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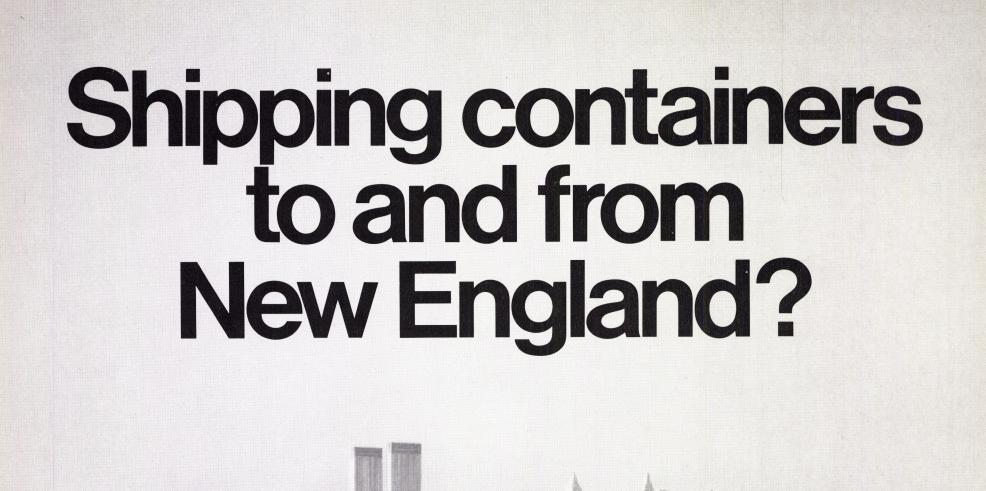
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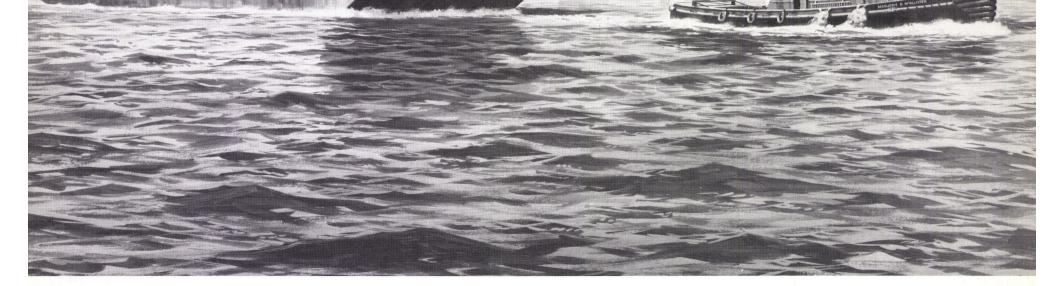
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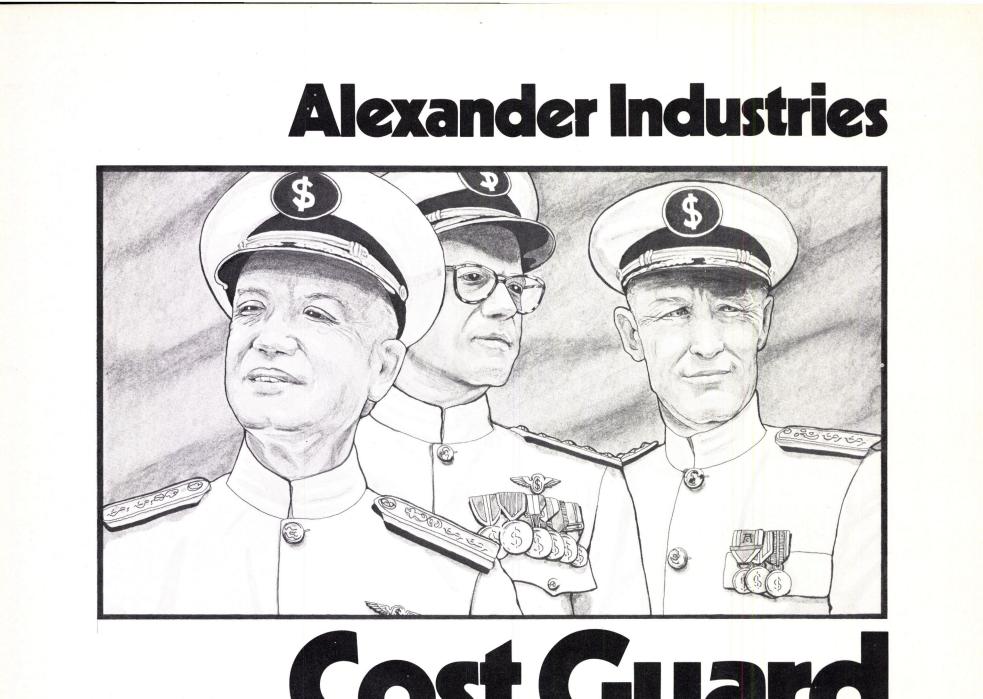


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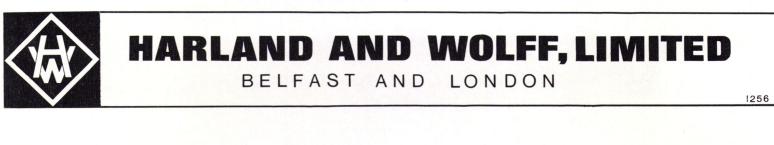
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En route to her sea trials, the LNG Aquarius "squeezes" through the Fore River Drawbridge. Three of her five sisterships currently under construction at the Quincy shipyard are shown in the background.

The LNG Aquarius Is The First Of Twelve LNG Tankers

by the shipyard's 1,200-ton-capacity Goliath crane, the largest in the Western Hemisphere.

The highly sophisticated LNG Aquarius will carry a crew of 30, will have a top speed in excess of 20 knots, and can load and discharge its cargo in 12 hours.

charge its cargo in 12 hours. Quincy has the capacity to build four of the LNG tankers yearly.

LNG AQUARIUS STATISTICS

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SPECIFICATION SUMMARY

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Hull and Machinery	
Range (Fuel Oil Only Fuel Oil Fresh Water Diesel Oil Steam Turbine Single Propeller	6,600 Long Tons 470 Long Tons 185 Long Tons 43,000 Shaft Horsepower 103 RPM
Fuel He	avy Fuel Oil or in combination with LNG Boil-off
Air-Conditioning Pla Bow Thruster Bow Anchors	nt 120 Tons 2,200 Horsepower (2) @ 27,900 Pounds
Cargo System	
Cargo Tanks	5 Spherical Aluminum Tanks (120 feet inside diameter)
Tank Volume 126,	750 cubic meters @ 100% Full

Loading/Unloading Time 12 Hours Cargo Pumps (10) Capacity (minimum) - 1,100 cubic meters per hour

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Being Built By General Dynamics

The largest liquefied natural gas (LNG) tanker ever built in the U.S. was named on May 27, during ceremonies at General Dynamics Quincy shipyard in Massachusetts.

Mrs. David S. Lewis, wife of the chairman and chief executive officer of General Dynamics, officially named the supertanker LNG Aquarius, before a crowd of several thousand invited guests and shipyard workers and their families gathered at the yard.

The 936-foot-long, 95,000-ton vessel is the



Mrs. David S. Lewis, wife of the chairman of the General Dynamics Corp., watches bursting champagne after she named the new tanker LNG Aquarius. Alongside is **P. Takis Veliotis**, president, Shipbuilding Division of General Dynamics.

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first of 12 being built by General Dynamics. Five of the 12 ships will be used to transport LNG from Algeria to the U.S. East and Gulf Coast ports, while the other seven will carry gas from Indonesia to Japan.

All the ships will operate under American registry and will be manned by American crews.

The LNG Aquarius has been delivered and will enter initial service on the Indonesia to Japan route later this year under long-term charter to a subsidiary of Burmah Oil Company.

The naming ceremony culminated more than three years of construction effort on the LNG Aquarius, one of the most technologically advanced merchant ships ever built.

The tanker will carry 125,000 cubic meters of liquefied natural gas on each trip, enough gas to serve an American city of 500,000 for a month. The gas will be carried in five 120-foot-diameter spherical aluminum cargo tanks at a temperature of minus 265 degrees Fahrenheit. The 2-inch-thick walls of the tanks are covered with 9 inches of polyurethane insulation to help maintain the very low temperature and prevent boil-off of the gas. The liquefaction process reduces the volume of the gas some 600 times.

The 850-ton spherical tanks are produced at General Dynamics Charleston, S.C., fabrication facility and transported to Quincy by barge, where they are installed in the tankers Private Toilets and Showers Dining Room, Lounge, and Recreation Rooms for Officers and Crew

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ABS To Consolidate Headquarter Operations

The American Bureau of Shipping, a 115-year-old ship classification society, has acquired a 21-story building on lower Manhattan for use as its worldwide headquarters.

Announcement of the purchase was made by Robert T. Young, ABS president, and James D. Robinson III, chairman and chief press Co., owner of the 65 Broadway, New York City property, which has been taken over by the classification society.

ABS has made its worldwide headquarters at 45 Broad Street, New York, since 1946, but as a result of the organization's expanding activities it has been forced to take additional space in nearby buildings.

The ship classification society executive officer of American Ex- had its first headquarters in the old Merchants Exchange on Wall Street, opening offices there in 1862.

throughout the world. The Bureau subsequently moved to a number of new sites, all on nationally accepted Rules for the lower Manhattan, outgrowing each design, construction and periodic in turn, until it acquired the 45 survey of merchant ships and Broad Street building which has other marine structures. been the focal point for its international activities ever since. ABS Worldwide Technical Serv-

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Port Weller To Build \$33-Million Bulker

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The Society establishes inter-

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ices, Inc., and ABS Computers, Inc., will also be located at the new headquarters building.

A contract to build a maximum Seaway-size self-unloading bulk carrier valued at \$33,000,000 has been awarded to Port Weller Dry Docks of St. Catharines, Ontario, Canada, by Upper Lakes Shipping Ltd. of Toronto.

The ship, designated as Hull 64, will closely resemble the Canadian Olympic, delivered by Port Weller to the same owners in October 1976.

She will be equipped with the same type of cargo reclaimer and the automated console that permits a single operator to unload the ship at a rate of 6,000 tons an hour. The console and the reclaimer were developed by Port Weller, its subsidiary Canal Electric Ltd., and a materials handling company. However, the ship's increased breadth of 75.83 feet and changes in the interior structural design will increase her cargo ca-

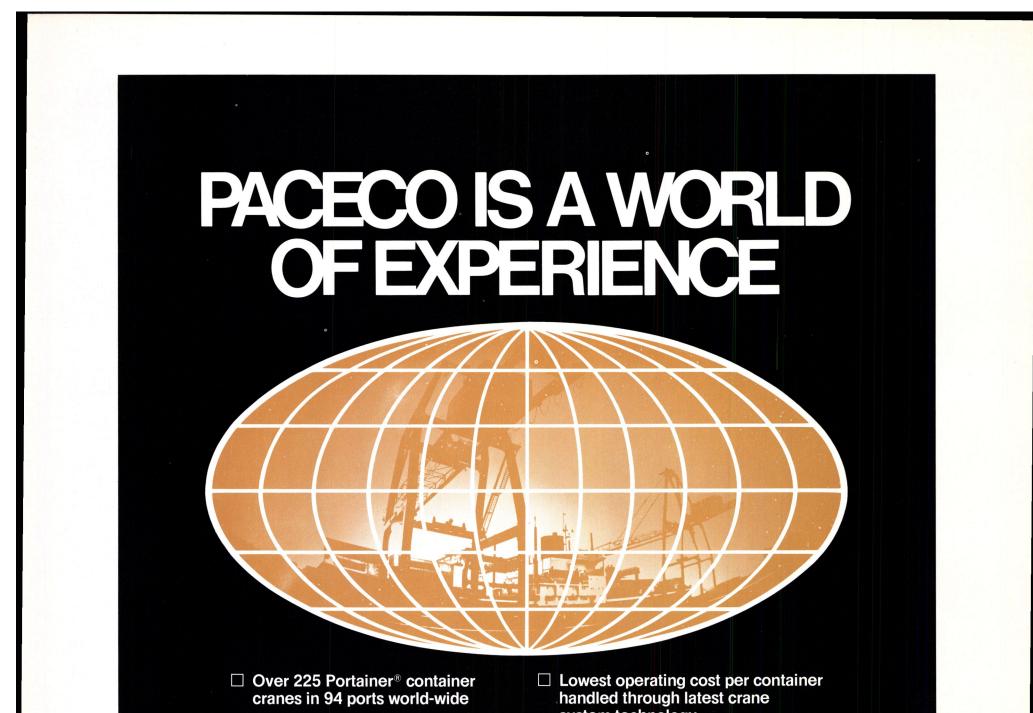


pacity to 1,421,300 cubic feet, an increase of 31,800 cubic feet. The increased breadth conforms with recent changes in regulations of the St. Lawrence Seaway Authority.

The ship will be powered by two M.A.N. diesel engines generating 10,000 metric bhp. Her speed will be 13 knots (15 mph).

MSB To Compute Estimated Foreign Cost Of Tug/Barge

The Maritime Subsidy Board (MSB) has issued a notice that it intends to compute the estimated foreign cost of the construction of a Catug integrated tug/barge vessel. The computation will be made in connection with the application which Arna Marine Company, Fort Lauderdale, Fla., submitted in May for construction-differential subsidy and a Title XI guarantee to aid in financing the construction of a 42,000-deadweight-ton tug/barge unit. The U.S. construction cost of the vessel is estimated to be \$25.75 million. Firms having any interest in the computation may submit written statements to the Secretary, Maritime Subsidy Board, until the close of business on August 5, 1977.



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Carrington Slipways Receive Order To Build Offshore Supply Vessel

Tidewater Port Jackson Marine of Sydney, New South Wales, have placed an order with Car-rington Slipways Pty. Ltd., shipbuilders of Newcastle, New South Wales, Australia, to build a 197foot offshore supply vessel.

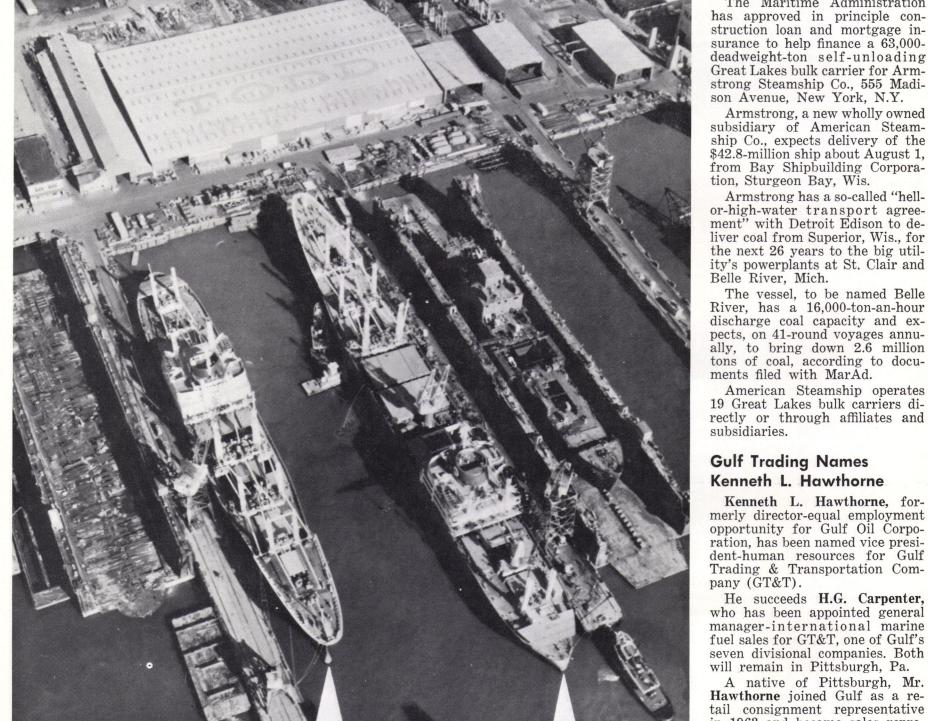
The vessel will be propelled by two turbocharged General Motors 16-cylinder diesel engines developing a total of 5,750 brake horsepower transmitted through twin controllable-pitch propellers enclosed in fixed propulsion nozzles. Dimensions will be 197 feet overall, breadth 40 feet, displacement approximately 2,200 tons, an estimated bollard pull in excess

of 75 tons, and design speed of $15\frac{1}{2}$ knots.

Delivery of the vessel is scheduled for May 1978, the value being in the vicinity of \$5,000,000. This vessel is the second to be

built by Carrington Slipways Pty. Ltd. for Tidewater Port Jackson Marine. The Northern Tide was completed in February 1974.

The new vessel also is intended



for use in the servicing of offshore oil rigs within Australian waters.

> Carrington Slipways Pty. Ltd. is currently constructing a 322foot cement carrier for Bulkships Limited. The launching and official naming of this ship is scheduled for September 1977.

