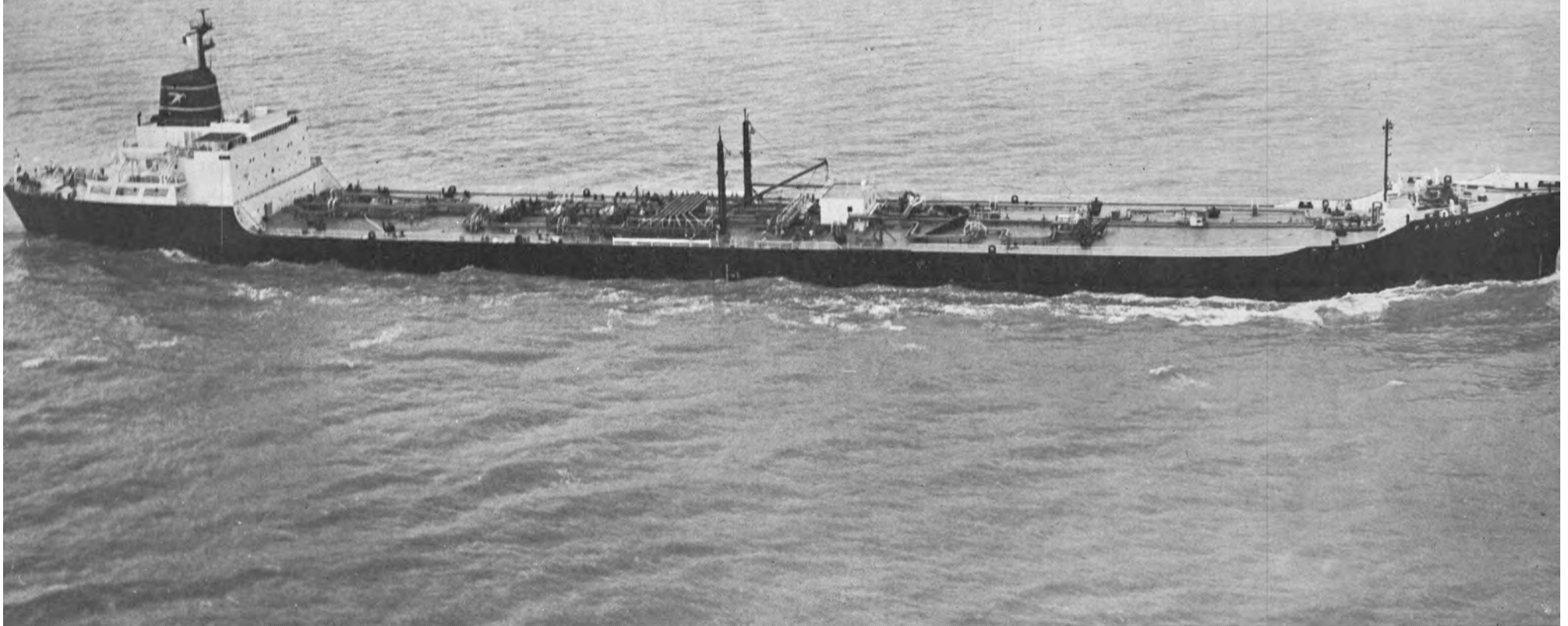


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Bouchard Transportation Co., New York, N.Y., has ordered a 100,000-bbl barge from Gretna Machine and Iron Works, Harvey, La. The vessel will measure 340 feet by 70 feet by 27 feet 6 inches and is scheduled for delivery late this summer.

Title XI Approved For Central Gulf's Ships And Barges

The Maritime Administration has approved in principle the application of Central Gulf Steamship Corporation, New Orleans, La., for Title XI insurance to assist the financing of three LASH-type vessels and approximately 600 related barges.

Corps Of Engrs. Asks Bids For Construction Of 3 Steel Oil Barges

On or about May 25, 1971, the Corps of Engineers, 2nd and Chestnut Streets, Philadelphia, Pa., will open bids for the construction of three steel oil barges. Interested bidders should refer to IFB DACW61-71-B0084.

The vessels, measuring 195 feet by 35 feet by 11 feet each, are to be delivered to the U.S. Army Engineer Service Base, St. Louis, Mo., within 180, 210 and 240 days.

NSSC Sends Particulars On Patrol Escort Ships To Nine Shipyards

Alabama Dry Dock & Shipbuilding Co., Defoe Shipbuilding Co., General Dynamics-Quincy Shipbuilding Division, Livingston Shipbuilding Co., Newport News Shipbuilding & Dry Dock Co., Peterson Builders, Inc., The American Ship Building Co., Todd Shipyards-Seattle, and Willamette Iron & Steel Co. have been sent specifications (IFB N00024-71B-0561) by the Naval Ship Systems Command, Washington, D.C., for the construction of patrol escort F-PF-108-class vessels.

Harvey Gamage Ship Building Steel Dragger For Dorothy M. O'Hara

Dorothy M. O'Hara, Inc., Rockland, Maine, has had a construction subsidy application approved by the Maritime Administration. This application in the amount of \$229,547 will aid in the construction of a steel dragger. Harvey Gamage Shipbuilders, Inc. of South Bristol, Maine, have been awarded the contract for building the vessel.



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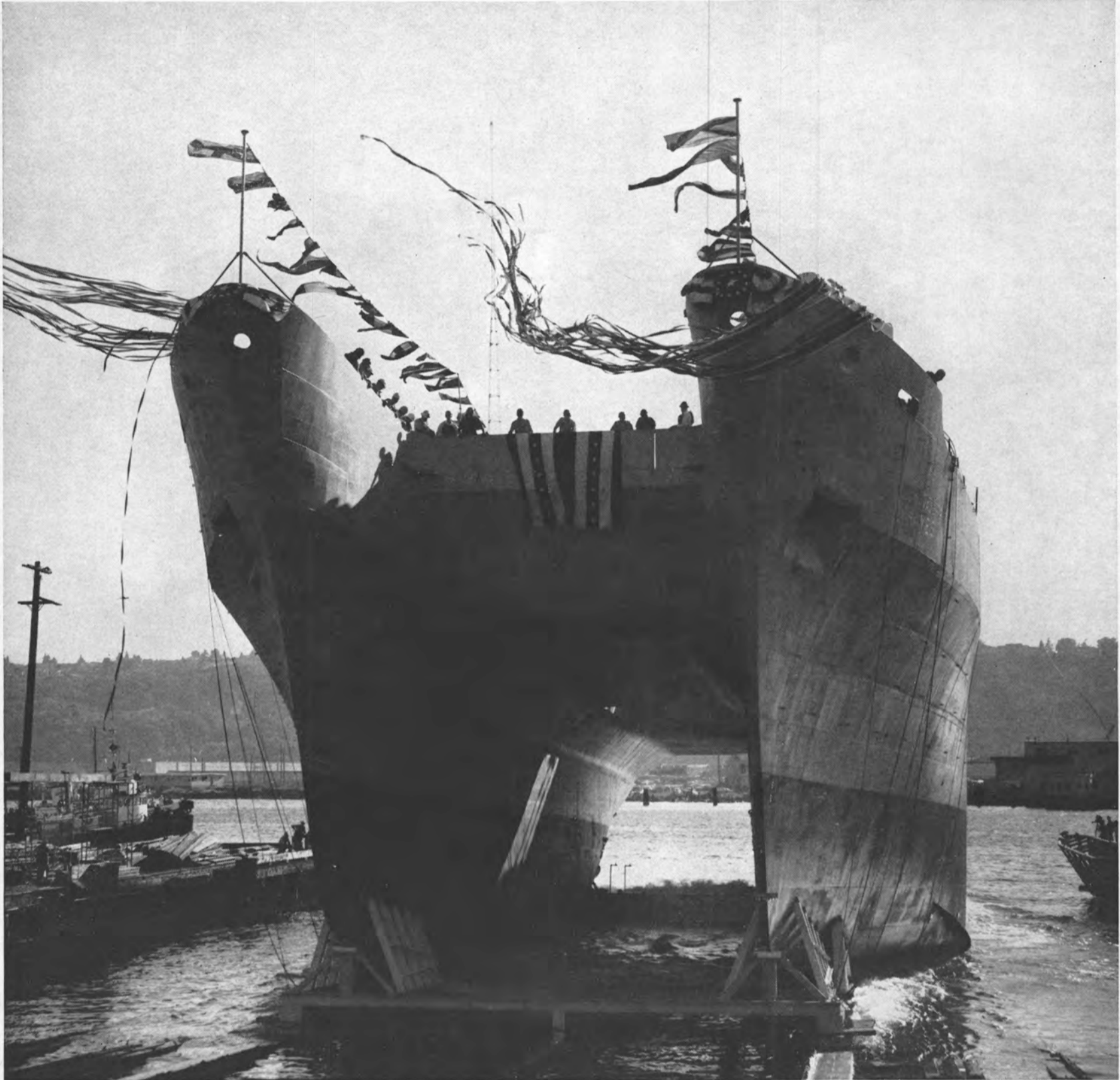
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The MV Falcon Lady, down to her load line with a full cargo of oil, is shown leaving the Port of Corpus Christi, Texas on her maiden voyage.

Largest U.S.-Built Oceangoing Diesel-Powered Ship

The MV FALCON LADY

Ingall's Designed And Built 37,276-DWT Tanker Brings Diesel Propulsion To U.S. Merchant Fleet. Two Pielstick Engines, Supplied By Colt Industries, Develop 15,000 BHP.

The largest diesel-propelled ship ever built in the United States for unrestricted ocean service, the 37,276-dwt tanker MV Falcon Lady, has entered service under long-term charter to the Military Sealift Command. The Falcon Lady is the first of four sisterships being built by Ingalls Nuclear Shipbuilding Division of Litton Industries, Inc., Pascagoula, Miss., for Falcon Tankers, Inc. of New York. The other three ships will be the Falcon Duchess, Falcon Countess and Falcon Princess.

These ships, besides having diesel propulsion, have many innovations and modern concepts that provide for efficient operation. The owners worked closely with the design divisions of Litton Industries from concept to final design and the seagoing labor unions who will man the ships (the SIU, MEBA and AMO) to provide ships that represent a breakthrough

from the traditional design but still retaining tried-and-proven marine technology.

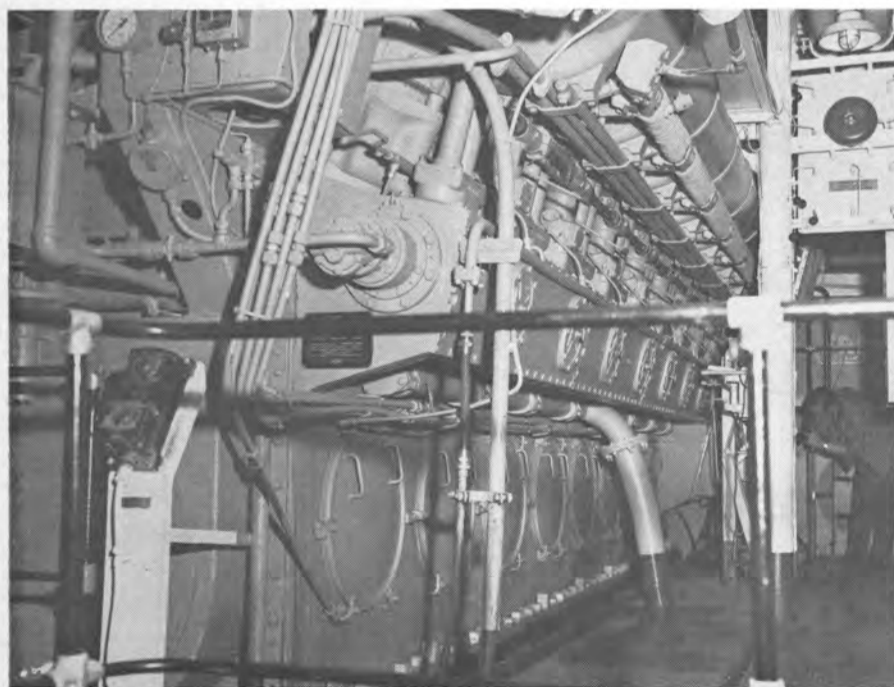
With the delivery of the Falcon Lady, Ingalls has built and delivered its 115th vessel for the merchant marine fleet. The company has constructed more than 300 ships since 1938.

The Falcon Lady is a single-deck vessel with a raked stem and square stern. The cargo section of the hull is divided into nine center tanks and six wing tanks port and starboard, giving a total capacity of 303,315 barrels.

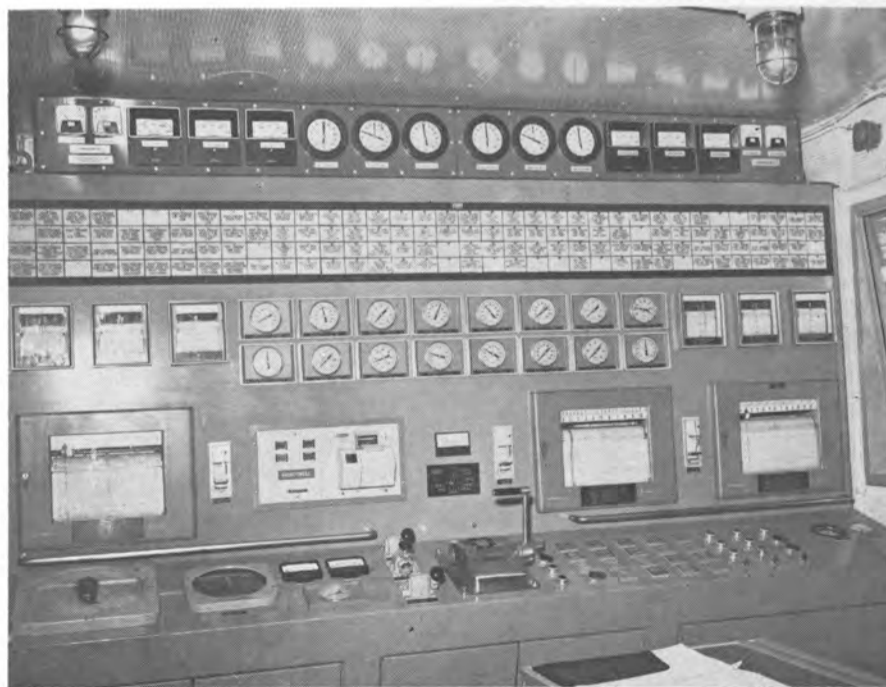
The Flume Stabilization System designed by John J. McMullen Associates, Inc. located in No. 3, 4 and 5 cargo tanks port, starboard and centerline, will keep roll motion to a minimum. Model tests indicate roll reductions of between 75 and 90 percent, depending on wave conditions.

Over 100 tankers, ranging from small 20,000-dwt feeder tankers to 254,000-dwt super-tankers, have been fitted with this system since 1963. The principal motivation for installation has been operating economy. The elimination of bilge keels and the reduction in rolling due to the Flume system decreases hull resistance. This results in a substantial increase in sustained sea speed of the vessel or a considerable reduction in fuel oil costs, not to mention the major time savings due to reduced at sea delays. With present-day cargo rates, the reduction in heavy weather delays associated with the stabilized vessel is considered a major benefit.

Each ship is being built under special survey of the American Bureau of Shipping and is classed for unrestricted ocean service. The
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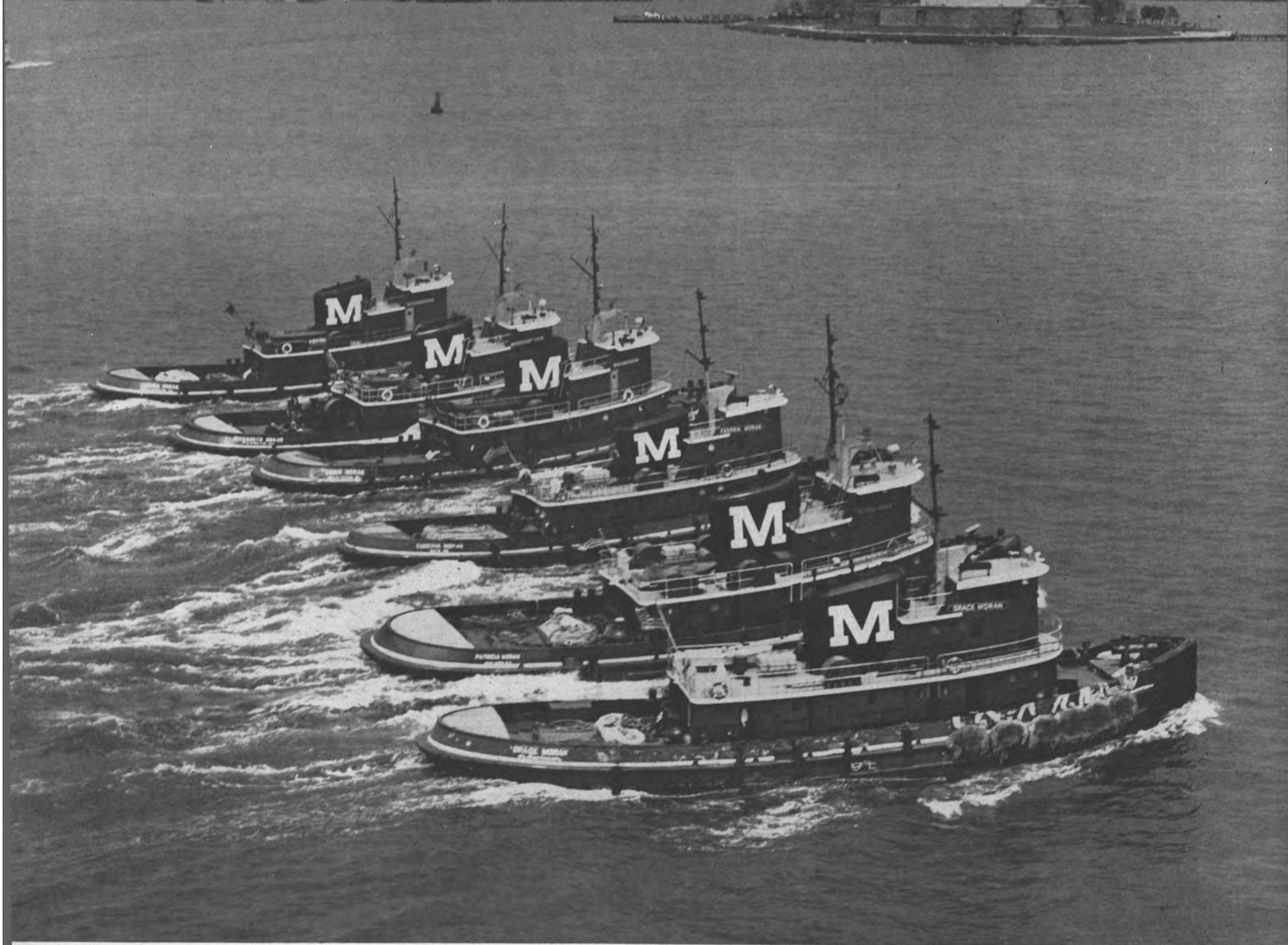


One of the two Pielstick 16PC2V, 16-cylinder engines installed on the MV Falcon Lady.



Engine control console in engine room is complete with necessary gauges and alarms.

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U.S. Coast Guard has certified the ships for one-man engine-room operation.

Further subdivision of hull provides tankage for 14,640 barrels of fuel oil and 2,500 barrels of diesel oil.

All of the cargo tanks and the cargo piping, interior and exterior, and all fixtures in the cargo tanks are coated with a Devran epoxy coating system. The entire ship, exterior and interior steel surfaces, are also coated with a Devran epoxy coating supplied by Devoe & Reynolds Co., Inc., subsidiary of Celanese Coatings Company.

