Coast Marine	USCG buoy tenders, Ironwood & Sweet Briar	DD	670,000	5/88
Moon Engineering	USS Conynham (DDG-17)	REP	1,484,444	_
NASSCO	4 LSTs	PM	3,500,000	90
	3 LSTs	MAINT	5,858,543 26,619,695	4/88
	USS Hewitt (DD-966) USS Elliott (DD-967)	ROH ROH	27,779,349	9/88
Newport News Shipbuilding	USS Pittsburgh (SSN-720)	SRA	7,055,300	7/88
	USS Enterprise (CVN-65)	он	34,277,751	9/88
	USS George Bancroft (SSBN-643)	он	19,400,000	3/88
	USS Newport News (SSN-750)	PSA	3,400,000 48.095,123	1/89 7/89
	Surface Ship Support Barge USS Oklahoma City	REP PSA	3,367,692	
	(SSN-723) USS Key West	PSA	38,000,000	12/88
	(SSN-722) USS George C.	REF	11,172,200	10/88
	Marshall (SSBN-654) USS Lewis & Clark	REF	10,751,500	7/88
Norfolk Naval Yard	(SSBN-644) USS Baton Rouge (SSN-689)	SRA	5,462,494	10/88
	USS Vulcan (AR-5)	DSRA	4,800,000	5/88
Norfolk Shipbuilding	USS Fulton (AS-11)	DSRA	3,413,022	3/88
	AO-178, 179 & 186 USS Lawrence (DDG-4)	PM REP	38,900,000 4,966,666	

Legend: CONV-Conversion; DEACT-Deactivation; DSRA-Docking Selected Restricted Availabilility; EDSRA-Extended Docking Selected Restricted Availability; MAINT-Maintenance; MODIF-Modification; MMA-Major Maintenance Availability; OH-Overhaul; PM-PHased Maintenance; PMA-Phased Maintenance Availability; PSA-Post-Shakedown Availability; REFrefit; REP-Repair; ROH-Regular Overhaul; SER-Service; SLEP-Service Life Extension Program; SRA-Selected Restricted Availability; UPG-Upgrade.

SHIPYARD	SHIP	TYPE OF WORK	\$VALUE	COMP
	USS Puget Sound (AD-36)	ROH	12,210,546	5/88
	USS Resolute (AFDM-10)	ROH	9,200,000	6/88
	Mormacsea & Mormacsaga (RRF)	UPG	7,973,482	_
Northwest Marine Iron Works	USS Anchorage (LSD-36)	ROH	15,300,000	11/88
	USS Paul Foster (DD-964)	ROH	26,423,466	5/88
	USNS Mercy (T-AH-19)	PSA	4,600,000	4/88
Pennsylvania Shipbuilding	USS Patterson (FF-1061)	РМ	5-10 mil/y	r. —
Philadelphia Navy Yard	USS Independence (CV-62)	SLEP	240,000,000	_
Phillyship	USS Estocin (FFG-15)	SRA	3,805,219	4/88
Portsmouth Naval Yard	USS Kamehameha (SSBN-642)	ROH	112,100,000	11/88
	USS Albuquerque (SSN-706) & USS Philadelphia (SSN-690)	SRA	11,416,336	11/88
Puget Sound Naval Yard	USS Nimitz (CVN-68)	REP & OH	—	89
	USS Alexander Hamilton (SSBN-617)	ROH	110,713,798	11/88
Robert E. Derecktor	USS Connole (FFG-12)	ROH	2,500,000	_
Service Engineering	USNS Spica (T-AFS-9)	он	10,700,000	_
	AE-29, -32-34	PM	4,154,000	89
Southwest Marine	USS Dubuque (LPD-8)	он	10,000,000	_
	USS Wichita (AOR-1) & USS Kansas (AOR-3)		41,600,000	_
	USS Pluck (MSO-464)	SRA	1,041,000	
	LST-1185, -1186 & 1191	он	35,000,000	87-89
	USS Okinawa (LPH-3)	ROH	16,114,285	7/88
	USS Ramsey (FFG-2)	MAINT	3,000,000	4/88
	USS Durham (LKA-114)	DD	7,611,149	7/88
	USS Anchorage (LSD-36)	ROH	15,048,870	11/88
	USS Stein (FF-1065)	ROH	9,148,194	10/88
Tacoma Boatbuilding	USNS Hayes (T-AG)	CONV	33,878,232	11/89
Tampa Shipyards	T-ACS-7 & 8	CONV	43,158,333	10/88
Todd-Seattle	USS Camden (AOE-2)	REP	12,643,642	7/88
	8 WHECs	он	234,903,000	2/91
USCG-Curtis Bay	14 buoy tenders	SLEP	8,500,000	·
	16 WMECs	MAINT		

#### **Major Navy Contracts**

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ing activity (N62474-88-C-3278). General Electric Company, Pittsfield, Mass., was issued a \$3,541,872 modification to a previously awarded cost-plus-incentive-fee contract for guidance system components for the Trident Missile Program. Work is expected to be completed in December 1989. The Strategic Systems Program Office, Washington, D.C., is the contracting activity (N00030-87-C-0059).

#### February 9

Tracor Applied Sciences Incorporated, Rockville, Md., was awarded a \$9,261,406 cost-plus-fixed-fee contract for engineering and technical support for various SSN/ SSBN submarine maintenance programs. Work is expected to be completed September 30, 1991. The Naval Sea Systems Command, Washington, D.C., is the contracting activity (N00024-88-C-2205).

Raytheon Company, Equipment Division, Wayland, Mass., was awarded a \$16,958,180 firm-fixed-price contract for Aegis MK 99 fire control systems and T-1348/SPG radar transmitters for CG-69, CG-70, CG-72 and CG-73. Work will be performed in Wayland, Mass. (25 percent), and Waltham, Mass. (75 percent), and is expected to be completed January 1, 1993. The Naval Sea Systems Command, Washington, D.C., is the contracting activity (N00024-88-C-5100).

.General Electric Company, Syracuse, N.Y., was awarded a \$6,807,662 modification to a previously awarded fixed-price-

incentive contract for sustaining engineering for the AN/BSY-2 submarine combat system. Work is expected to be completed in March 1988. The Naval Sea Systems Command, Washington, D.C. is the contracting activity (N00024-88-C-6150).

#### February 10

Honeywell Incorporated, Clearwater, Fla. was awarded a \$42,139,899 fixedprice-incentive contract for guidance system components for the Trident Missile Program. Work is expected to be completed March 30, 1990. The Strategic Systems Program Office, Washington, D.C., is the contracting activity (N00030-88-C-0017).

Westinghouse Electric Corporation, Baltimore Md., was awarded a \$5,016,606 modification to a previously awarded firm-fixedprice contract to exercise an option for 21 modification kits for the AN/TPS-63 radar. These kits will provide for extended range and improved velocity response. Work is expected to be completed in May 1989. The Space and Naval Warfare Systems Command, Washington, D.C., is the contracting activity (N00039-87-C-0381).

TRW Federal Systems Group, Fairfax, Va., was awarded a \$5,049,641 modification to a previously awarded fixed-price-incentive contract for Anti-Submarine Warfare Operations Center (ASWOC) Command, Control and Communications (C3) Upgrade Engineering Development Model (EDM) #1 for shipboard use. Work is expected to be completed September 30, 1988. The Space and Naval Warfare Systems Command, Washington, D.C., is the contracting activity (N00039-87-C-0018).

**IBM Corporation, Federal Systems Division,** Manassas, Va., was awarded a **\$14,151,701** firm-fixed-price contract for high volume modules for AN/UYS-1 Advanced Signal Processors. Work will be performed in Manassas, Va. (40 percent), and Owego, N.Y. (60 percent), and is expected to be completed in February 1990. The Naval Sea Systems Command, Washington, D.C., is the contracting activity (N0024-88-C-5217).