MarAd Approves Loan To **Finance Bulk Carrier**

The Maritime Administration has approved in principle construction loan and mortgage insurance to help finance a 63,000deadweight-ton self-unloading Great Lakes bulk carrier for Arm-strong Steamship Co., 555 Madison Avenue, New York, N.Y.

Armstrong, a new wholly owned subsidiary of American Steamship Co., expects delivery of the \$42.8-million ship about August 1, from Bay Shipbuilding Corporation, Sturgeon Bay, Wis.

Armstrong has a so-called "hellor-high-water transport agree-ment" with Detroit Edison to deliver coal from Superior, Wis., for the next 26 years to the big utility's powerplants at St. Clair and Belle River, Mich.

The vessel, to be named Belle River, has a 16,000-ton-an-hour discharge coal capacity and expects, on 41-round voyages annually, to bring down 2.6 million tons of coal, according to docu-ments filed with MarAd.

American Steamship operates 19 Great Lakes bulk carriers directly or through affiliates and subsidiaries.

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He succeeds H.G. Carpenter, who has been appointed general

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will remain in Pittsburgh, Pa. A native of Pittsburgh, Mr. Hawthorne joined Gulf as a retail consignment representative

seven divisional companies. Both

in 1963 and became sales representative the following year. In 1968, he was promoted to supervisor of Gulf service stations on the Pennsylvania Turnpike.

As a loaned executive from Gulf to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in 1969, Mr. Hawthorne served in Harrisburg, Pa., as a special urban affairs representative of former Governor Raymond P. Shafer.

He was named an advisor on Gulf's worldwide marketing coordination staff in 1970, New York City district marketing manager in 1971, and corporate EEO director in 1975.





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New Zealand Awards Multimillion-Dollar Contract To Sembawang

Sembawang Shipyard recently won a multimillion-dollar contract from the New Zealand Government for major refitting and modification of one of its ferries, the 4,610-grt G.M.V. Aramoana.

The contract, signed between visiting New Zealand Prime Min- and cars between Wellington and

shipyard's chairman, Pang Tee of New Zealand. **Pow,** is the yard's first major project from the State-owned company, New Zealand Railways. The Aramoana — which means "pathway over the ocean" in Maori language—is one of the four ferries operated by the New Zealand Railways for conveying passengers, railway wagons, freight

ister Robert Muldoon and the Picton, North and South Islands

At the signing ceremony, Mr. Muldoon stressed that his government decided to award the Sembawang Group the contract because of their reliability and performance on an earlier New Zealand project.

The vessel, built in 1962 by William Denny and Brothers Ltd., Dumarton, Scotland, will arrive

early this month for the refitting operation, which is expected to be completed in late October. Apart from steelworks, this involves the complete refurnishing and up-grading of the passengers' and crew's accommodation.

Paceco Names Cutten Director Of Engineering And Quality Assurance





Merritt E. Cutten

John F. Martin, president, Pa-ceco, Inc., a subsidiary of Fruehauf Corporation, has announced the appointment of Merritt E. Cutten to director of Engineering and Quality Assurance. The po-sition provides for supervision and responsibility for the Product Design Engineering Department, Field Operations Department, Engineering Development Department, and the Industrial Engineering Department. Mr. Cutten is also responsible for the Quality Assurance and Control Department.

Prior to joining Paceco, Mr. Cutten was a partner in Craig, Cutten & Associates, Inc., general management consultants. Previous to the 12 years spent



pull, hydraulic azimuth control, mechanical brakes to hold thruster position if oil pressure is lost, blade seals tested at a water pressure corresponding to 130 feet submergence, gears designed for unlimited life, and bearings selected to provide a minimum B-10 life of 25,000 hours at full load.

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with that firm, he was with General Electric Company for 15 years, working in engineering, production and management positions.

Mr. Cutten is an engineering graduate from Stanford University.

SNAME Headquarters Moved To North Tower World Trade Center

The 11,000-member Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers has moved its headquarters office to the 13th floor of the North Tower of the World Trade

Center, New York City. The Society, which is an association of naval architects, designers and engineers engaged in all aspects of the maritime field, had maintained its headquarters in the office building directly behind Trinity Church at 74 Trinity Place for about 24 years. Before that, the office has been at 29 West 39th Street. At the time of the move downtown, the Society comprised 6,000 members. The new office at One World

Trade Center (Suite 1369), New York, N.Y. 10048, will provide the necessary space for expansion consistent with the Society's steady growth.



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Multipurpose/Container **Ships Ordered From** Korea Shipbuilding

Reederei D. Oltmann KG of Bremen have placed orders for two multipurpose/container ships with Korea Shipbuilding and Engineering Corporation in Pusan and have retained Technical Marine Planning Ltd., a London consulting naval architecture and marine engineering firm, for the development of the specifications, approval of plans and supervision during the construction.

The 18,000-dwt vessels will be

knots. One hundred twenty reefer containers may be connected to the vessels' powerplant. The vessels will also be strengthened for heavy cargoes.

The vessels' dimensions are 509

latest design, developing 11,400 bhp maximum continuous rating at 150 rpm. Three sets of twin cranes 2 by 20 tons will be provided for cargo handling, and a bow thruster with variable pitch propeller will facilitate maneuvering.

Propulsion Systems, Inc. Expands Thruster Line

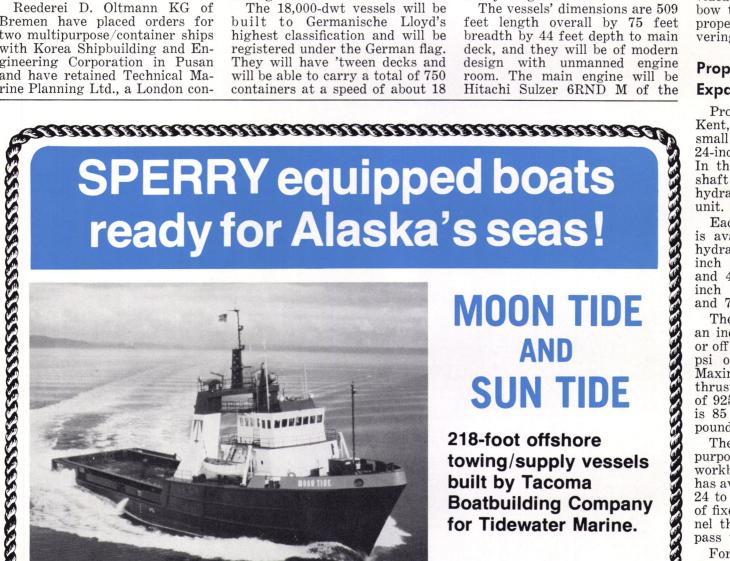
Propulsion Systems, Inc. of Kent, Wash., has entered the small thruster field with 16 and 24-inch-diameter tunnel thrusters. In these thrusters, the propeller shaft is driven directly by a hydraulic motor contained in the

Each of these two thrusters is available with three different hydraulic motors, giving the 16inch thruster ratings of 24, 30 and 40 horsepower, and the 24inch thruster ratings of 45, 57 and 70 horsepower.

The thrusters can be driven by an independent hydraulic system or off a larger multi-service 1,500psi or higher pressure system. Maximum flow in the 16-inch thruster is 42 gpm for a thrust of 925 pounds, and in the 24-inch is 85 gpm for a thrust of 1,750 pounds.

The thrusters are for general purpose use in fishing vessels, workboats and pleasure craft. PSI has available thrusters rated from 24 to 3,000 horsepower, thrusters of fixed or controllable pitch, tunnel thrusters and rotatable compass thrusters.

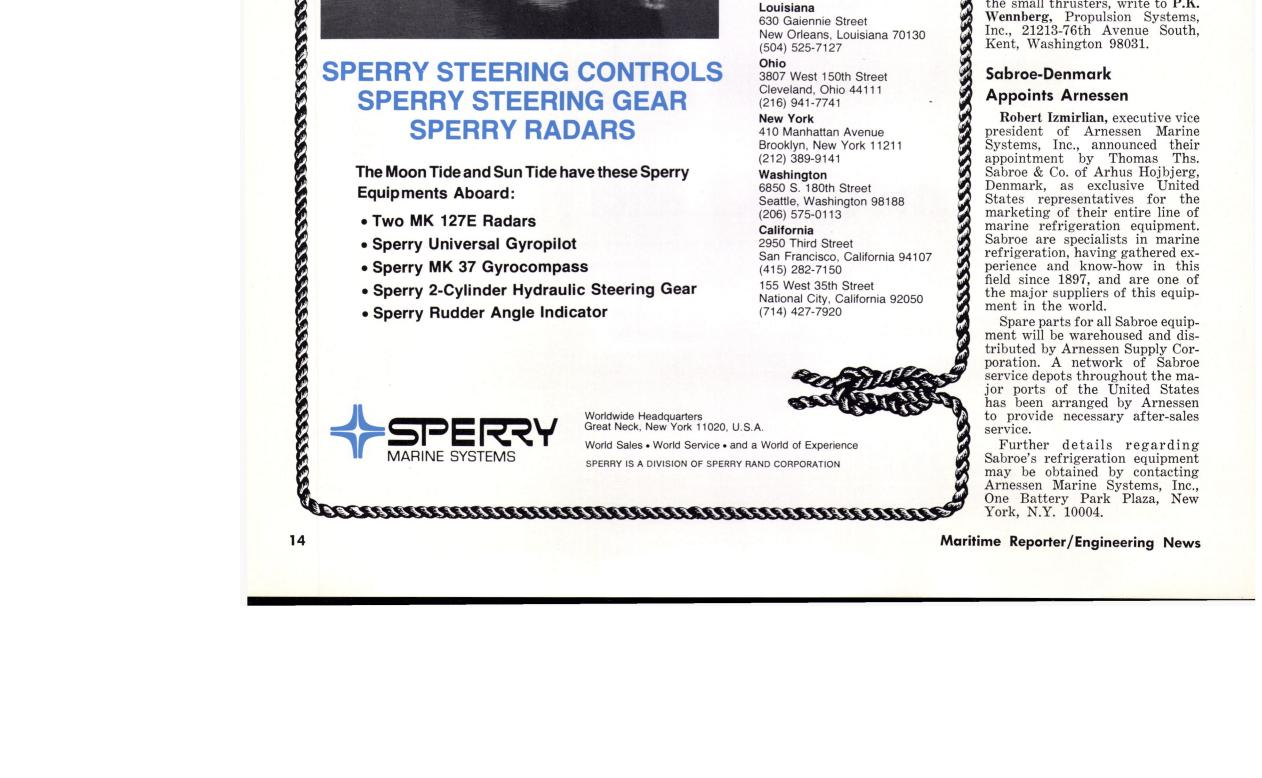
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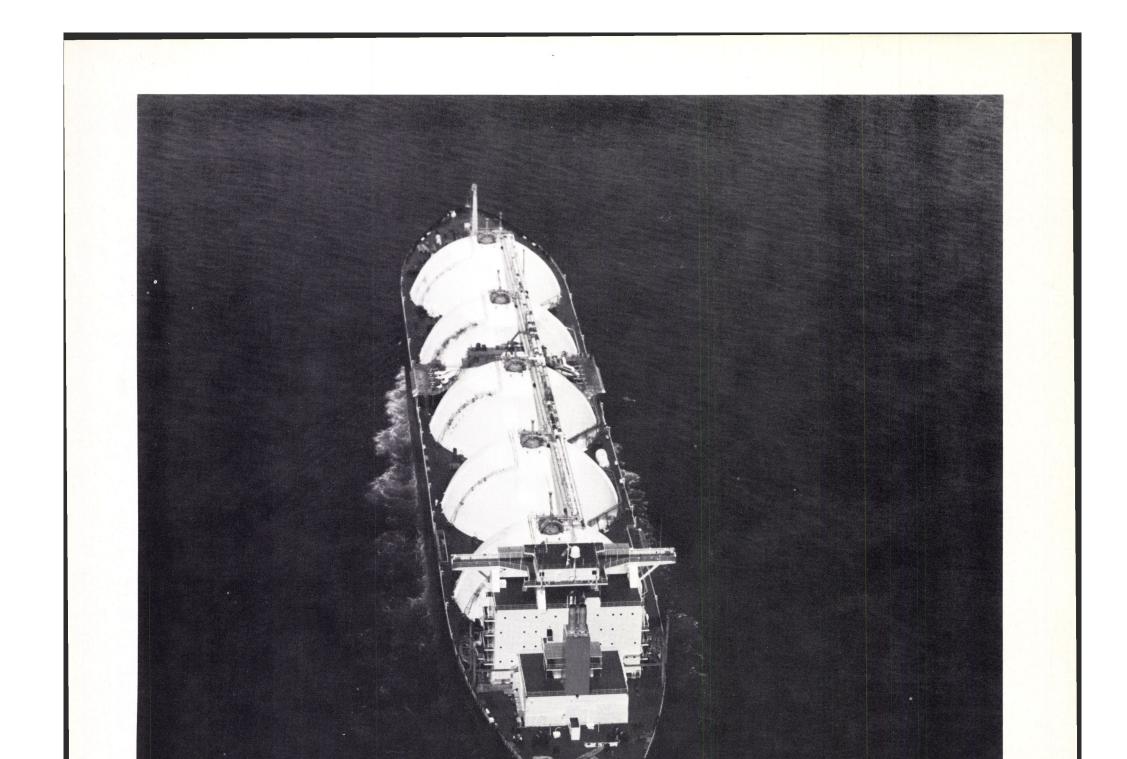


THE REPART

218-foot offshore towing/supply vessels built by Tacoma **Boatbuilding Company**

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LNG — Liquefied natural gas tankers being built to General Dynamics' Quincy (Mass.) Shipbuilding Division will soon help to ease energy shortages in Japan and the United States.

Engineered for safety, each 936-foot ship will transport 125,000 cubic meters of LNG — in five giant 800-ton aluminum spheres. These spheres, the building blocks of a total LNG system, are produced in a new and unique facility in Charleston, S.C. Another example of timely technology from General Dynamics.

GENERAL DYNAMICS

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Hillman Transportation **Names Kenny President**

Robert E. Kenny has been named president and chief operating officer of Hillman Transportation Company, an operating division of Hillman Manufacturing Company, Pittsburgh, Pa. 15219.

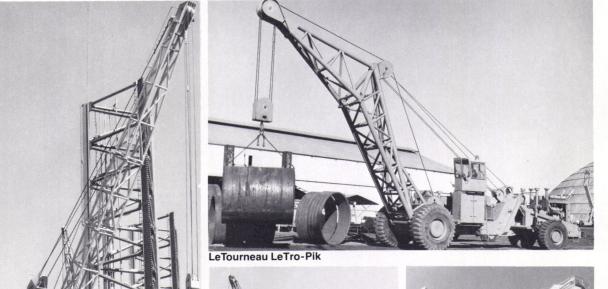
Hillman Transportation is engaged in inland marine transportation serving shippers of coal, other basic commodities, and heavy manufactured products.

Mr. Kenny was previously director of market development and planning with Dravo Corporation, which he joined in 1969. His activities at Dravo included business planning and development, marketing research and acquisitions. Prior to his experience at Dravo, Mr Kenny was senior analyst in the Commercial Research Division of U.S. Steel Corporation, where he was concerned with

search, strategy and development. Other experience includes positions with Dewey and Almy Chem- sequently, he served to the rank ical Division of W.R. Grace and of lieutenant aboard a destroyer Company, subsequent to his receiving a master's degree in business administration from the Harvard Graduate School of Business.

A native of Attleboro, Mass., Mr. Kenny received his Bachelor of Arts degree with distinction product, market and economic re- from Brown University, where

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he also earned the rank of ensign in the U.S. Naval Reserve. Subescort.

J. Ray McDermott Wins \$100-Million **Contract From Dubai**

Oceanic Contractors, a subsidiary of J. Ray McDermott of New Orleans, La., has won a \$100-million contract to build part of a gas processing plant for the Persian Gulf sheikdom of Dubai, the Middle East Economic Survey reported.

Oceanic Contractors will design and build offshore compressor platforms, marine-to-shore pipelines, an onshore processing unit, and shipping facilities.

Four Appointments At Barber Oil Corp.

Robert L. Purvin, president and chief executive officer of Barber Oil Corporation, New York, N.Y., has announced that the board of directors has designated John J. Lee, executive vice president, as chief operating officer. Barber is a diversified energy and natural resource company in oil and gas, coal, petroleum tanker transport, and the production of Gilsonite. Dr. Purvin also announced that John J. Ervin, vice president of Trinidad Corporation, Barber's wholly owned tanker subsidiary, was elected president of Trinidad, succeeding Mr. Lee who becomes chairman. Trinidad has also named Thomas Uleau as treasurer. Mr. Uleau was chief financial officer of TTT Shipping Serv-



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Franklin S. Wimer, vice president-corporate development of Barber Oil Corporation, has been made president of Barber's consulting subsidiary, Purvin & Lee, Inc., and Mr. Lee has assumed the role of chairman of the board.

Penco To Distribute **Oil Pollution Monitor**

Penco Division, Hudson Engineering Co. of Hoboken, N.J., has been named sales and service agents for the Salwico Oil Pollution Monitor, by Salen Vattenvard, Sundbyberg, Sweden.