PRINCIPAL CHARACTERISTICS

Length overall	672 feet 3½ inches
Length bet. perps.	638 feet 0 inches
Breadth, molded	89 feet 0 inches
Depth, molded	46 feet 9 inches
Full load keel draft	36 feet 2½ inches
Deadweight	37,276 tons
Displacement	45,877 tons
Light ship weight	8,601 tons
Gross tonnage	20,751.96 tons
Net tonnage	16,954.49 tons
Horsepower	15,000 bhp
Speed, trials	16½ knots
Fuel consumption per day	400 bbls
Crew	27

Main Propulsion

The main propulsion system consists of two SEMT Pielstick 16PC2V, "V" arrangement, 16-cylinder, reversing, turbo-charged, solid-injection, four-cycle, medium-speed marine diesel engines. Each engine is rated at 7,500 bhp at 520 rpm. The engines are designed to burn high viscosity fuel but the owner chose to burn fuel with a viscosity not in excess of 1,500 seconds Redwood viscosity.

The Pielstick Type PC medium-speed diesel engine, designed by the French firm Societe D'Etudes de Machines Thermiques, has been manufactured since 1951. It is the world's most widely used medium-speed, high-horsepower diesel engine with over 1,000 units sold. The PC2-400 series is rated at 500 bhp per cylinder at 514/520 rpm. The "V" type PC2 engines are being manufactured in the United States by the Power Systems Division of Colt Industries.

Each engine is connected to a pinion through a "Geislinger" damping flexible coupling, and a Falk marine airflex clutch, to a Falk Model 81 x 33 twin-pinion marine reduction gear. The propeller revolutions-per-minute is 111.3. One Falk shaft brake is mounted on each pinion. The stern-tube bearings are of the Simplex type, oil-lubricated, white-metal-lined bearings.

All of the moving parts are totally enclosed and pressure lubricated. The cylinder liners are splash lubricated from the moving parts.

The engine is cooled by fresh water in a closed circuit. The individual water jackets prevent any contact and corrosion between the jacket cooling water and the fabricated crankcase.

The lubricating-oil, water and fuel-supply pumps are driven by the intermediate cam-drive gears and are arranged either side of the gear train at the drive end of the engine.

The main features of this type engine are:

1. Fabricated steel frame with individual cylinder casings.
2. One-piece forged crankshaft for under-slung bearing design.
3. Side-by-side forged connecting rods.
4. Lube-oil-cooled, floating piston pins, trunk-type pistons.
5. Four-valve cylinder heads.
6. Gear-driven crankshafts and governing systems.
7. Exhaust-gas turbo-charging.

Propulsion Control

The main-propulsion control system provides for automatic, remote propulsion control from the pilot house or from the central engine room station. The direction and speed of engine rotation can be selected by positioning the maneuver control lever at either station. The sequence of events necessary to start the engine in the right direction, bring it to the required speed, and to control the clutch and shaft brake is preset and automatic. The maneuvering functions can be observed by indicator lights. Any failure in the control system is indicated by lights and by an audible alarm system.

The intermediate and interlocking devices associated with the pilot house to engine room control-station transfer and the control are installed on the control-station transfer panel and the engine selector panel which are mounted in the control-room console. The automatic maneuver control unit, which is located in the engine room on the 20-foot flat, contains the automatic sequencing controls for engine starting, reversing, and clutch and brake operations. The direct clutch and brake actuating devices are mounted on two clutch and brake control panels located adjacent to the automatic maneuver control panel and directly above the reduction gear.

Two engine-actuating panels are installed adjacent to each engine. These include devices required to apply the high-pressure 250-psi actuating supply for shifting the engine cam, and starting and stopping control functions. A pneumatic valve, mounted near the engine, provides for transferring the control either to the remote-control system or nullifying the remote-control system and energizing the local clutch and brake actuating valves. Under local



Philip Wallach

Philip Wallach, president of Colt Industries' Power Systems Division in Beloit, Wis., commenting on the delivery of the MV Falcon Lady stated: "We're proud to have engineered and furnished the prime movers for the first application of a diesel propulsion system in a U.S.-flag commercial vessel of this size and horsepower. The Falcon Lady brings the growing trend toward diesel propulsion systems in the world's maritime operations to the U.S. merchant fleet. This trend is stimulated by lower initial cost of the equipment and lower operating costs." In discussing the Pielstick engines Mr. Wallach continued, "We spent many months investigating engines and engine builders around the world before we agreed to be the licensee for this diesel power unit. We selected the Pielstick because of its outstanding experience record and the availability of a worldwide service organization. On a worldwide basis, it is the most widely used, medium-speed, high-horsepower engine with over 1,100 sold." In conclusion he stated, "We are now manufacturing the Pielstick engine and can offer the marine market the most complete horsepower range of any American diesel-engine manufacturer."

control operation, all engine functions are manually actuated at the engine and local control valves provide for selective clutch and brake control operations.

The control system receives air pressure from a separate compressor. An air dryer provides for automatic drying of the air before it enters the control system and for draining the control system. The clutch and brake air is supplied from the starting air system through a 125-psi reducing valve.

An engine-mounted speed sensor provides a feed-back signal into the automatic maneuver control unit to sequence the automatic starting, and clutch and brake control operations.

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The Falcon Lady's pilot house has engine controls located along the forward bulkhead.



View of the main deck clearly shows three of the deep-well pumps on the starboard side.

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Normally, both engines run in the same direction, and are operated from the bridge. When required, one engine can run ahead, one astern, by engaging the clutches to move the ship ahead or astern in maneuvering, operated at the local station. The remote controls were supplied by WABCO and the mountings by Honeywell.

Auxiliary Machinery

A Maxim waste-heat boiler, Model MFT 4000-32, utilizing the heat from the engines' exhaust can supply 5,000 pounds per hour of steam at 50 psi.

An Aqua-Chem flash-type evaporator, with a capacity of 8,000 gallons per day, utilizes the steam from the waste-heat boiler to provide potable and make-up fresh water.

A Foster Wheeler packaged marine boiler, Type AGP, with Monowall-Waterwall construction is installed to provide steam for tank cleaning. It is fitted with a Coen Fyr-Utilipak packaged steam-atomizing oil burner and automatic combustion controls. This boiler is rated at 70,000 pounds per hour at 600 psi.

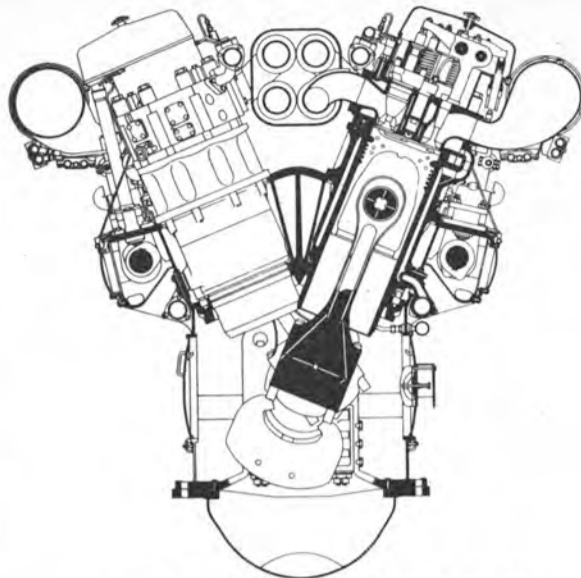
Ship's service electric power is supplied by two Caterpillar, Model-D398B, turbo-charged, air-starting, marine diesel engines, rated at 795 bhp at 1,200 rpm, driving EM-700-series, 500-kw alternators. Emergency electric power is handled by one Caterpillar, Model D334, turbo-charged, battery-starting, marine diesel engine, rated at 200 bhp at 1,800 rpm, driving an EM alternator, rated at 150 kw.

The deck machinery includes a Clarke-Chapman anchor windlass with two vertical wildcats and two vertical winch drums above deck. It is driven by a steam reciprocating engine located under the deck. The Falcon Lady is also equipped with steam-driven, automatic-tensioning mooring winches. The steering gear is of the four-ram, electro-hydraulic type.

Cargo System

The cargo system is subdivided into five groups of tanks in order to handle the split cargoes that MSC ships are required to transport. There is no central pump room—cargo pumping is handled by five deep-well pumps with the drive units mounted on the deck.

The deep-well cargo pumps, supplied by Worthington, are self-priming, three-stage, vertical turbine pumps, rated at 5,000-gpm each against a head of 334 feet when operating at 1,760 rpm. They are driven by Worthington steam turbines through Philadelphia Gear



Cross section of Pielstick 16PC2V diesel engine.

reduction gears. The drive shafts have couplings so that the pumps can be withdrawn by the ship's crew for servicing.

A Worthington, self-priming, single-stage turbine pump is installed for handling ballast. It is rated at 4,600 gpm at 1,760 rpm, against a head of 63 feet. The pump is driven by a vertical electric motor. The forward ballast tanks are served by a separate, independent system which has a submerged electric-motor-driven ballast pump.

Cargo handling is controlled from a cargo-control room in a separate deckhouse amidships. A console is provided with a mimic diagram showing all cargo piping and valves. All the major valves are remotely operated from this console. Included in the console are gages which indicate the cargo pumps' speeds, discharge pressures, cargo level, etc.

Accommodations

The owners of the Falcon Lady devoted a great deal of effort in the arrangement and outfitting of the accommodation spaces in order to provide above average quarters for the crew. In this regard, the operating unions provided worthwhile inputs to the design.

All quarters are air-conditioned by a Carrier-Transicold packaged air-conditioning plant. The staterooms, lounges and offices are fully air-conditioned with individual mechanical controls for each vent. Carrier-Transicold also supplied packaged ships stores refrigeration equipment. All the joiner bulkheads are vinyl-covered marinite. Each room has wall-to-wall carpeting. The furniture is of the hotel type with plastic tops. The concept followed in us-

ing this type of furniture was to provide more comfort for the crew. Also, the owners intend to refurbish each room every five years instead of repairing and patching existing furniture. A harmonious color scheme has been adopted to make the accommodations more "homelike."

All officers' accommodations have double beds and individual showers and toilets. The unlicensed personnel have individual state-rooms with adjoining showers and toilets.

There is an officers' lounge and a crew's lounge, each outfitted with color TV, AM/FM radio and a tape recorder.

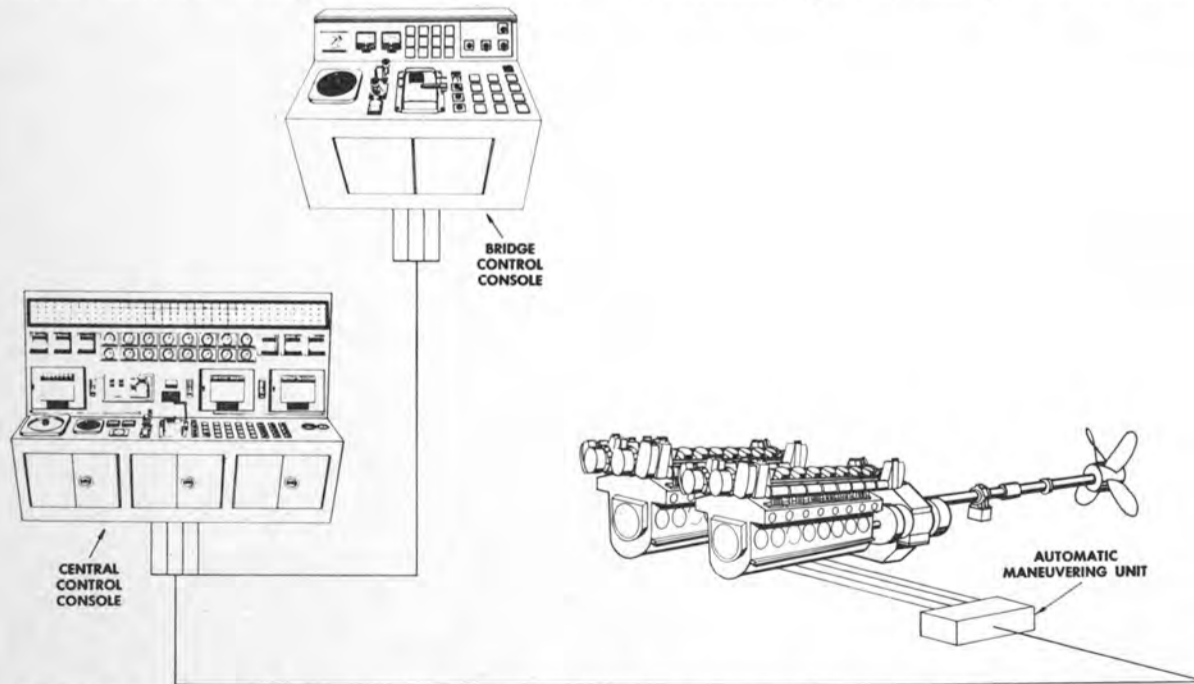
There are two separate cafeteria-style mess rooms—one for the officers and one for the crew. All hands, from the captain to the mess-boys, carry their own trays instead of being served. The food is of the pre-prepared type, assembled by the cook, heated in electronic ovens and kept warm with infrared lamps.

The commissary storage facilities consist of commercial-type reach-in freezers and refrigerators with a total capacity of 4,607 cubic feet and dry storage with a capacity for 90 days of supplies.

The pilot house and chart room are combined in one space, thus providing for full all-around vision. It is equipped with the latest navigational equipment, including radar, Loran, fathometer, auto-pilot, course recorder and radio direction finder.

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Schematic arrangement of engine control system illustrates the relationship of the bridge and engine room consoles.

API Tanker Conference To Be Held May 10-12

Subjects ranging from safety, to new and novel types of vessels for carrying petroleum, will be discussed at the 16th Annual Tanker Conference at Ponte Vedra Beach, Fla. The conference, sponsored by the American Petroleum Institute's Division of Transportation, will be held May 10-12 at the Ponte Vedra Club. The schedule of events will be as follows:

Monday, May 10—**R.E. Howe**, New York, manager of the Environmental Protection Division of the Logistics Department, Standard Oil Co. (N.J.) and chairman of the API's Central Committee on Transportation by Water, will give the opening address and present API Certificates of Appreciation to marine leaders. **R.S. Little**, vice president, and **S.G.**

Stiansen, research and development surveyor, both of the American Bureau of Shipping, New York, will make a presentation on large tanker stress measurements. **Wessel C. Brodhead**, vice president, Gulf Oil Corporation's marine department, New York, will discuss tanker safety. **Adrian S. Hooper**, president of the Interstate Oil Transport Company, Philadelphia, Pa., will talk on deepsea barges.

Tuesday, May 11—**Capt. A.F. Dickson**, director of Shell International Marine Limited, London, will discuss the single buoy mooring system. A panel discussion on salvage will have as members **Capt. E.B. Mitchell**, USN, Director of Diving, Salvage and Ocean Engineering, Washington, D.C.; **Capt. F.D. Heyward**, USCG, Chief of the Law Enforcement Division of the Coast Guard, Washington, D.C.; **Capt. S.A. Madsden**, nautical adviser to logistics, Standard Oil Co. (N.J.) New York,

and **Capt. H.J. Spicer**, fleet operations coordinator, Mobil Tankers Co. (Liberia) Limited, New York.

Wednesday, May 12—**Adm. Chester R. Bender**, U.S. Coast Guard Commandant, will discuss relations between the Coast Guard and industry. **R.J. Wheeler**, director of marine operations for Phillips Petroleum Co., Bartlesville, Okla., and **E.B. Emery II**, manager, Natural Gas Division of Marathon Oil Co., Findlay, Ohio, will address the group on operation of LNG carriers. **A.M. Lissenden**, vice president, and **P.C. Dahan**, manager, project development and design, both of Mobil Tankers Co. (Liberia) Limited, and both of New York, will present a paper on novel vessels for carrying petroleum. The final paper, which will be on the economic considerations concerned with preserving the environment, will be presented by **E.M. Hood**, president of the Shipbuilders Council of America, Washington, D.C.

Mangone Texas Yard Building Tugs For Firm In Norway



The Sea Pearl, shown above on the ways at Mangone Shipbuilding just prior to her launching, is scheduled for operation in the North Sea.

The first offshore tug and supply vessel built in this country for Bugge Supply Ship and Company A/S of Norway, was launched in March at Mangone Shipbuilding Company in Houston. The 185-foot vessel, named the Sea Pearl, is the first of two tugs being built by Mangone for the Norwegian firm. It is scheduled for completion May 15. A second vessel, also 185 feet, will be completed in June.

Both vessels being constructed by Mangone are scheduled to operate in the North Sea. **Finn Bugge**, who is a director of N.R. Bugge, said negotiations are also under way for additional vessels which will be used to serve offshore petroleum operations in the Far East.

The Sea Pearl is powered by 4,000-hp GM-EMD 645 E2 engines, which will give the vessel a speed in excess of 15 knots. The engines were supplied by Stewart and Stevenson Services, Inc. The Sea Pearl is capable of an approximate 45-ton bollard pull. It is equipped with cement tanks, towing winch, bow thruster, and anchor handling equipment. Both vessels will have the most modern navigational equipment.

Capt. John Hesselberg, marine superintendent for Bugge, said the Sea Pearl is designed and constructed to operate in seas all over the world. "The construction and outfitting of the vessel will permit the Sea Pearl to work effectively in the roughest waters in any offshore operation."

An unusual aspect of the design is the living quarters which have been constructed to meet Norwegian regulations. Cabins are single and double. Other requirements provide for additional mess hall, pantry, and laundry facilities.

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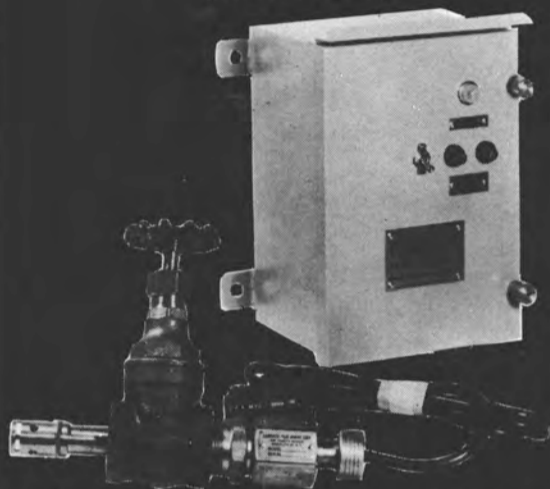
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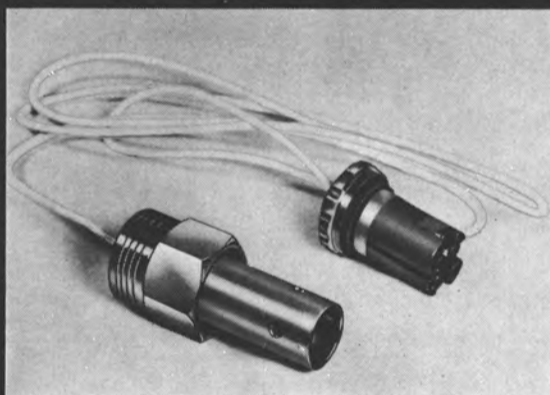
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Two Papers On Oil Pollution Presented At SNAME Chesapeake Section Meeting



Principals of the Chesapeake Section meeting are shown above. Five authors seated left to right are: Cmdr. **W.E. Lehr**, USCG; **E. Scott Dillon**, U.S. Maritime Administration; **W.T. Lindernmuth**, Hydronautics, Inc.; Cmdr. **R.N. Abrahams**, USCG, and **E.R. Miller**, Hydronautics, Inc. Shown left to right standing: **F. Ebel**, U.S. Maritime Administration, moderator; **J.J. Henry**, J.J. Henry Company, Inc., past president of SNAME; Capt. **D. Starr Jr.**, USCG, moderator; Rear Adm. **R.C. Gooding**, USN, Naval Ship Systems Command, and **P. Eisenberg**, Hydronautics, Inc., chairman of the Chesapeake Section.

Over 130 members and guests attended the March 17 meeting of the Chesapeake Section of The Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers during which two papers on oil pollution were presented.