#### February 12

Southwest Marine, San Pedro Division, Terminal Island, Calif., was awarded a \$15,048,870 firm-fixed-price contract for the Regular Overhaul (ROH) of USS Anchorage (LSD-36). Work will be performed in Long Beach, Calif., and is expected to be completed November 3, 1988. The Supervisor of Shipbuilding, Conversion and Repair, Portsmouth, Va., is the contracting activity (N00024-85-H-8222).

#### February 17

Todd Pacific Shipyards Corporation, Seattle, Wash., was awarded a **\$12,643,642** modification to a previously awarded costplus-award-fee contract for repairs for USS Camden (AOE-2). Work is expected to be completed July 11, 1988. The Supervisor of Shipbuilding, Conversion and Repair, Seattle, Wash., is the contracting activity (N00024-85-C-8518).

#### February 23

**C.C.C. Georgia Incorporated,** Brunswick, Ga., was awarded a requirements contract to carry U.S. military-sponsored cargo between the U.S. East Coast and the U.S. Naval Station, Guantanamo Bay, Cuba. The estimated value of the contract is **\$8,734,083**. The Military Sealift Command, Washington, D.C., is the contracting authority (N00033-88-D-8504).

#### February 25

Bath Iron Works, Bath, Maine, was awarded a \$226,123,977 fixed-price-incentive contract for the construction of one CG-47 class ship. Work is expected to be completed in June 1993. The Naval Sea Systems Command, Washington, D.C., is the contracting activity (N00024-88-C-2178).

Ingalls Shipbuilding Incorporated, Pascagoula, Miss., was awarded a \$769,142,667 fixed-price-incentive contract for the construction of four CG-47 class ships. Work is expected to be completed in January 1994. The Naval Sea Systems Command, Washington, D.C., is the contracting activity (N00024-88-C-2034).

Norden Systems Incorporated, Norwalk, Conn., was awarded a **\$3,700,000** firmfixed-price contract for three audio generators plus related hardware and data for the Trident Sonar Operation Trainer. Work is expected to be completed in December 1991. The Naval Sea Systems Command, Washington, D.C., is the contracting activity (N00024-88-C-6134).

#### February 29

Braswell Shipyards Incorporated, Charleston, S.C., was awarded a \$7,366,392 firm-fixed-price contract to perform Part I of the drydock, voyage repairs and overhaul of USNS Neosho (T-A0-143), a Military Sealift Command fleet oiler. The Military Sealift Command, Washington, D.C., is the contracting authority (N00033-87-R-3046).

Bethlehem Steel Corporation, Sparrows Point, Md., was awarded a \$4,489,339 firmfixed-price contract to perform Part II of the drydock, voyage repairs and overhaul of USNS Neosho (T-AO-143), a Military Sealift Command fleet oiler. The Military Sealift Command, Washington, D.C., is the contracting authority (N00033-87-R-3046).

#### March 1

Superior Gunite Company, Lakeview Terrace, Calif., was awarded a \$3,535,000 firmfixed-price contract for repairs to the walls of drydock number 4 at the Norfolk Naval Shipyard, Portsmouth, Va. Work is expected

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to be completed in September 1989. The Naval Facilities Engineering Command, Atlantic Division, Norfolk, Va., is the contracting activity (N62470-85-C-5459).

General Dynamics Corporation, Electric Boat Division, Groton, Conn., was awarded a \$5,134,000 cost-plus-fixed-fee contract for engineering services for the United Kingdom's Trident SSBN program. Work is expected to be completed September 30, 1993. This contract is in support of a Foreign Military Sale to the United Kingdom. The Naval Sea Systems Command, Washington, D.C., is the contracting activity (N00024-88-C-2165).

#### March 4

**Southwest Marine Incorporated**, San Diego, Calif., was awarded a **\$7,611,149** firmfixed-price contract for drydocking phased maintenance availability for USS Durham (LKA-114). Work is expected to be completed July 1, 1988. The Naval Sea Systems Command, Washington, D.C., is the contracting activity (N00024-85-H-8221).

#### March 9

Simplex Wire and Cable Co., Portsmouth, N.H., has received a **\$3.8-million** contract for oceanographic service. Work is expected to be completed by Dec. 31, 1988. The Space and Naval Systems Command, Washington, D.C., is the contracting activity (N00039-88-C-0116).

#### March 11

Tracor Applied Sciences Inc., Austin, Texas, has received a **\$32.9-million** contract to provide technical and engineering services



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to support the design, development, test and integration of the platform to platform, exterior communication system for the DDG-51 class guided missile destroyer. Work is expected to be completed by Feb. 28, 1993. The contract was awarded by the Naval Air Station, Patuxent River, Md., (N00421-88-C-0210).

#### March 14

E-Systems Inc., St. Petersburg, Fla., has received a \$7.3-million contract for the upgrade and refurbishment of antennas for the Terrier and Tartar programs. Work is expected to be completed by Dec. 31, 1992. The contract was awarded by the Naval Sea Systems Command, Washington, D.C., (N00024-88-C-5618).

General Electric Co., Knolls Atomic Power Laboratory, Schenectady, N.Y., received a \$10.6-million contract for naval nuclear propulsion research and development. Work is expected to be completed by Sept. 30, 1988. The contract was awarded by the Naval Sea Systems Command, Washington, D.C. (N00024-79-C-4027).

#### March 15

Honeywell Inc., Underseas Systems Division, Hopkins, Minn., has received a \$9.5million contract for technology transfer for the MK-50 torpedo program. Work is ex-

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pected to be completed in July 1989. The contract was awarded by the Naval Sea Systems Command, Washington, D.C., (N00024-83-C-6254).

#### March 16

Honeywell, Inc., Marine Systems Division, Everett, Wash., has received a \$5.8million contract for high volume modules for AN/UYS-1 advanced signal processors. Work is expected to be completed in February 1990. The contract was awarded by the Naval Sea Systems Command, Washington, D.C. (N00024-88-C-5236)

Westinghouse Electric Corp., Bettis Atomic Power Laboratory, West Mifflin Borough, Pa., has received a \$10.7-million contract for naval nuclear propulsion research and development. Work is expected to be completed in September 1988. The contract was awarded by the Naval Sea Systems Command, Washington, D.C (N00024-79-C-4026).

#### March 17

Westinghouse Electric Corp., Plant Apparatus Division, Wilkins Township, Pa., has received a \$15.9-million contract for naval nuclear propulsion components. Work is expected to be completed by Sept. 30, 1993. The contract was awarded by the Naval Sea Systems Command, Washington, D.C. (N00024-88-C-4030).

#### March 18

Applied Research Laboratories, Austin,

Texas, has received a \$3.5-million contract for research, development and engineering to provide mission oriented solutions to naval warfare problems in acoutics, electromagnetics and other related essential capabilities. Work is expected to be completed by Dec. 6, 1990. The contract was awarded by the Space and Naval Warfare Systems Command, Washington, D.C. (N00039-88-C-0043).

#### March 21

Tracor Applied Sciences Inc., Austin, Texas, has received a \$95.2-million contract for support services for the AN/SQQ-89 sonar. Work is expected to be completed in April 1993. The contract was awarded by the Naval Sea Systems Command, Washington, D.C. (N00024-88-C-6004).

#### March 22

Newport News Shipbuilding and Dry Dock Co., Newport News, Va., has received a \$22-million contract for lead yard services for the SSN-688 class submarine program. Work is expected to be completed by Oct. 31, 1988. The contract was awarded by the Naval Sea Systems Command, Washington, D.C. (N00024-87-C-2014).

#### **Newport News Receives** \$22-Million Contract

The Newport News Shipbuilding

and Dry Dock Co., Newport News, Va., recently received a \$22-million contract from the Naval Sea Systems Command for lead yard services for the Los Angeles Class (SSN-688) attack submarine program. Work under the contract (N00024-87-C-2014) is expected to be completed October 31, 1988.