The device is employed by tankers and other vessels to maintain a record of overboard discharges so as to avoid pollution in harbors and on the high seas. It monitors the full range of normal crude oils and the most refined products without individual setting or calibration.

Models are available for ballast water and/or bilge water monitoring. The principle employed is a combination of discoloration and gas evaporation effects registered by photo-optical and gas measuring devices. For additional information, write to Jack Ellsworth, Penco Division, Hudson Engineering Co., 114 Clinton Street, Hoboken, N.J. 07030.



'Tina' Is A Happy Blend Of Innovations And Proven Designs



The twin-screw 360-degree rotating Kort nozzle shipdocking tug Tina is powered by two General Motors Detroit Diesel engines generating 1,070 horsepower.

Wilmington Launch Service, Wilmington, Del., has placed in service the new 65-foot shipdocking tug, Tina, which can create con-trolled thrust while pushing or hauling, fore and aft, even sidestepping, with only one man on deck.

This capability is the result of several design innovations. The hull has a flat afterbody above two fully rotatable, high-thrust units with nozzles placed outboard and well aft. A fin keel amidships provides directional stability, yet permits the tug to turn com-

Vertically layered rubber fenders grip a steel hull like fingers, maintaining tight control yet easy disengagement with very little abrasion.

Two GM Detroit Diesel 16V-71N engines generate 1,070 hp, and are splayed 15 degrees off center almost amidships, thus allowing the right-angled propulsion units to be set well outboard.

Careful attention to electrical requireprimarily in those two states. ments, engine cooling capacity, hydraulic assists on capstans, all combine to make this **Bank Line Orders** new tug, designed and built by Gladdingpletely around three times in one minute. Six Cargo Vessels Hearn Shipbuilding Corporation, Somerset, From the pilothouse, the captain can see Mass., a major new addition to innovative 360 degrees, as well as upward, while dual Bank Line of London is continuing a matug design technology. Established over 22 controls permit easy maneuvering while gojor modernization of its cargoliner fleet. years ago, Gladding-Hearn builds steel and ing forward or astern. On deck, access hatches Bank Line has announced that it has aluminum workboats from 25 to 100 feet allow easy repair or replacement of the proplaced an order for six new cargoliners, to overall, for both domestic and international pulsion units. cost a total of \$85 million, with the Sunderuses land Shipbuilders, also of the United King-**Principal Suppliers** dom. The vessels will each be 18,350 tons dead-Pioneer Industries, Carlstadt, N.J. Doors: Marhill Mfg., Smithville, Texas Cornell-Carr, Monroe, Conn. weight, with a length of 500 feet and width Windows and Ports: of 75 feet. The new building contract—which Kearfott Singer, Mount Vernon, N.Y. brings the total number of ships currently Fendering: Engineered Products, Seattle, Wash on order by Bank Line, all with Sunderland, Schuyler Bumpers, Staten Island, N.Y. Charles Bevis & Assoc., Tacoma, Wash. up to 10 units—was revealed during chris-Capstan: Propulsion Units: Murray & Tregurtha, Quincy, Mass. Propellers: Federal Propellers, Grand Rapids, Mich. Main Engine: GM Detroit, Carey's Garage, tening ceremonies for the firm's new M/V Riverbank. Bank Line offers fortnightly container and Wilmington, Del. Morse, Hudson, Ohio Lister Diesel, R.A. Mitchell, Engine Controls: breakbulk service from New Orleans, La., Auxiliary Engines: and Houston, Texas, to New Zealand and Fairhaven, Mass. R.W. Fernstrum, Menominee, Wis. I.T.T. Jabsco, Costa Mesa, Calif. Australia. Recently, Bank Line also re-Keel Coolers: entered the trans-Pacific trade, with monthly Bilge Pumps: sailings between Papua, New Guinea, and California, and to U.S. Gulf and East Coast Exhaust Silencers: Cowl, Manitoba, Canada The captain of the Tina has 360-degree visibility as Federal Pacific Electric Co., Switchboards: he backs away after undocking a Hellenic Lines ship Newark, N.J. ports on inducement. Westinghouse Electric, Pittsburgh, Pa. in Wilmington. Glass overhead permits an upward view Heinemann, Trenton, N.J. Lima Electric, R.A. Mitchell, when working in close. General agents for Bank Line in the United States are Boyd, Weir and Sewell, Inc. of Generator: Fairhaven, Mass. Description New York. Bank Line is represented in the Batteries: State Battery, Providence, R.I. Gulf by Strachan Shipping Company. Surrette Battery, Salem, Mass. Lamarche, Des Plaines, III. Tug "TINA" Official Number 580,169 Battery Charger: Wilmington, Del Home Port Searchlights: Carlisle & Finch, Cincinnati, Ohio Wilmington Launch Services, Inc. MarAd Approves Transfer Of Owner Perko, Miami, Fla. Oceanic Electric Mfg. Company, New York, N.Y. Gladding-Hearn Shipbuilding Corporation, Somerset, Mass. 02725 Ship handling & towing in the Delaware Lighting: Builder Interest In Shipyard To Alien Service Seacoast Electric, Passaic, N.J. Raytheon, Manchester, N.H. River and Bay 65'-0" 26'-0" Wiring: Brownsville Steel & Salvage, Inc., Browns-Length, overall Electronics: ville, Texas, has had its application to trans-(Radar, Radio, Fathometer) Breadth, molded fer interest in a shipyard/ship demolition Anchor: Danforth, Portland, Maine Breadth, extreme 27'-0" Wall Rope Works, Beverly, N.J. E.S. Ritchie, Pembroke, Mass. Depth, molded Draft, molded, to DWL facility to an alien approved by the Mari-9'-4" 5'-9" Cordage: time Administration. Contractual rights will Compass: Atlantic-Pacific Mfg., Brooklyn, N.Y. Texaco, New York, N.Y. 10'-6" Lifesaving: Draft to bottom of skeg be assigned to a corporation or partnership Displacement to DWL 127.5 long tons owned 30 percent by Brownsville Steel & Salvage, Inc., and 70 percent by Eckhardt Lubricants: Gross measurement tons Net measurement tons 109.12 Coating and Paints: Devoe & Raynolds, Louisville, Ky. Propulsion plant Twin-screw diesel, with 360° & Co. KG, a partnership of the Federal Re-Westinghouse Credit Corporation Financing: steerable propellers in nozzles, approx. 1,000 total horsepower public of Germany. The facility is located Burlington, Mass. on the Brownsville Ship Channel.

General Dynamics Awarded \$354-Million Sub Contract

-Option For Two More

General Dynamics has been awarded a \$354,500,000 contract by the U.S. Navy for construction of a fifth Trident ballistic missile submarine, plus options for construction of two more.

This new award raises the value of the company's contracts for the 560-foot-long, 18.750-ton missile-firing submarines to more than \$1.3 billion.

The highly advanced Tridents were designed and are being built at the company's Electric Boat Division in Groton, Conn. The keel for the first of the class, the Ohio, was laid early last year and the keel for the second, the Michigan, was laid April 4 of this year. Fabrication of subassemblies for the third and fourth ships is well along at the Division's Quonset Point, R.I., facility.

David S. Lewis, chairman of the board and chief executive of General Dynamics, said: "Our contracts for these five Tridents are on a basis that provides the company with the opportunity for steady earnings for many years to come, and we expect to receive orders for additional ships of this class which will extend this long-term program significantly.

Trident construction will offer job opportunities for the people of Connecticut and Rhode Island for the next several years as the program expands. Currently, the Electric Boat Division employs nearly 30,000 people,

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Scottish Offshore **Opens Texas Office**

The Scottish Offshore Partnership (SCOPA) has announced the formal opening of its office in Houston, Texas. This significant action by a British group of consulting engineers requires explanation.

SCOPA has been set up with its headquarters in Glasgow, Scotland, to provide a wide range of engineering services to the offshore industry. This is achieved by drawing on the combined experience of over 1,500 professional staff from five experienced firms of consulting engineers whose collective capability covers civil and structural, mechanical, electrical and marine engineering, and naval architecture. These are: Babtie, Shaw and Morton, Crouch and Hogg, Merz and McLellan, James Williamson and Partners, and Y-ard Ltd.

The partnership offers a comprehensive service of feasibility studies design engineering, project management and procurement, and supervision of con-

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struction and commissioning. In addition, SCOPA services, as required.

Based on its collective experience of the North Sea, SCOPA provides solutions where unusual locations or difficult environmental conditions require novel designs. Such requirements may include new platform variants, improved storage and transfer, and transport systems, topside equipment and land-based infrastructure.

With this market in mind, SCOPA has taken the positive step of opening an office in Houston with permanent technical and commercial staff drawn from the senior staff of member firms. Since most major opportunities arise in organizations based in Houston, this will permit SCOPA to make a quick response to inquiries, to relationships with American-based organizations.

For further information, contact John Forrest, Vice President Engineering, Scottish Offshore Partnership, 1100 Milam, Suite 4610, Houston, Texas 77002.





Shortly after the christening ceremonies, with hundreds of guests and dignitaries aboard, the two-decked Miss Freedom received a traditional New York Harbor welcome as she cruised to Liberty State Park. New York Mayor Abraham Beame and New Jersey Governor Brendan Byrne are shown facing the camera at the railing above the name Miss Freedom

Miss Freedom, a new 500-passenger Circle Line vessel that will inaugurate ferry service to Ellis Island from both Battery Park and Liberty State Park (Jersey City, N.J.) was christened recently at dockside ceremonies at the Circle Line Pier 83 in New York City.

New York Mayor Abraham D. Beame and New Jersey Governor Brendan Byrne, who spoke at the ceremonies, looked on as Geralyn Clair, granddaughter of Circle Line Statue of Liberty Ferry president Frank P. Clair. christened

follows the exact route taken by most of the 16 million immigrants who were processed at Ellis Island between 1892 and 1932. It is estimated that half the U.S. population are either direct descendants of Ellis Island immigrants, or came through themselves.

As visitors go through each of the areas, tour-guides explain the purpose of each location and provide historic insights and facts. Circle Line was founded in 1945

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Miss Freedom with a bottle of New York champagne. The vessel will operate under a franchise granted by the U.S. Department of the Interior.

Francis J. Barry, president of Circle Line, said during the ceremony that Miss Freedom "represents \$750,000 worth of confidence in the City of New York and its future tourism business.' The vessel was blessed by Msgr. Thomas McGovern, Catholic Chaplain, Port of New York and pastor, Shrine Church of the Sea.

After leaving Pier 83 with hundreds of dignitaries and guests, the two-decked Miss Freedom received a traditional New York Harbor welcome as she cruised to Liberty State Park for additional ceremonies there.

Miss Freedom, with a hull size of 135 feet by 28 feet, was built and designed by Blount Marine Corporation, Warren, R.I. Powered by General Motors 12V71s, the new vessel made 12 miles per hour on trials.

Miss Freedom will make four direct trips daily to Ellis Island from Battery Park, and three trips daily from Liberty State Park.

When Miss Freedom arrives at Ellis Island, passengers will be escorted by National Park Service Rangers on a one-hour tour that 2045)

hattan Island by boat. The three hour, 35-mile cruise has been taken by over 29 million passengers and is known as "America's favorite boatride." Cruises leave from Pier 83 every 45 minutes during the summer.

In 1953, Circle Line obtained a franchise from the U.S. Department of the Interior to operate the ferries from Battery Park to the Statue of Liberty. Ferries leave Battery Park daily every hour on the hour between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m.

In 1962, Circle Line purchased the Hudson River Day Line as a wholly owned subsidiary. The company operates the 3,500-passenger Dayliner on daily cruises to Bear Mountain State Park, the U.S. Military Academy of West Point, and Poughkeepsie. The cruise originates from Pier 81, West 42nd Street, New York City.

\$2.5-Million Contract

To Southwest Marine

Southwest Marine, Inc., Chula Vista, Calif., has received a \$2,-558,208 formally advertised firm fixed price contract for 50-foot workboats with associated repair parts and data. The Naval Sea Systems Command is the contracting activity. (N00024-77-C-





The Sen. Alvin T. Stumpf was designed by Barnard & Thomas Engineering, Inc. and

boat; Scott Dowdell, Jeffboat project coordinator, and Capt. R.S. Jacobs, owner's representative.



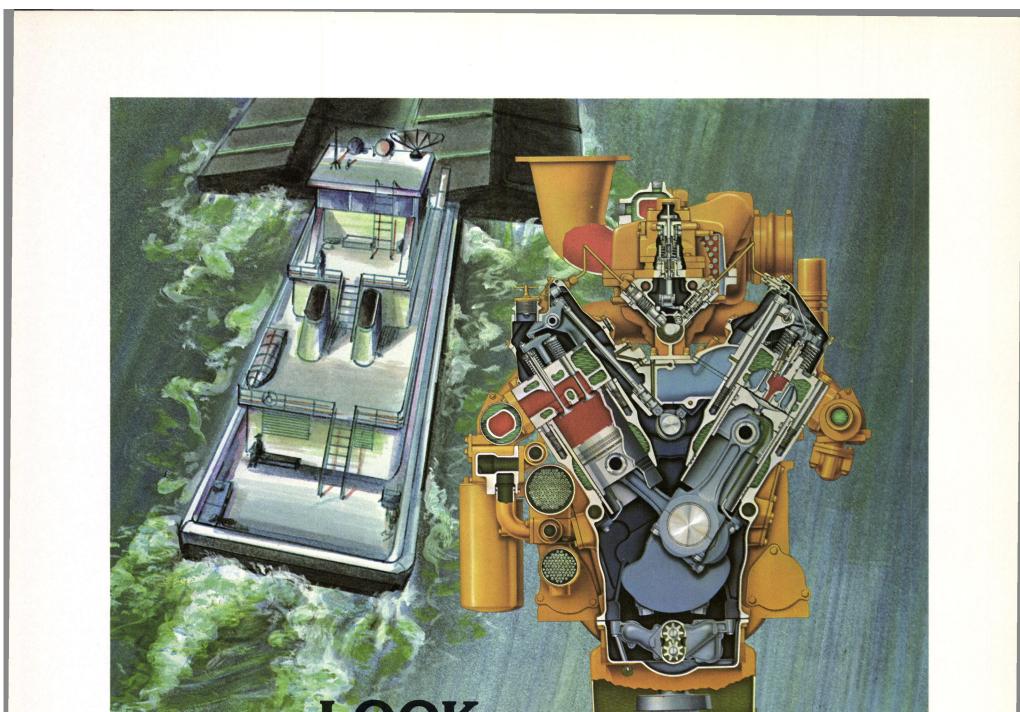
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Hamilton, formerly managing director for the Far East, has been transferred to London, England, as managing director for North Europe. He replaces Col. Robert Larson, who has been transferred to Washington, D.C. David Kirby, formerly director of marketing operations for the Far East, replaces Mr. Hamilton.



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MID-AIR LAUNCHING-The Vicki Ann, shown suspended on the hook of a 450-ton-capacity barge crane, will distribute Shell Oil lubricants in the Los Angeles, Long Beach area.

The Vicki Ann, a new marine pended on the hook of a 450-tonlubricants supply vessel for Los capacity barge crane. Builder was Angeles and Long Beach, Calif., Refaat Bakhoum Welding of Gardena, Calif. harbor service, has been placed Mr. Jankovich said the Vicki in operation.

The vessel has a 75-foot length,

25-foot beam and a draft of 7 feet.

It has twin screws and is powered by two 12V71T Detroit Diesel en-

gines each designed for a contin-

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of 325 at 1,800 rpm. The Vicki Ann is designed for 9 knots and meets USCG standards.

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Three Appointments At **United States Lines**

William J. Klauberg, United States Lines vice president-Eastern Division, has announced three new appointments for the lines in Chicago, Ill., Cranford, N.J., and Baltimore, Md.

Ernest A. LeTourneau has been named regional sales manager in the Chicago office; Bernard Keller, district sales manager-Far East Exports in Cranford, and Charles C. Hartzell, account manager in the Baltimore office.

Mr. LeTourneau joined United States Lines in March 1971. Since that time, he has held the posts of regional manager, Midwest, Chicago, and district sales man-

Mr. Keller joined the company in August of 1972 and has been employed as accounts manager in the Cranford office.

Mr. Hartzell became associated with United States Lines last

United States Lines operates a fleet of 38 modern vessels, including 16 high-speed, high-capacity



containerships in its 15,000-mile, tri-continent service between Europe, the East and West Coasts of the United States, Panama, Hawaii, Guam and Far East and Southeast Asian ports.

William F. Fallon To **Represent Farrell Lines**

In Monrovia, Liberia

Thomas J. Smith, president and chief executive officer of Farrell Lines Incorporated, New York, N.Y., has announced the appointment of William F. Fallon as owner's representative, Monrovia, Liberia.

Mr. Fallon graduated from Villanova University in 1970, after which he spent $2\frac{1}{2}$ years on active duty with the United States Navy. He holds the rank of lieutenant, USNR. In 1973, he became operations manager with Oxford Industries, Inc. in Atlanta, Ga., and joined Farrell Lines in 1976. Mr. Fallon is replacing Ray-

mond Komorowski, who is returning to Farrell Lines, New York, for a new assignment.