The scene of this meeting was the Officer's Club of the U.S. Naval Medical Center in Bethesda, Md. Included among the guests were **J.J. Henry**, president of J.J. Henry Company, Inc. and past president of SNAME, and Rear Adm. **R.C. Gooding**, USN, of the Naval Ship Systems Command.

The first paper was presented by its author **E. Scott Dillon** of the Maritime Administration. Titled "Ship Design Aspects of Oil Pollution Abatement," the paper presented an overview of measures which can be taken in basic designs of ships to facilitate elimination of intentional oil discharges and minimize accidental oil spills in event of collision or stranding. It also discussed the economic impacts of alternative solutions for coping with oily ballast and oily wash water disposal, as well as the various tanker compartmentations and their contribution to the reduction of probable oil outflow in the event of collision or grounding inquiry. In his paper the author finds that certain arrangements yield dual benefits of protection against accidental spills, as well as clean ballast capacity to partially or completely eliminate the oily water disposal problem.

Comments on this paper, which was moderated by **F. Ebel** of the Maritime Administration, were given by **H. Benford** of the University of Michigan; Capt. **R. Price**, USCG; **J.J. Henry** of J.J. Henry Company, Inc.; **W. Gray** of Esso International, and **T. Wilkinson** of the Trinidad Corporation.

The second paper, titled "Experimental Procedures Used in the Development of Oil Retention Boom Designs," was authored by

E.R. Miller and **W.T. Lindernmuth**, both of Hydronautics, Inc., and Comdr. **W.E. Lehr** and Comdr. **R.N. Abrahams** of the U.S. Coast Guard. In this paper, the experimental procedures used in the development of oil retention boom design criteria are presented in detail. Emphasis is placed on the procedures used to determine the oil containment ability and structural loads on the boom as a function of environmental conditions. The critical scaling parameters for oil containment tests are presented, and the test procedures which have been developed are described. The paper notes that while tests to determine structural loads can be conducted using standard ship towing tank procedures, there are uncertainties with respect to some parameters. Thus, full scale trial results are required, and the paper presents the procedures and current plans to obtain full scale data.

Capt. **D. Starr Jr.**, USCG, acted as moderator during the presentation of the second paper.

Penn Navigation Asks Construction Subsidy For 2 Planned OBOs

Application for a construction subsidy in connection with two planned 160,000-dwt ore/bulk/oil carriers has been filed with the Maritime Administration by Penn Navigation Co., a subsidiary of U.S. Industries. The estimated total cost for the ships is \$82 million. Each vessel would be 998 feet long, with a 143-foot beam and a 57-foot draft.

The company stated that one vessel could be delivered early in 1974 and the other late in that year, but it declined to name the yard with which it is negotiating for construction of the OBOs. The delivery dates, however, depend on how fast MarAd acts on the application.

Penn Navigation will use the ships in worldwide trading.

Equitable Awarded \$27 Million For 246 Lykes Barges

Officials of Lykes Bros. Steamship Co., Inc. of New Orleans, La., have announced the award of a \$27,000,000 contract to another New Orleans firm, Equitable Equipment Co., Inc., for the construction of 246 barges for service with Lykes' new barge and intermodal Seabee Class cargo transports. The announcement was made shortly after Lykes and Equitable officials signed the necessary documents in Equitable's conference room on France Road. **Cecil Keeney**, president of Equitable, penned his signature to the contract, and Lykes officials signing were **Joseph T. Lykes Jr.**, chairman of the board of directors, and **Solon B. Turman**, chairman of the executive committee.

The barges are to be fabricated and constructed at Equitable's New Orleans shipyard on the Industrial Canal, and at its second shipyard in Madisonville, La. In New Orleans the vessels are to be built under cover, and at the peak of production, 16 barges a month will be delivered. Mr. **Keeney** said the Lykes contract will make possible the employment of an additional 1,000 shipyard workmen during the term of the contract, thus easing the unemployment situation in New Orleans and providing for long-term employment of highly-paid skilled craftsmen.

Mr. **Lykes** said the Lykes staff was extremely pleased that the responsive bid from Equitable made it possible to accept their proposal for the huge barge-building program. "As a Louisiana corporation domiciled in New Orleans," he said, "we have a keen interest in doing business with other New Orleans companies whenever this is economically possible."

The highly-sophisticated Seabee barge units are slated for a vital role in the operation of Lykes' revolutionary Seabee system between its terminals on the U.S. Gulf and terminals in the United Kingdom and Continental Europe. The service is to be inaugurated in January 1972.

First of the barges, a prototype, is now nearing completion at Equitable's New Orleans shipyard, and it and one other barge is to be delivered to the Quincy, Mass., shipyard of General Dynamics Corporation on or before June 1, for use in testing the loading and discharge facilities of Lykes' new Seabees now under construction at Quincy.

The Seabees, the largest common carriers ever built for the American merchant marine, and the Seabee barges, were designed by the naval architectural firm of J.J. Henry Company, Inc., New York, N.Y. The Seabees are 875 feet long—the equivalent of three city blocks—and 106 feet wide. Designed with a top speed of 22 knots, they can transport 24,500 long tons of cargo in 1,900,000

cubic feet of cargo space, and they will have a heavy lift capacity of 2,000 tons. Each Lykes Seabee can transport 38 fully-loaded barges, or 1,800 containers, or vehicles on three-and-a-half miles of single-laned highway on three decks that run unobstructed the length of each ship, or any combination of these cargoes, including liquids in tanks, unitized cargoes, or break-bulk cargoes.

The Seabee barges to be built by Equitable are also huge when compared with other ship-carrying barges now in operation or planned for operation. Seabee barge units are 97½ feet long and 35 feet wide, have a bale capacity of 40,000 cubic feet and can load 850 long tons of cargo, while other barge units are only 61 feet long and have only 19,900 bale cubic feet of stowage space.

Equitable, one of the world's largest builders of marine equipment, will use its new \$1,000,000 semi-automated blast and paint facility at its New Orleans shipyard in blasting and painting the new Lykes Seabee barges. This is the only one of its size, type, and capability in the U.S. shipbuilding industry. The new facility is capable of blasting steel surfaces to any desired surface preparation and applying the most sophisticated coating systems that may be required. The Lykes barge surfaces will all be specially coated.

First of the three Lykes Seabees, the S/S Doctor Lykes, is scheduled to be launched in July and will enter service in January, followed in April by the S/S Almeria Lykes, and the S/S Tillie Lykes in July. Together they will provide a sailing from the U.S. Gulf every 10 days.

The new Lykes Seabee system will link two of the world's greatest waterway systems, the Mississippi and the Rhine. New Orleans-built Seabee barge units may be loaded anywhere on the Mississippi and its tributaries, loaded aboard the Seabee transport in the Gulf and transported across the Atlantic where the operation is reversed as the barges are discharged at terminal areas and sent deep into the interior of Europe via the Rhine and its connecting canals and rivers.

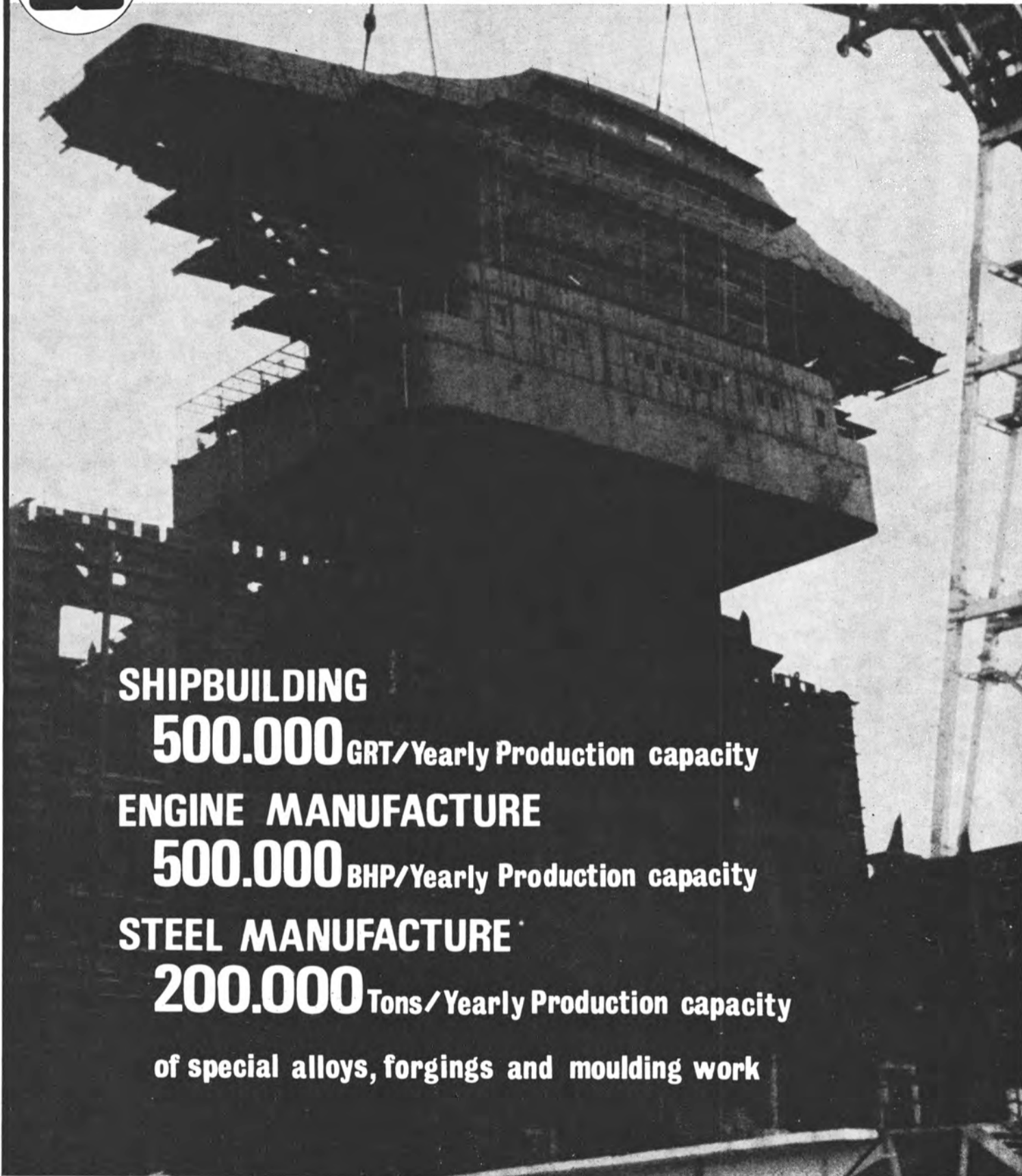
Corrosion Dynamics Names Distributor In Jacksonville, Fla.

Corrosion Dynamics, Inc., of Roselle, N.J., has announced the appointment of Ships Supply Inc., 812 Hendricks Avenue, Jacksonville, Fla., to be the exclusive distributors in that area for Arnissen Chipping Hammers and high performance Deck Scalers.

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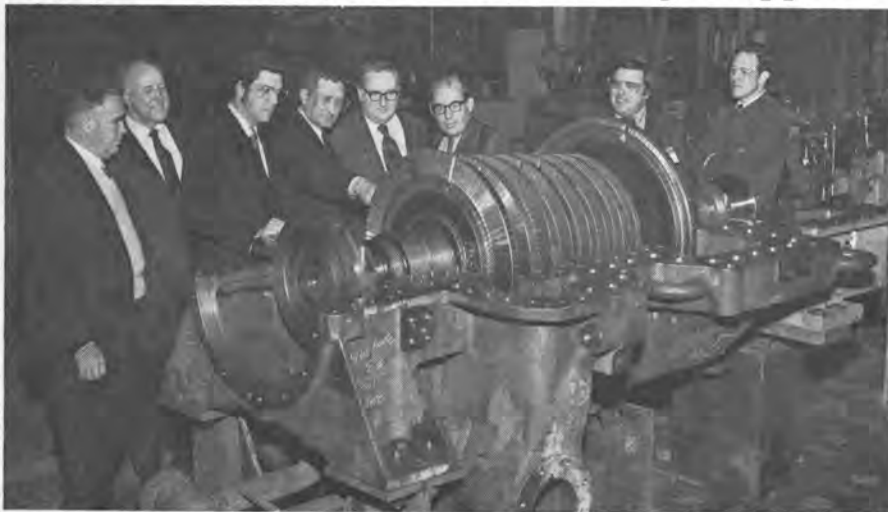
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Lykes Officials See Manufacture Of GE Propulsion Equipment For Sea Barge Clippers



From left, looking at high-pressure turbine, are: **W.S. Henry**, of the naval architectural firm of J.J. Henry Co., Inc., designers of the sea barge clippers; **H.S. Ryder**, General Dynamics Quincy Shipbuilding Division; **W.D. Thomas**, naval architect; **Fred Eisenbiegler**, General Electric MT&GD marketing; **R.S. Campbell**, Lykes resident inspector at Quincy; **S.W. Thayer**, Lykes vice president engineering; **H.F. Oleaga**, Lykes engineering, and **F.W. Mitchell**, of GE's M&DFS New Orleans office.

Officials of Lykes Bros. Steamship Co., Inc., New Orleans, La., toured General Electric's marine turbine and gear department in Lynn, Mass., recently, where they saw geared marine steam propulsion equipment taking final shape for three Lykes barge-carrying cargo ships. Accompanying them were representatives of the Quincy Division of General Dynamics, which is building the sea barge clippers. Heading the group from Lykes was vice president of engineering **S.W. Thayer**.

The marine turbine and gear department is supplying the geared steam turbine power plant of 36,

000 horsepower for each of the three ships. The ships will be capable of speeds of 20 knots or better, and are scheduled to start entering service in 1972.

Being built in General Dynamics' Quincy, Mass., yards, the sea barge clippers are 875 feet long and 106 feet wide. They will carry either 38 fully-loaded barges, or more than 1,800 containers.

General Electric's MST-14 non-reheat type propulsion equipment will power the ships. Some 50 of these proven marine propulsion units are already being supplied by the company.

Mechanical Marine Appoints Coleman Marketing Manager



Daniel Coleman

Mechanical Marine Company, Inc. has announced the appointment of **Daniel Coleman** to the new position of marketing manager. He is based at the company plant in Elizabeth, N.J.

Mr. Coleman, a graduate of the Merchant Marine Academy at Kings Point, N.Y., brings to this new position more than 20 years of varied industrial sales and marketing experience. He will direct

marketing plans for the line of marine products, including valves, strainers, ullage plates, and marine equipment related to liquid cargo handling for the marine industry.

Mechanical Marine Company, Inc. was recently acquired by Hayward Manufacturing Company, Inc. of Elizabeth, N.J., a prominent manufacturer of fluid control equipment. Mr. Coleman is also marketing manager for Hayward's industrial products.

Matson Promotes Christopher Kane

Matson Navigation Company has promoted **Christopher A. Kane** to manager of market development for the Hawaii intermodal freight container service, it was announced by **Eugene R. Swanson**, general sales manager.

Mr. Kane started with Matson in San Francisco in 1966, and later served in Matson's Los Angeles and Washington, D.C. offices. He has been market development representative at San Francisco headquarters since September.

SNAME Pacific NW Section Hears Paper On Inspection Of Gears For Wear



Members and guests who participated in the program are shown, left to right: **Henry A. Schwartz**, chief mechanical engineer of Gear Works, Seattle, who authored and presented a paper entitled "Inspection of Gears for Wear"; **Adam Heineman**, assistant director, Port of Portland, guest speaker; **Paul Diehl**, of Diehl and Lundgaard, discussor; **George Salisbury**, secretary-treasurer, Pacific Northwest Section; **John Cauduro**, chairman Columbia River Area, and **Lou D. Chirillo**, vice chairman, Pacific Northwest Section.

One of man's oldest inventions was the topic of a paper presented to members and guests of the Pacific Northwest Section of The Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers gathered for their regular meeting on March 26, 1971, in Portland, Ore.

Prior to presenting a paper entitled "Inspection of Gears for Wear," **Henry A. Schwartz**, chief mechanical engineer at Gear Works, Seattle Division of Mantel Gear, gave a brief history of gears dating back to 3,000 years B.C., and a showing of various slides depicting primitive gearing arrangements.

Mr. Schwartz's paper dealt mostly with marine gears, noting that they are some of the largest gears made, and operate at tremendous horsepower, both smoothly and whisper-quiet. Defining the word "gear," Mr. Schwartz explained that in reality, a gear is a series of cams, which means it has both rolling and sliding on the surfaces that are in contact. The cam, or involute curve, is expected to give uniform motion with little or no

loss of power.

Concluding his paper, Mr. Schwartz emphasized the importance of using the proper grade and quantity of lubricant, and liaison between engineering, manufacturing, assembly and installation to present a gear box capable of carrying necessary loads for satisfactory service.

Formal discussion by **Paul H. Diehl**, of Diehl and Lundgaard, was generally in agreement with Mr. Schwartz's paper and Mr. Diehl believed greater attention should be given at time of gear inspection, stating that once the tooth material has pitted or worn away, it cannot be put back on.

Following the presentation and discussion of the evening's paper, **John Kohler**, secretary-treasurer, Columbia River Area, introduced the evening's guest speaker, **Adam Heineman**, assistant director, Port of Portland. Mr. Heineman spoke of a recent merger between the Port of Portland and the Dock Commission, to enable better competition for current and future business.



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United States Lines Appoints Roger Nicolini

The appointment of **Roger Nicolini** as manager of corporate administration of the United States Lines has been announced by **John G. Baka**, vice president, management services, for the company.

Mr. Nicolini obtained his elementary education in Port Jefferson, Long Island, N.Y., until his

family moved to Germany. He completed his pre-college courses at the Herder Paedagogium High School in Dusseldorf, and was graduated from the Otto Kuehne College in Bad Godesberg in 1961. He joined the company in Germany the same spring and for several years divided his time between documentation of freight shipments in Bremen and cargo handling and the scheduling of com-

pany vessels at the ports of Bremen and Hamburg.

Mr. Nicolini was transferred to the New York office four years ago as a special assistant to the vice president of freight traffic, and most recently was administrative assistant to the president of the company before being promoted to his new position.

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Marconi International Appoints John Older



John Older

The Marconi International Marine Co., Ltd., announces the appointment of **John Older** as its representative in North America. He succeeds **David Bowker** who is returning to the United Kingdom on leave before taking up another assignment.

Born in London, Mr. Older was educated at the Royal Grammar School, Colchester. He joined the seagoing radio officer staff of Marconi Marine in 1956 and served on a variety of vessels until 1964, when he was appointed to the staff at Hull Depot as a marine technical assistant.

During his 18-month stay at Hull Depot, Mr. Older gained invaluable practical administrative experience of the company's equipment and affairs. The following five years he used his knowledge to good effect while serving at various company depots both at home and overseas.

Mr. Older's last appointment was as the company's representative in Nigeria. He recently spent two months at Chelmsford preparing for his new position in the United States.

New York Firm Orders 262,000-Dwt Tanker From Sumitomo Yard

Sumitomo Shipbuilding and Machinery Co., Ltd., has received an order for a 262,000-dwt tanker from Charter Tankers Inc., a subsidiary of Fairfield Maxwell Ltd., 866 Third Avenue, New York, N.Y.