#### \$116-Million Contract To Tacoma Boat To Retrofit **Four Egyptian Subs**

Tacoma Boatbuilding Co. (TBC) recently announced that they signed a contract with the Armament Authority of the Arab Republic of Egypt in connection with the retrofit of four submarines for the Egyptian Navy. Pursuant to this contract, which is valued at approxi-mately \$116,000,000 and calls for work over a period of approximately five years, TBC will upgrade certain electronic sectors and combatant capabilities of the Romeo Class submarines. The actual installation of the new equipment on the submarines will take place in Egypt at Egyptian Naval facilities.

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The Romeo Class submarines were delivered to Egypt several years ago as a part of multi-ship procurement agreement between the Arab Republic of Egypt and the Peoples Republic of China.

Work will commence pursuant to this contract after several preconditions are achieved including receipt of final export license approval, approval by the Defense Securities Assistance Agency of certain funding, the posting of financing guarantees by TBC, and the initiations of payments by the Arab Republic of Egypt. TBC anticipates that the contract

TBC anticipates that the contract will become operative during the third quarter of 1988.

This is the third significant military contract received by TBC in the last 13 months. As a result of this award, TBC's backlog has been increased to \$161,000,000.

The company designs, constructs and repairs medium-sized vessels for the U.S. Government, domestic and foreign commercial customers and foreign governments.

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### Tracor Receives \$38.1-Million Contract From NAVSEA

Tracor Applied Sciences, Inc., a subsidiary of Tracor, Inc., has received a contract from the Naval Sea Systems Command to provide engineering and technical support for the U.S. Navy Strategic and Attack Submarine Fleet. The contract includes three option years with a total value of \$38,129,000. According to William C.

According to William C. Moyer, group vice president for Tracor Applied Sciences, under the contract the company will provide the engineering disciplines and technology necessary for the development and implementation of dedicated maintenance and modernization programs to support the submarine Extended Operating Cycle (EOC) concept. The submarine EOC program extends the interval between submarine overhauls to achieve a higher, stabilized level of deployed submarines and maintains the fleet in a high state of readiness.

### InterTrade's `Safeguard' Netless Marine Fenders Meet Navy Specifications

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Uncompressed 6-foot-diameter 'Safeguard' netless marine fender before being compressed down to 22 inches during performance of test to verify compliance with Navy's new netless fender specifications.

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Huntington Beach, Calif., recently submitted their 6-foot-diameter Safeguard™ marine fenders to First Article Testing under a U.S. Navy contract. The "torture test" was meant as verification of compliance with the Navy's newly developed Netless Marine Fender Specifications.

In addition to the proof load test of 70 percent compression, the test unit was subjected to 60 percent

energy absorbtion and reaction force testing as well as end fitting pull-through testing at 90,000pound loadings.

InterTrade is now under contract to deliver 30 such 6-foot-diameter by 12-foot-long Safeguard netless fenders.

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less marine fenders, Circle 34 on Reader Service Card

### Bethlehem Steel Yard Receives \$4.4-Million For Navy Oiler Work

The Sparrows Point Shipyard of Bethlehem Steel Corporation has received a \$4,489,339 contract from the U.S. Navy to perform the drydocking, voyage repairs and overhaul of the fleet oiler USNS Neosho (T-AO-143).

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# SNAME SPRING MEETING/ STAR SYMPOSIUM 'MARINE & OFFSHORE SYSTEMS'

### Pittsburgh, Pa.—June 8-10

1988 Ship Technology And Research Symposium To Be Held In Conjunction With 3rd International Marine Systems Design Conference

The Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers (SNAME) will hold its 1988 Spring Meeting/ Ship Technology and Research (STAR) Symposium at the Pittsburgh Hilton & Towers Gateway Center, Pittsburgh, Pa., from June 8 to 10. The meeting and symposium will be held in conjunction with the 3rd International Marine Systems Design Conference (IMSDC). The event, sponsored by the Great Lakes/Great Rivers Section of SNAME, will bring together more than 300 members of the international community from at least 11 nations.

The focus of the 1988 STAR Symposium will be new technologies and analysis capabilities which are emerging within the marine research community. A special feature of the program will be a series of papers presented by the SNAME Technical & Research Program's Ships' Machinery Committee on a variety of new technologies. Some of the papers featured by the committee include: "Fundamentals of Optical Fiber Communications"; "Glass Reinforced Plastic Material for Machinery Applications Aboard Ship"; and "The Intercooled Regenerative Gas Turbine." The aim of the IMSDC, which

The aim of the IMSDC, which meets only once every three years, is to promote marine design as a professional discipline and science. The first meeting of the IMSDC, held in 1982, was hosted by the Royal Institution of Naval Architects in London, England. The second meeting, held in 1985, was sponsored by Skibsteknisk Selskab (The Danish Society for Naval Architecture and Marine Engineering) in Lyngby, Denmark. The emphasis of the 3rd IMSDC will be both the theoretical aspects of the marine design process and recent new design applications for ships and offshore projects. In addition, a full and diverse

In addition, a full and diverse social program has been planned. Beginning Wednesday, June 8, with an Early Bird Reception, and running through the close of the meetings, are activities such as the Three Rivers Arts Festival, offering a selection of arts, crafts, food, drink and entertainment; tours of the city's cultural sights and attractions; the President's Reception on Thursday, June 9; and a three-hour river cruise on the Allegeny, Monogahela and Ohio Rivers on June 10. The Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers, founded in 1893, has a membership of almost 12,000 composed of a variety of shipbuilding and maritime-related professionals.

For more information on registration and attendance, contact: The Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers, 601 Pavonia Avenue, Jersey City, N.J. 07306; telephone: (201) 798-4800.

### TECHNICAL SESSIONS

Thursday, June 9

Ballroom 3 9 a.m.—"The Subcavitating/Supercavitating Hybrid Propeller" (SNAME), by William S. Vorus and Robert F. Kress.

A hybrid propeller concept is presented in which the blades incorporate the technologies of both subcavitating and supercavitating propellers.

10 a.m.—"An Advanced Method for Design of Optimal Ducted Propellers Behind Bodies of Revolution" (SNAME), by Michael Schmiechen and Lian-Dizhou.

An advanced method is proposed which requires no explicit assumptions about effective wake fraction and thrust deduction at any stage. It is not restricted further to moderate propeller loading, small hub/diameter ratio, or ideal fluid behavior.

11 a.m.—"Optimal Hull Forms for Fishing Vessels" (SNAME), by O. Goran and Sander M. Calisal.

Optimal hull forms for fishing vessels with minimum total resistance are found using mathematical programming. **1:30 p.m.**—"A Knowledge-Based

1:30 p.m.—"A Knowledge-Based System Architecture for Control of Underwater Vehicles" (SNAME), by Svein Kristiansen.

Autonomous Underwater Vehicles (AUVs) have received increasing interest in recent years as a tool for some demanding marine tasks. A control architecture for an AUV based upon a number of technologies from artificial intelligence is described.

2:30 p.m.—"Roll Reduction by Rudder Control" (SNAME), by Claes G. Kallstrom, Peter Wessel, and Sven Sjolander.

sel, and Sven Sjolander. 3:30 p.m.—"An Integrated Rig Management System for a Semisubmersible Floating Production Vessel" (SNAME), by Mark L. Neudorfer and John E. Sirutis.

An integrated management system installed on a floating production vessel operating in the North Sea is described.

4:30 p.m.—"Computer-Aided Navigation System (CANSY-II)" (SNAME), by Masaharu Yamamoto, Akira Shiraki, Osamu Yamamoto, Yuji Hirakawa, Kenji Yamguchi and Akira Nishiguchi.