The boat owner is San Pedro Marine, Inc., San Pedro, Calif., Shell Oil Company marine distributor. The vessel is listed at 95 dwt and has a capacity for 13,000 gallons of marine lubricants stored in 440-gallon aluminum bulk bins and 55-gallon drums carried on deck.

The vessel was sponsored by Mrs. Tom Jankovich Sr., mother of Tom Jankovich Jr., San Pedro Marine owner, and was named after the owner's daughter. It was launched with slings sus-

Samson Names Watts **Undersea Services VP**

David H. Watts has been named a vice president of Samson Ocean Systems, Inc., 99 High Street, Boston, Mass. 02110, and will head the company's new Undersea Services Division, it has been announced by Jerry Jones, president.

Mr. Watts was previously the vice president of Ocean Systems, Inc., a Samson subsidiary specializing in deepsea diving.

The Undersea Services Division has been established to provide management for the expansion of Samson Ocean Systems, Inc. into a broader capability for offshore support. This includes the Sam-

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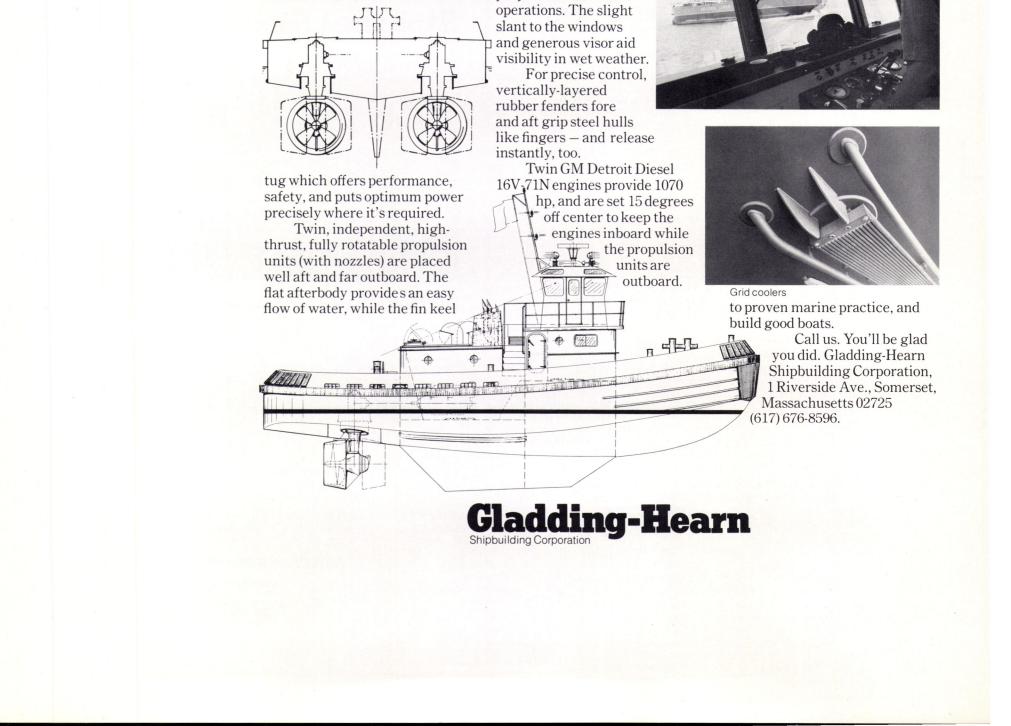
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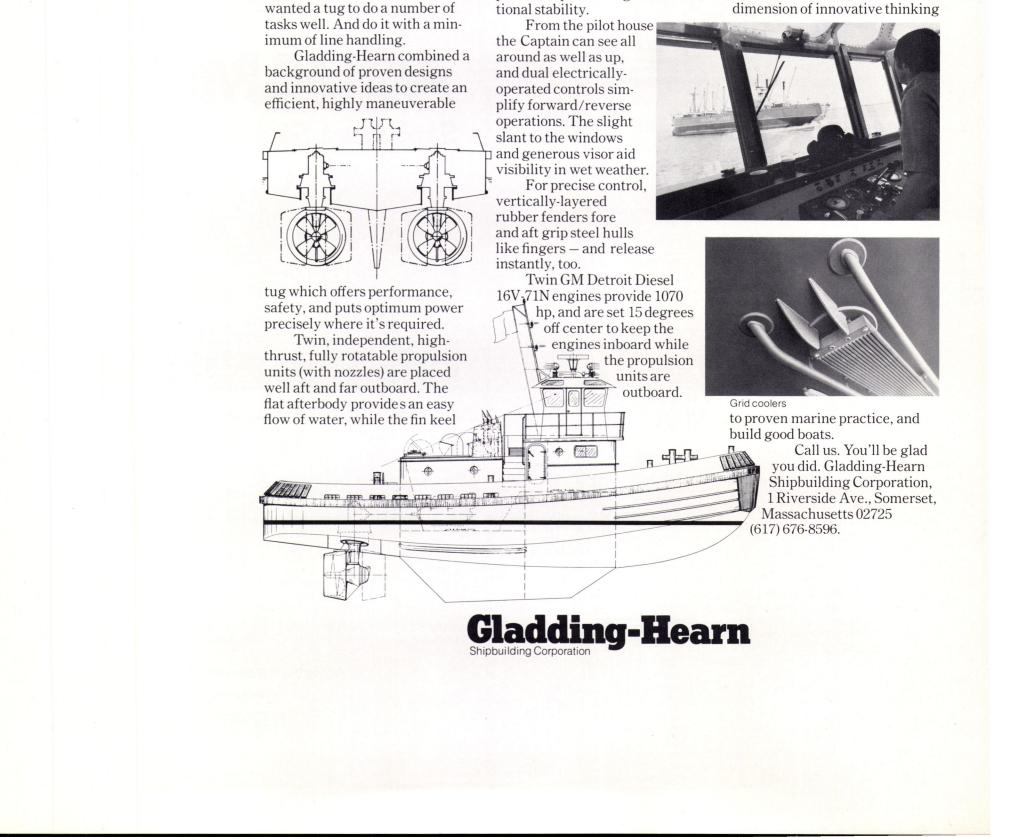


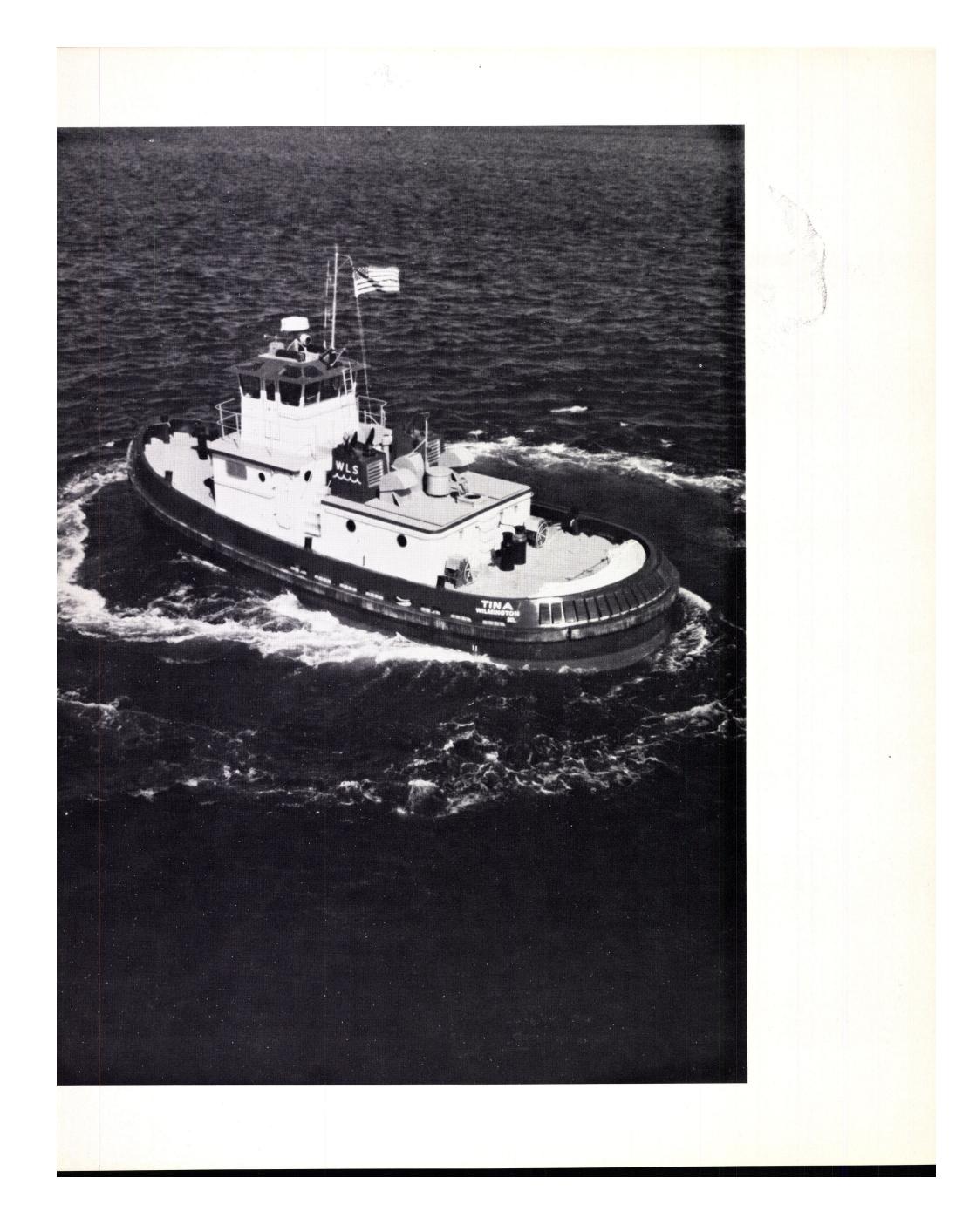
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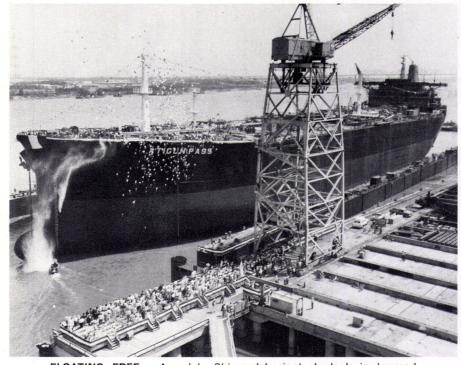
Typical of the thoughtful features are the grid coolers, mounted well below the waterline, and protected from ice or debris by an open guard.

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Avondale Launches First Of Four Tankers To Carry Alaskan Oil For Sohio



FLOATING FREE — Avondale Shipyards' giant drydock is lowered and the tanker Atigun Pass rides free for the first time in the waters of the Mississippi River in launching ceremonies held in New Orleans.

Avondale Shipyards, Inc., New Orleans, La., a subsidiary of Ogden Corporation, recently launched the first of a series of four segregated ballast tankers for The Standard Oil Company (Ohio). The new ships will sail under charter to SPC Shipping Inc., a wholly owned subsidiary of SO-HIO.

The tanker is the Atigun Pass, 165,000 deadweight tons, and named after a geographic area in Alaska's Brooks Mountain Range.

Among the most interesting features of the Atigun Pass are her special environmental protection and safety features, which include segregated ballast tanks, inert gas system, fixed tank cleaning equipment, collision avoidance radar, and Loran and Omega navigation systems.

While somewhat smaller than some of the tankers used to transport oil between continents, the Atigun Pass is the largest thus far to be specially built for Alaskan service. It will also rank as being among the safest and most modern.

took the podium to deliver a welcoming address and to introduce the distinguished guests on the platform.

The principal speaker for the occasion was Charles E. Spahr, chairman of the board and chief executive officer of The Standard Oil Company. He in turn introduced the charming sponsor, Mrs. Joseph D. Harnett, wife of the president of The Standard Oil Company (Ohio).

Mrs. Harnett, assisted by Mr. Hartzman, then raised a silver hatchet to sever the cord that sent the champagne bottle winging down to the bow of the ship to smash against her side. At this precise moment, hundreds of balloons and live pigeons were released to accompany the thrilling sight of the ship floating free for the first time in the waters of the Mississippi River.

Avondale Shipyards, Inc. employed its \$26 million floating drydock to launch the Atigun Pass. The ship was moved into the drydock from the building ways nearby about two weeks prior to launching.

The Atigun Pass, built by Avondale, will stand out as being among the safest and most seaworthy ships in the world. A long list of modern navigational equipment to be installed includes computerized collision-avoidance instruments, a system that keeps track of courses and speeds of nearby vessels; weather map facsimile reproduction equipment to help avoid storms; echosounders to measure water depths; a Loran navigation

ports in the lower 48 states through the Panama Canal. Meanwhile, her three sisterships will be building at the Avon-

dale yard. The keel of the Atigun Pass was laid July 12, 1976.

Avondale Shipyards, Inc. is a subsidiary of Ogden Corporation, which operates in the major market areas of metals, transportation, and food.

Oakmont Marine Elects

John Cain Executive VP



John D. Cain

Oakmont Marine Corporation, 13740 Midway Road, Dallas, Texas 75240, has announced the election of John D. Cain to the office of executive vice president. Mr. Cain currently is president of Lorain Electronics, a 48-year-old company manufacturing marine navigational and communications equipment. Located in Lorain, Ohio, the company is a pioneer in ship-to-shore communications. As vice president, Mr. Cain will head Oakmont Marine's inland

As vice president, Mr. Cain will head Oakmont Marine's inland waterways and Great Lakes operations, while retaining his po-

Her length overall is 906 feet, beam 173 feet, and depth 75 feet. The operating draft of the Atigun Pass carrying Alaskan oil is 55 feet, and her cargo capacity including 11 tanks is approximately 1,200,000 barrels. With steam propulsion and a maximum continuous rated horsepower of 26,700 shp, the ship's service speed 80 percent M.C.R. will be 14.1 knots full load, and 16.0 knots in ballast.

Launching ceremonies began with the singing of the National Anthem by soloist Mona Bond, followed by a moving invocation by the Reverend Robert E. Malsbary, pastor, John Calvin Presbyterian Church, Metairie.

Edwin Hartzman, president of Avondale Shipyards, Inc., then

THE LAUNCHING PARTY—(From left): Charles E. Spahr, chairman of the board and chief executive officer, The Standard Oil Company (Ohio); Mrs. Charles E. Spahr; Joseph D. Harnett, president, The Standard Oil Company (Ohio); the sponsor, Mrs. Joseph D. Harnett, and Edwin Hartzman, president of Avondale Shipyards, Inc. They are pictured on the launching platform immediately prior to the launching.

position within yards by monitoring special radio signals, and an Omega navigation system to electronically fix a ship's position within two miles anywhere in the world.

system to determine the ship's

Other safety equipment assures environmental integrity. For example, the ship will be equipped with segregated ballast tanks. These tanks will never be used to hold oil and will reduce the risk of water pollution.

Inert gas systems on the new tanker will guard against danger of fire or explosion from vapors which can form in empty or partially empty oil cargo tanks.

The Atigun Pass will also be equipped with a waterless cargo tank washing system. The device uses an oil spray in the inerted tanks instead of seawater to clean oil residue from the sides of cargo tanks as they are emptied. This eliminates another potential source of water pollution.

Two main boilers instead of one will assure the tanker of maneuverability in the event of breakdown.

Outfitting of the Atigun Pass at Avondale will take some months, but when she enters service for her owners, she will carry North Slope crude oil from Alaska to

sition at Lorain Electronics. Oakmont is a diversified corporation dealing in the manufacturing, distribution and servicing of marine equipment. Lorain Electronics became a subsidiary of Oakmont Marine in August 1976. Other subsidiaries include Specialized Electronics of Greenville, Miss., and Hydraulic Resources of

Hutchins, Texas. Mr. Cain has been associated with Lorain Electronics for 34 years. He is a member of the FCC's National Industry Advisory Committee.