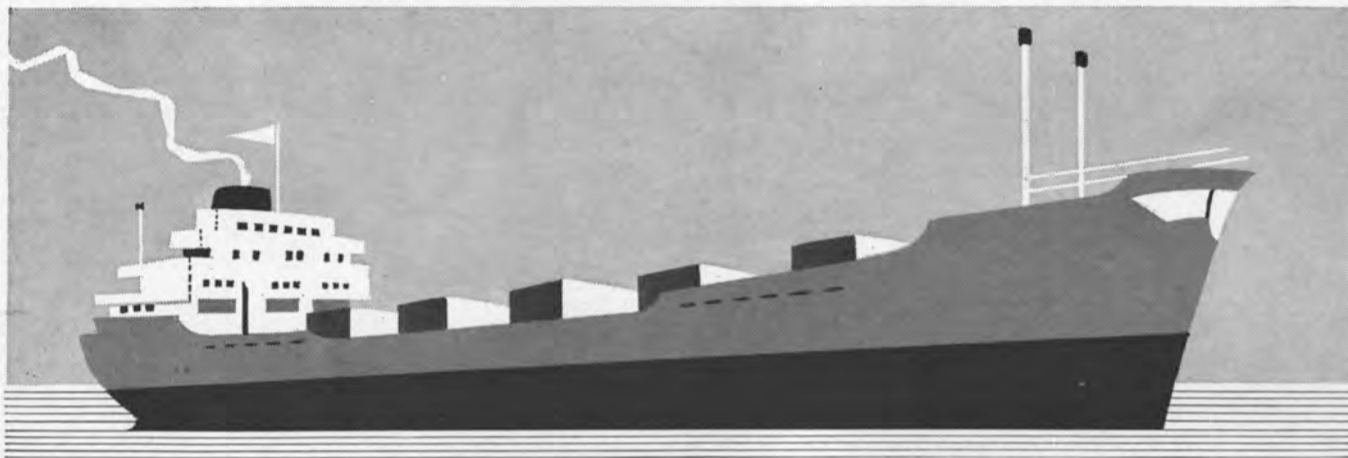
The vessel will be about 1,095 feet long, with a 179-foot beam, and a 69-foot draft. She is scheduled to be delivered in July 1974, and will have a 16.5-knot operating speed.

USS Names Ranson General Manager Of Lake Shipping

William R. Ranson has been named general manager of lake shipping for United States Steel Corp., it was announced by **C.F. Beukema**, vice president, ore, limestone and lake shipping.

Mr. Ranson, who previously served U.S. Steel as manager of operations of lake shipping, succeeds Capt. J.J. Parrilla, who has retired.

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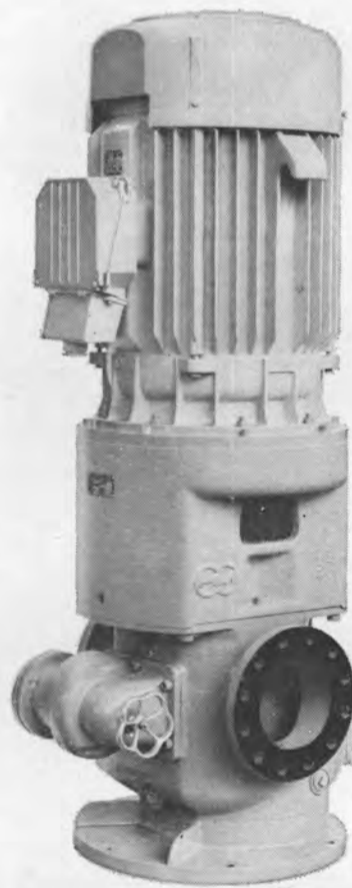
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SNAME Spring Meeting Program

The Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers has announced the program for the 1971 "Oceanics Hawaii" Spring Meeting to be held in Honolulu, Hawaii, on May 26 through 28. The meeting, which is being hosted by the Hawaii Section of the Society, will be held in the Princess Kaiulani Hotel, 120 Kaiulani Avenue.

All technical sessions will be held in the Likelike Room of the Princess Kaiulani Hotel so that members will have the opportunity to hear the presentation and discussion of each paper. In addition, a technical field trip and an enjoyable social program have been arranged.

The meeting will start at 9 a.m. on Wednesday, May 26, with the Welcome and President's Report, followed by the presentation of technical papers Nos. 1 and 2. After lunch, papers Nos. 3, 4 and 5 will be read. Papers Nos. 6, 7, 8 and 9 will be presented on Thursday morning, and papers Nos. 10, 11 and 12 on Friday morning.

Technical Papers

Paper No. 1. "Problems of Ocean Platforms" by **M. St. Denis** and **E. Allmendinger**.

Synopsis—Ocean platforms are subject to greater perils and experience more problems with fewer solutions than ships. The paper covers only nautical problems, including: the prediction of the environment of sea, wind and currents; proper stability; minimization of drag; course-keeping ability of towed platforms; dynamical positioning of autonomous platforms; provision of adequate seakeepability; primary strength of hull; danger of dynamic response of the legs of jack-up platforms; plastic collapse under impact loading; and dynamic stress in drill string and riser of drilling platforms. Projections are made as to future missions for ocean platforms and new problems likely to be encountered.

Paper No. 2. "Seakeeping Characteristics of a Multi-Unit Ocean Platform" by **M.K. Ochi** and **R.M. Vuolo**.

Synopsis—This paper presents results of a study that theoretically predicts seakeeping characteristics such as motions, hydrodynamic forces and moments of a floating multi-unit ocean platform by solving the equations of motion in waves. The platform consists of elements of relatively small size supported by vertical columns (floats). The equations of motion of a platform having six degrees of freedom in oblique seas are discussed as are the design forces required to join element platforms at their edges. As an example of practical application, computations were carried out on a multi-unit platform. Effects of varying the float's waterplane area, depth, and configuration are discussed.

Paper No. 3. "The Design and Operation of a Prototype Deep-Ocean Mining Ship" by **R. Kaufman** and **J.P. Latimer**.

Synopsis—The paper describes in detail the design features of a prototype deep-ocean marine mineral mining dredge, R/V Deepsea Miner. This ship, the first of its kind, is a converted C1-M-AV1 machinery aft motor vessel and is equipped to dredge manganese nodules from depths to 3,000 feet in an actual marine ocean environment. Test data and results from a 30-day operation on the Blake Plateau in the summer of 1970 are presented. The effective-

ness of air-lift pumping utilizing large diameter conduit associated with long pipe runs, under three phase flow conditions, is discussed.

Paper No. 4. "Fishing Vessel Development" by **D.J. Doust**.

Synopsis—The paper describes the development of fishing vessels over the past 15 years, including the transition from side to stern trawling. Various designs evolved are discussed in detail, together with some recent designs incorporating radical departure from existing practice. A new system of propulsion "YPASS" is presented which provides a material improvement in towing capability and improved steering qualities. Noise and vibration considerations are enumerated, and it is shown that with the new system of propulsion "YPASS" fitted, the noise levels emanating from a fishing vessel can be significantly reduced compared with a conventional exposed propeller system.

Paper No. 5. "The Construction Assistance Vehicle (CAV), an Underwater Pickup Truck" by **S. Halpern** and **S.A. Black**.

Synopsis—The Construction Assistance Vehicle (CAV) is a free-flooding, electro-hydraulically powered "wet" submersible. It is an experimental craft designed to provide free-swimming SCUBA divers with an "underwater pickup truck" capable of delivering up to 2,000 pounds of wet-weight cargo, equipment and divers to and from underwater construction sites. It has been designed to be simple, reliable, and uses only commercially available components. The CAV was completed in October 1970, and testing and evaluation began in November 1970 at the Naval Civil Engineering Laboratory, Port Heuneme, Calif. The design of the CAV is described and discussed.

Paper No. 6. "An Underwater Buoyancy Transport Vehicle (BTV)" by **N.B. Estabrook** and **A.T. Strickland**.

Synopsis—This paper describes the development of the Buoyancy Transport Vehicle, a diver-operated undersea vehicle capable of lifting and transporting loads up to 1,000 pounds at ocean depths to 850 feet. This underwater "forklift" was designed and built to alleviate many of the difficulties experienced by working divers during underwater operations. Results from shallow water testing of the BTV, both in Hawaii and California, have demonstrated its value as a tool for the working diver. Additionally, information gained through experience with its many subsystems, such as hydraulic propulsion, monopropellant gas generation, and pressurized electronics, has provided significant inputs into the design of future undersea systems.

Paper No. 7. "Propulsion and Maneuvering Systems for Deep Submersibles" by **R.W. Peach** and **F.C. Munchmeyer**.

Synopsis—This paper relates to propulsion, maneuvering, trimming and ballasting systems for deep submersibles. It describes the purposes of these systems and the characteristics of those used on a range of submersibles, including Trieste II, Aluminaut, and the series of Deepstar, Star and Pisces vehicles. Recent deep submersibles are taken as a basis for systems design analyses. In order to yield optimum vehicle performance, these designs employ unique concepts. Present and future capabilities are presented, with emphasis on a

omni-directional thruster called Varivec, a combined trim and ballast system, and a gas deballasting system.

Paper No. 8. "Analysis of Jet Propulsion for Deep Submergence Vessels" by **T.P. Torda** and **D.W. Kos**.

Synopsis—Analytical work is presented on flow control by suction and blowing as it applies to submerged vessels. Distributed surface suction and suction through slots are included, but emphasis is placed on flow control by blowing through wall jets and slots in turbulent flow regimes. Drag reduction and increase of overall efficiency are aims of the analytical work. Deep submergence vessels of various types operate in greatly different Reynolds number regimes. For some types of vessels and some missions, maintenance of laminar flow over most of the body, as well as reduction of the wake, would be beneficial. For other submersibles which operate in turbulent regimes, prevention of turbulent separation as well as wake reduction would be appropriate.

Paper No. 9. "Lightweight Syntactic Foam as Buoyancy Material for a 20,000-Ft Deep-Sea Vehicle" by **H. Bernstein** and **M. Krenzke**.

Synopsis—Present investigations of syntactic foam (hollow glass microspheres dispersed in a resin matrix) are the result of extensive tradeoff studies of candidate buoyancy systems for a small manned vehicle capable of operating to ocean depths of 20,000 feet. Fine and coarse microspheres manufactured specifically for this purpose were combined with various resin systems to produce experimental foams. These were then subjected to extensive testing. Results indicate that this approach should reduce the present density of 42 lb/ft³ to at least 34 lb/ft³, with a saving of more than 30 percent in vehicle weight. Successful completion of this development will dramatically improve the performance of deepsea vehicles.

Paper No. 10. "Rapid Analysis of Marine Structures" by **P.Y. Chang** and **W.D. Pilkey**.

Synopsis—The line-solution technique for the static, stability, and dynamic analysis of an array of marine structures is described. This approach differs from classical techniques in the efficiency of the method used in eliminating unknowns. The number of unknowns, and hence the size of a matrix to be manipulated does not increase with the complexity of the structure. As a result of its speed, even for dynamic responses, a line-solution analysis is suitable in design, optimization, and sensitivity schemes. The generality of the method permits its application to the analysis of more realistic models of marine structures than has been possible previously. The technique is demonstrated by application to grillages, submarine piping systems, submerged piles, whole hulls of surface ships and submersibles, rotating shafts, all-tensile membrane underwater habitats, and thin shells.

Paper No. 11. "The Design of Thick-Walled Unstiffened Cylinders Subjected to Uniform External Pressure" by **S.R. Heller Jr.**

Synopsis—The available technical literature dealing with the biaxial and triaxial stress in closed, unstiffened cylinder under uniform external pressure is evaluated. Only those formulations which have been confirmed experimentally are recommended for use in design. Similar treatment is given to a clamped circular plate under combined lateral and radial loading. The recommended formulations are then combined into a step-by-step design procedure which is demonstrated by a numerical example. Also included are sets of curves to ease the numerical work of design.

Paper No. 12. "Structural Analysis of Deep Submergence Pressure Hulls" by **L.N. Gifford Jr.** and **R.F. Jones Jr.**

Synopsis—Computers have enabled the finite

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element method of structural analysis to become widely known and accepted for solving structural problems of extreme complexity. The application of this method to the analysis of deep submersible vehicles is discussed. Included are deep submersible structures comprised of different materials and structures employing anisotropic materials, requiring study in the inelastic range, exhibiting non-linear geometric behavior, affected by fabrication imperfections or material flaws, and having joints or mating faces along which contact, gap, or relative slip may occur. Also included are remarks pertinent to finite element computer programs, automated preparation of input data and graphical display of computed results.

Technical Field Trip

On Friday, May 28, at 12 noon there will be a field trip to the Oceanic Institute to view a live demonstration of their "Man in the Sea" project and other technical aspects of modern marine experiments conducted in Hawaii. The ladies, who will join the men for this trip, will tour the adjacent Sea Life Park. Luncheon will be served for all upon arrival at the park.

Social Events

Early Bird Aloha Reception—Although the technical program does not commence until Wednesday morning, all registrants and their ladies are invited to gather in the Robert Louis Stevenson Room of the Princess Kaiulani Hotel at 6 p.m. Tuesday, May 25, for a get acquainted "no host" Early Bird Aloha Reception.

Men's Luncheon—All registrants are invited to attend the Men's Luncheon on Wednesday, May 26, at 12 noon in the Cleghorn Room of the Princess Kaiulani Hotel. Dr. John P. Craven, dean of the marine programs at the University of Hawaii and the state of Hawaii's executive director for marine affairs, will speak on "The Naval Architect and the Design of Cities on the Sea."

Ladies' Paradise Park Tour, Luncheon and Fashion Show—Promptly at 9:45 a.m. on Wednesday, May 26, the ladies will depart by bus for a morning at Paradise Park, a lush tropical bird aviary unique to the Islands. Time will be spent touring the park and lunching in the Polynesian Dining Room. During luncheon there will be a fashion show of Hawaiian and Polynesian attire. Door prizes will be given.

President's Reception—SNAME President Daniel D. Strohmeier will be host to all registrants and their ladies at this social event on Wednesday, May 26, from 6 to 7:30 p.m. in the Second Floor Tower Lobby of the Princess Kaiulani Hotel. Beverages and hors d'oeuvres will be served.

Luau Banquet—The closing event of the 1971 Spring Meeting will be a traditional Hawaiian Luau (banquet). It will be held on the terrace overlooking Waikiki beach at the Royal Hawaiian Hotel. Registrants and their ladies will gather for this affair at 6:30 p.m. on Friday, May 28. This promises to be a most enjoyable evening and, as the sun sets over Waikiki, a majestic finale to the meeting.

The steering committee for the 1971 "Oceanics Hawaii" Spring Meeting, under the chairmanship of Ian M. Smith, consists of the following: papers, Manley St. Denis, chairman, assisted by Guy W. Slaughter; finance, Frederick C. Munchmeyer, chairman, and Suet Hayashida; technical sessions, E. Alvey Wright; hotel arrangements, Ken Yee; budget, Roy W. Ahrens and Michael D. Farmer; transportation and field trips, J. Grant O'Donnell; social activities, Theodore M. Otero; publicity, Dale T. Trenhaile; printing and publications, Harry C. Lewis; liaison, Hugh W. Kaiser; at large, Herman Hastrup, and registration, Clinton W. Kreitner.

Pine Tree Engineering New Rice Barton Subsidiary

The entire assets of Pine Tree Engineering, Brunswick, Maine, have been acquired by Rice Barton Corporation, leading designer and manufacturer of papermaking machinery and accessories, it was announced jointly by Winship B. Moody Sr., president of Rice Barton, and Roger M. Luke, president of Pine Tree Engineering.

Established in 1968, Pine Tree Engineering is a Maine corporation which provides engineering and services for marine on-deck equipment, such as winches, windlasses, and steering gear for ships. Now a subsidiary division of Rice Barton, Pine Tree Engineering has recorded a profit each year since its incorporation and has been responsible for sales of equipment in excess of \$3,000,000.

Mr. Moody, commenting on the new acquisition, stated: "With the current emphasis on increased expenditures for military and non-military vessels and combined engineering, purchasing, and production capabilities available due to our merger, we believe this joint effort will contribute greatly to our corporate growth and profit." Under the new arrangement, Mr. Luke, president of Pine Tree Engineering, and Matthew R. Fandetti, vice president, engineering, will continue to serve in those capacities. Mr. Moody becomes chairman of the board and chief executive officer; Ted Bova, Rice Barton, becomes vice president, sales, and Herbert S. Alexander, Rice Barton, becomes treasurer. The Pine Tree Engineering board of directors will include: Charles S. Barton, Winship B. Moody Sr., Ted Bova, Roger M. Luke and Matthew R. Fandetti.

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Shell Orders Five 256,000-Dwt Tankers From Harland And Wolff

Five 256,000-deadweight-ton crude oil tankers worth \$180 million have been ordered from the troubled Belfast yard of Harland and Wolff. The order comes from Shell International Marine and is the largest ever placed with a British shipbuilder.

The vessels will be built in the new giant building dock—the largest in

the world—and will be delivered in 1974-75. Each of the tankers will develop a service speed of 16.5 knots from a set of steam turbines making 36,000 horsepower. The turbines will also be built in Belfast under license from Stal-Laval of Sweden.

Alan Watt, the acting chairman and managing director of Harland, said Shell's experience in large tanker construction and operation would be of great benefit.

At present, Harland's building

dock, which measures 1,825 feet by 305 feet, has one tanker of 264,000 tons and a bulk carrier of 105,000 tons being constructed. Four more of 264,000 tons must be built before the present order.

Atlantic Container Line Appoints E.J. Camuti



Edmund J. Camuti

The appointment of Edmund J. Camuti to the position of vice president marketing and sales, of Atlantic Container Line, Ltd., U.S.A., was announced by O.I.M. Porton, president.

At the same time, Mr. Porton advised that A.L. Aberson, formerly vice president, commercial, has been named vice president, traffic and operations. Jacques Grevin, formerly vice president, traffic and operations, has accepted a new position with one of the ACL consortium members, which he will assume later this year.

Mr. Camuti, whose responsibilities will include sales, marketing and pricing for ACL in the United States, comes to the company with over 25 years of experience in the steamship business. Prior to his ACL appointment, he had been executive vice president-general manager of Prudential-Grace Lines, Inc., and president of the company's Pacific Division. Before the Prudential-Grace merger, Mr. Camuti was vice president-general manager of Prudential Lines, Inc. He began his steamship career in 1944 as a terminal clerk at American Export Lines, Inc., and rose to general traffic manager before leaving that company in 1962.

Two Firms Ask MarAd For Title XI Insurance

Application to the Maritime Administration for Title XI mortgage insurance in connection with the construction of one diesel-powered towboat and 71 open hopper river barges has been filed by Mid-South Towing Co., Tampa, Fla. The total cost of all the vessels is estimated to be \$8.9 million.

Interseas Tanker Corp., 511 Fifth Avenue, New York, N.Y., also applied to MarAd for Title XI mortgage insurance to aid in the construction of one 120,000-dwt bulk oil carrier. The estimated total cost of the 883-foot, 16-knot ship is \$34.7 million.

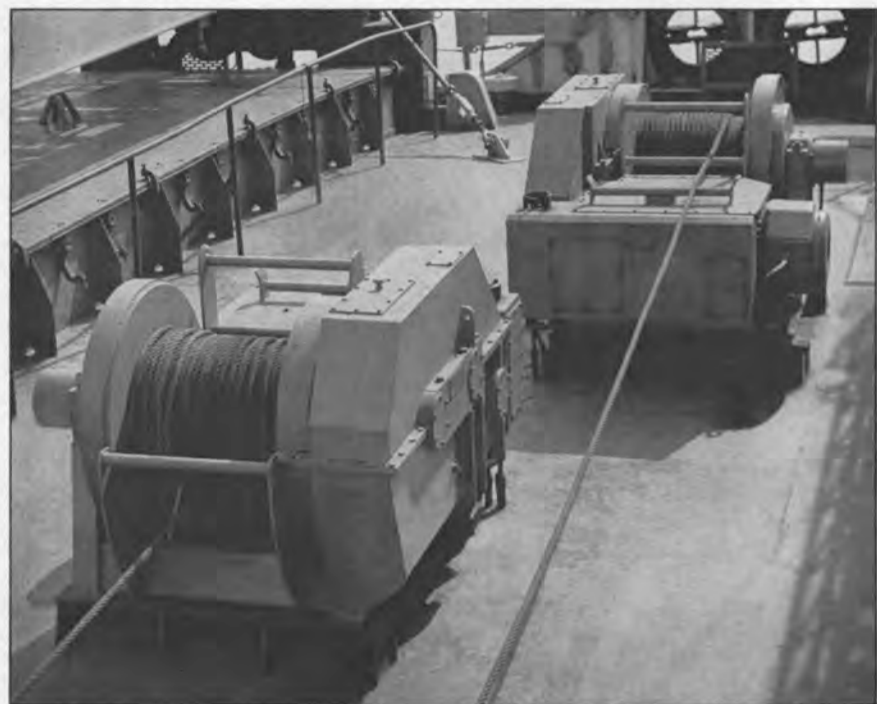
Dearborn-Storm Corp. Completes Acquisition Of Marine Service Co.