Efforts to develop software techniques for ship's operation have succeeded in producing a Computer-Aided Navigation System (CANSY) in cooperation with sympathetic shipowners.

Thursday, June 9

Ballroom 4

**9** a.m.—"Methods of Incorporating Design for Production Considerations into Concept Design Investigations" (IMSDC), by **H.S. Hong**, **John B. Caldwell**, and **William Hills**.

A new method is presented for incorporating production considerations into concept design of ships and their structures.

10 a.m.—"Achieving Customer and Market Orientation in Marine Transportation Systems Design" (IMSDC), by Hu Ying.

Aspects of customer and market orientation in design are discussed. The focus is directed to the possibility of the application of marketing principles in the shipping industry, aiming at improving marine transportation system design.

portation system design. 11 a.m.—"Incorporating a Seakeeping Capability in a Computer-Aided Preliminary Design Systems" (IMSDC), by Grant E. Hearn, William Hills and Paul A. Colton.

The task of integrating seakeeping analysis into the conceptual design stage of the design process, so as to facilitate a high degree of designer interaction, is discussed. The particular analysis tools used with this process are described. Examples of application are included in connection with the design of a RO/RO vessel, and in the context of sensitivity analysis.

sensitivity analysis. **1:30 p.m.**—"Hull Form Design— Only a Matter of the Computer?" (IMSDC), by **Hans Langenberg**. Contrary to the prevailing thinking, a hull form cannot be developed during the short time allowed for the preparation of a tender. This statement is supported by examples taken from 20 years' experience. A newly developed hull form for fast, single-screw vessels is presented. This form can reduce the propulsive power by up to 25 percent compared with ordinary multi-screw vessels.

2:30 p.m.—"The Components of the Propulsive Efficiency of Ships in Relation to the Design Procedure" (IMSDC), by SV AA Harvald and Jan M. Hee.

The designer has to match the characteristic power curves for the ship and the propeller. To accomplish this, the propeller efficiency, relative rotative efficiency, and hull efficiency must be estimated. The designer must also know the manner in which these efficiencies have been estimated and their accuracy in order to incorporate the right corrections and safety factors. A long series of experiments have been carried out to provide the understanding and data needed to estimate components of the propulsive efficiency of ships in the early design stage.

**3:30 p.m.**—"Design Conception of Hull Form and CAE/CAD" (IMSDC), by Masahiko Mori.

A current method of designing hull forms for high value-added ships is presented.

ships is presented. 4:30 p.m.—"Direct Curve and Surface Manipulation for Hull Form Design" (IMDSC), by Klaus-Peter Beier.

A new technique for the manipulation of the shape of curves and surfaces using interactive graphics is presented. The mathematical background for the direct manipulation of plane and space curves will be described.

### OPEN TECHNICAL DISCUSSIONS

Thursday, June 9

### 8 p.m. Chartiers Room

"Improving Models for Conceptual Design Studies," Michael G. Parsons, moderator.

An opportunity to informally continue technical discussions of the topics of the Thursday morning IMSDC Technical Sessions. Also, perhaps a preview of some of the topics included in the Friday, June 10, IMSDC Technical Sessions. A cash bar will be available.

### **Rivers Room**

'Design Issues in Hull Form Design," John W. Boylston, moderator.

An opportunity to informally continue technical discussions of some of the topics of the Thursday afternoon IMSDC Technical Sessions. **Brigade Room** 

"Design Issues in Powering and Propulsors," William S. Vorus, moderator.

An opportunity to informally continue technical discussions of some of the topics of the Thursday morning STAR Technical Sessions and the Thursday afternoon IMSDC Technical Sessions.

### Friday, June 10 **Ballroom 3**

8:45 a.m.—"New Technologies Affecting Marine Machinery" (SNAME), Thomas P. Mackey, chairman-Ship's Machinery Com-mittee (SNAME), moderator.

This mini-symposium has been organized by the SNAME Ship's Machinery Committee to focus on recent and current research and development which are affecting marine machinery. The following short talks will be presented in the threehour session:

"Fundamentals of Optical Fiber Communications," by Dan L. Philen and Robert M. Morais.

"Glass Reinforced Plastic Material for Machinery Applications Aboard Ship," by George F. Wilhelmi.

High-Efficiency Electric Motors," by Harry Blakely.

"Diagnostic Vibration Monitor-" by John S. Mitchell.

ing," by John S. Mitchell. "Internal Coatings for Machin-ery," by Matthew F. Winkler.



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"The Intercooled Regenerative Gas Turbine," by Tim Doyle. 2 p.m.—"Evaluation of Impact

Loads Associated with Flare Slamming" (SNAME), by Armin W. Troesch and Chang-Gu Kang.

The hydrodynamics of flare impact are modeled by assuming that a pressure release surface exists on the mean water surface. While this simplified boundary value problem ignores some important impact features, it has the significant advantage of being computationally simple. With this theoretical model, it is possible to include three-dimensional effects that are ignored in previous two-dimensional theories. Results of experimental drop tests of bow-shaped bodies are compared with both the two-dimensional and three-dimensional theoretical calculations.

**3 p.m.**—"Surface Effect Ship Loads: Lessons Learned and their Implications for Other Advanced Marine Vehicles" (SNAME), by Paul Kaplan and A. Malahoff.

As a consequence of high speed, air cushion support, and large flat surfaces, advanced technology methods were applied to determine Surface Effect Ship structural loads.

4 p.m.—"Advanced Ship Structural Design and Maintenance" (SNAME), by Peter E. Koehler and S. Valsgard.

This paper describes a method for advanced ship structural design, and proposes the use of reanalysis of ship structures as part of ship hull condition monitoring and maintenance.

### Friday, June 10

### Kings Garden, North 8:45 a.m.-"Intelligent Com-

puter Aid in Marine Design and Ocean Engineering" (IMSDC), by Bernt A. Bremdal and Steffen Zeuthen.

Development of knowledge-based

expert systems (KBES) has become a major research activity within the field of computer aided engineering. Two of the most challenging application areas are design and plan-ning. SEAMAID and LIFT are two prototypes that specifically address KBES development for marine engineering use.

9:45 a.m.—"Ship Synthesis Model Morphology" (IMSDC), by Dale E. Calkins.

The development of the methodologies and architecture of ship system synthesis models used in design will be described. The architecture of existing marine and aeronautical synthesis models will be reviewed to develop a "generic" synthesis model.

10:45 a.m.-"Experience in Teaching Marine Design on an Assignment Basis" (IMSDC), by Lars E. Mathisen and Stian Erichsen.

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Teaching design on an assignment basis has proved to be very motivating for students and teachers. The paper presents a review of instructions to students, the grading system, and an account of time spent on the course by teachers, instructors, and students. 2 p.m.—"Operational Aspects in

Need station-keeping,

Ship Design: The Case of the Roll-On/Roll-Off Vessel" (IMSDC), by Per O. Brett, Stein Gaarder, Geir Thorseng and Truls Vaa. The classic basic design spiral

does not include any sector or loop that raises the issues of operational aspects in the human behavior sense. The paper discusses why the basic design spiral and process have to be improved in principle and what new design strategies may look like.

**3 p.m.**—"Productive Experience of 3D CAD/CAM Techniques Applied to Ship Design and Construc-tion" (IMSDC), by Colin J. Beames and William F. Beck.

Three-dimensional CAD/CAM techniques developed by two British shipyards for the multi-disciplined design and detailing activities through the production process will be discussed.

**4 p.m.**—"A New Concept for 'Neat Fit' Ship Propulsion"



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(IMSDC), by Constantin M. Gallin, E. Terorde and G. Versock.