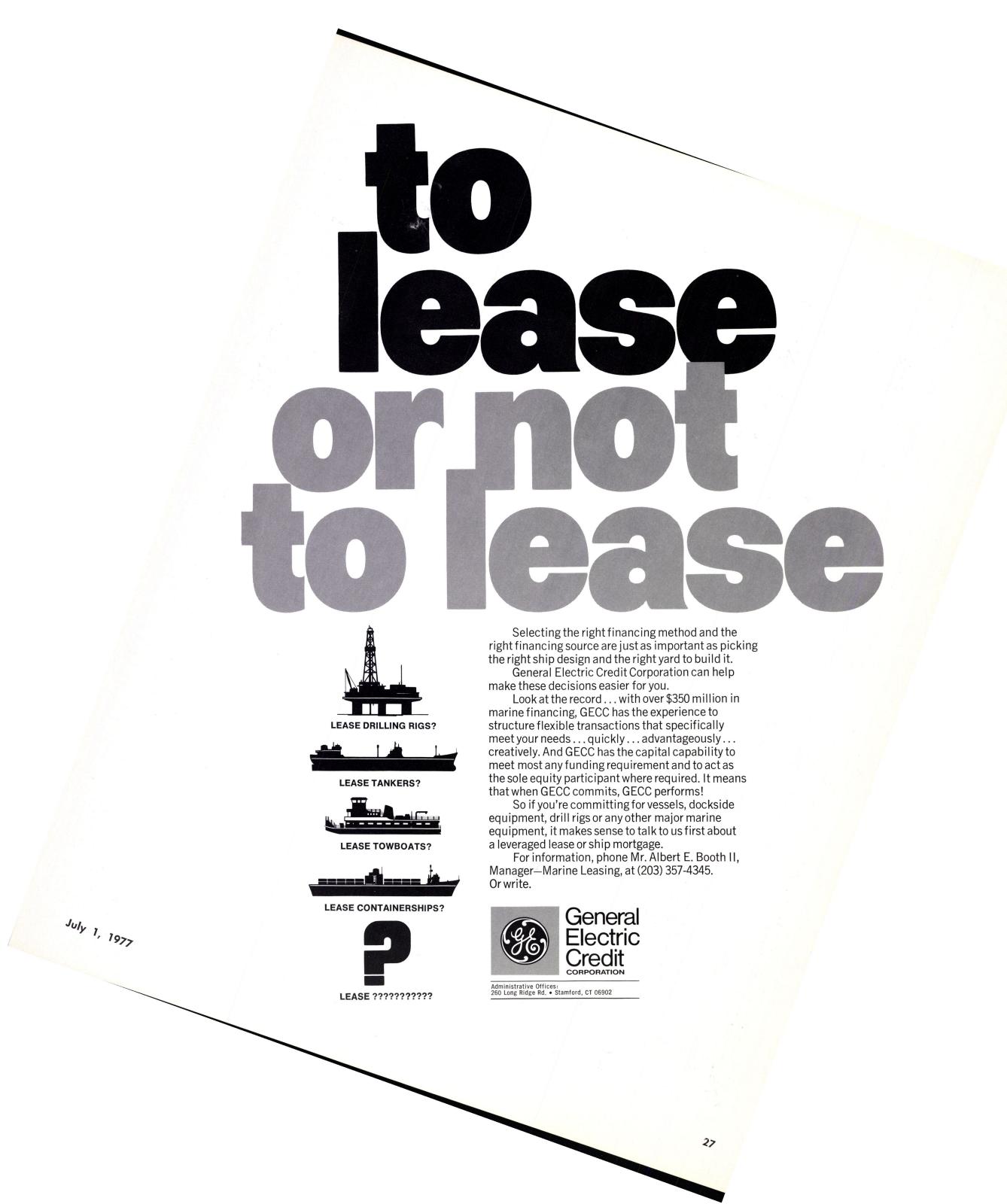
Two Appointments

At Kerr Steamship

Joseph S. McDermott, managing director of Kerr Steamship Co., Inc., has announced that Henning W. Theobald, an assistant vice president of Kerr Steamship, has been named manager of the company's Houston, Texas, office.

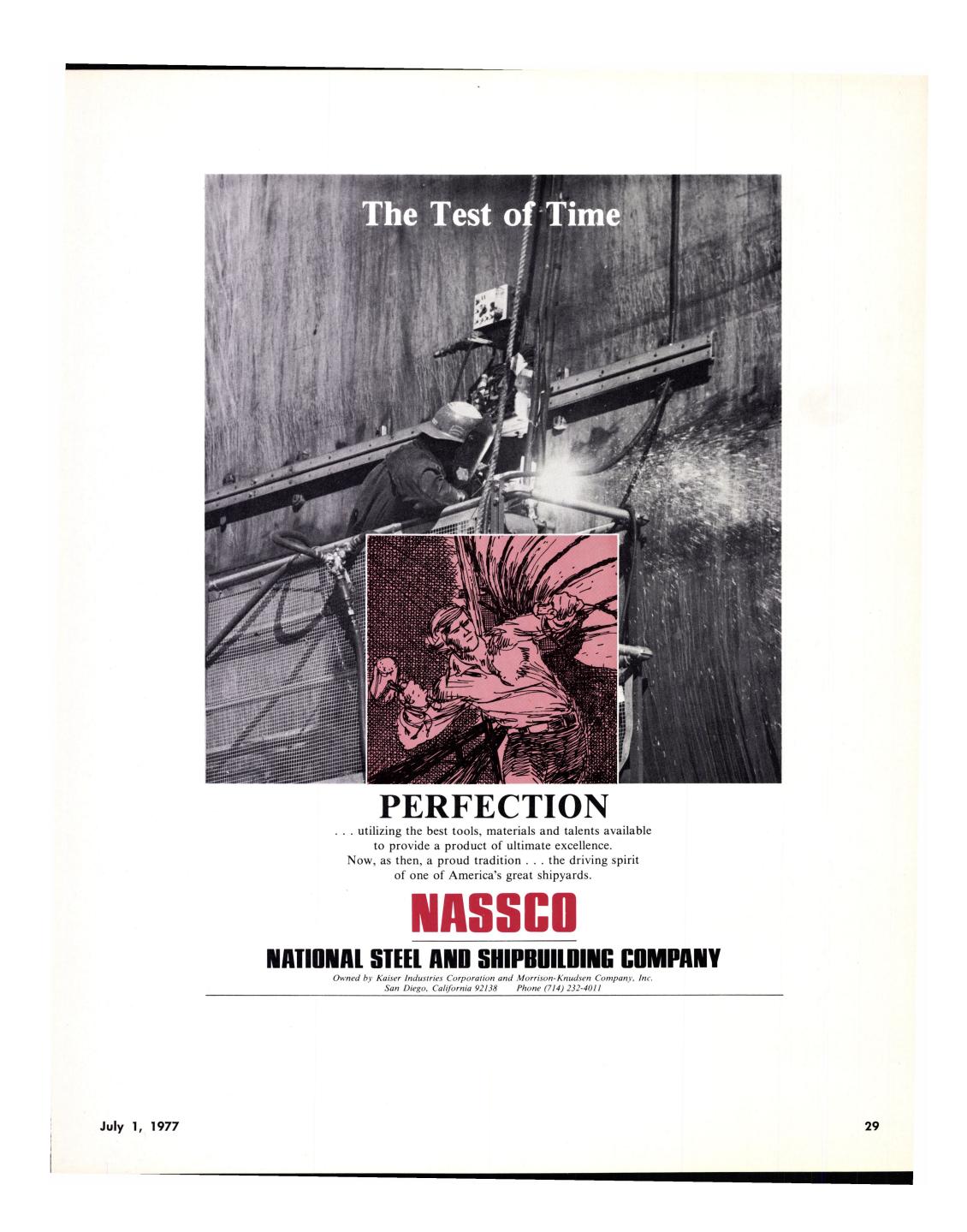
Mr. McDermott also announced that Paul J. Connors, formerly national interline manager in San Francisco, Calif., has been transferred and named manager of the agency's New Orleans, La., office. Mr. Theobald and Mr. Connors will serve under the direction of Oscar J. Abello, vice president and general manager.

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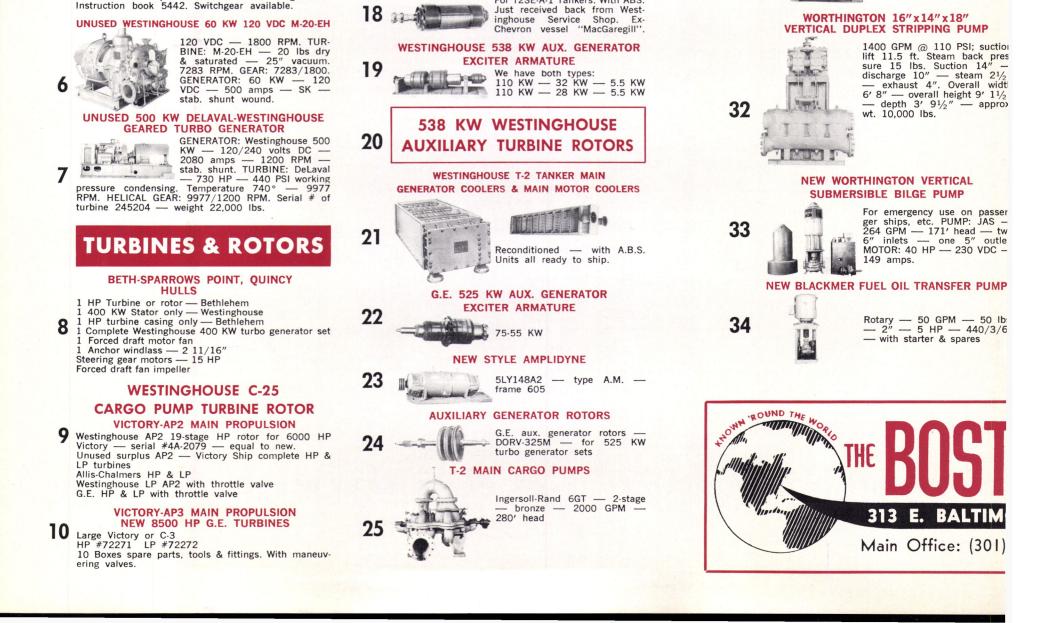
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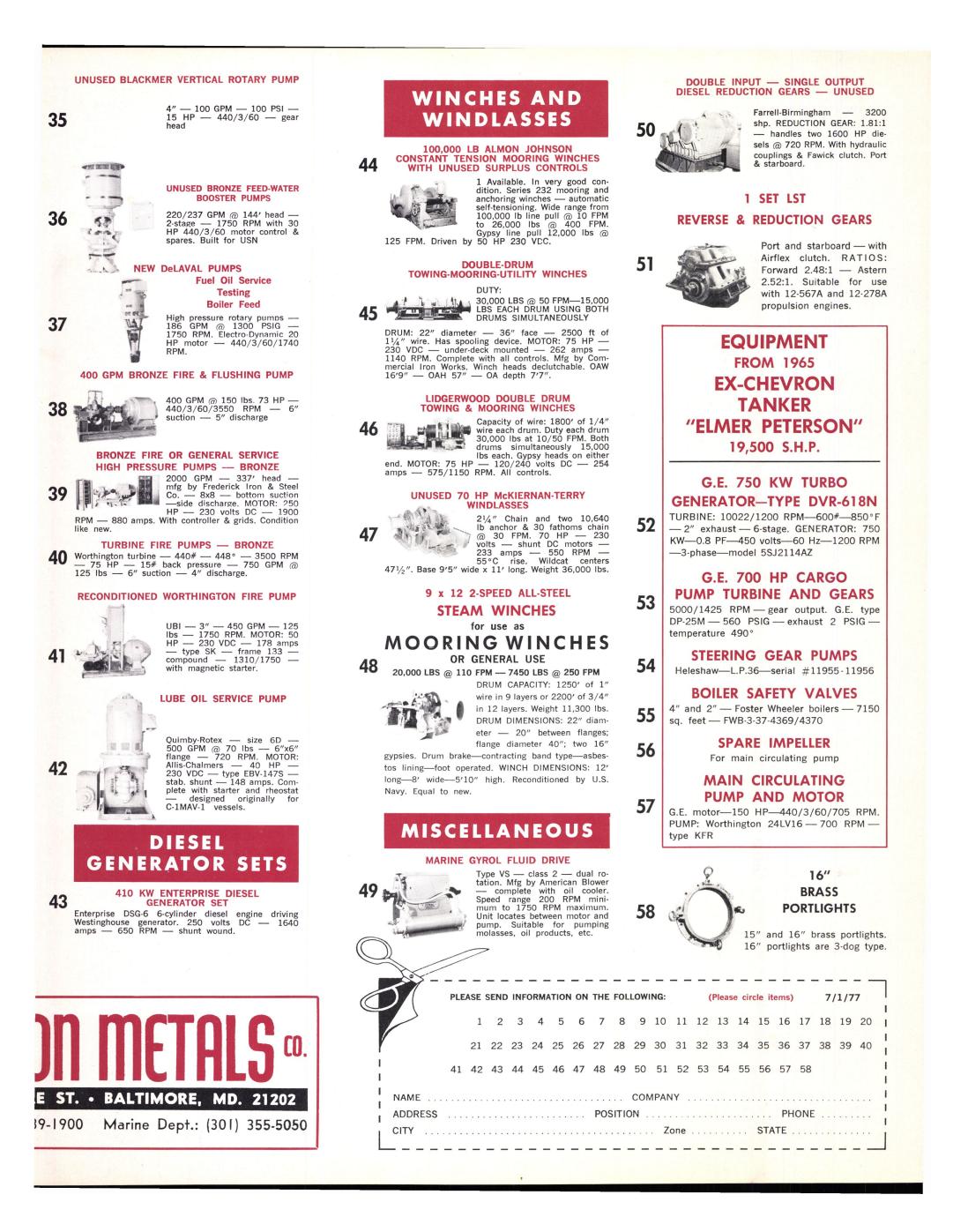
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Worthington Compressors Announces New Marine And Navy Sales Force

Worthington Compressors, Inc., 333 Elm Street, West Springfield, Mass. 01089, has announced the establishment of a Marine and Navy sales group headed by Frederick O. Snyder in Philadelphia, Pa. Superseding the prior functions of the Worthington Marine and Government sales group in the compressor field, the reorganization is designed to provide better service and more expertise to Marine and Navy customers.

Mr. Snyder, a 1939 graduate of Case-Western Reserve University and a World War II naval officer, has been with Worthington since 1941. A member of the American Society of Marine Engineers, he most recently served the company as Eastern regional sales manager.

Also appointed were Wayne D. Freese as Eastern manager-marine sales, based in Philadelphia, and Walter A. Penner as Western manager-marine sales, based in Los Angeles, Calif.

Mr. Freese, who holds BSME and MBA degrees from Lehigh University, 1959, and Drexel University, 1971, respectively, has served as a salesman and district manager for Worthington since 1959.

Mr. Penner, who joined the company in 1938, has held positions of salesman and most recently, district sales manager in Los Angeles. A former U.S. Navy lieutenant and certified naval architect and marine engineer, he

Thompsen Marine Moves To Larger Facilities In Hoboken, New Jersey

Thompsen Marine Supply, Inc., has moved into their own large warehouse and general offices at 725 Jefferson Street, Hoboken, N.J. The company was previously located at 11 Broadway, New York, N.Y.

The move was necessitated by the company's rapid growth in the marine supply business. According to the announcement by **James A. Thompsen**, president, the new location, conveniently located in the Port of New York, will enable the company to better service vessels and facilities in the New York, New Jersey area. In addition, the new facilities will enable the company to stock a complete range of deck, engine, and steward stores for quick delivery.

Garrison To Manage New TMT Office

TMT Shipping & Chartering, Inc., Houston, Texas-based steamship agency, shipbroker, and chartering agent, has opened its newest office at Inglewood, Calif.

David L. Garrison has been named manager of the new office, and his responsibilities will cover all phases of TMT Shipping & Chartering's activities, as well as the firm's wholly-owned subsidiary, TMT Marine Equipment Sales.

The firm's office is located at 9920 La Cienega Boulevard, Suite 1020, Inglewood, Calif. 90301. In **Carrington Slipways Building Cement Carrier**



The 4,000-ton cement carrier being built by Carrington Slipways of Tomago, Australia, for Bulkships Container Ltd. is shown 163 working days after signing of design and building contract.

Rapid progress is being made with the 4,000-ton bulk cement carrier being built by Carrington Slipways at its shipyard on Old Punt Road, Tomago, New South Wales, Australia, 2322, for Bulkships Container Limited.

Special cement-handling equipment, supplied by Cladius Peters of Hamburg, is designed to receive bulk cement from a shore installation at Devonport, Tasmania, and discharge to shore in either Sydney or Melbourne.

Work on the vessel, which will be launched in September, is proceeding well on schedule.

Only 163 working days since contract signing for design and building, the hull is complete, engine installed and the stern unit fitted on. The deckhouses are almost complete and the bow is due for erection shortly.

Much of the credit for this rapid progress is due to the efforts of M.J. Doherty & Co. of Sydney, who have prepared the design and produced working drawings in



conjunction with Carrington Slipways.

The vessel is built to Det norske Veritas + IAI-E.O.

General dimensions are: length overall, 312 feet; molded breadth, 46 feet, and depth, 23 feet. The cement carrier has a gross tonnage of 2,600, a deadweight tonnage of 4,000, and a speed of 14 knots.

MORAM Appoints Shugg

Baltic Line Manager

MORAM (Morflot America Shipping, Inc.), 67 Walnut Avenue, Clark, N.J. 07066, has appointed **Robert Shugg** Baltic Ro/ Ro Line manager, according to MORAM president Arthur C. Novacek.

Mr. Shugg most recently served as director of ro/ro sales for MORAM, and prior to that was with Atlantic Line.

"Mr. Shugg should make a very significant contribution to MORAM, due to his extensive experience in the shipping industry," Mr. Novacek commented.

MORAM serves as general U.S. agents for FESCO Lines and also represents the BALT-GULF Mid-East Line, BLASCO Middle-East Line, BLASCO Great Lakes Service, and ARCTIC Line.

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Union Mechling Corp. Promotes Courville



Gerald F. Courville

Gerald F. Courville has been promoted to assistant marketing manager in New Orleans, La., by Union Mechling Corporation, the subsidiary barge line of Dravo Corporation.