Dearborn-Storm Corp., Chicago, Ill., announced that it has completed the acquisition of Marine Service Co. of Houston, Texas. The new subsidiary, operating a fleet of 11 vessels, will now be operated in conjunction with the 27 vessels operated by Dearborn Marine Service Corp., another subsidiary of Dearborn-Storm.

The company's fleet services the offshore oil and gas drilling industry, and also conducts geophysical and seismic work on a worldwide basis.

Todd Houston Yard Lays Keels For Four-Barge Tow

Todd Shipyards Corporation (Houston Division) has recently laid the keels for the trailing barge and a box barge for a four-barge integrated tow being constructed for the Alamo Chemical Transportation Company of Houston, Texas. The 295-foot by 52-foot by 12-foot trailing barge and the 150-foot by 52-foot by 12-foot box barge have single skin bottoms and double skin sides, as will the other two barges. The overall length of the four-barge tow will be 1,040 feet and is designed for river service.



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CANADIAN MARITIME SECTION MEETS: The Canadian Maritime Section of The Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers recently held a meeting on board the Canadian hydrographic vessel C.S.S. Baffin. The technical session consisted of a presentation by Capt. P. Brick, C.S.S. Baffin, on "The History of Cable Repair Ships." Apart from the actual history of the repair ships, Captain Brick outlined some of the difficulties encountered in locating and repairing a break in the cable. After the presentation, a lively discussion period followed between Captain Brick and various members of the Society. Pictured above during the meeting, left to right, are: W. Aves, vice president, Canadian Maritime Section; J. Shepherd, Section chairman; Captain Brick, speaker and author; E. Hinze, secretary-treasurer, and I. Jones, chairman public relations.

Inces Line Appoints Joseph L. Granquist



Joseph L. Granquist

Sven Hansen, president of Inces Line, New York, N.Y., operators of the cruise ship Victoria, has announced the appointment of Joseph L. Granquist as vice president for sales and promotion.

Mr. Granquist is a graduate of the University of Pennsylvania, Wharton School of Finance and Commerce, and studied foreign commerce practices on a Fulbright Fellowship at the University of Oslo in Norway. He was connected with the Norwegian-America Line from 1950 to 1969, the last five years of which he held the position of passenger traffic manager with responsibility for passenger sales in North America.

From 1969 to the present, Mr. Granquist has been engaged in consultant activities, including important studies in passenger sales and operations for leading steamship companies. He is the newly-elected vice president of the Skol Club of New York, an international organization of travel industry executives.

Mr. Granquist succeeds Gustave L. Bowen who is retiring to Florida, but will remain closely associated with Inces Line in a consultant capacity. Mr. Bowen has been prominently associated with the steamship industry for many years, and has held executive positions in the Bahamas, Washington, D.C., and New York. He is a past president of the Skol Club of New York.

The luxurious air-conditioned Victoria, built exclusively for cruising and operated by Inces Line, maintains a year-round schedule of Caribbean cruises out of New York.

MA Names McNerney Central Region Director

Frank X. McNerney has been named Director of the Maritime Administration's Central Region, with offices in New Orleans, La., it was announced by A.E. Gibson, Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Maritime Affairs. In his new assignment, Mr. McNerney will supervise MarAd field operations throughout 12 Gulf and central Mississippi River Basin states, plus western Florida.

Until recently, Mr. McNerney was Chief of the Central Region's Office of Market Development. Prior to that, he had served in MarAd's Eastern Region Headquarters in New York City from

1964 to 1970 in such activities as ship operations, cargo promotion, operational subsidy administration, and public affairs. In 1966, he opened and supervised the agency's Saigon office during the Southeast Asia sealift build-up.

Mr. McNerney began his maritime career with American Export Isbrandtsen Lines, where he was employed from 1954 to 1964. He served successively as deck officer, Singapore branch manager, Far East assistant representative, mo-

bile trade fair project manager, and finally as manager of trade promotion.

Born in Scranton, Pa., Mr. McNerney attended Scranton Preparatory School and graduated from the U.S. Merchant Marine Academy with a B.S. degree in 1954. Later, he attended New York University Graduate School and Fordham Law School. His military service included duty with the U.S. Air Force and as a Naval Reserve Officer.

Title XI Approved On 363 Barges For Prudential-Grace

Avondale Shipyards, Inc., New Orleans, La., is constructing 363 barges for Prudential-Grace Lines, Inc., New York, N.Y. The Maritime Administration has approved the line's application for Title XI mortgage insurance on these vessels. The barges will be used on LASH ships and represent the fourth group that will be operated by Prudential-Grace.

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Midland Enterprises To Buy 180 Jumbo Barges & Towboat To Handle Barging Contract

Eastern Gas and Fuel Associates, Boston, Mass., has announced that its Midland Enterprises group of barge operations has entered into the largest barging contract in its history. The contract is a long-term one with Southern Services, Inc., Birmingham, Ala., in behalf of Alabama Power Company and Gulf Power Company, all subsidiaries of the Southern Company, for the transportation of large tonnages of coal.

Under the terms of the contract, The Ohio River Company and Orgulf Transport Co., Cincinnati, both Midland subsidiaries, will transport from 2 to 3½ million tons of coal yearly from Shawneetown, Ill. to three Gulf Coast ports near generating plants of Alabama Power and Gulf Power. The term of the contract is for 17 years beginning January 1972, with an option of extending it to 20 years at the election of the customers.

The coal to be transported will be produced by Peabody Coal Company at one of its Eagle mines in southern Illinois. At the choice of the customer, the coal will be delivered to generating plants at Panama City or Pensacola, Fla., or Mobile, Ala.

The shipment route will run about 120 miles on the Ohio River, 850 miles on the Mississippi, and an average of about 200 miles on the Gulf Intracoastal Waterway. The average total haul of nearly 1,200 miles represents about 3.6 billion ton miles yearly, a 40 percent increase in the 9 billion ton miles achieved by Eastern's Midland group of barge operations in 1970. These operations carried a total of 25.6 million tons of cargo in 1970, bringing in revenues of near \$34 million.

To carry out the Southern Services con-

tract, Midland plans to augment its present fleet by the purchase of at least one new 5,000-hp pusher towboat, and 180 jumbo, high-coaming barges.

Other barge operating companies of Eastern's Midland Enterprises group are Red Circle Transport Co., operating in the Gulf of Mexico, the Caribbean and along the Atlantic Coast, and Chotin Transportation Co., operating on the Mississippi and Ohio River systems, the Gulf Intracoastal Waterway and in the Gulf of Mexico. The Chotin Company, which is primarily engaged in the liquid barging business and had consolidated revenues of about \$14½ million in 1970, was recently acquired by Eastern.

British Firm Supplying Diesels To U.S. Operators Costing Over \$2,400,000

Diesel engines worth over \$2,400,000 for four more revolutionary twin-engined "pusher-tugs" to operate with giant barges have been ordered by two U.S. companies. The first vessel of this kind, made up of a tug fitting into a slot in the stern of a barge, was ordered last year and is shortly due to be commissioned.

One tug-barge combination is similar to the original vessel now under construction and is a repeat order for the same customer, Ingram Corporation of New Orleans, La. The order, placed with Lister Blackstone Mirrlees Marine, a Hawker Siddeley Diesels subsidiary, is for two 12-cylinder Mirrlees KVMR Major diesels, each rated at 5,564 bhp.

A second order for six 16-cylinder Mirrlees KV Major engines has been placed by the Linton Great Lakes Corporation of Cleveland, Ohio, through the Group's Canadian subsidiary, Hawker Siddeley Diesels and Electric Ltd., Rexdale, Ontario. These engines will

power three units designed to operate on the Great Lakes, and the tugs, each with two 7,420-bhp engines, will be among the most powerful vessels of their kind afloat.

The tug-barge concept keeps the relatively expensive propulsion unit fully employed. The tug brings one barge into port and can take another out without having to wait during unloading and loading. The tug and barge, when joined together, have the same operational speed as a conventional cargo vessel.

Starporter Container Crane Ordered By Overseas Shipping For Terminal Island Facility



A 40-ton capacity Starporter container crane, almost identical to the one pictured above recently completed at Charleston, S.C., for the South Carolina Ports Authority, was ordered by the Overseas Shipping Company for its Terminal Island facility.

The Overseas Shipping Company, a San Francisco, Calif., based firm with offices in Seattle and Los Angeles, has placed an order with Star Iron & Steel Co. of Tacoma, Wash., for a 40-ton capacity Starporter container crane, according to **Chris Blom**, president of Overseas. Mr. Blom stated that the contract price for the large crane was approximately \$1 million. **Charles Allen**, president of Star, said: "We are extremely pleased to be working with Overseas Shipping. They have been real contributors to the nation's marine industry and their future development on the coast will help strengthen the whole shipping industry."

Overseas Shipping Company is the Pacific Coast agent for Barber Lines and the agent in the Puget Sound area and Los Angeles for ScanStar. They will install the new crane at their Los Angeles Harbor facility at Terminal Island. This will be the second container crane erected at the Overseas Terminal Island facility, and construction is to begin this spring. It is scheduled to be in operation by June 15.

The crane, which weighs over 500 tons, has some new features not found on most cranes of their type. One unique feature is that it can rotate containers 90 degrees for spot loading and discharging. This gives the crane the advantage of being able to work conventional ships and semi-container ships, as well as regular container vessels. It is capable of handling both 20-foot and 40-foot containers and a great variety of general cargo. It can also be adapted to bulk cargo service with the addition of a grab bucket. The crane also has a new type of DC control system, which is completely static and requires no generators.

The reach of the boom will be 113 feet 6 inches. The back reach will be 61 feet, with an additional 50-foot gage which gives the crane a total reach over the dock and water of 224 feet 6 inches. The height of the crane will be 220 feet with the boom in a stowed position. Trolley speeds will reach 410 feet per minute, while the gantry speed will be 150 fpm. Up and down hoist speeds will reach 100 feet per minute with a load and 240 fpm unloaded.



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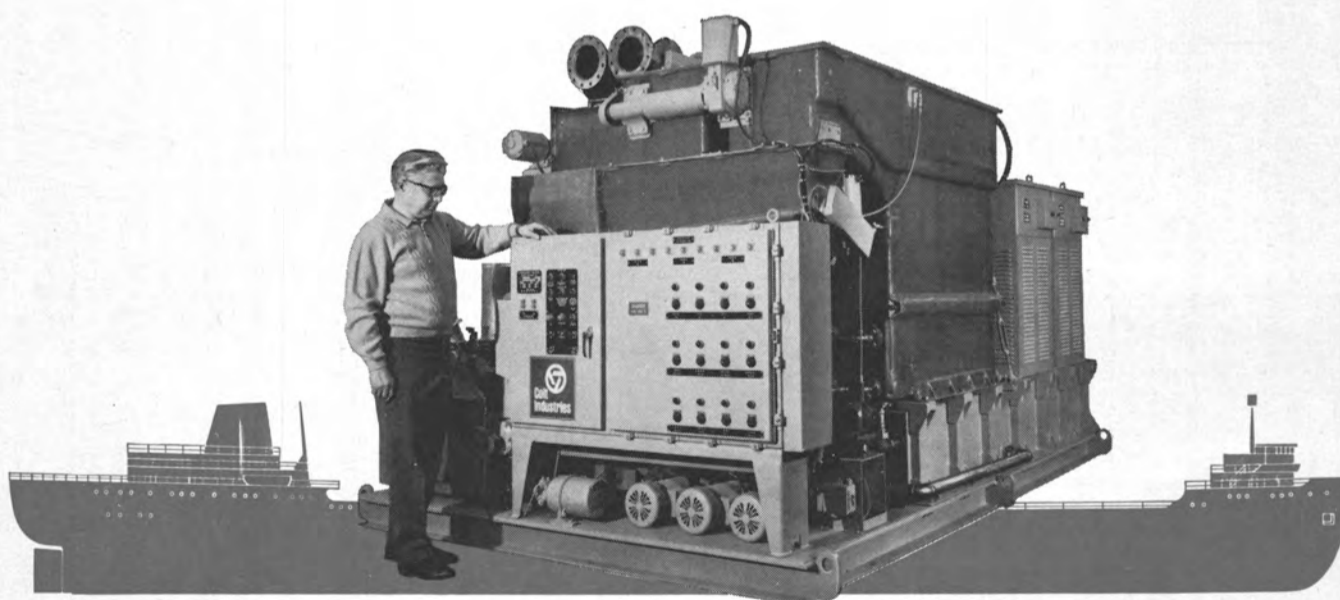
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AP2 Ex-Medina Victory units. Worthington-Moore turbine—440 lbs—740°TT—28 1/2" vac.—type S4—5-stage—6097 RPM—serial 7547 & 7548. GEAR: 14x7—6097/1200. GENERATOR: Crocker-Wheeler 300 KW 120/240 DC—1250 amps—type 102-H—compound—973643—999759—armature flange 8 1/2" bolt circle 7"—12 holes. Also new armature in stock (weighs 1840 lbs). Also have 2 units—generator 102 HP—300 KW—120/240—stab. shunt—1200 RPM.

4 VICTORY 300 KW WESTINGHOUSE TURBO GENERATOR SET



440# — 740°F — 5930 RPM — 2A-9794-15-16-17—coupling non-recessed on steam end of pinion—5 3/4". GENERATOR: Westinghouse 300 KW—120/240 DC—1250 amps—1200 RPM—C.B. 208.4.

5 1000 KW G.E. TURBO GENERATOR—READY TO GO—WITH A.B.S.



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9 UNUSED 500 KW 120/240 VDC BALDWIN/ALLIS CHALMERS DIESEL GENERATOR SET



ENGINE: Baldwin-DeLaverne 725 HP—12 3/4" x 15 1/2" —8 cyl.—500 RPM—air starting. Dry weight 54050 lbs. GENERATOR: Allis-Chalmers 500 KW—120/240 VDC—500 RPM—550 RPM overspeed. 60°C rise—class B insulation—3-wire—25% unbalance—2083 amps—stab. shunt—open—drip-proof—self-ventilated—8-poles.

10 UNUSED 100KW SUPERIOR DIESEL GENERATOR SET



GENERATOR: 120/240 VDC —417 amps—stab. shunt—1200 RPM. DIESEL: Superior GBD-8—8 cyl.—5 1/2" x 7.

11 UNUSED 10 KW SUPERIOR DIESEL GENERATOR SET



GENERATOR: Delco 10 KW —120 VDC—83.3 amps—1200 RPM. ENGINE: Superior diesel—2 cyl.—4 1/2" x 5 3/4" —15 HP—heat exchanger cooled.

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PUMPS

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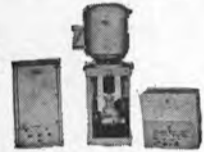
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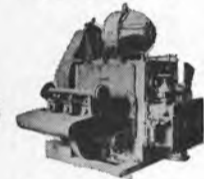
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1 5/8" and 7000 lb. anchors. 56" Centers—50 HP—230 VDC—spares.



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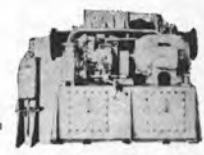
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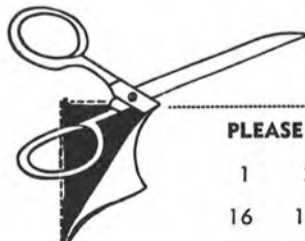
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D. Ray Miller Elected To Inland Waterways Services Division Of Texas Gas

D. Ray Miller, a veteran employee of American Commercial Barge Line Company (ACBL), has been elected president of one terminal company and vice president of three others in the Inland Waterways Services Division of Texas Gas Transmission Corporation. He has also been made director of terminals for the division.

Announcement of Mr. Miller's appointment and his election as president of Port of Louisville Terminal, Inc., and vice president of Memphis River Terminal, Inc., Illinois River Terminal Company, and Transfer Terminal Corporation, was made by Floyd H. Blaske, chief executive officer of the Texas Gas Inland

Waterways Services Division at the division's general offices in Jeffersonville, Ind.

Port of Louisville Terminal is located on the Ohio River at Louisville, Ky., and the Memphis River Terminal is located on Wolf River, just off the Mississippi River, at Memphis, Tenn. Illinois River Terminal Company operates terminals on the Illinois River at Joliet, Ill., and on the Tennessee River at Guntersville, Ala., while Transfer Terminal Corporation operates terminals on the Ohio River at Huntington, W. Va., and Kenova, W. Va.

Following his graduation in 1949 from the University of Pittsburgh, with a major in transportation, Mr. Miller joined the organization that has evolved into the Inland Waterways Services Division of Texas Gas. He was assigned in 1960 to the position of chief dispatcher for American Commercial Barge Line

Company, and two years later was made assistant manager of operations. Prior to his being elected to his present positions, Mr. Miller had served since 1969 as director of distribution services for ACBL.

New List Of Type Approved Instruments And Control Equip. Available From Lloyd's Register

Lloyd's Register has recently published a new list of type approved instruments and control equipment containing details of those items of control engineering equipment for which the Society has granted its Control Engineering Equipment Certificate of Approval.

Equipment made by 27 companies in a number of different countries is listed, and this includes alarm, control and fire detection systems, controllers, data loggers, pressure gages, recording and indicating instruments, solenoid valves, transmitters and pressure, temperature and micro switches.

The Control Engineering Equipment Certificate of Approval is granted in accordance with the Society's Environmental Test Specification, which is given in Appendix I of the List. The test levels are recommended minimum standards for type approval of instruments and control equipment intended for installation in control rooms, machinery spaces or other compartments shielded from the weather but exposed to heat, humidity and vibration. The tests simulate conditions encountered in service at sea.

Equipment under test is required to function satisfactorily in specified conditions of power supply fluctuation, vibration, dry heat humidity and inclination. The equipment is also tested to ensure that it conforms with the manufacturer's stated specifications. There are additional tests which may be required depending on the particular use of the equipment.