### **Megator Completes Navy Pump Contracts Totaling \$1.3 Million**

Megator Corporation, of Pittsburgh, Pa., recently completed U.S. Navy contracts valued at \$1.3 mil-lion. Megator Corporation is the manufacturer of the Megator "Sliding-Shoe Pump." This positive dis-placement pump had been selected by NAVSEA to undergo extensive NAVSSES testing as a replacement candidate for existing oily waste transfer pumps aboard U.S. Navy aircraft carriers and escort ships. A prerequisite 250-hour land-

based endurance test, performed at NAVSSES, revealed the Megator Sliding-Shoe Pump to be a durable and reliable pump requiring little maintenance or attention. Pump design allows for loss of prime and dry running for extended periods with no damage and instant repriming. Any maintenance required is simplified by easy disassembly and accessibility of the few moving parts. The pump is cabable of handling most materials while providing consistent self-priming and constant flow against discharge heads ranging to 110 pounds per square inch. The excellent performance of the

Megator Sliding-Shoe Pump while undergoing endurance testing re-sulted in sea trials with the same results.

The Megator Sliding-Shoe Pump is an off-the-shelf pump meeting Grade A shock for fleet requirements. This feature has saved considerable cost to the Navy in both unit price and parts replacement.

For more information and free literature on the Sliding-Shoe Pump from Megator,

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### Navy Awards \$31.8-Million Contract To Lockheed Shipbuilding

Lockheed Shipbuilding Compa-ny, Gulfport Marine Division, Gulfport, Miss., has been awarded a \$31,759,154 modification to a previously awarded fixed-price U.S. Navy contract for the long lead time material for the Landing Craft Air Cushion (LCAC) program. The work is expected to be completed in 1990. The Naval Sea Systems Command, Washington, D.C., awarded the contract (N00024-87-C-2089).

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### McDermott Names Howson To Succeed Cunningham As Chief Operating Officer



Robert E. Howson

James E. Cunningham, chairman of the board and chief executive officer of McDermott International, Inc., recently announced that the board of directors has formally designated **Robert E. Howson**, president and chief operating officer of McDermott, as his successor. Mr. **Cunningham** will reach retirement age this year, and will continue to serve the company as a member of its board of directors after retirement.

Mr. Howson will be officially elected chairman of the board and chief executive officer at the meeting of the board of directors to be held following the annual meeting of shareholders on August 9, 1988.

Mr. Howson assumed his present responsibilities during 1987. He has served on McDermott's board of directors since March 1981 and has been president and chief operating officer of the McDermott Marine Construction unit since that time. He was named president and chief operating officer of the Babcock & Wilcox unit in 1986 and chief operating officer of the McDermott International trading unit in mid-1987.

Mr. Cunningham has served as chairman of the board and chief executive officer of McDermott International since 1979.

### Environmental Test Facilities Completed By Hi-Test Laboratories

Hi-Test Laboratories, Inc., recently announced the completion of its expanded Noise, Shock and Vibration (NS&V) environmental test facilities featuring a newly installed MIL-STD-167 vibration table that will accommodate test articles weighing up to 35,000 pounds. The test bed, one of the largest facilities in operation, is 16 feet by 16 feet and employs the largest in data acquisition capabilities.

Hi-Test is capable of performing lightweight, medium weight and heavyweight (MIL-S-901) shock tests at its Arvonia, Va., plant and with these expanded facilities will also provide MIL-STD-167 Type I and Type II vibration, structureborne noise, as well as a wide array of other test measurement and data analysis capabilities.

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### Wartsila Constructing Two Passenger Vessels For Oy Silja Line Ab

One of the two partners in Silja Line, Effoa-Suomen Hoyrylaiva Oy, has placed an order for a large passenger ship intended for service on the Helsinki-Stockholm route. The vessel is expected to be delivered in the spring of 1990. At the same time the other partner, Johnson Line Ab, ordered a sister ship to be delivered in the spring of 1991.

Both vessels will be built at Wartsila Marine Industries Inc.'s Turku Shipyard.

The new vessels will replace the MS Finlandia and the MS Silvia Regina now operating on the Hel-

sinki route. The Silja Line's new vessels will have the following approximate dimensions: length 656 feet; breadth 103 feet; and draft 22 feet. They will have a maximum passenger capacity of 2,500, and will have space for 450/ 60 private cars/trucks.

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### New York Exhibition Showcases First Production Color ARPA From Racal Marine

### —Free Color Brochures Offered—

Racal Marine recently showcased and demonstrated its new Racal 2690 BT, reportedly the world's first production type-approved color ARPA providing a 16-inch PPI equivalent scan on a 26-inch diagonal TV-type display, and a number of other advanced marine navigation products at a three-day exhibition at the Whitehall Club in Manhattan.

Well suited for deep-sea vessels, the 2690BT series ARPA and TM/ AC display are easy to operate with large, individual function control buttons. The basic radar controls on the upper panel follow the standard Racal-Decca layout used in thousands of Master series 20-inch color radars already in use at sea.

The clear advantages of this system are its exceptionally bright color presentation of radar video, synthetic graphics and tote information on a 26-inch DSC display. The 26-inch DSC Racal Decca marine display has been specially designed to meet the requirement for a presentation that can be interpreted quickly and surely under all conditions.

Switchable color coding minimizes eyestrain by day or night and allows the display to be viewed conveniently under a variety of lighting conditions. This easy-to-operate ARPA has a 20 track capacity with manual or automatic target acquisition. The unit's ARPA controls are located on

the lower panel, arranged according to function in a logical layout. In addition to their standard suites of eight video maps, the Racal-Decca 2690BT Series ARPAs can be supplied with an NMEA 0183 proprietary interface to a navigation system such as the Racal-Decca MNS 2000 or Decca Navigator Mark 53. This interface enables the operator to show on the ARPA range scales (1½ to 24 nm) a graph-

ic presentation of the voyage plan. The same interface also enables the ARPA to receive from the associated navigation system a defined position in latitude and longitude, preset to correspond to the reference point around which one or more of the video maps in the ARPA memory has been constructed. The ARPA can calculate the range and bearing of this point from the ship's position and thus provide automatic alignment of a video map.

The Racal 2690BT Series features a full range of 3 cm and 10 cm marine radars designed to comply with international type approval standards for the largest vessels. Other features of the series include: AC display with anti-collison markers, parallel indexing, true motion guard zones and semiautomatic electronic feature; an advanced clutter control called "Clearscan" to clear sea and rain clutter from the display; and a console design which offers the option of three preset viewing angles—11 degrees, 23 degrees and 35 degrees.

Other Racal products on display at the New York City exhibition included: Racal-Decca 20-inch color rasterscan radar; Racal-Decca LSR 4000 Nav Status and Voyage Management Display System; Racal-Decca Marine Navigation System MNS2000; MK53 Decca Navigator; Racal-Decca ISIS 250C Machinery Control and Surveillance System and ISIS 250 Microprocessor-Based Integrated Ship Instrumentation System; and Racal-Decca Deep-Sea Color Radars.

The LSR 4000 (Live Situation Report) display comprises a high definition color monitor with associated processor. This unique system provides a dynamic summary of all data relevant both to general navigation and immediate conning of a vessel. It also displays on demand the full voyage plan which is automatically updated.

The Racal-Decca MNS 2000 is a multi-sensor marine navigation management system, designed to a module concept. The system can derive position fixing data for vessel navigation purposes practically anywhere in the world through its multi-sensor radio navaid receiver unit. It is able to interface to compatible ARPAs, autopilots, plotters and vessel management systems.

The MK53 Decca Navigator is a four-channel integrating narrowband receiver incorporating both Normal and Lane identification pattern positioning with full worldwide chain coverage. It has been designed to operate in conjunction with both electromechanical and color video plotters. The MK53 also incorporates a navigational computer which can interface with other bridge equipment such as radar, au-



Racal-Decca's 2690BT Series ARPA and TM/AC display are easy to operate with large, individual function control buttons.

tomatic chart table and autopilot.