Mr. Courville joined Union Mechling in 1975, and was formerly marketing representative. He is a business administration graduate of the University of Southwestern Louisiana at Lafayette.

Union Mechling is one of the nation's largest river transportation companies, and provides common and contract services on the inland and intracoastal waterways.

Dutch And American Firms To Jointly Build Hopper Dredge In U.S.A.

C.F. Bean Corporation, New Orleans, La., and Adriaan Volker Dredging Company, Rotterdam, the Netherlands, have announced their intention to jointly invest rent environmental demands associated with inland disposal areas, given the vessel's ability to load dredged materials from inland and coastal waters and transport and dump these materials in acceptable offshore disposal areas.

C.F. Bean Corporation is a large international dredging contractor with extensive operations along the Gulf and East Coasts of the

United States. Its international experience includes work performed in South America, the Caribbean, the Middle East, Africa, and the Far East.

Adriaan Volker Dredging Company, member of Royal Adriaan Volker Group, is one of the largest international dredging contractors, with operations in all parts of the world.

Volker's special know-how and o

experience with trailing dredgers is a valuable contribution to the new venture.

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To be named Eagle I, the dredge will have a 4,750-cubic-yard capacity and will be constructed in a United States shipyard. Construction on Eagle I is expected to be underway by February 1978.

J.W. Bean, president, C.F. Bean Corporation, said in making the announcement that preliminary design of the self-propelled vessel is in progress. Principals in the venture, he said, have met with the U.S. Maritime Administration and are making application for a MarAd loan.

Mr. Bean sees Eagle I as the response to new opportunities in the United States dredging market, since the vessel will be capable of working in offshore channels and exposed seas and will allow participation in that portion of the maintenance sector currently handled by hopper dredges operated by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers.

Mr. Bean said Eagle I will make a significant contribution to the private dredging industry's capability for construction of new deepwater ports that must be built in order for this country to remain competitive in international commerce.

Additionally, he said, such a vessel will help solve many cur-

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The Evolution Of

Boiler And Engine Room Controls

John W. Dirriwachter*

A control manufacturer, like any other organization, is in business to sell a product at a profit and therefore, makes every effort to develop and standardize a line of products that is acceptable to a given market in terms of overall performance and is within established price limitations.

On the other side, however, as a result of the owner's personal touch in conjunction with the variations of shipyard's identities, words like "standard system" or "exact duplicate" are not listed in a marine engineer's dictionary.

In a nostalgic moment I came to the unexpected realization that a fundamental change in control principles has occurred at regular intervals of approximately 10 years.

The first automatic combustioncontrol system was introduced in 1933 and was based on the transfer of the process variable (steam pressure) into a hydraulic analog signal. The controlled signal was then transferred into a power piston motion, located in the same unit.

As of this day, no hydraulic control units are known to be in operation aboard ships anymore. The N-type electric combustion control units which were introduced in the early 40's were based on the same principles of a controller and a power actuator directly linked together, but using an electric-driven motor in lieu of a hydraulic power cylinder. Thus, two major disadvantages of the hydraulic application were eliminated, namely the high-pressure hydraulic power-supply unit and the relatively expensive high level of tolerances required for proper operation of the hydraulic controller units. Several electric N-type control units are still operating in the original design stage and can be found both aboard seagoing vessels and inland-based boiler installations. A complete redesign of the almost 10 year old N-type electromechanical combustion control system was introduced to the market in 1951 under the appropriate trade name N-51.

The control principles of the N-series were completely maintained, but the requirements of better characterization capabilities were incorporated together with the solid linkage for fuel and air demand by means of a shuttle bar. In addition, a proper fuel-to-air ratio adjustment was accomplished. The most important aspect of this development was the recognition of a total control system of multiple variables responding to a single demand in lieu of individual control loops accidentally linked together.

The N-51 concept became an international marketing success, basically because of its simplicity, reliability and its attractive initial purchase price and installation cost. More than 2,200 units have been installed since the original introduction and most of them are still successfully in operation all around the world.

More than 20 years of continuous efforts preceded a major breakthrough in establishing the use of air pressure for analog signal transmission.

The most significant change in the principles of control technol-

plications had to be ironed out before the marine industry would accept electronic controls, plus simplified maintenance procedures to assure that a relatively nonelectronically-oriented crew could keep the system in operation, and cost reduction, especially in the field of spare parts.

At first, the digital electronic controls were introduced which would operate in conjunction with the conventional analog controls.

Digital control functions are successfully used for: burner management systems; annunciator systems; vital auxiliaries auto/stand-by systems; sequential pump startup systems, and makeup and spill systems.

The "All-Dark" concept refers to a console arrangement that shows no indication by means of illumination when all operating conditions are normal. Of course, gages and demand readouts are available to enable the operator to continuously monitor the status of the running equipment.

The conventional way of status indication by means of separate indicating lights for "on" and 'off''' status, makes a console lav out of this size almost inoperable. The operator will be in a continuous state of confusion because with so many color-coded lamps, the console will look like a giant Christmas decoration with lights steady or flashing on and off all the time. When an alarm situation occurs, the operator will have to figure out which lights are supposed to be illuminated, which lights are not supposed to be illuminated, and which lights changed status as a result of the alarm condition. The "All-Dark" control console eliminates this confusion completely. Whenever an abnormal situation arises, an audible and visible alarm is initiated in the annunciator system. At the same time the operator's attention will be directed towards the proper console section where one or more indicating lights are illuminated. This way, regardless of the increased amount of controls and automation, the supervisory function of the operator is simplified. Electronic engine room automation is becoming more and more a fact of life aboard U.S. ships. Several new shipbuilding programs include electronic controls requirements for shipboard ap- at the same time more and more today's control functions.

sub-systems are transferred from local operation to the control center. The most important reason is not to reduce the manning level, but to improve the overall visibility of the plant status and to reduce the reaction time where human intervention is required. At the same time, efficiency of the plant can be improved due to an increase of automation with instantaneous self-corrective actions and interface with other related sub-systems.

The computer is here to stay and that means one day the computer will be in the U.S. ship's engine room controlling the steam propulsion plant. When considering today's state of the art, computer application can be expected to take over the conventional controls in the early 80's.

A centralized engine room management consists of: controlling, monitoring, alarming, and safety trips.

It can be anticipated that the transfer from what we now call conventional controls to computer controls will not be so abrupt as to take over all the functions at once.

The introduction of the computer will occur in the monitoring function. This momentary monitoring will be combined with permanent logging and, since the storage capability is inherent with the computer, analyzing the plant performance will be directly available for the plant operators.

The next step will be to transfer the alarm and trip functions to the computer with conventional back-up of the trips.

*Mr. Dirriwachter, manager of engineering, General Regulator, Dallas, Texas, presented the paper summarized here before a meeting of the Pascagoula Section of the American Society of Naval Engineers held in Gautier, Miss.

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ogy was the idea of assigning individual mathematical functions to separate instruments and then building up a control system, as required, by selecting the proper mathematical units, in contrast to the established control systems, consisting of individual loops, each controlled by a single instrument with fixed mechanical relations between the various functions.

This principle opened the flexibility to the customer and the control manufacturer to provide for anything from a minimum of analog controls (e.g. drum level control only) to a considerably more complex, interconnected analog control variety in which each system responded to its own needs, but at the same time affected other related boiler controls.

The pneumatic controls became a worldwide accepted source of control systems and some form of pneumatic signal transmission can be found on every seagoing vessel in today's merchant marine.

At the beginning of the 70's the marine world was finally ready to accept the solid-state control in the engine room. For many years electronic controls were successfully applied in the and centralize the supervision in stationary industries, but special a separate control room. While

Finally, the controls, both analog and digital, will be programmed into the computer system with conventional takeover capabilities of the most vital controls as a back-up.

The selected design approach must be to assure continuity of today's plant operations and today's plant supervision, and not to convert the plant operator into a computer operator. This objective can be accomplished by providing the operator with control panel devices which are similar in form and identical in function as those devices now employed in central automation. An important aspect of design consideration must be to assure that the operator becomes an integral part of the computer controlled activities, because the computer is not to replace the human bodies in the engine room but to prevent human errors in decision making and provide for immediate actions when needed.

Although the introduction of the computer aboard ship is another major change in control principle, the transfer will happen as smooth and unnoticed by the operators as all previous changes thanks to the fact that the computer will be applied for the same operating objectives as

Magnavox Introduces Marisat Shipboard Communications Terminal

A new Marisat shipboard communications terminal, designated the MX 111, has been announced by P.A. Gaechter, manager of marketing, Marine Systems Op-eration, Magnavox Government & and voice communication at any Industrial Electronics Company. time of the day or night. Telex

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its simple operator interface. All functions are controlled through instructions to the built-in microprocessor via the teleprinter keyboard. The unit is capable of fully

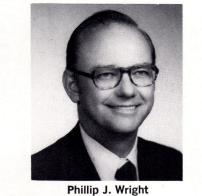
automatic, unattended operation, both in reception and transmission of messages.

For further information, contact P.A. Gaechter, Marine Systems Operation, Magnavox, 2829 Maricopa Street, Torrance, Calif. 90503.

Union Mechling Corp. **Names Phillip Wright** Vice President, Sales







Phillip J. Wright has been appointed vice president, sales of Union Mechling Corporation, Dravo Corporation's subsidiary barge line.

Mr. Wright has been a Union Mechling employee for 21 years, serving in a variety of sales positions. He was formerly marketing manager in the company's Memphis, Tenn., and St. Louis, Mo., offices and most recently, marketing manager, liquids.

Mr. Wright is a graduate of the University of Tennessee, and is a member of the Traffic Club of Pittsburgh, The Propeller Club of the United States, and the Pittsburgh Press Club.

Swan Hunter Names Gordon Hilton Deputy **Managing Director**

Acting on medical advice, H.C. McIntyre has retired from the position of deputy managing director of Swan Hunter Shipbuilders Ltd. G.D. Hilton, shipbuilding director, has been appointed to succeed Mr. McIntyre as deputy

managing director. Gordon D. Hilton, BSC., M.N.-E.C.I.E.S., served an apprentice-ship as draftsman with Fairfield Shipbuilding & Engineering Co. Ltd., Glasgow, from 1955-60, graduating from Glasgow University with 1st class honors B.Sc. in naval architecture. He joined Swan Hunter & Wigham Richardson from Fairfield in 1962, starting in the estimating department and then in design office, progressing to head of design office, personal assistant to general manager, and then to shipyard manager (outfit). After rationaliza-tion of Tyne Yards, he was promoted to shipbuilding manager at Walker Shipyard in 1968, then shipbuilding local director at Walker Shipyard. In 1970, he was appointed managing director of Swan Hunter Group Small Ships Division, then shipbuilding director of Swan Hunter Shipbuilders in 1973.

CDS Approved For **Propeller And Shaft**

The Maritime Subsidy Board has approved the application of General Dynamics Corporation, Quincy Shipbuilding Division, 97 East Howard Street, Quincy, Mass., for construction-differential subsidy (CDS) for one complete spare propeller and one spare tail-shaft assembly to support three liquefied natural gas (LNG) ships currently under construction.

The three 63,600-dwt vessels, now being built with CDS at Quincy, will be used to carry liquefied natural gas between Al-geria and the U.S. East Coast. The spare parts will be protected, preserved and stowed on the last of the three ships to be delivered. The parts will cost approximately \$510,800, of which the Maritime Administration will pay \$121,060.

Pacific NW Section Hears Two Papers At **Annual Spring Meeting**

Members and guests of the Pacific Northwest Section of The Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers met recently in Victoria, British Columbia, Canada, for their annual spring meeting. A technical session at which two papers were presented which two papers were presented was held at the Officers Club, HM Dockyards, Esquamalt. In the evening, the group enjoyed dinner and dancing in the Geor-gian Room of the Empress Hotel.

The first paper. "Concepts Ex-

tect from Langley, B.C. In his paper, Mr. Bloehmhard stated that a "natural trim" phenomenon occurs in all water ballasting and leaking sequence. The trim angle that develops can reach an alarming magnitude. In the early days of submersible drilling barge development, experimental design found the answers to some of the operational problems resulting from this cause. This phenomenon has been consistantly misrep-

resented as an instability problem. In reality, it is purely a flotation and trim problem. Accurate solutions can be found in terms of a simple extension of ordinary hydrostatic theory presented within the paper.

Mr. Bloehmhard's paper contains sections on flotation and trim, stability, movement of the points B, G, and M emplacement of a subsea facility and a dissension of the natural trim phenom- 98124.

enon. The paper concludes by pointing out that the problems of stability and trim for small submarine workboats have not been resolved to the same extent as for ships and semisubmersibles. Yet, this is a very important and fastgrowing field.

Copies of both papers are available through the Section librarian, C.S. Bracken, Todd Shipyards, P.O. Box 3806, Seattle, Wash.

THE WORLD'S LEADING MAKER OF DECK AND GANTRY CRANES



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plored in the Gulf Span Ferry Design," was presented by Capt. Kieth Farrell, RCN (ret.) of Case Existiological Laboratories, Ltd. The object of the paper was to emphasize the scope of work detail necessary when constraints are severe. The paper presents a summary of the alternatives which were studies for the new seagoing ferries required for the service between Sidney, Nova Scotia, and Port aux Basques, Newfoundland. A seasonally varying load of passengers, cars, and tractor trailers was expected, justifying a large fast vessel. Comparative studies were made to compare costs of a one-truck onecar-deck vessel with a two-truck two-car-deck vessel of diesel and gas turbine propulsion, and of a split stern hull versus a conventional stern hull.

Subsequently, further studies were carried out for a vessel with a small load, beam and speed. The effect of these new constraints are described within the paper. The paper includes 13 illustrations and an annex presenting general comments regarding the damage stability of passenger/ car ferries.

The second paper, "Submersible Barge Trim, Stability, and Control," was presented by Wal-ter J. Bloehmhard, a naval archi-

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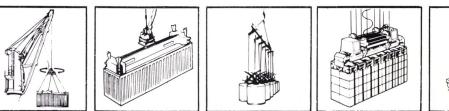


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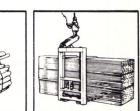
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Cargo Preference Measure Vital To U.S. Shipbuilding

Little noted among 1977 Maritime Day ceremonies was a speech by John P. Diesel, chairman of Newport News Shipbuilding and executive vice president, Tenneco, Inc., before the Newport News (Va.) Propeller Club, which by word of mouth, has since caused considerable comment — and requests for copies.

Noting that the U.S. government would not permit "our national interests to be jeopardized" by having U.S. Navy ships built abroad—at artificially low prices, to be registered under the Liberian flag and manned by foreign crews "perfectly content with substandard wages and poor working conditions" — he deplored U.S. maritime policy which has long condoned foreign construction of a disproportionate number of merchant vessels for American companies, all of which fly flags of other countries. His conclusion:

"... The Navy is not contracting with any foreign shipyard, of course, but-under current maritime policy-most other U.S. customers have already shifted their business overseas.

"The government-through its indecision and inaction-is sacrificing the economic, environmental and defense needs of millions of Americans to satisfy the shortterm selfish objectives of a few."

With a steady decline in the volume of cargoes carried by U.S.flag shipping and diminution of the American merchant marine, Mr. Diesel observed: "You might ask yourself about the wisdom of a national policy which calls for a large Navy to keep the sea-lanes open while it provides for no U.S. ships to sail on these lanes." He went on:

server when it comes to the benefits of cargo equity. And I frankly don't like to be in a position of advocating any form of subsidies, trade restrictions or quotas. I believe in free enterprise and free trade, and let the chips fall where they may. But the international market for shipping and shipbuilding is as far removed from free enterprise as the (aircraft carrier) Eisenhower out there is from the Mayflower.

"This nation's shipbuilders and fleet owners are in the midst of a fierce economic battle with foreign yards and foreign fleets. Their governments have equipped them with missiles. Our government allows us bows and arrows and campaign promises. Nearly all other major seafaring nations -including several of our closest allies—already have some form of national cargo policy that promotes their own interests and discriminates against U.S. shipbuilders or U.S. fleet owners. These nations recognize the critical role of the maritime industry in the world economy and maintain strong national-flag fleets to help achieve their objectives.

"We in the United States simply cannot afford to ignore the realities of the international marketplace any longer. Maintaining a free trade policy in this area is about as sensible as the egghead suggestion of unilateral disarmament as a way of ending the arms race with Russia.

"We simply can't pull out of shipping and shipbuilding," Mr.

pens to those low prices for ship construction and bargain charter rates.'

His recommendation: passage of "cargo equity" legislation sponsored by Chairman John M. Murphy (D-N.Y.) of the House Merchant Marine and Fisheries Committee, which would reserve up to 30 percent of U.S. oil imports for transport by U.S.-flag, U.S.-built tankers. In his words: "The shipbuilding program required to achieve the ultimate 30

percent level would involve a total capital outlay of more than \$13 billion and provide during the next five years 60,000 new jobs in American shipyards and another 180,000 jobs in related industries.