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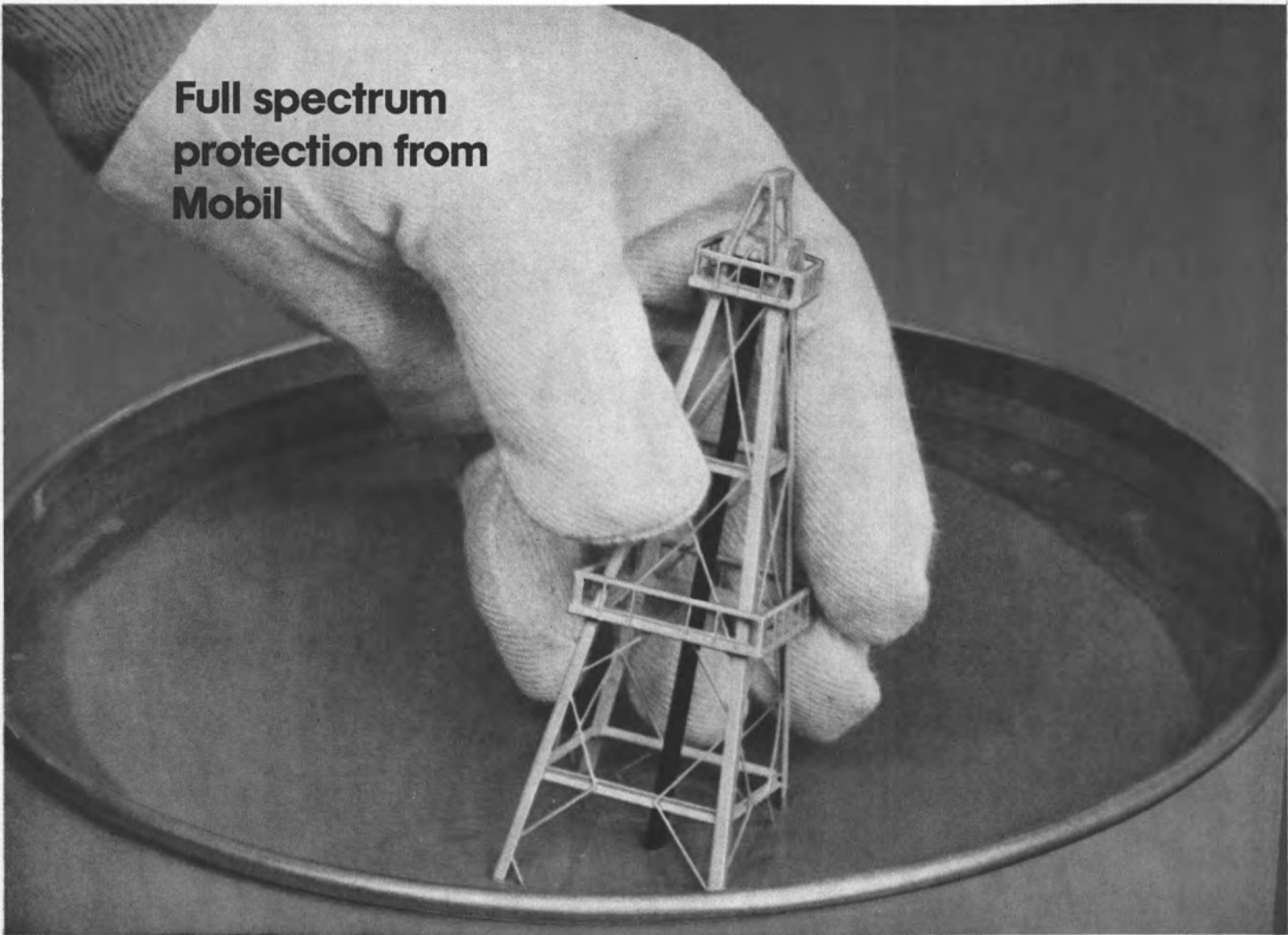


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HALTER-BUILT ALUMINUM PILOT BOAT: Halter Marine Services, Inc., New Orleans shipbuilder, has delivered the Rhode Island Pilot (shown above), a 35-foot pilot boat, to the Rhode Island State Pilots Association. The new high-speed boat, which has a speed in excess of 23.5 miles per hour, is powered by a single General Motors 8V71 diesel engine. Its design features a deep V-flared hull for maintaining station in exceptionally heavy seas. The vessel's all aluminum construction is exceedingly heavy for coming alongside ships and for boarding in extreme sea conditions. The boat is further equipped with rubber fendering all around for added protection. Steering is Orbitrol hydraulic. The Rhode Island Pilot carries 350 gallons of fuel oil and 40 gallons of fresh water. It is equipped with a King electric galley unit, head and shower, and has sleeping quarters for two. The design of the vessel permits boarding by pilots off the forward quarter, with the pilothouse positioned aft and amidships for better visibility and control when approaching ships in a seaway. Auxiliary and navigational equipment installed on the boat include a Decca 101 radar, an Onan 5-kw generator, and electric heaters for operation in the excessive cold of New England.



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GE And Breda To Build Steam Turbines In Italy

The General Electric Company and Breda Termomeccanica E Locomotive S.p.A. (Breda), Milan, have entered into a manufacturing associate agreement for the production in Italy of geared marine steam turbines. **David S. Bennett**, general manager of GE's marine turbine and gear department, with headquarters in Lynn, Mass., and **Luigi Mariani**, managing director of Breda, announced the signing of the agreement under which Breda will build marine steam turbines and gears to General Electric designs in Italy.

Mr. Bennett said the agreement was made to meet the increasing demand for marine steam propulsion equipment throughout the world. He pointed out that most of the super-

tankers and large containerships now being built, or on order, will be propelled by geared marine steam turbines. Mr. Bennett also indicated that the agreement should prove equally beneficial to both Breda and General Electric, particularly in view of the rapid growth rate for liquefied natural gas carriers.

This is the seventh manufacturing agreement General Electric's marine turbine and gear department has established with overseas firms. Under these agreements, GE manufactures the rotating parts of the marine steam turbine, including the high pressure rotor assembly and low pressure rotating assembly, and gear rotating parts, while the manufacturing associate produces the stationary parts and assembles and tests the completed unit.

Breda is a major Italian manufacturer of mechanical machinery.

SNAME New York Hears Paper On Throttle Controlled Steam Propulsion Turbines



Shown above at the Overseas Press Club, left to right, are: **Charles W. Wilson**, secretary-treasurer of the New York Metropolitan Section; **Warren I. Signell**, Section chairman; **Dr. Otto J. Geisler**, author, and **Robert P. Fulton**, member of the Section executive committee.

The New York Metropolitan Section of The Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers met on March 25 at the Overseas Press Club, 54 West 40th Street, New York, N.Y.

At the technical session, which was preceded by a social hour, **Dr. Otto J. Geisler**, Leader, Department of Estimating and Development, Steam Division, Blohm & Voss, A.G., Hamburg, Germany, presented a technical paper entitled "Throttle Controlled Steam Propulsion Turbines."

The author, in this paper on throttle controlled steam turbines, reviews the status of this development and presents for the first time test bed data which is used as an evaluation of the concept. The paper presents the advantages as applied to safety, reliability and economy. The tapered spiraled blading design criteria are also discussed.

Copies of the paper may be obtained for \$2.50 each by contacting **Charles W. Wilson**, secretary-treasurer of the New York Section, c/o Babcock & Wilcox Co., 161 East 42nd Street, New York, N.Y. 10017.

Norton, Lilly Appoints Thompson And Shipley

Norton, Lilly & Company, Inc., New York, N.Y. has announced the appointment of **H.C. Thompson Jr.** of their New Orleans office as Gulf general manager, and as president of Dixie Stevedores, Inc., a subsidiary company. Mr. Thompson succeeds **G. Abaunza Jr.**, who recently retired.

William F. Shipley has been appointed manager of Norton Lilly's Baltimore office. He succeeds **Lawrence M. Blume**, who has retired after 42 years of service with the company.



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Bath Iron Works Lays Keel For The First Of Three Large AEIL Containerships



Shown at the keel-laying, left to right: **S. Wolkow**, Maritime Administration; **R. Bettum**, AEIL; **L. Gilbreath**, BIW executive vice president; **A. Ripley**, president Local 6, I.U.M.S.W.A.; **F. Leighton**, American Bureau of Shipping; Lt. Cmdr. **J.B. Ekman**, U.S. Coast Guard, and **L. Dauphinee**, BIW project manager.

Bath Iron Works Corporation, Bath, Maine, laid the keel on April 5 for the first of three large containerships to be constructed for American Export Isbrandtsen Lines.

The event marks the first keel-laying ceremony at the Bath shipyard in nearly three and one-half years.

Lowry E. Gilbreath, Bath's executive vice president for operations, officiated at the ceremony. He said that work on the three large containerships signals a period of increased activity at BIW and projected a possible requirement for additional people by the end of this year.

In addition to Mr. **Gilbreath**, representatives of the owner, American Export Isbrandtsen Lines, the Maritime Administration, the U.S. Coast Guard, American Bureau of Shipping, and officials of Local 6, Union of Marine & Shipbuilding Workers of America, were present.

Bath officials indicated they were particularly pleased to start work on the \$51 million contract at this time because the three new containerships are an excellent lead-in for Bath to the long-range maritime ship replacement program for the 1970s.

The containerships, 610 feet in length with a beam of 78 feet, are follow-ons to three ships of the Sea Witch Class completed at Bath in 1969.

This first ship, designated BIW Hull Number 357, is scheduled to be launched in December of this year. The entire three-ship contract will be completed in February 1973.

Webb Meeting, Homecoming And Dedication Set For June 5

The 1971 Homecoming, and annual meeting of the Webb Alumni Association will be held on June 5, 1971. The meeting is scheduled to start at 3:30 p.m. in the lecture hall on the campus at Glen Cove, Long Island, N.Y.

At 4:30 p.m. there will be a dedication ceremony of the newly-completed Livingston Library. The new library, besides a greatly expanded space for books, reading rooms, etc., includes an auditorium-lecture hall with a capacity for over 150 people.

Preceded by a social hour, a buffet dinner is scheduled to begin at 6:30 p.m. and will be served outdoors, weather permitting.

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Delta Line Appoints Thomas W. Harrelson



Thomas W. Harrelson

Thomas W. Harrelson has joined Delta Steamship Lines, Inc., New Orleans, La., as executive assistant, according to an announcement by Capt. J.W. Clark, Delta president.

Mr. Harrelson, a native of Kinston, N.C. and a 1966 graduate of the United States Merchant Marine Academy at Kings Point, N.Y., served two years at sea as a deck officer with Grace Lines, including intermittent shoreside assignments with that company. He comes to Delta directly from a three-year tour of duty as special assistant to the superintendent of the Merchant Marine Academy at Kings Point.

Upon his graduation from the Academy, Mr. Harrelson received the Albert V. Moore Award in Marine Transportation, and the American Bureau of Shipping Award for scholastic achievement and leadership.

Offshore Terminal Study Contract Awarded By MarAd

Soros Associates, a New York City firm of consulting engineers, has been awarded a contract for a study of the feasibility of multi-purpose offshore terminals in the United States, Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Maritime Affairs A.E. Gibson has announced.

"The purpose of this study," according to Mr. Gibson, "is to help pave the way for the introduction of 'supersized' bulk carriers—along with the economies inherent in using these vessels—into U.S. foreign trade."

Mr. Gibson pointed out that while there are now over 200 ships of 100,000 deadweight tons and greater in the world fleet, they are barred from using nearly all U.S. ports because of channel depth and width limitations. "Our shippers, who would benefit from lower transportation costs if these ships were used, are being penalized by the fact that we have no facilities to accommodate them," he said.

Aided by Ocean Science and Engineering, Inc., of Bethesda, Md., and Long Beach, Calif., Soros Associates will perform three tasks under the contract. They are: (1) projecting bulk-cargo shipment requirements for U.S. industry over the next 30 years on a geographic basis and the capability of present bulk-cargo distribution systems to handle them; (2) comparing alter-

ative methods of using "supersized" ships to carry these cargoes, including the use of feeder vessels and pipelines, and the possibility of moving user industries to sites where these ships can berth; and (3) formulating advanced concepts in design, construction, and operation of offshore island terminals, including development of economic and technical data, if the first parts of the study indicate the need for such facilities.

This study, which will require about a year to complete at an estimated cost of \$197,000, is the first phase in a three-part undertaking, Mr. Gibson explained.

Specific privately sponsored development studies, conducted jointly with Federal and state agencies to define contract specifications, necessary legislative proposals, and operating agreements among proposed users, will follow as the second phase. The final part would

consist of the construction and testing of one prototype offshore terminal.

In the present study, Soros Associates will explore ways in which activities considered undesirable in populated areas, such as power plants and waste disposal, can be integrated in the design of an offshore terminal island to remove them from inhabited zones and to help defray the cost of the structure.

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**Gordon Furth Elected
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Gordon Furth has been elected to the newly-created position of executive vice president of Marcona Corporation, San Francisco-based resource development, shipping and mining concern. The announcement was recently made at the company's annual shareholder's meeting by C.W. Robinson, president.

Mr. Furth has served as senior vice president since 1965. Prior to that time, he was president of Ocean Services, Inc., a principal marine operating company of the Marcona group. He first joined the firm in 1956, as administrative manager of the Peruvian subsidiary, Marcona Mining Company. His career also includes 12 years

of audit management experience with the accounting firm, Arthur Andersen & Co.

A 1942 graduate of the University of California at Berkeley (A.B. degree in economics), Mr. Furth also earned an M.B.A. degree from Harvard Business School in 1947. He is a director of Soule Steel Company and a member of the Pan American Society, World Affairs Council of Northern Cali-

fornia, World Trade Club, American Institute of Certified Public Accountants, and American Institute of Mining and Metallurgical Engineers.

**ACT Appoints
V.R. Vincent Manager
Container Services**



V.R. Vincent

V.R. (Pete) Vincent has reported for duty as manager of container services for Associated Container Transportation, it has been announced by Michael B. Northen, president of ACT in North America.

For ACT, he will be in charge of container booking, positioning, maintenance and repair and accounting control of all equipment within the system.

After wartime duty with the Royal Air Force, Mr. Vincent joined Cunard Steamship Company in 1946 and moved through the auditing, cashier's freight sales and freight operations departments in London and New York. In 1966, he was assigned to container service development involving documentation, simplification of paper work, computer data processing and freight planning. In 1967, he joined Atlantic Container Line as executive assistant to the president, and later as terminal administration manager.

**Charles H. Black
Named Treasurer
Of Litton Industries**

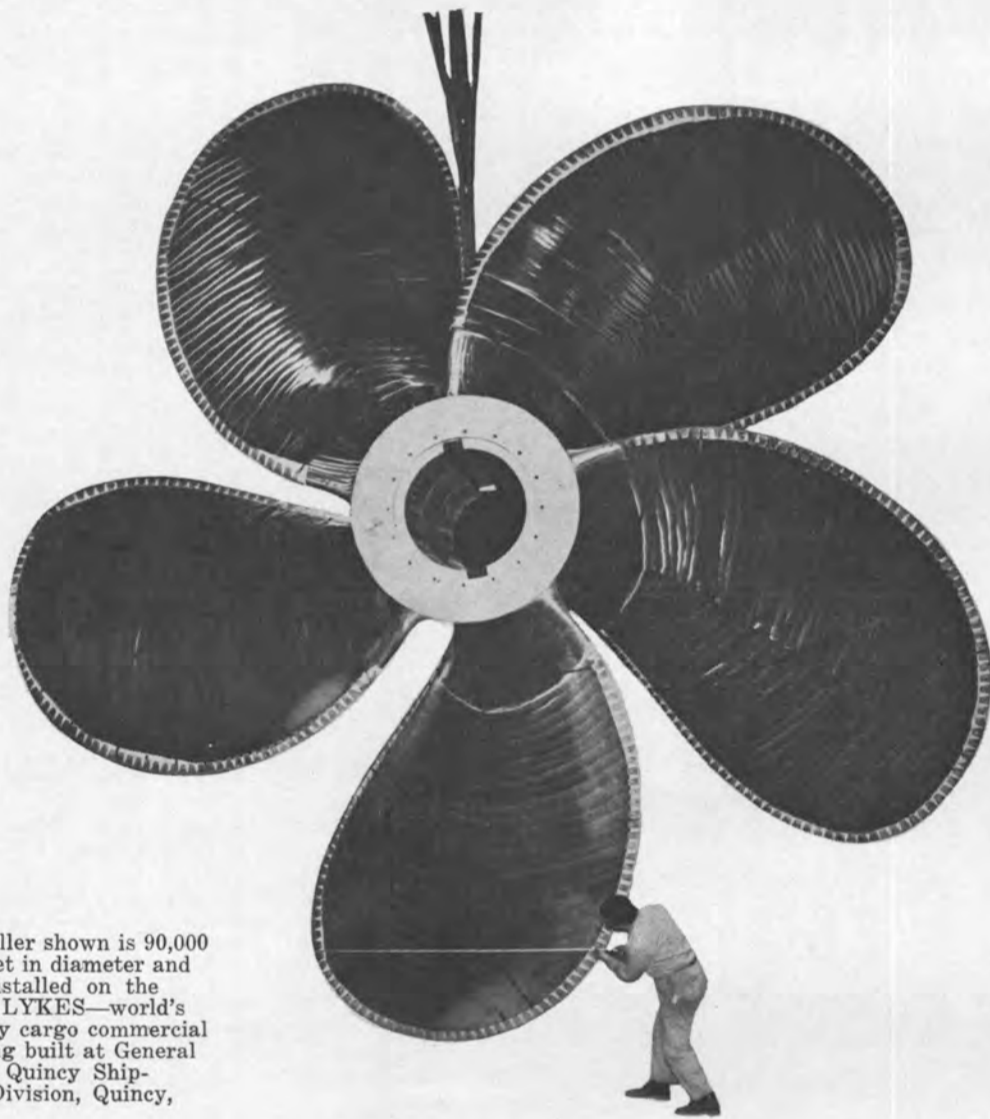
Charles H. Black has been appointed treasurer of Litton Industries, it was announced by Joseph T. Casey, Litton senior vice president.

Mr. Black brings to his new position almost 14 years of extensive experience with Litton operating divisions in the defense and commercial areas. For the last five years he has been vice president, finance, for the Professional Services and Equipment group.

Mr. Black was graduated from the University of Southern California with a bachelor's degree in business administration. Currently, he is a director of the university's Commerce Associates of School of Business.

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Babcock & Wilcox Names Arthur Jackson To Managerial Post



Arthur W. Jackson

Arthur W. Jackson has been named to succeed E.G. Kispert as general manager of the industrial and marine department of The Babcock & Wilcox Company's power generation division. Mr. Kispert is retiring.

Mr. Jackson, headquartered in Barberton, Ohio, will be responsible for all industrial and marine operations, including general, paper and steel industries, as well as the division's Wilmington, N.C. manufacturing facility.

Mr. Jackson joined B&W in New York City in 1946 and was transferred to Barberton in 1958 as a group supervisor in industrial boiler marketing. He became manager of sales promotion and training in 1964, manager of industrial product sales in 1966 and, since March 1970, has been manager of applications engineering in the industrial and marine department.

Mr. Jackson has a B.S. degree in mechanical engineering and an M.S. degree in industrial management from Stevens Institute of Technology. He attended the University of Akron's School of Law. He is the author of numerous technical papers and holds several patents.

Delta Steamship Extends Deadline For LASH Contract Award

The Maritime Subsidy Board has granted permission to Delta Steamship Lines, Inc., to extend the deadline for awarding the contract for building from three to five LASH ships from April 1 to May 12. More time is needed to study several questions relating to making the award, the line explained. The apparent low bidder to build the ships was Avondale Shipyards, Inc.

President Nixon Proclaims May 22 National Maritime Day

By executive proclamation President Nixon has designated Saturday, May 22, as National Maritime Day. This day has been set aside to honor the American-flag merchant marine.

The President has requested the dress-up of all U.S.-flag ships on that day, and asks citizens to display the American flag. He called on the maritime industry to move forward in rebuilding the nation's merchant fleet.

Kings Point Fund Receives Two Gifts Totaling \$50,000

Two anonymous gifts of \$25,000 each have been received by the Kings Point Fund, for the benefit of midshipmen in training at the United States Merchant Marine Academy, Kings Point, Long Island, N.Y., it was announced by Milton G. Nottingham, fund president.

The donations, which mark the

launching of the fund's 1971 Annual Giving Campaign, will be applied to a number of new or continuing projects supported by the fund as supplements to the academy's maritime officer training program. Prominent among these is the acquisition of a new eight-man shell for use by Kings Point oarsmen in the academy's newly-established sport of crew racing.

The gift will also defray final production costs of a sound-color film,

"The Kings Point Story," produced by the fund in the past year for national release through television and organizational channels.