The Racal 970/990 Series of gyrostabilized radars is designed for use aboard vessels up to 1,600 tons. The compact 14-inch diagonal screen has 10 range scales from ¼ nm to 96 nm.

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Adrian R.P. Day, president, Racal Marine Inc. (at left) and Brian W. Craig, managing director-international operations, Racal Marine Group Limited, examine the new Racal-Decca 2690BT color ARPA at a recent exhibition in New York City.

### SNAME To Hold **1990** Annual Meeting In San Francisco

Edward J. Campbell, president of the Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers (SNAME), has announced the so-ciety will hold its 98th Annual Meeting in San Francisco, Calif. in 1990. This marks the first time that the meeting would be held outside of New York City.

The 98th Annual Meeting will be held at the Hyatt Regency San Francisco in the Embarcadero Center, along with the Ninth International Maritime Exposition, from October 31 to November 3, 1990.

The departure from tradition was based, in part, on a survey of the society's membership. Many of the respondents expressed the opinion that the Annual Meeting should occasionally be located somewhere other than New York City. San Francisco was the most popular choice for those that responded.

For more information on attendance or exhibiting, contact: The Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers, 601 Pavonia Avenue, Jersey City, N.J. 07306; telephone: (201) 798-4800.

### **Loeffler Offers New Free** 12-Page Color Catalog On Valves, Drains, Hardware



Loeffler's new free 12-page color catalog, 'Marine Bells, Deck Drains, & Valves.'

Loeffler Corporation, a leading manufacturer of ship's bells, deck drains, valves and other marine hardware since 1926, recently issued an attractive new 12-page catalog for these products.

The catalog, which is free, is complete with photographs of the products, as well as dimensions for all required application information for cast bronze bells, trip gongs, cylin-drical gongs, and deck drains. Similar information is provided for scupper, angle stop, globe stop, Y-stop, stop check, swing check, angle hose and globe hose valves.

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### Kvaerner (UK) Ltd. Wins Contracts In **Portugal And Singapore**

Kvaerner Ships Equipment's U.K. subsidiary, South Shields-based Kvaerner (UK) Ltd., recently

won orders for the design of hatch covers and transportable grain bulkheads for a series of mini bulk carriers building in Portugal and two multipurpose cargo ships to be jumboized in Singapore.

Kvaerner's Portugese order is for the supply of hydraulic folding crocodile weather deck covers for a series of 4,000-dwt mini bulk carriers contracted by Lisbon's Portline for domestic shipyard Estaleiros Navais de Viana do Castelo. The Singapore contract is for the

design of the weather deck and 'tweendeck hydraulic hatch covers for the new midbody sections for a 18,230-dwt multipurpose cargoship, the Maria Oldendorff, at Jurong Shipyard, and the conversion of a second vessel which will take place during 1990, when the vessel is delivered from East Germany.

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### First USCG Cutter Of New Class Commissioned At Bollinger Machine Shop



**Richard N. Bollinger**, Vice Adm. **Donald C. Thompson**, and **Donald G. Bollinger** gather at the Fleet Dedication held at the Coast Guard Base in New Orleans.

The first boat of the "B" Class of Coast Guard 110-foot cutters was recently commissioned in ceremonies at the Coast Guard Base in New Orleans, La. WPB 1317, Attu, is the 17th of the Island Class cutters, but the first of a second contract to produce 21 boats.

This contract is funded and administered by the U.S. Navy, but the boats are operated for service by the U.S. Coast Guard. A commissioning pennant was reserved for each vessel of the class as part of a fleet dedication.

The ceremony and reception was hosted by Rear Adm. Peter J. Rots, USCG Commander, Eighth Coast Guard District. The 21 commissioning pennants were reserved by the Honorable **Robert Livingston**, member of the House of Representatives from Louisiana, and Vice Adm. **Donald C. Thompson**, Commander, Coast Guard Atlantic Area. Remarks were given by **Dick Bollinger**, president of Bollinger Machine Shop & Shipyard, Inc.; Admiral **Rots**; and Capt. **Joseph F. King**, U.S. Navy. The 37 vessels of the Island class are used for

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### Jered Brown Appoints Schoenlein And Freye To Management Positions



Jered Brown Brothers, Inc. has appointed Kenneth O. Schoenlein as director of sales,

and **Deborah S. Freye** as contracts manager. Mr. **Schoenlein** rejoins Jered Brown Brothers after 10 years with Unidynamics in St. Louis, Mo. He is a member of The Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers (SNAME).

Ms. **Freye** joins Jered Brown Brothers after seven years with Tidewater Consultants in Virginia Beach, Fla. She is a member of the National Contracts Management Association.

Jered Brown Brothers, a Troy, Mich., engineering and manufacturing company, specializes in shipboard equipment for the U.S. Navy, including aircraft, cargo, and weapons elevators; ship steering systems; submarine bow planes; anchor windlasses; and specialized handling systems.

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### Puerto Rico Marine Names Cabarle And Wainwright VPs

Gerald P. Toomey, president of Puerto Rico Marine Management, Inc. (PRMMI), agents for Navieras de Puerto Rico, recently announced two new high-level corporate appointments.

Kenneth W. Cabarle was named vice president/planning, and Norman E. Wainwright was appointed vice president/information systems.

Mr. Cabarle, previously vice president and chief financial officer of U.S. Lines, returns to PRMMI. Between 1974-78 he served as PRMMI's vice president/finance.

Mr. Wainwright, the new vice president/ information systems, joins PRMMI with over 22 years of experience in the computer/information-processing fields.





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### Parker Towing Announces Administrative Changes

Tim Parker Sr., chairman of the board, and Tim Parker Jr., president of Parker Towing Company, have announced the promotion of Charles A. Haun to senior vice president, operations, and the addition of Edward W. Peterson as vice president, sales.



Charles A. Haun

Mr. Haun has been with Parker Towing since January 1975 and most recently served as vice president, operations. A 1972 graduate of the University of Alabama School of Law, Mr. Haun also holds a B.S. degree from U.A. in Chemistry.



Mr. **Peterson** recently joined Parker Towing as vice president, sales, after three years as president and managing partner of Merchants River Transportation in New Orleans.

Mr. Peterson replaces George Wakefield, who left Parker Towing to pursue other career options in California.

Parker Towing Company is a barge and tow company headquartered in Tuscaloosa, Alabama on the Black Warrior River. The company serves the waterways and ports of Alabama, Georgia, Florida, Mississippi, Louisiana, Texas and the East Gulf. With the completion of the Tenn-Tom Parker Towing has expanded service to the Tennessee and Ohio Rivers. This year Parker Towing is celebrating its 50th Anniversary. Company founder, **Tim Parker Sr.**, is still active with the company.

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### Dykem Offers Stox Rust Inhibitor —Literature Available

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The literature details complete specifications, including speed, wiping arc, mounting position, sizes, drive shaft, motor and power supply, weight, etc. Photos and diagrams support the information and describe the wiper's features.

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### New Computerized System Controls Fuel Viscosity —Literature Offered

The temperature and viscosity of fuels and other liquids can be monitored and controlled with a maximum of efficiency by a newly developed computer system which requires only a minimum of technical maintenance. Visco Pilot, manufactured and marketed by MAR TEC Marine of Hamburg, offers essentially attendance-free operation. Readjustments of operating parameters or exchanges of principal elements of the system can be accomplished easily by untrained personnel in only a few minutes, according to Peter P. Lombard, president of American United Marine Corp., the exclusive North American sales agent for MAR TEC.