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Without "cargo equity" policy, Mr. Diesel predicted a dire outlook for the entire U.S. shipyard industry. "Unless Washington comes up with realistic cargo and energy policies," he said, limited newbuilding opportunities presently available to U.S. shipbuilders "most likely will go down the drain.

Delta Shipyard Delivers 120-Foot Seismic/Utility Vessel To Shell Oil



"Now, I admit that I don't exactly qualify as an objective ob-

Diesel said, "and leave these vital industries to those foreign powers who supposedly can do it cheaper. Unless we are able to compete with them-even if the rules of the game call for subsidies or quotas—they'll be all alone on the field. And then watch what hap-

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Delta Shipyard, a unit of Chromalloy American Corporation, has announced the completion of the M/V Echo, a seismic/utility vessel for Shell Oil Company. Primarily for use in the Gulf of Mexico, the M/V Echo is designed for shallow-water operation with a minimum draft of 5 feet 6 inches.

The Echo will enable engineers to determine the prospects of oil reserves near coastal areas where deep-draft vessels were previously unable to venture.

The Echo measures 120 feet in overall length, 36-foot beam, with a hull depth of 8 feet. Being a triple-screw vessel, her propellers are driven by three General Motors 12V-71 diesel engines rated at 240 horsepower each at 1,800 rpms, through Twin Disc MG 514 reduction gears. Slow-speed maneuverability of the vessel is increased by use of The Waterways Company Steermaster Bow Steering System using a GM 4-71 engine developing 120 horsepower. All engine controls are manufac- foreign countries.

tured by WABCO. The steering system was designed by Skipper Hydraulics.

The Echo is equipped with two radars—Decca 916 A and Decca 101. Navigation of the vessel is aided by the installation of a Sperry Auto-Pilot and Gyrocompass.

Equipped with a complete galley and accommodations for 22 men, the Echo can support 24hour seismic activities in the coastal areas. Delta Shipyard, a unit of Chromalloy American Corporation, is a major shipbuild-ing and repair facility located in Houma, La., near the intersection of the Houma Ship Channel and Mile 59 Gulf Inland Waterways. Delta Shipyard serves the fishing, inland barge transportation, dredging, offshore exploration, and the oil production industries.

Chromalloy American Corporation, with offices in St. Louis, Mo., had sales in 1976 of \$937,000,000, and operates with 25,000 employees in the United States and 14

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Donald Staples Named Comptroller Of GM's **Electro-Motive Division**



Donald E. Staples

The appointment of Donald E. Staples as comptroller of the Electro-Motive Division of General Motors was announced by Peter K. Hoglund, vice president of General Motors and general manager of Electro-Motive Division, LaGrange, Ill. Mr. Staples succeeds Guy D. Briggs Jr., who until his retirement August 1 will be on special assignment, reporting to Mr. Hoglund.

A graduate of the University

of Detroit, Mr. Staples joined General Motors as a junior accountant at the Cadillac Motor Car Division in July 1955 and since 1959, has served in a variety of supervisory positions in all phases of the divisional financial staff activities. Mr. **Staples** be-came staff head of general accounting at Cadillac in April 1963, and was promoted to assistant di-visional comptroller in January 1973. Since May 1974, he has been comptroller of the Guide Division, Anderson, Ind.

A native of Detroit, Mich., Mr. Briggs joined the Buick Motor Division, Flint, Mich., in 1952, and became plant manager of the division's Willow Springs, Ill., plant in 1953. He was promoted to assistant divisional comptroller of the Electro-Motive Division in 1954, and appointed comptroller of the division in 1955. Mr. Briggs transferred to General Motors Overseas Operations Division in 1960 and in April 1963, was appointed finance manager of Adam Opel A.G., Russelsheim, Germany. Since August 1965, he has been comptroller of the Electro-Motive Division.

Great Lakes/Great Rivers Section Spring Meeting



Pictured, left to right: (standing) James Biers, Volker Elste, Robert Scher, and H.G. Smith; (seated) Thomas Wilkes, Joseph Fischer, and Jerome Mueller.

The spring meeting of the Great Lakes and Great Rivers Section of The Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers was held recently at the Ramada Inn, Sault Ste. Marie, Mich.

A turnout of 83 registrants plus local guests participated in the morning technical session and an afternoon tour of the Corps of Engineers operations at the Soo Locks.

Three papers were presented:

"Determination of Maximum Vessel Size for Great Lakes Traffic," by James P. Biers, visitor; "Great Lakes Transport of Western Coal: Technical and Economic Analysis," by Volker H. Elste, A.M., and Robert M. Scher, visitor, and "Launch and Recovery System for Hazardous Shipping (Miranda Davit)," by H.G. Smith and Thomas Wilkes, visitors. The next meeting is scheduled

for October 14, 1977, at the Ann

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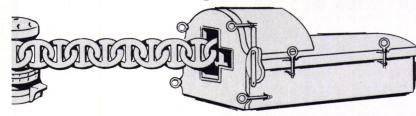
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The company is engaged primarily in ship cleaning, oil and chemical spill pickup and air services for the purpose of assisting crews in picking up spills, transporting representatives between ship-and-shore and to transport crews to the site of a critical spill as rapidly as possible.

The Houston office will open initially as a sales office for prod-ucts such as 3-M sorbents, Oil Snare, Sorbent C, Uniroyal Oil Containment Booms, Slurp Oil Skimmers and American Marine Oil Containment Booms. Services, equal to those in New Orleans, but servicing the Texas Gulf area, will be established shortly.

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Bethlehem Steel Corp. Elects William Scranton To Board Of Directors



William W. Scranton

William W. Scranton, former United States Ambassador to the United Nations and former Governor of Pennsylvania, has been elected to the board of directors of Bethlehem Steel Corporation, Lewis W. Foy, chairman and chief executive officer of the corporation, announced recently.

Mr. Scranton's election raises the number of Bethlehem directors to 15.

Mr. Scranton, a graduate of Yale University and the Yale Law School, served as Governor of Pennsylvania from 1963 to 1967. His public service includes one term in Congress and membership on several special Presidential panels. He holds more than 30 honorary degrees.

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FOR YEARS OF SERVICE — During the 29th Annual Dinner and Dance of The Society of Marine Port Engineers, New York, N.Y., held in the Grand Ballroom of the Statler Hilton Hotel on May 7, Edward English, secretary-treasurer of the Society, was presented with an engraved plaque in recognition of his years of service to the Society, the oldest and largest organization of port engineers in the U.S. Mr. English, vice president of Atlantic Repair Co., Brooklyn, N.Y., also serves as chairman of the Program and Entertainment Committee and is co-chairman of the Finance Committee of the Society. In the photo, the plaque is being presented to Mr. English by Thomas Jones Jr. of American Export Lines, president of the Port Engineers Society. Meet the new generation: TWIN-SCREW SCHOTTEL TRACTOR TUGS offering the widest range of capabilities for handling the toughest jobs at sea or in harbour with the utmost precision.

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NDTA New York Chapter **Elects Captain Fritzke**

Capt. Herman E. Fritzke, Commander of the Atlantic Area Military Sealift Command based in Bayonne, N.J., has been elected president of the New York Chapter, National Defense Transportation Association, for the coming vear.

hard, president of Dart Containerline Inc., as head of the largest chapter of the NDTA organi-zation, which serves as liaison between private modes of transportation and the U.S. Department of Defense in the event of national emergencies. Mr. Everhard will assume the role as chairman of the board of directors.

The actions at the annual meet-He succeeds Conrad H.C. Ever- ing of the New York unit on Gov- York Shipping Association; Leon-

ernors Island included the elections to one-year terms of three vice presidents. They are Joseph M. Harkin of Farrell Lines; Anthony J. Turco of Universal Carloading and Distributing Co., Inc., and William J. Squicciarini of Lykes Bros. Steamship Co.. Inc.

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In addition, six directors were elected to the NDTA board. They include James J. Dickman of New



ard Genser, Genser Trucking Co.; Capt. Harry G. Newak; Capt. Donald K. Sweeney of International Terminal Operating Co. Inc.; Paul S. Terrels of the Association of American Railroads, and Peter Tamberino.

Captain Fritzke was appointed Commander of the Atlantic Area MSC in March of this year after serving for nearly two years as Chief of Staff. A graduate of the U.S. Merchant Marine Academy at Kings Point in 1948, he served for some four years with the former American-flag shipping company Grace Line, prior to being called to active duty with the Navy in 1952.

After extensive service in the Pacific and Atlantic Ocean regions and additional studies in Navy training schools, Captain Fritzke joined the headquarters staff of the Military Sealift Command in Washington in 1969 and has been part of MSC operations ever since.

Sabine Towing Elects Officers

The board of directors of Sabine Towing & Transportation Co., Inc. has announced the election of Craig Stevenson as chairman of the board-chief executive officer; Joe I. Staggs as vice chair-man of the board-finance-treasurer, and Don L. Garrett as president-chief operating officer.

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Farrell Lines Inc. Elects Officers

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Mr. Farrell also announced that Capt. Richard N. LePage had been appointed manager, corporate planning, and Thomas J. Sartor Jr. as marine superintendent.

Stow Manual Contains Information On Solving Valve Problems

Stow Manufacturing Co. has announced a new Design Manual titled "Marine Valve Remote Op-

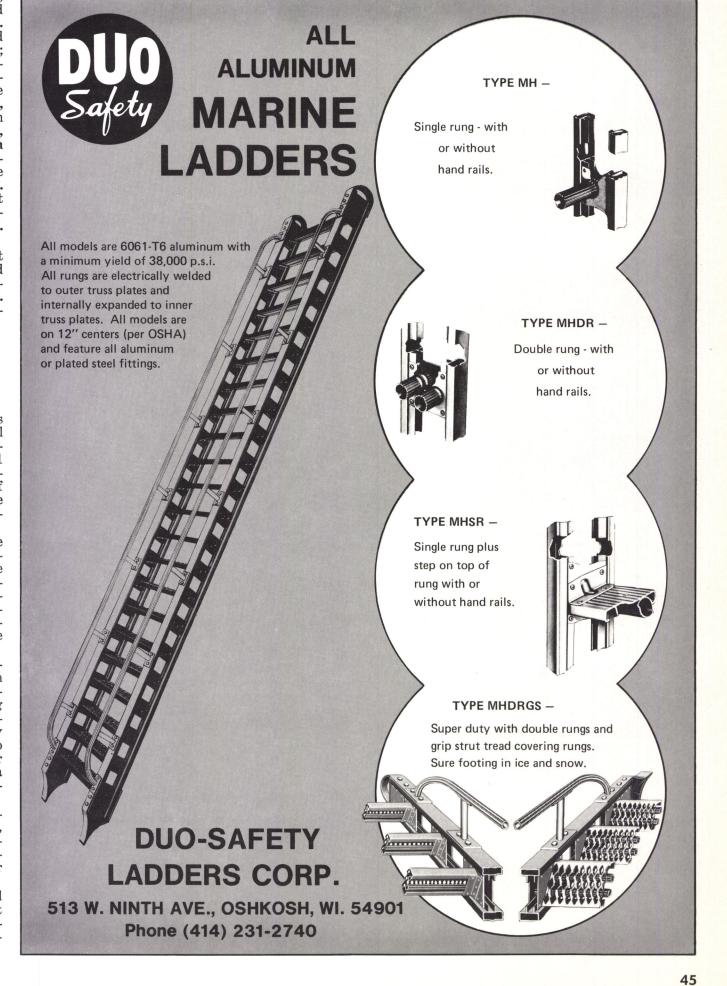
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Naval Engineers Announce Combat Systems Symposium Set For Oct. 12-13 In Maryland

The Combat Systems Committee of The American Society of Naval Engineers (ASNE) is completing arrangements for a Combat Systems Symposium to be held at the U.S. Naval Academy, Annapolis, Md., on October 12 and 13, 1977. The Symposium will be sponsored by the Naval Sea Systems Command and the Office of Naval Research in cooperation with ASNE.

Combat Systems Committee chairman, Capt. Alfred Skolnick, USN, has announced that plans call for seven classified (secret) technical sessions covering a broad range of Navy combat system subjects, which should be of interest to all professionals.

Introductory remarks by Rear Adm. Kenneth E. Wilson, USN, president of ASNE, will be followed by the keynote speech, to be delivered by Vice Adm. Clarence R. Bryan, USN, Commander of the Naval Sea Systems Command. The technical sessions will follow for the duration of the two-day meeting.

Each technical session — Combat System Survivability, Combat System Design and Engineering, Ship Design for Combat Systems, Combat Systems Installation-The Shipbuilding Phase, Combat Systems Acquisition and Acceptance, Combat Systems for 1990-2000, Combat Systems for Advanced Plat-forms—will be chaired by a Navy Flag Officer who is actively engaged in the subject

of his session. His introductory overview, opinions and assessments should be of particular interest to attendees. Opportunities for discussion will be provided.

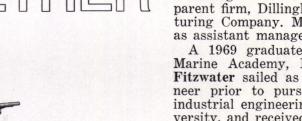
Additional information, as it is developed, and registration and security details will be announced by ASNE. Information will be available from ASNE National Headquarters, 1012 14th Street, N.W., Suite 807, Washington, D.C. 20005.

Dillingham Ship Repair, Portland Names Scott Fitzwater Manager

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Scott Fitzwater

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Scott Fitzwater has been named manager at Dillingham Ship Repair, Portland, Ore., according to Bruce Hobbs, president of the parent firm, Dillingham Marine & Manufacturing Company. Mr. Fitzwater has served as assistant manager since 1973.

A 1969 graduate of the U.S. Merchant Marine Academy, Kings Point, N.Y., Mr. Fitzwater sailed as a licensed marine engineer prior to pursuing graduate work in industrial engineering at Oregon State University, and received an M.B.A. degree from Portland State University this spring. He is a member of The Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers, The Propeller Club, and the Society of Port Engineers.

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& Manufacturing Company vice president John Sutherland, who will continue, until his retirement at age 65, to administer Industrial Relations for Ship Repair and to assist Mr. Hobbs with special projects.

Mr. Sutherland has been with the company for the past 35 years, serving in a variety of positions, and has been manager of the Ship Repair Division since 1970.



HONORED IN PHILADELPHIA—Honored for outstanding service to the Philadelphia Port area, Lavino Shipping Company board chairman Edward J. Lavino II, receives a medallion and plaque from Philadelphia Maritime Society president Thomas Kelly, left. The presentation was made at the 42nd Annual Dinner of the Society held recently at the Benjamin Franklin Hotel. Dinner speaker, Pennsylvania Congressman Raymond F. Lederer, looks on.

Mississippi Marine Towboat **Delivers Harbor Boat To Union RR**

Mississippi Marine Towboat Corporation, Greenville, Miss., recently delivered the M/VSureboat to the Union Railroad Company, a division of U.S. Steel Corporation of Pittsburgh, Pa.

The custom-designed double chine harbor boat will be utilized for fleeting and shifter operations around Union Railroad's coal terminal.

The vessel is 65 feet by 22 feet by 8 feet and is powered by a pair of 12V-71 Detroit Diesel engines driving through Twin Disc MG-514 6:1 reverse reduction gears. Shafts are 5 inch diameter with Sturm hardcoated sleeves. The propellers are Kahlenberg 60inch by 50-inch four-blade stainless steel.

Combustion Engineering, Inc. Names Dr. Paul C. Zmola

Combustion Engineering, Inc., Stamford, Conn., has announced that Dr. Paul C. Zmola has been named to the new position of director of technical liaison.

Dr. Zmola will be located in C-E's Washington, D.C., office and will be responsible for establishing and maintaining liaison between Federal government agencies, including the Energy Research and Development Agency, and operations of C-E. He will report to Gordon Bronson, vice president, corporate affairs.

Dr. Zmola joined C-E in 1956 and has served as manager of reactor engineering for the S1C Naval Reactor Project, manager of advanced design and manager of thermal and hydraulic design. Most recently, he was product manager of R&D sales for C-E's Power Systems Group. Before joining C-E,

Dr. Zmola served as a senior development engineer at the Oak Ridge National Laboratory.

Dr. Zmola received BSME, M.S. and Ph.D. degrees from Purdue University. He is a licensed professional engineer in the state of Connecticut and a member of The American Society of Mechanical Engineers and the American Nuclear Society.

Line Fast Opens West Coast Office

Line Fast Corp. has opened a Western U.S. office and warehouse at Pier 40, San Francisco, Calif.

The Holbrook, N.Y.-based company said Philip V. Bates will be general manager for West Coast operations, which will have available a full line of container securing and handling products.



The M/V Sureboat is arranged with a workroom and crew lounge forward on the main deck and a very spacious engine room aft. The pilothouse is elevated approximately 4 feet above the second deck for better visibility

Other equipment installed on the vessel consists of a pair of 3-71 Detroit Diesel engines driving 40-kw Delco generators which provide the entire electrical requirements of the vessel.

Also installed was a Coast Guard approved Kidde CO₂ automatic fire extinguishing system. Other equipment includes two Nabrico



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After trial runs and acceptance by Union Railroad, the M/V Sureboat was delivered to Pittsburgh by Ohio Barge Lines, also a divi-

sion of U.S. Steel. The M/V Sureboat was built in Mississippi Marine's shipyard on Lake Ferguson in Greenville.