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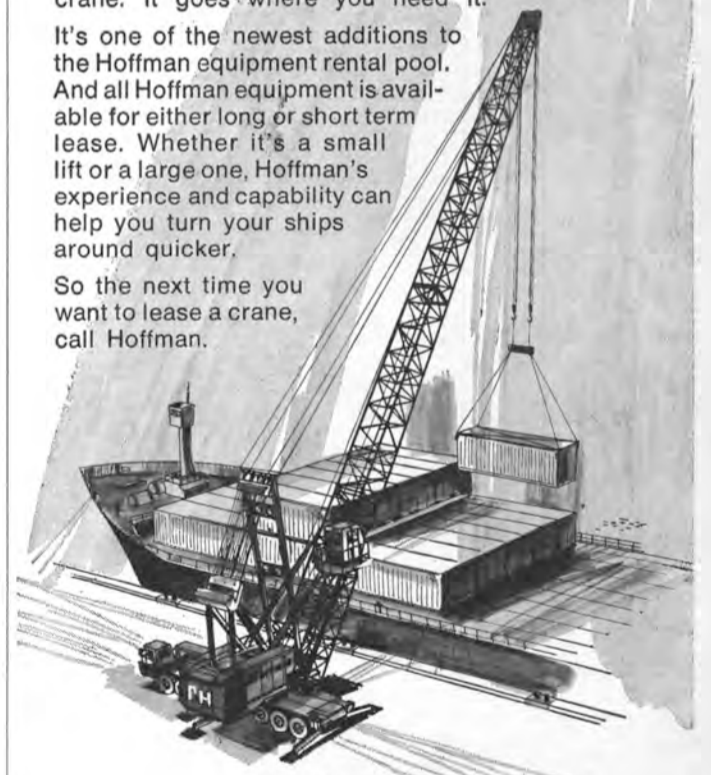
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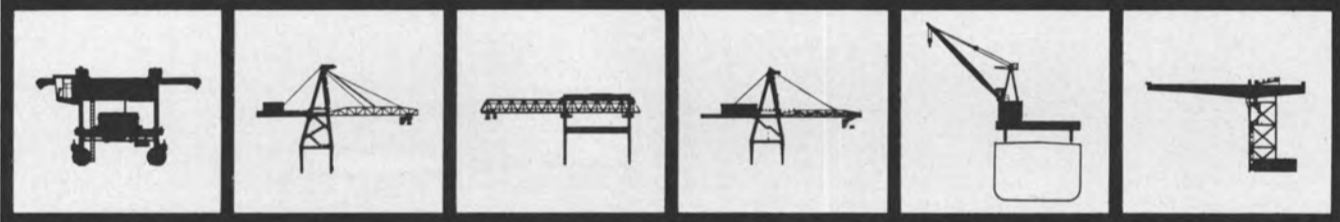
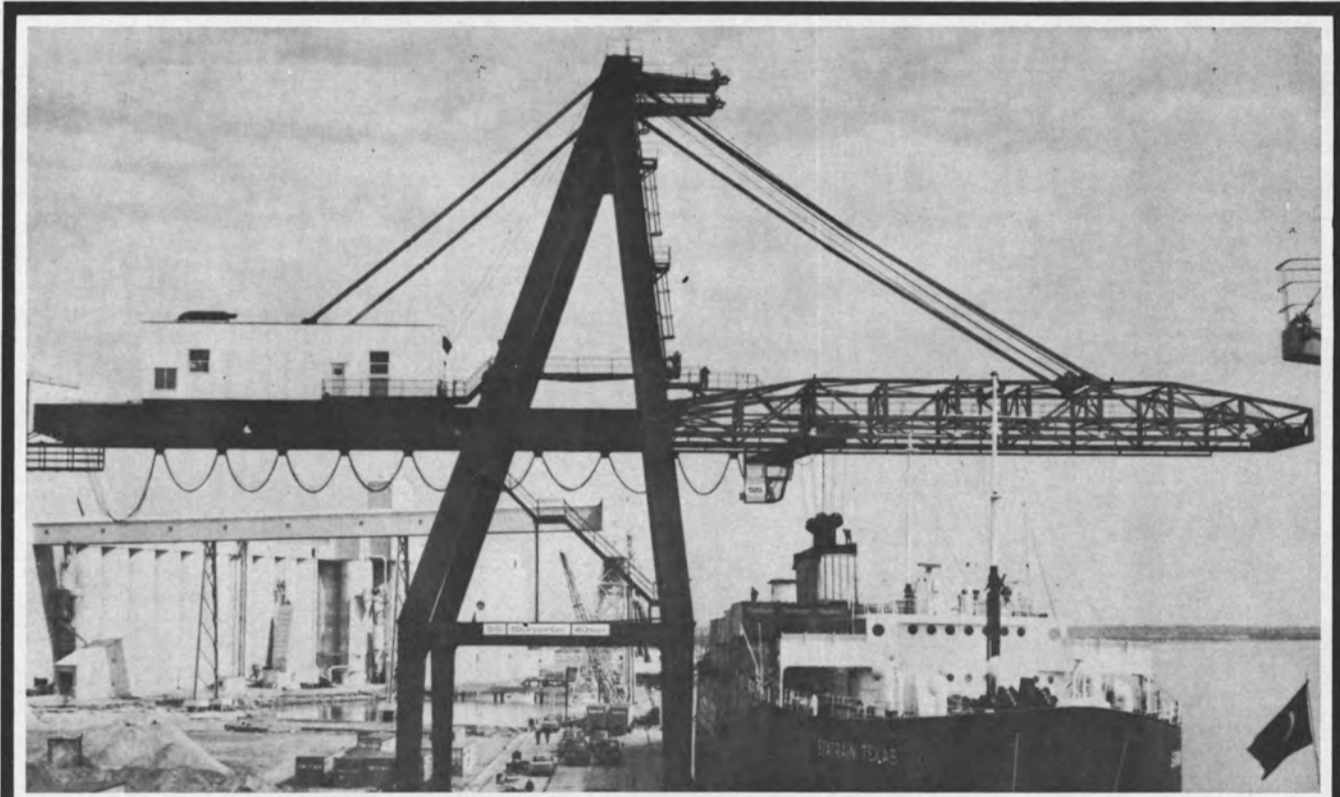
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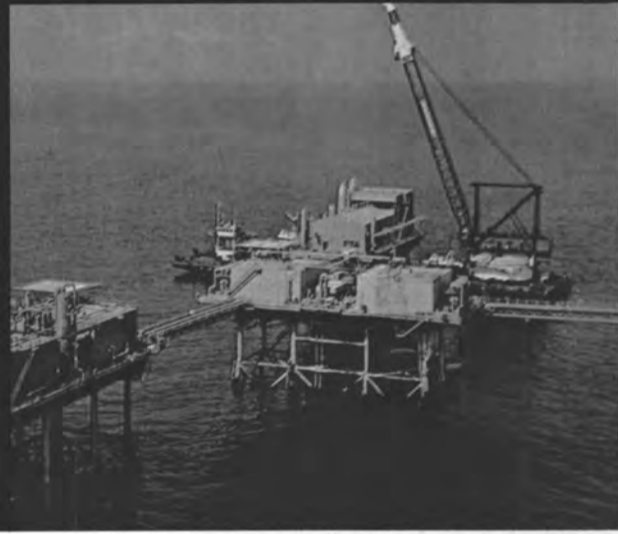
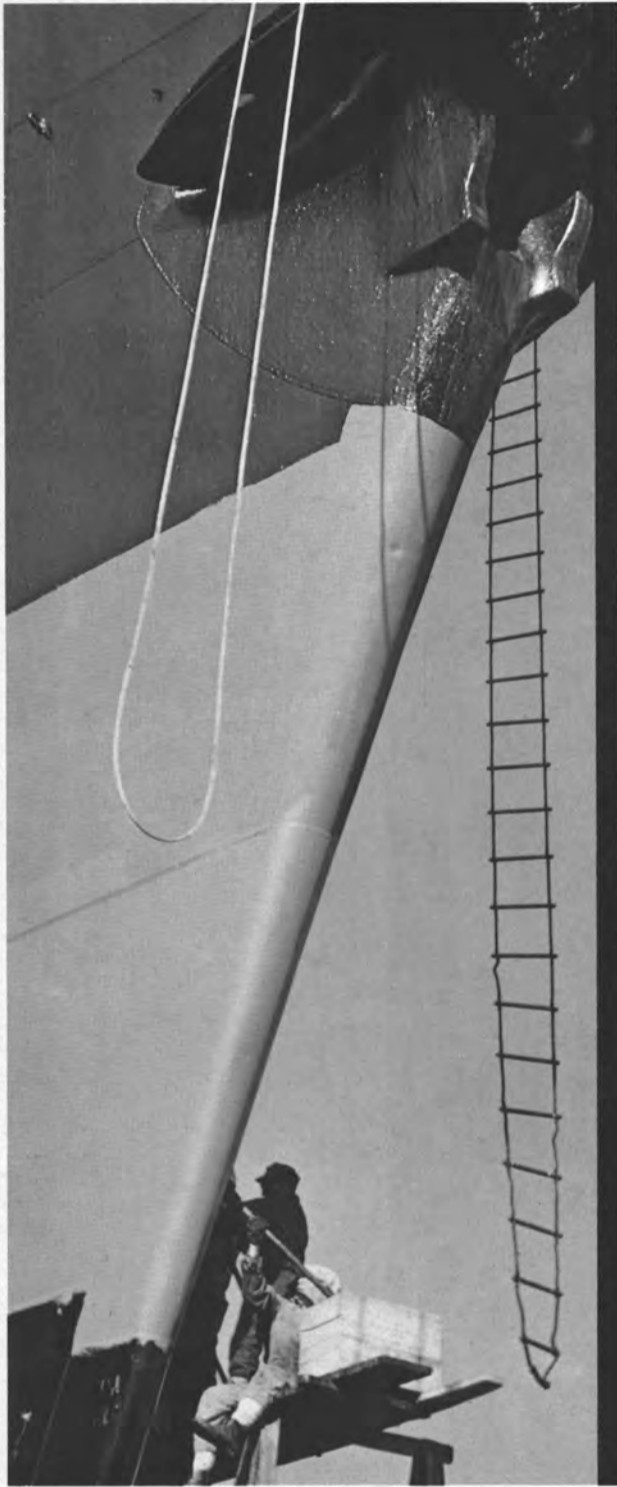
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NAMS To Hold 21st Annual Meeting In New York City

The National Association of Marine Services, Inc., will hold its Twenty-First Annual Meeting at the Summit Hotel in New York City on May 13 and 14.

The maritime service organization, which was incorporated in 1950 as

the National Associated Marine Suppliers, changed the name and scope of the association two years ago to the National Association of Marine Services, still retaining their identification as NAMS.

This was done, according to **James C. Taylor**, president of the association, mainly because commercial vessel suppliers do provide service to ship owners as well as supplies but also because the association operations

include considerable legislation activity and provides an information source of interest to such other marine service companies as repairers, shoreside contractors, towboat operators, ship cleaners, water taxi owners, etc.

NAMS returns to New York for its Twenty-First after an absence of two years. Its Nineteenth Annual Meeting was held in New Orleans, La., and its twentieth anniversary was held in San Francisco, Calif.

13 PACECO Cranes For Six Foreign Ports

Construction of container handling equipment for six seaports in both Europe and the Far East has been announced by PACECO, a division of Fruehauf Corporation, Alameda, Calif. The cranes are being built by PACECO licensees: Paceco International Limited, London, England; Mitsui Shipbuilding and Engineering Co., Tokyo, Japan; and Fruehauf, S.A., Madrid, Spain.

The Port of Genoa, Italy, will have two new PACECO Low-Profile model Portainers, making a total of three for that port since 1968. All three cranes, for ship loading and unloading, have a 40-metric-ton capacity.

In Holland, the Port of Flushing will get a 41 MT Portainer, and four 35 LT Portainers will go to the British Transport Docks Board, Southampton, England, through Paceco International Limited, London. The first job for Fruehauf, S.A. in Madrid, is the construction of two PACECO Shipstainers, container handling cranes which are mounted aboard ships.

PACECO's Far East licensee, Mitsui Shipbuilding and Engineering Co., Ltd., is installing a Portainer with an articulating boom, to conform to height limitations, at the Port of Tokyo. In addition, they are building two 30 LT Transtainers for the Port of Osaka and three 30 LT Transtainers for the Port of Kobe. The Transtainers have a 77-foot span to handle six container rows, plus carriers on a roadway, in the port terminal area.

Dixie Machine Elects Steele And Pedersen

Walter W. Steele, general manager of Dixie Machine Welding & Metal Works, New Orleans, La., was elected vice president at the March 26 meeting of the board of Idsco Investment Holding Corporation. In announcing Mr. Steele's election, **H.D. Hughes**, president, said the vacancy fills a corporate post that has been open since October 6, 1970. Mr. Steele's main duties will still be in connection with the operation of Dixie Machine Welding & Metal Works, Ship Repair Division. He is a native of Buffalo, N.Y. Since coming out of the service in World War II, Mr. Steele has been associated with ship repair firms for approximately 25 years.

At the same corporate meeting, Mr. Hughes announced that Capt. **Lars H. Pedersen** would be vice president in charge of foreign sales. Captain Pedersen has been associated with the Dixie Machine Welding & Metal Works firm since 1950. He speaks several languages fluently, and is held in high esteem in all shipping circles. Lars, as he is known by his friends, was born in Arendal, Norway, and worked himself up from ordinary seaman to a master, sailing in the Foreign Texas Oil Tanker Fleet during the World War II years. He holds both Norwegian and U.S. master's licenses, all tonnage, all waters.

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Port of Galveston Appoints Gene Poe



Gene Poe

Gene Poe has assumed duties as engineer of the Port of Galveston, it was announced by port director, C.S. Devoy.

A native of Dallas, Mr. Poe studied at the University of Texas at Arlington and is a licensed professional engineer. He has been a structural engineer on the staff of the Port of Houston for the past 10 years. Prior to that, he was chief engineer of the Lofland Company Houston plant.

An air force veteran of the Korean War, Mr. Poe succeeds Howard Kornberg, who resigned.

Nat'l River Academy Citations Awarded

Twenty-three Congressional citations were presented by Congressman Bill Alexander (D-Ark.) in Helena, Ark., to men who played major roles in establishing the National River Academy of the United States of America, Inc.

Mr. Alexander delivered the citations during the Academy's board of directors' meeting. "Without the dedicated, hard-headed work by these men," Mr. Alexander said, "the National River Academy would not have become a reality. We would not now be providing this training for inland waterways industry employees in the safe handling of cargoes and safe operation of waterborne vehicles. We would not be taking these important steps toward strengthening the capability of waterways industries to contribute to the economic growth of the nation while protecting our marine environment."

Mr. Alexander originated the idea of a river academy to train workers for the inland waterways transportation system. The men receiving the certificates were directly involved in the research or organizational phases of the Academy's establishment.

Those receiving the certificates include the following: Floyd A. Mechling, Joliet, Ill., chairman of the National River Academy board of directors; John M. Donnelly Jr., New Orleans, La., vice chairman, and B.D. Brandon, Little Rock, Ark., secretary-treasurer; directors of the Academy: Gale H. Chapman, Minneapolis, Minn.; Dr. John Easley, Helena, Ark.; Francis Thompson, Helena, Ark.; Capt. Jim Walden, Helena, Ark.; T.F.

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chant Marine, acting director of the National River Academy; Chief Warrant Officer Carter James of the 124th Transportation Command, U.S. Army, who was loaned to the project to explore its feasibility, and Sheldon Held, Helena, Ark.; Dr. Mel Freed, Arkansas State University, and Dale Enoch, Memphis, Tenn., who played substantial roles in researching and setting up the National River Academy.

Higgins To Head MPA New York Office

Francis J. Higgins has been named manager of the Massachusetts Port Authority's trade development office in New York, according to Thomas T. Soules, port director in Boston.

Mr. Higgins has served as regional marketing manager for Seatrains Lines and as sales manager for United States Lines.



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U.S. Navigation Appoints Krusen

Edward A. Krusen, former traffic manager of American Export Isbrandtsen Lines' South Asia Service, has joined the staff of United States Navigation, Inc., as vice president for all Scindia Line Services, it was announced by Edward Oelsner Jr., president.

Mr. Krusen has had better than 25 years of experience in all phases of steamship management and operations, and will be responsible for Scindia's operations in the United States and Canada, which include the East Coast, West Coast, Gulf and Great Lakes.

American Ship Files Statement For Offering

The American Ship Building Company has filed a registration statement for an offering to holders of its Common Stock of Rights to subscribe to 148,733 units at the rate of one unit for each 10 shares of common stock held of record at the close of business at a date in May. Each unit consists of two shares of common stock (\$1 par value) and one common stock warrant to purchase one additional share of common stock.

The net proceeds of the offering would be used to retire a portion of the long-term indebtedness of the company. 35,000 shares of common stock were also registered for sale by a selling stockholder. Bache & Co. Incorporated would be the managing underwriter for the offering.

American Ship, headquartered in Cleveland, Ohio, is one of the largest shipbuilding and repair firms on the Great Lakes. It is organized into four principal operating divisions: the AmShip Division, engaged in the construction, conversion and repair of ships; the Nabrico Division, engaged primarily in the fabrication and construction of bridges, barges and towboats, the Building Products Division, engaged primarily in the manufacture and sale of metal and plastic building products, and the Transportation, Cargo and Material Handling Division, engaged in the operation of a Great Lakes bulk cargo fleet, and in providing stevedoring and river terminal services.

The company earned \$2,119,513 or \$1.42 per share, adjusted for a 5 percent stock dividend paid January 4, 1971, on sales and revenues of \$73,743,161 for the fiscal year ended September 30, 1970.

Warren Pumps Elects Zalis And Paugh VPs

The directors of Warren Pumps, Inc., Warren, Mass., have elected two new vice presidents.

Albert A. Zalis is vice president, rotary and reciprocating engineering. He has been with Warren since 1950 and has been chief engineer, rotary pumps, since then.

James J. Paugh Jr. is vice president, centrifugal engineering. He has been with Warren since 1963 and chief design engineer, centrifugal pumps, since then.

TT&T Relocates Boston Office

E.B. Kilroy, manager of Texas Transport & Terminal Co. Inc.'s Boston office, has announced the firm's relocation to new and larger quarters at 60 Batterymarch Street.

Mr. Kilroy stated that telephone numbers and cable addresses will remain the same, but their new TWX number will be 710-321-0286.



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**AUTO-LOGIC Corp.
Signs \$830, 580
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Jack Teague

Jack Teague, president and chairman of the board of AUTO-LOGIC Corporation, a Washington, D.C. and Bethesda, Md. based logistic company, announced the signing of a contract with the U.S. Navy in the amount of \$830,580 for automated logistic services involving ships in the U.S. Navy inactive fleet, located at the Navy Inactive Ships Maintenance Facility in the Orange and Beaumont, Texas, area.

AUTO-LOGIC is an Automated Logistics International firm engaged primarily in the design, programming, and implementation of logistic systems in support of equipment and technical repair parts for industry and Government, with emphasis given to ashore and afloat inventory control of shipboard equipments, technical repair parts and consumable supplies. Projects completed by the company's personnel have resulted in several million dollars savings by the U.S. Navy and commercial shipping lines.

Mr. Teague, a retired Navy supply corps lieutenant, said that the

project workers will go through more than 30 vessels at the facility to see how much prescribed equipment each has. "For selected ships, we completely remodernize all logistics areas," Mr. Teague said. "We go through them from stem to stern." He said there are "tens of thousands of individual items" needed to equip each vessel. His company's project will determine which items are overstocked and which are lacking. "What might be an excess in one ship would be a deficiency in another," Mr. Teague said.

After all the ships are examined, the information will be consolidated in computer records and the ships at the Orange facility will then be compared to see where the shortages on one ship can be made up by excesses on another, Mr. Teague said. But the process doesn't stop there, he explained. The inventory of equipment on the ships at the facility will be compared to other vessels throughout the Navy—even vessels on active duty. That comparison is also by computer, located at a Navy base at Oakland, Calif., Mr. Teague said, and when an excess of equipment is found on a vessel at Orange, the equipment can then be shipped to a point where there is a deficiency.