The system's viscosity sensor contains a vibrating metal reed which operates on the principle of magnetic striction. The damping effect of the liquid as it flows past the sensor is amplified and converted to viscosity values, which are digitally displayed on the monitor, continuously. Liquid temperature, measured at the same point, is also displayed, and the computer calculates the standard viscosity at a chosen reference temperature and displays this as well. The monitor also sends a signal to the pre-heater to raise or lower the temperature as required to keep the actual viscosity within the chosen limits.

Preset values can be changed at any time by the operator, and when the microprocessor is turned off it automatically reverts to the values originally set.

If the viscosity values move outside of the preset range, or if the temperature exceeds the maximum setting, flashing alarms appear on the monitor. Measurable ranges for temperature and viscosity are 0-200 deg. C and 2-999 centistokes.

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tubes and no complicated moving parts except for the motor of the regulating valve. Both the sensor and the amplifier can be replaced, if necessary, by untrained personnel. For further information on the

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### ContiCarriers & Terminals Acquires Dakota Barge

Dakota Barge Service, Inc., of St. Paul, Minn., has been acquired by ContiCarriers & Terminals, Inc., a major river transportation firm based in Chicago.

Dakota Barge operates six harbor boats in the St. Paul harbor in providing local towage, fleeting and switching services, fuel delivery and barge repairs. Dakota also owns a number of barges used to carry coal and an 80-ton drydock. It leases a 300-ton marine way from St. Paul Terminals.

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### New Gladding-Hearn-Built High-Speed Catamaran To Begin Boston/Martha's Vineyard Run



Profile of the 82-foot, 300-passenger, high-speed ferry Vineyard Spray which is under construction at Gladding-Hearn Shipbuilding in Somerset, Mass., for Bay State Cruises of Boston.

The Vineyard Spray, a new 82-foot, 300-passenger, high-speed ferry built by Gladding-Hearn Shipbuilding, the Duclos Corp. of Somerset, Mass., is scheduled to be commissioned this summer by Bay State Cruises and put into service running daily round trips from Boston to Vineyard Haven in Martha's Vineyard.

The triple-deck aluminum vessel, which travels at 31 knots fully loaded, is powered by 1,740hp diesel engines. To help dampen vibration from the engines, 80 rubber shock absorbers are mounted between the hulls and passenger cabins.

The Australian-designed International Catamaran (INCAT) will have two enclosed lounges with upholstered seats, pay phones, and a bicycle rack on the upper deck. The entire trip will take about three hours.

The Vineyard Spray is reported to be one of the two fastest catamarans in North America. Gladding-Hearn president **George Duclos** said a similar boat runs a 75-mile trip between San Diego and the Catalina Islands on the West Coast at about 28 knots. Other INCATs are in use in Marin County, Vallejo and San Francisco, Calif., Alaska, Hong Kong and the English Channel.

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The non-refundable cost is Thirty-five dollars (\$35.00) per copy. Only cash or certified check payable to the New York City Fire Department will be acceptable.

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Bird-Johnson service representatives are located in major ports throughout the USA, including Boston, Mass., Norfolk, Va., Jacksonville, Fla., New Orleans, La., Houston, Texas, San Diego, Calif., Los Angeles, Calif., Seattle, Wash., Sturgeon Bay, Wis., and Detroit, Mich. Bird-Johnson representatives are being qualified in the installation and servicing of B + Vproducts at the Hamburg manufacturing facility.

ty. The Mechanical Engineering Division of Blohm + Voss AG is an internationally recognized leader in the manufacture of marine mechanical engineering components. Bird-Johnson Company is one of the leading manufacturers of controllable pitch and fixed pitch propellers for commercial and naval applications, with facilities in Walpole, Mass., Pascagoula, Miss., and Seattle, Wash.

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### Brake, Clutch and Coupling Manufacturer's Representative Wanted

To sell line of shaft brakes, clutches and couplings to marine users. Representative must have compatible line of products presently being sold to the marine market. Two areas now open are Maryland/Virginia and Louisiana/Mississippi. Single person organizations are acceptable. Since application engineering is involved, technical competence is required. Send letter describing sales organization, product line and sales area covered to:

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Alan Bernstein Elected President Of NAPVO At Annual Convention



Alan Bernstein (left), newly elected president of the National Association of Passenger Vessel Owners (NAPVO), is seen here with Jim Cross (center), outgoing NAPVO president, and Rear Adm. Clyde T. Lusk Jr., U.S. Coast Guard Chief of Staff. Admiral Lusk provided the keynote address at NAPVO's winter convention.

Alan Bernstein, general manager of BB Riverboats, operating in greater Cincinnati, has been elected president of the National Association of Passenger Vessel Owners. Mr. Bernstein succeeded James L. Cross, owner and operator of Island Queen Excursions, Inc., Riviera Beach, Fla., at NAPVO's national convention in Washington, D.C.

Other newly elected officers include F. Coe Sherrard, vice president/harbor operations for Cruise International, Norfolk, Va., as NAPVO's vice president; Dana E. Walker, president of Port of Cascade Locks, as secretary-treasurer; and Beverly Barry Meyer, executive vice president for Circle Line in New York City, was elected to the group's board of directors.

NAPVO is an independent trade association for the owner/operators of dinner cruises, sightseeing/excursion boats, car ferries, paddle wheelers and windjammers across the country.

### SSPA Maritime Consulting Offers Brochure On Roll Reduction By Rudder Control

SSPA Maritime Consulting AB of Goteborg, Sweden, has published a four-page color brochure on Roll-Nix, a microcomputer-based system for roll reduction by rudder control. The complete system is controlled by a computer unit with a built-in solid-state rate sensor for independent measurement of the roll motion.

The publication points up the Roll-Nix features: low price; compact; easy to maintain; simplicity; and proven (roll motions reduced by at least 50 percent on existing installations without influencing the coursekeeping behavior and speed).

Included are comparative measurements of vessels with Roll-Nix and without, showing that it is possible to damp the roll motion by at least 50 percent; and a schematic diagram of the Roll-Nix system.

SSPA is an international high-technology maritime company engaged mainly in theoretical work, scale-model testing, interactive computer simulation and development and manufacture of user-friendly analysis and control systems in the following business fields: naval, naval systems, shipping, offshore, engineering and fluid mechanics.

For more information and a free copy of the brochure titled "Roll-Nix—The Easy Way to Reduce Roll,"

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FIRST OF 15 FROM BETHLEHEM STEEL-Tugboats tow the first of 15 steel sections from Bethlehem Steel Corporation's Baltimore Marine Division headquartered in Sparrows Point, Md., to the Interstate 664 tunnel crossing at the Hampton Roads area of Virginia. Each of the 15 sections is 300 feet long, 90 feet wide and 42 feet deep. While en route to the construction site, the steel sections will draw 34 feet of water. Constructed at the yard, the tunnel sections utilized steel plate from the adjacent Sparrows Point plant of Bethlehem. The mile-long Hampton Roads tunnel will link the Newport News and Hampton areas with Norfolk. The mile-long submerged section of the 4.3-mile crossing will allow unobstructed passage of ships between the Chesapeake Bay and the Hampton Roads/James River areas. Completion of the crossing is scheduled for 1990. The remaining 14 tunnel sections will be transported to the construction site over a 12-month period.

For free literature giving full details on the facilities and capabilities of Bethlehem Steel Corporation, Circle 68 on Reader Service Card

### BPR 21 Dome Loaded Back Pressure Regulator Introduced By Circle Seal Controls

Circle Seal Controls recently announced the introduction of their BPR 21 Series Dome Loaded Back Pressure Regulator. This new addition is designed for precision high flow of corrosive and noncorrosive fluids with a pressure range of 25 to 6,000 psig.

The regulator limits system pressure by venting the surplus flow, maintaining back pressure processes, and functioning as an extremely accurate safety and bypass valve for equipment protection. A minimum number of moving parts increases reliability, and all BPR 21 units are 100 percent functionally tested for performance and leakage prior to shipment.

For more information and free literature on the BPR 21 Series Dome Loaded Back Pressure Regulator from Circle Seal Controls,

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### Deutsch Now Offers New Line Of Environmentally Sealed Miniature In-Line Connectors

Deutsch, Industrial Products Division, now offers a new line of environmentally sealed miniature in-line connectors. Designated the DT Series, these connectors are ideally suited to industrial and commercial applications where positive mating and environmental protection are of primary importance.

Typical applications include marine, automotive, trucking, public transportation, recreational vehicles, construction equipment, robotics, control systems, machinery, commercial aviation, broadcast video and telecommunications equipment, medical, scientific and process instrumentation, office and business equipment, plus numerous other electrical and electronic applications.

The DT Series features a lightweight, highimpact thermoplastic shell design that provides an environmental barrier to grease, dirt, dust, moisture, and corrosion. The connector can operate with either AC or DC and maintains a current rating capacity of 15 amps maximum.

For additional information and free literature on the new line of environmentally sealed miniature in-line connectors from Deutsch.

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### Waugh Wins Contract To Supply Complete Joiner System For Cruise Ship

The Waugh Co. of Jacksonville, Fla., has earned the contract to design and supply the complete joiner system, consisting of the Rockwool TNF System and the Waugh Acra-Mold one-piece acrylic bathroom module, to the M/S Aquanaut Holiday for Dive and Sail Holidays/Aquanaut Watersports, Inc.

The M/V Aquanaut Holiday, which is approximately 200 feet long, constitutes one of the larger luxury diving cruise ships in the Western Hemisphere. The vessel's luxury accommodations, including a restaurant, casino and discotheque, provide guests with comfort and service after a full day of underwater exploration, swimming, windsurfing and island safaris throughout the British Virgin Islands and vicinity. For more information and free literature.

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### Alfa-Laval Offers New 8-Page Brochure On Full Customer Services

Alfa-Laval, Inc., of Fort Lee, N.J., a world supplier of centrifuges, plate heat exchangers, and watermakers to the chemical, food, mining, marine, power, biotech and numerous other industries, now has available a new eight-nage full-color brochure

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The brochure points out that 92 percent of Alfa-Laval replacement parts can be supplied off-the-shelf and shipped within 24 hours; most certified Alfa-Laval service engineers have engineering degrees and years of on-the-job experience, plus they go through six months of rigorous in-house and field training before they go to work for any customer; and when on-site repairs just aren't feasible, the customer's Alfa-Laval equipment can be shipped to one of the company's repair centers where factory-trained repair specialists, using the most advanced tools, repair and rebuild it to original standards.

A listing of Alfa-Laval regional service centers follow. For further information and a free

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Merger Creates Sonsub —New Houston-Based Offshore Service Company

The creation of Sonsub, Inc., was recently announced as a result of the merger of subsea contractor Sonsub Services, Inc., and engineering company Diverless Systems, Inc.

The new Houston-based offshore service firm will provide advanced remotely operated work systems (AROWS), remotely operated vehicle systems (ROVS) and specialized engineering services to the offshore oil and gas industry.

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To get the most out of your investment, it is important to understand the properties of fuel and their impact on your diesel engine.

Caterpillar Inc. recently published a 40-page, color booklet, "Diesel Fuels And Your Engine," which describes the harmful effects various fuels can have on an engine and how to deal with them.

Diesel engines can run on a wide range of fuels—crude oil, blended, or residual distillate for example. But they run best on distillate fuels, cause less downtime, last longer, and are often more cost effective. But when fuel costs rise, the tendency is to turn to lower quality fuel. Usually at the expense of the engine.

The 40-page, four-color booklet provides facts on fuel selection and treatment. It offers basic, easy-tounderstand explanations of the properties of fuel, how they can affect an engine, and what steps can be taken to eliminate or minimize the problem.

The booklet discusses fuel corrosives, such as hydrogen sulphide, which is present in some crude and residual fuels. When water vapor from internal combustion mixes with the hydrogen sulphide, it forms highly corrosive sulfuric acid which can destroy valve guides, piston rings, and cylinder liners. The booklet tells what steps to take to help prevent corrosive damage.

Covered too, are such topics as fuel stability, starting characteristics, combustion chamber deposits, and various methods of fuel storage and treatment. It also lists fuel test kits, suppliers of fuel treatment plants, and various fuel-related publications.

"Diesel Fuels And Your Engine" is the second in the series of booklets to help customers achieve optimum engine service life and performance. Its co-publication, "Oil And Your Engine" (Form No. SEBD0640), deals with the functions and properties of lubricating oils. More than 150,000 copies have been sold.

Copies of both booklets are available from your Caterpillar dealer at a nominal charge. Ask for service publication Form No. SEBDO717 for the fuel book or Form No. SEB-DO640 for the oil book. Contact either the Service Training Department or the Dealer Promotion Department at your local Caterpillar dealer.

International requests should be directed to **W. J. Gardner**, Caterpillar Engine Division, P.O. Box 610, Mossville, Ill. 61552-0610.

### Ulstein Offers Free Color Brochure On High Lift Rudder

Ulstein Trading Ltd. A/S of Norway is offering a free color brochure on its high lift rudder, a result of intensive research and several years' experience in ship construction and manufacture of ships' equipment, which provides improved maneuverability and fuel economy.

According to the brochure, the Ulstein High Lift Rudder, with a bulbous leading edge, active flap and vane elements, offers superior steering ability in both towing and trawling conditions and excellent performance at high-speed ship operation.

The publication details the results of tests performed at the Norwegian Marine Research Institute which support Ulstein's claim that the company's high lift rudder's shape has less resistance as compared with other high lift rudders. Graphs showing test results are provided.

The brochure provides details on the principal specifications, technical aspects and construction of the high lift rudder. For your free copy of the Ulstein brochure,

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### Schiess-Defries Supplies LIFT-DOCK For Australia

A consortium of the Australian companies of ASI and Eglo have sent an order to Schiess-Defries GmbH, an affiliated company of the Lentjes-Group, FRG/Dusseldorf, for the supply of a ship lift of the LIFT-DOCK<sup>™</sup> design with a total lifting capacity of 9,500 metric tons.

The facility is to serve for the docking of commercial and naval vessels at Perth, Western Australia. For free literature giving full details on Schiess-Defries,

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### Kobelt's 2-Station Control System Is Simple In Design, **Durable In Construction**

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### MarAd Awards \$417,528 Contract **To Amertech**

The Maritime Administration (MarAd) has awarded a \$417,528 contract to Amertech Industries, Inc., Brooklyn, N.Y., for repairs to the training ship Empire State. The ship is used by the State University of New York's Maritime College at Fort Schuyler.

### **Port Of Portland Dedicates** \$46-Million Terminal 2 **Rehabilitation Project**

The Port of Portland recently dedicated its \$46-million Terminal 2 rehabilitation project as Oregon's State Treasurer Tony Meeker de-clared the project was "good news

for every Oregonian." The rehabilitation project has transformed Terminal 2 into a modern general and breakbulk cargo terminal. The multipurpose facility provides the Port of Portland with the flexibility to handle most types of vessels: containers, roll-on/rolloff, pass/pass, and breakbulk ships and barges.

The new construction is complete except for the one warehouse and an 85-ton-lift-capacity crane that will arrive in the fall of 1988 from South Korea, where it is being constructed by Hyundai Heavy Industries.

There were several contractors on the project, including Riedel Inter-national of Portland, and General Construction, Seattle, that worked in a joint venture on the berths, demolition, and dredging; Clearwater Construction, Portland, which handled the 18 acres of storage yard; Lorentz Brunn, Portland, administration building and entry gate; Grady Harper and Carlson, Portland, large warehouse and maintenance shed; Colamette Construction, Portland, small warehouse; and Pacific Crest Construction, Portland, dock office.

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