Although the ships at the Orange facility are not part of the active fleet, they must be kept fully equipped in case they are called to active duty, Mr. Teague said. His company's project will bring the ships up to date, he remarked.

The project will also involve stripping equipment from vessels that are to be sold for scrap. "We just cannibalize the ships in the areas where the Navy has a need for the equipment," Mr. Teague remarked. "There are still applica-

tions for the equipment in the active Navy—this results in multi-million dollar savings. The program more than pays for itself."

Since some equipment from obsolete vessels can be used in the active Navy, expensive production of new equipment is not necessary, Mr. Teague said.

Mr. Teague explained that he developed the program for Navy-wide consolidation of equipment by computer while on active duty as a supply corps lieutenant.

**Baldt Corporation
Moves Headquarters**

Baldt Corporation (OTC), New York, has announced the transfer of its corporate headquarters to new offices at 1185 Avenue of the Americas, Suite 2150, New York, N.Y. 10036, effective March 26, 1971. The new telephone number is (212) 489-8775.

Baldt Corporation is a diversified manufacturer whose operations include a marine and oceanographic group and an industrial products and equipment group.

Eugene F. Moran Jr.

Eugene F. Moran Jr., a vice president of the Moran Towing and Transportation Company established by his grandfather, died recently in Southside Hospital, Bay Shore, Long Island, N.Y., after a long illness. He was 68 years old and lived at 235 Lake View Avenue West, Brightwaters, Long Island.

Mr. Moran began working for the major towing company before his graduation from Lehigh University in 1925. He was a member of the Knights of Malta, a past president of the Friendly Sons of St. Patrick, and a vice president and director of the Brooklyn Chamber of Commerce.

**Berwind Lines, Inc.
Appoints B.J. Robeson
Exec. Vice President**



Bruce J. Robeson

Bruce J. Robeson has been appointed executive vice president of Berwind Lines, Inc., it was announced by top official Hugh G. McComas in revealing a restructuring of Berwind's high echelon management.

Mr. McComas, group vice president of Berwind Corporation of Philadelphia and president of Berwind Lines Inc. of Puerto Rico, said that all executive personnel will report to him through Mr. Robeson.

Mr. Robeson is a graduate of the Merchant Marine Academy at Kings Point, N.Y., and comes to Berwind via the U.S. Navy, Grace Lines, and until his move to Berwind, Matson Navigation Co. in San Francisco, where he was superintendent of fleet operations with system-wide responsibilities for container, general and bulk cargo operations.

Prior to that, Mr. Robeson held various positions with Matson in the freight division, including that of freight operations manager in the Hawaiian Islands. "Mr. Robeson's long experience in container operations will assist Berwind, the principal locally-based inter-island container carrier, in expanding and improving its service," Mr. McComas said.

**Hudson Waterways
Names VP-Operations
For Container Vessels**



Capt. Kosta Jeremic

Capt. Kosta Jeremic, commodore of the fleet of Hudson Waterways Corp., has been named vice president in charge of operations for container vessels, it was announced by Samuel Kahn, president.

Hudson Waterways, a subsidiary of Seatrain Lines, Inc., operates the parent company's container ships. Captain Jeremic has been with the company for 17 years.



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Expansion Of Liquid Parcel Trade Leads To Sizeable Increase In Anco Fleet



The Anco Span, one of five sisterships built by Eriksberg Mek. Verkstad for Anco Tanker Service, is a 23,500-dwt parcel tanker. It has a length overall of 556 feet 6 inches, a beam of 81 feet 3 inches and a depth of 41 feet. The total capacity of the cargo tanks is 191,238 barrels. Propulsion is by a seven-cylinder, single-acting, turbo-charged diesel of the Eriksberg's Burmeister and Wain type, developing 11,500 bhp.

Anco Tanker Service A/S, Oslo, Norway, recently took delivery of the MV Anco Sea, built by Eriksberg Mek. Verkstad, Sweden, thus completing an order for five 23,500-dwt parcel tankers. Six more vessels are being built by Uddevalla Varvet for Athel Line Ltd. of London. Athel Line is a part owner of Anco Tanker Service.

The carrying of parcel oil cargoes was started in the 1930s in ordinary tankers which were rebuilt for such purposes. Prior to that time, the traditional method of transporting small quantities of liquid cargoes was in drums and barrels. Since then efforts have been made to reduce the costs incurred in transporting these small lots of cargoes. The developments in the trade have led to today's parcel tankers of between 20,000 and 30,000 dwt. These tankers may have as many as 40 compartments, and they can carry an equal number of grades of oils, solvents and chemicals. The cargo is pumped into and out of the tanks by a number of independent pumping systems.

One of the largest companies in the parcel tanker trade is Anco Tanker Service, with its head office in Oslo. The present firm was formally incorporated early in 1970, although the owners have been trading in this business since World War II. Anco Tankers currently operates 16 vessels of about 20,000 dwt. Another seven new ships of 23,600 dwt each are scheduled to be delivered to them during 1971 and 1972.

Further expansion is planned. The major problem facing the firm is to develop vessels that suit the ever changing requirements of the liquid parcel trade. Currently, the cargoes carried are partly spot cargoes and partly contract cargoes.

The safe operation of the vessels and the proper handling of the cargoes is a matter which Anco Tankers gives careful consideration. The chemicals, solvents and

oils carried may be toxic, flammable and potential pollutants. It is the responsibility of the firm to carry these cargoes in a manner that is neither harmful to the public or the crew. It is likewise the firm's responsibility towards its customers to see that each cargo arrives in the proper condition.

Numerous steps have been taken to ensure safe cargo handling. Anco Tankers has its own technical staff that determines which cargoes are compatible with the coatings of the different tanks and the general handling requirements of each cargo. These requirements are becoming stricter. A close contact with research institutions, like the National Institute of Technology, Norway, is maintained to effect optimal solutions to cargo-coating compatibility problems and tank-cleaning requirements. The same kind of contact is maintained with the coating manufacturers.

Anco Tanker Service is uniquely international. While its main base is Oslo, no Anco vessel has as yet called at that port. The main activity is between continental Europe, the United States, South America, Japan, Australia and Southeast Asia. The share capital of Anco Tanker Service is equally divided between Athel Line Limited of London, Salenrederierna AB of Stockholm and Ole Schrodter Holding Company A/S of Oslo. The rapidly expanding staff consists of 45 persons. This includes a New York office primarily staffed by Americans, and the Oslo office where an experienced staff consists of English, Swedish and Norwegian shipping people.

Todd-Seattle Awarded \$214,190 Barge Contract

Todd Shipyards-Seattle has been awarded a \$214,190 contract by the Alaska Railroad for the construction of a 7,600-barrel-capacity petroleum and deck cargo barge.



SNAME PACIFIC NORTHWEST SECTION STUDENT MEETING: The Pacific Northwest Section of The Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers heard two papers during its Annual Student Meeting on March 6, 1971, in Seattle, Wash. Pictured above, surrounded by automatic controls during a tour of the T-AGOR-16 Hayes, a catamaran oceanographic research vessel currently nearing completion at Todd Shipyards, Seattle, are left to right: **Ed Steward**, electrical engineering, Todd Shipyards, Seattle, who discussed the technical paper "Central Operations Systems for Shipboard Power Plants," authored and presented by **Al Nitsch**, General Electric; **Pete Sias**, chairman of the Section; **Hans Schaefer**, chief engineer, Todd Shipyards, Seattle; **Gene Frampton**, assistant secretary-treasurer of the Section; **L.D. Chirillo**, vice chairman of the Section who also discussed Mr. Nitsch's paper; Mr. Nitsch, and **Everett Aplet**, University of Washington, who authored and presented the student paper entitled "Application of Micro-Electronics to Marine Deck Machinery Control and Instrumentation."

'Propeller-Excited Ship Vibrations' Subject Of N. California Section



Shown at the meeting in San Francisco, left to right: **W.B. Hickman**, Ocean Machinery Co., Section chairman; **R.G. Kline**, U.S. Steel Corp., author, and **Norman Thompson**, Marcona Corporation, papers committee.

Approximately 60 members and guests attended the March 11, 1971, meeting of the Northern California Section of The Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers in San Francisco.

A paper entitled "Propeller-Excited Ship Vibrations" was outlined by co-author **R.G. Kline**. Mr. Kline, who received his master of engineering degree from the University of California in 1959 and is now associate research consultant for U.S. Steel Co., collaborated with **Ray W. Clough**, professor of civil engineering at the University of California, and **D. Kavlie**, a graduate student at the University of California, in writing the paper.

The investigation described in the paper was prompted by the authors' belief that an oversimplified idealization of ship's structure has

been largely responsible for past failures to accurately predict ship vibration characteristics.

In a previous work, the authors extended the usual single-elastic-axis idealization to include effects of the double-bottom structure. The present work further extended the idealization to account for effects of the propulsion systems and the deckhouse. A computer program was used to solve specific examples which were derived from a Mariner-type vessel. Results indicated that presence of excitation from fluctuating thrust has a significant effect on hull vibration. Location of the thrust bearing was also found to have an important influence, while other factors had only minor effects.

Hugh Monroe, American President Lines, **V.J. Bahorich** and **Randolph Paulling**, University of California, participated in a discussion which followed, centering around questions concerning the practical application of the conclusions arrived at in the paper.



Pictured above, left to right: **Bill Hincks**, M. Guralnick & Assoc., past chairman of the Section; **James A. Stasek**, Kings Point Machinery, public relations committee, and **A.J. Haskell**, Matson Navigation, Section vice chairman.

Defense Plans Merger Of Surface Transport Procurement Functions

David Packard, Deputy Secretary of Defense, recently stated that it is planned to merge all surface transportation procurement functions into a single new agency which would report directly to the Secretary of Defense. It was requested in the Packard memorandum that the establishment of a joint transportation command be explored as "an alternate proposal" to transferring most sea lift logistic functions to an existing Army agency.

The newest proposal explained that the Navy would be provided with the opportunity to salvage certain of its responsibilities for procuring ocean transportation. This would have been lost in the merger plan the Defense Department revealed late in February.

Requirements For Radiographic Inspection Of Hull Welds Published By American Bureau

Maintaining its position as a leading authority on welding standards in the shipbuilding industry, the American Bureau of Shipping has just published its "Requirements for Radiographic Inspection of Hull Welds." It is believed that these requirements are the first such standards to be published by a ship classification society.

Continuing a series of welding publications produced by the bureau during the past three years, the requirements have been prepared to establish ABS acceptance standards of radiographic quality. "It is intended," says the bureau, "that these radiographic requirements will serve the needs of the shipbuilding industry in the construction of merchant ships and

other related marine structures."

The booklet, which costs \$3, is available from any office of the bureau, or from Circulation Manager, American Bureau of Shipping, 45 Broad Street, New York, N.Y. 10004.

Kawasaki Fits World's Largest Nozzle Propeller On Tanker



The 215,782-dwt tanker Golar Nichu, shown on trials off Japan, attained an average sea speed of 16.61 knots.

The 215,782-dwt tanker Golar Nichu, built at the Sakaide yard of Kawasaki Heavy Industries, Ltd., Japan, had the world's largest nozzle propeller installed to increase the propulsive efficiency. The Golar Nichu was delivered recently to her German owners, Ocean Oil Transport GmbH & Co. KG. It carries dual class, both Germanischer Lloyd's and Det norske Veritas.

The Golar Nichu has a length overall of 1,072 feet 10 inches, a breadth of 128 feet 1½ inches, a depth of 82 feet 8 inches, and a fully loaded draft of 64 feet ¾ inches. The main propulsion plant consists of a Kawasaki UR-315, impulse, tandem articulated, double-reduction geared marine reheat turbine with a maximum output of 30,000 shp at 90 rpm and a normal output of 28,000 shp at 88 rpm. A trial speed of 16.61 knots was obtained.

The nozzle propeller was designed and manufactured by Strommen Staal in Norway.

The owners expect that better economy will be obtained in operation of the Golar Nichu by the increase in the propulsive efficiency and the fuel savings from the adoption of the reheat steam turbine plant.



View of world's largest nozzle propeller installed on large tanker by Kawasaki Heavy Industries' Sakaide yard.

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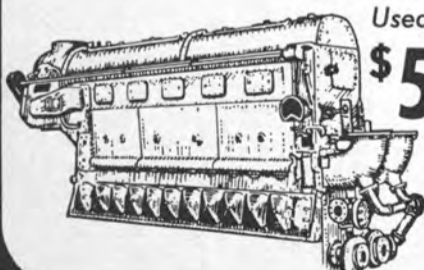
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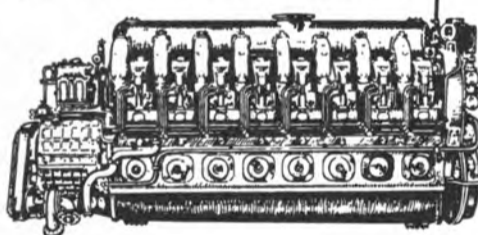
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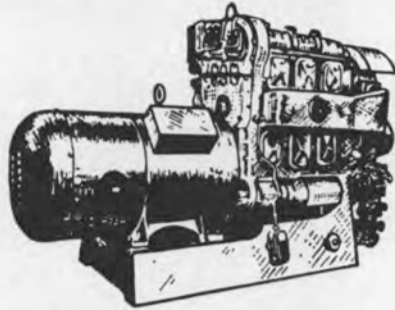
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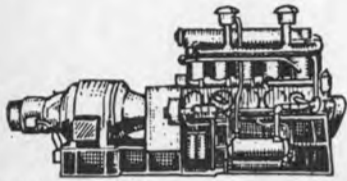
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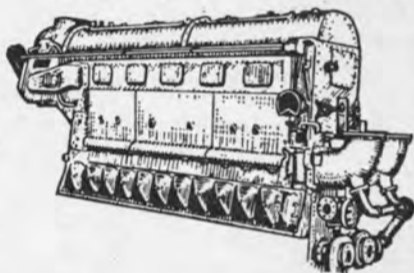
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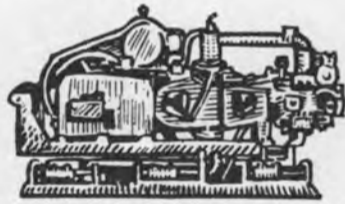
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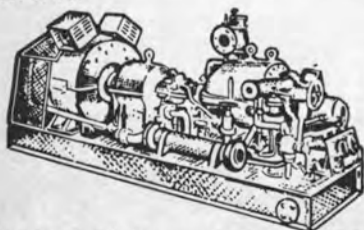
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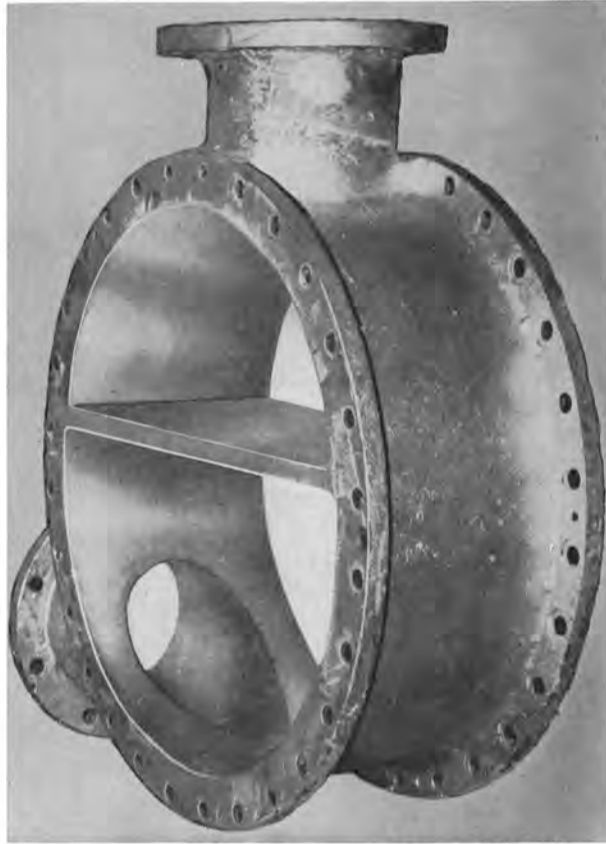
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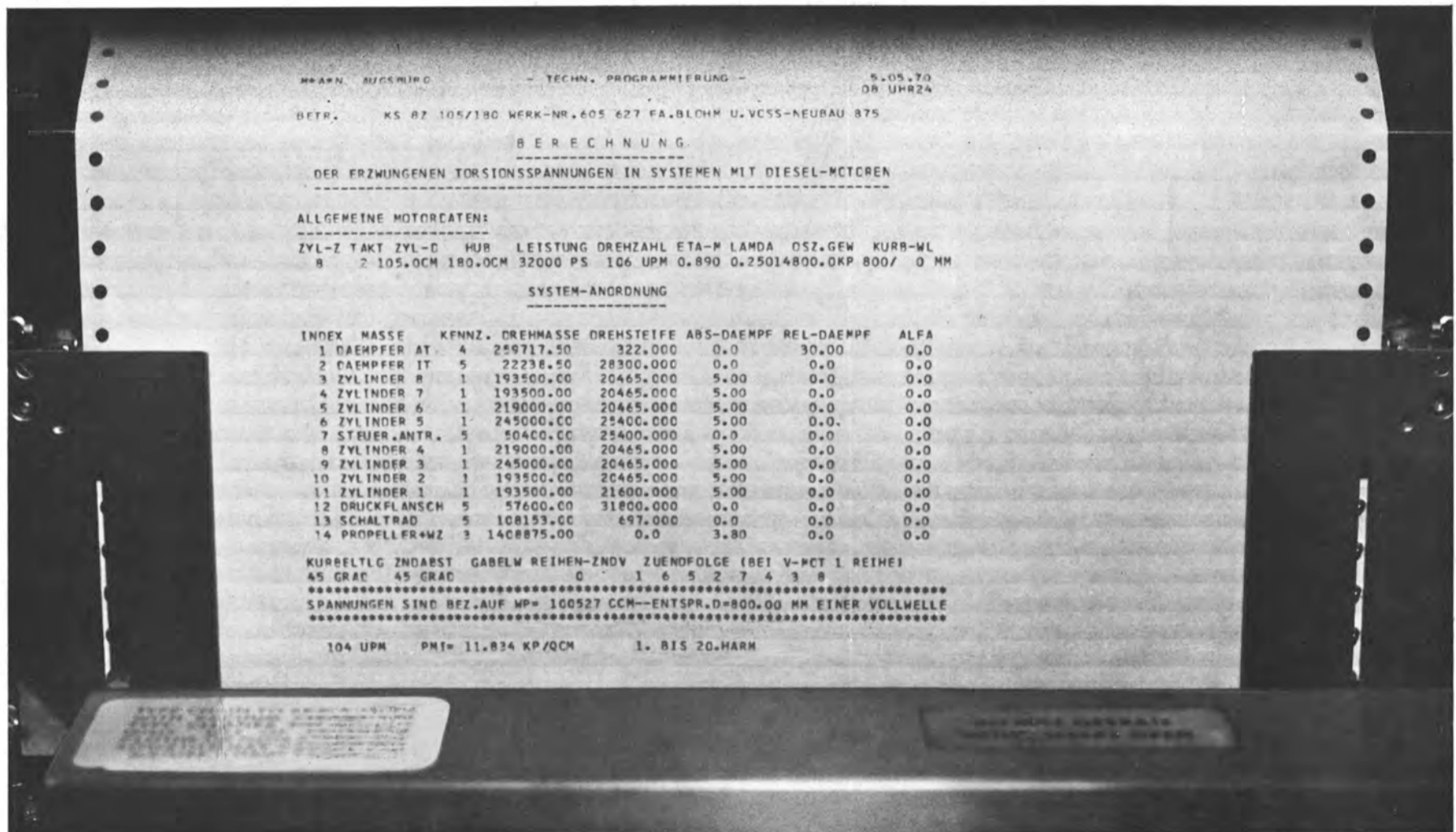
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