Atco Marine Named U.S. Agents

For Sigma Treatment Systems

Atco Marine Corporation has announced that they have been appointed United States sales agents for Sigma Treatment Systems Inc.

George B. Efthimiou, sales and marketing manager for Atco Marine, advises that Sigma Treatment Systems Inc. have now developed a full range of sewage disposal systems incorporating modular, transfer, single package main units, holding tank accessory units, as well as special application equipment such as required for passenger vessels and for limited "No Discharge." USCG certification has recently been received under Number 159.15/1046/1/I.

Atco also announced that the first passenger vessel installation has just been completed aboard the Holland America Line vessel Statendam.

Further information may be obtained by writing to Mr. Efthimiou at Atco Marine Corporation, 603 Dean Street, Brooklyn, N.Y. 11238.

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Halter Delivers New 185-Foot Ship To Offshore Services Ships, Inc.

The offshore support and supply ship Independence, built by Halter Marine Services, Inc., New Orleans, La., was delivered recently to Offshore Service Ships, Inc., an offshore vessel operator of New Orleans. The Independence was built by the Moss Point, Miss., division of Halter Marine Services. The new offshore service ship has overall

The new offshore service ship has overall dimensions of 185 feet by 40 feet by 14 feet, a normal displacement of 1,590 long tons, and is powered by two EMD-16-567 diesel engines rated at 1,600 horsepower each at 800 revolutions per minute. The vessel has a running speed of approximately 12 knots. The boat is equipped with 90-inch diameter four-bladed stainless steel propellers, Falk LST 2.98:1; reverse/reduction gears and Matthews dual electrohydraulic steering gear.



The Independence carries classification ABS A-1, Maltese Cross, Full Ocean Towing, AMS, ABS Ice Class "C" and United States Coast Guard certificates.

The Independence is equipped with a bulk mud system of four vertical tanks from Smatco with a total capacity of 4,000 cubic feet of dry bulk mud. Auxiliary machinery includes two 98-kw generators. Also included is a 30 point engine monitoring/alarm system covering the main engine and the engines for the towing winch, reduction gear, generator sets, and bow thruster. Also aboard

Marketing Opportunity

A leading Canadian shipping and marine services company has recently decided to strengthen its marketing function. Initial responsibilities of this new position will be to develop and recommend marketing strategies and programs to profitably capitalize on opportunities for improved services to existing and prospective customers and the expansion of company operations on an international basis. Location is Toronto. Applicants should have shipping industry experience and a broad marketing management background with an emphasis on market research. Initiative and the ability to deal effectively with others is essential. This position will particularly appeal to those seeking an exciting professional challenge with immediate personal growth opportunities. Starting salary is open based on qualifications and experience. Please reply in confidence giving full personal details to File #8777.

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are two Quincy air compressors with two 250-gallon air receivers, a Deming sanitary water system and fire protection equipment meeting all USCG requirements. Hydraulic steering is located at two stations in the pilothouse.

Deck machinery aboard the ship includes a double wildcat windlass and a 5-footdiameter by 8-foot-long stern roller. The Independence is equipped with a sewage treatment plant and a Bird Johnson 300horsepower bow thruster powered by a General Motors 8V-71 engine.

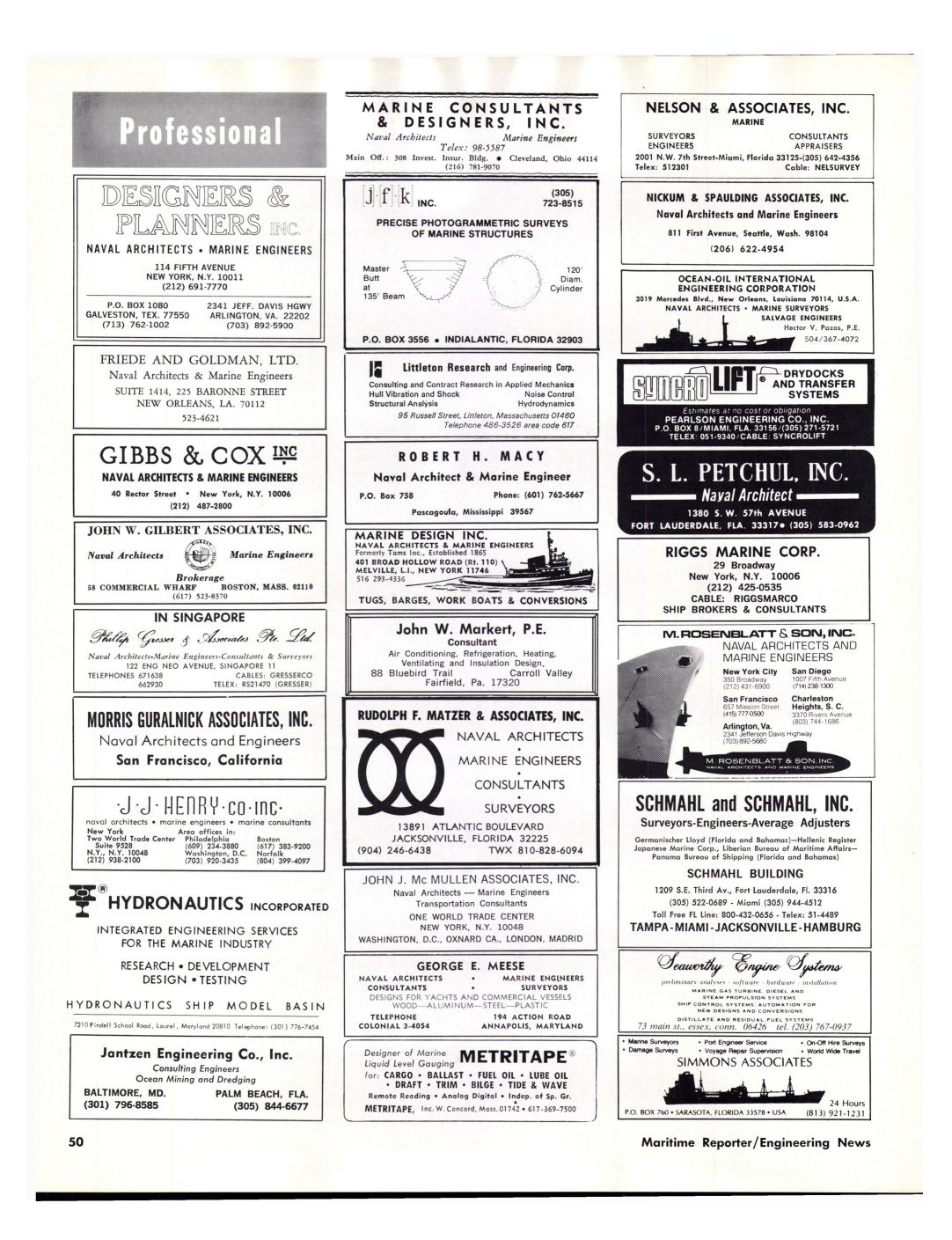
Communications equipment on the Independence includes a RF-448 VHF radio with emergency position indicator beacon, RF SSB radio; navigation equipment includes two Raytheon radars, a 6-inch Ritchie magnetic compass, a Sperry autopilot, a Raytheon depth sounder with transducer, and a rudder angle indicator.

The offshore service vessel has the following capacities: fuel oil — 82,058.58 gallons; fresh water — 2,684.9 gallons; lube oil — 1,978.3 gallons.

Tom L. Levy is the owner of the new company, Offshore Service Ships, Inc. The company operates vessels in various parts of the world where oil and gas exploration and production is being carried out.

Halter Marine Services, Inc., operates six shipyards in the United States, and is the world's largest builder of offshore support vessels. The company is known throughout the world for its well-proven variety of crewboats, supply boats, ocean tugs, production vessels and pilot boats, as well as river pushboats, military patrol boats and customdesigned vessels for specialized services.







General Cargo Ships Becoming Obsolete

A new report from interna- management, therefore, calls for tional shipping consultants, Westinform, suggests that changing liner trades are making many general cargo vessels obsolete. This is not just because of the usual problems associated with age, such as loss of performance and increasing maintenance and repair, but because the design of the conventional liner has had to change in order to adapt itself to the current trading conditions.

The report — "A Review of World Conference Liner Fleets"reveals that 40 percent of operating vessels are more than 15 years old, and 15 percent over 20 years old. This could explain why new building orders in today's extremely depressed shipbuilding market have featured general cargo ships so frequently.

The conventional liner, Westinform points out, has become the "clearing house" for residual commodities not covered by specialpurpose vessels. Vessel choice and

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more exacting skills and experience than where the commodity is more consistent and the ports of call are fewer. In particular, the operator requires short-term flexibility and long-term adaptability. Flexibility to cope with the variety of type, form and stowage of the commodities; adaptability to the fundamental changes in requirements, e.g., liquid or refrigerated cargoes.

The Westinform study shows that the amount of space provided for liquids and/or refrigerated cargoes is a straightforward example of specialized tonnage taking an increasing share of the trade, thereby reducing the requirement in the conventional liner. However, despite competition from specialized chemical tankers and independent "wild" reefers, the cargo requirement of liquid and refrigerated capacity in conventional liner vessels has not entirely disappeared but sim-

ply reduced. Accordingly, these vessels have adapted to the changing trading conditions.

The provision for heavy-lift equipment is another trend identified in the report—a logical devel-opment with developing countries committed to broadening their industrial base. Major oil exporters, along with Brazil, are obvious examples of ambitious programs requiring extensive imports of heavy capital plant and equipment. However, Westinform points out that the provision of heavy lift affects other aspects of the vessels not always compatible with the current trends in design, and there is a growing fleet of spe-

cialist heavy-lift vessels. Such developments are minor compared to the impact of containerization. The most dramatic consequence for conventional liners has been the reduction in the newbuilding deliveries since the late 1960s. A less obvious consequence that emerges from Westinform's report might best be understood in terms of changing the concept of cargo stowage from horizontal to vertical. While containerization has not proved as cost effective as the first studies suggested, it was developed in response to the high handling costs of general cargo in the port and in-shore. Included in these handling costs was the manual operation of shifting the cargo into the side of the cargo holds, once it had been dropped down through the relatively narrow hatches in the center of the vessel. In providing both the uniform shape and a measure of protection

of the 50-80,000-dwt tankers issued in 1976). Westinform has made a detailed examination of the current vessels of various Conference members in terms of numbers, capacity, flag, age and the changes in vessel design (including length, beam, draft, deadweight, refrigerated capacity, hatch width and area, type of engine, etc.). The report will be issued to all subscribers to the Westinform Shipping Report Series, and individual copies can be obtained at \$50 each (£25 in the U.K.), including postage, from The Westinform Service, 9 Cork

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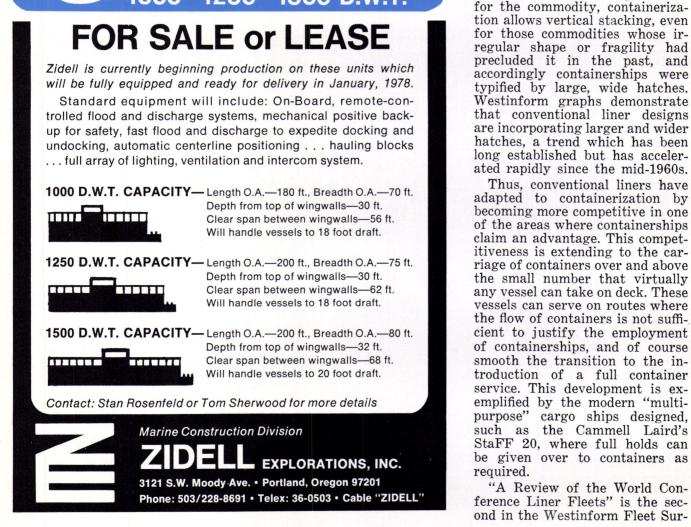
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The formation of Supplier's Marine & Industrial Inc., "Purveyors to the Industries," has been announced by Kevin Patrick Smith, president of the firm.

The new company will provide turbine renewal, pump, diesel engine and electrical parts to the marine and industrial markets in



tion allows vertical stacking, even for those commodities whose irregular shape or fragility had precluded it in the past, and accordingly containerships were typified by large, wide hatches. Westinform graphs demonstrate that conventional liner designs are incorporating larger and wider hatches, a trend which has been long established but has accelerated rapidly since the mid-1960s. Thus, conventional liners have

adapted to containerization by becoming more competitive in one of the areas where containerships claim an advantage. This competitiveness is extending to the carriage of containers over and above the small number that virtually any vessel can take on deck. These vessels can serve on routes where the flow of containers is not sufficient to justify the employment of containerships, and of course smooth the transition to the introduction of a full container service. This development is exemplified by the modern "multipurpose" cargo ships designed, such as the Cammell Laird's StaFF 20, where full holds can

be given over to containers as required. "A Review of the World Conference Liner Fleets" is the sec-

the Great Lakes area. Surplus equipment will also be supplied. Items that are hard to find will be the specialty of the house.

Supplier's will also act as manufacturers representatives for Line Fast Corp., container and trailer securing systems; Mariners Co., boiler condenser and heat exchanger tubing; and Valad Electric Heating Corp., with additional lines to be added in the near future.

Mr. Smith is a graduate of the United States Merchant Marine Academy at Kings Point, N.Y., and sailed for a number of years in various engineering capacities. He has extensive sales experience in both the marine and industrial markets on the coasts, as well as the Great Lakes since coming ashore.

Mr. Smith is a member of the United States Merchant Marine Academy Alumni Association, the United States Naval Reserve, The Propeller Club, The Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers, Naval Reserve Officers Association, and the Great Lakes Historical Society, as well as the Marine Port Engineers.

Supplier's Marine & Industrial Inc. is located at 7686 Shady ond in the Westinform Fleet Sur- Lane, Northfield, Ohio 44067.

Mobil Sales And Supply Corp. Appoints Mellott And Watson



William L. Mellott Douglas D. Watson

William L. Mellott has been named manager, facilities operations, and Douglas D. Watson was named manager, product engineering, for Mobil Sales and Supply Corporation, a unit of Mobil Oil Corporation.

Mr. Mellott joined Mobil in 1949 and has held a variety of positions since that time, most recently that of manager, bunker facilities engineering for Mobil Shipping and Transportation Company.

A 1943 graduate of the U.S. Naval Academy, he left the Navy in 1947. Before joining Mobil, he was employed by Shell Oil Corporation for two years.

Mr. Watson joined Mobil in 1958 as a staff engineer at Mobil Oil de Columbia in Bogota. He subsequently held various engineering positions with Mobil Oil in Oakland, Calif., and Phoenix, Ariz. He most recently was a chief engineer in Waltham, Mass.

Mr. Watson was born in Sioux City, Iowa. He graduated from the University of Portland in 1955 with a Bachelor of Science degree. Prior to joining Mobil, he was employed by General Petroleum Corporation, which subsequently became part of Mobil Oil Corporation. fact that MICRO=LAM is cured in a hot press, which results in a consistent moisture content of less than 12 percent. This means uniform lighter weight, freight savings, fewer drying checks, no crooking or twisting, and almost no end splitting requiring end rods and banding.

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The acceptance of the product has been outstanding, and major shipyards such as Bethlehem and Avondale are using the product almost exclusively. More information can be obtained from **Raleigh Hawe**, Trus Joist Corporation, P.O. Box 60, Boise, Idaho 83707.

Dixie Dredge Relocates Miami, Florida, Office

The Dixie Dredge Corporation, St. Louis, Mo.-based pioneer manufacturer of the production model portable dredge, has announced the relocation of its Miami, Fla., sales office to new facilities at 12700 Biscayne Boulevard, Suite 303, North Miami, Fla. 33181. M.J. (Mal) Goldstrohm continues as Dixie's regional sales manager in Miami.

The Dixie Dredge Corporation is a subsidiary of St. Louis Ship Division, Pott Industries Inc. This completes Pott's consolidation of all dredge building operations at its expanded construction facilities in St. Louis, while maintaining complete regional marketing operations in Florida.



Trus Joist Brochure Describes Revolutionary Scaffold Plank

Something new and interesting is happening in the scaffold plank industry. A new laminated lumber product is being mass manufactured with ideal characteristics for planking.

The product is called MICRO=LAM and is made exclusively by Trus Joist Corporation. It is a manufactured high-strength structural lumber consisting of many layers of Douglas fir veneers, bonded with a waterproof adhesive. The product is fabricated in $1\frac{1}{2}$ -inch, $1\frac{3}{4}$ -inch, and $2\frac{1}{2}$ -inch thicknesses in widths to 24 inches and lengths to 80 feet.

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perishable commodities to foreign markets," according to Elliot Schrier, president of the San Francisco, Calif.-based research firm.

"Our previous research indicates that domestic perishable cargo shippers and shipping lines are potentially able to achieve much greater penetration of cerlines can increase profitable par- tain goods in certain overseas

ticipation in the movement of markets. This penetration would not only be of economic benefit to the carriers, to agriculture and to other producers of perishables, but it would create new jobs and have a favorable impact on the nation's balance of payments," Mr. Schrier stated.

The study will analyze the market characteristics of perishable imports and exports that would move in an expanded refrigerated

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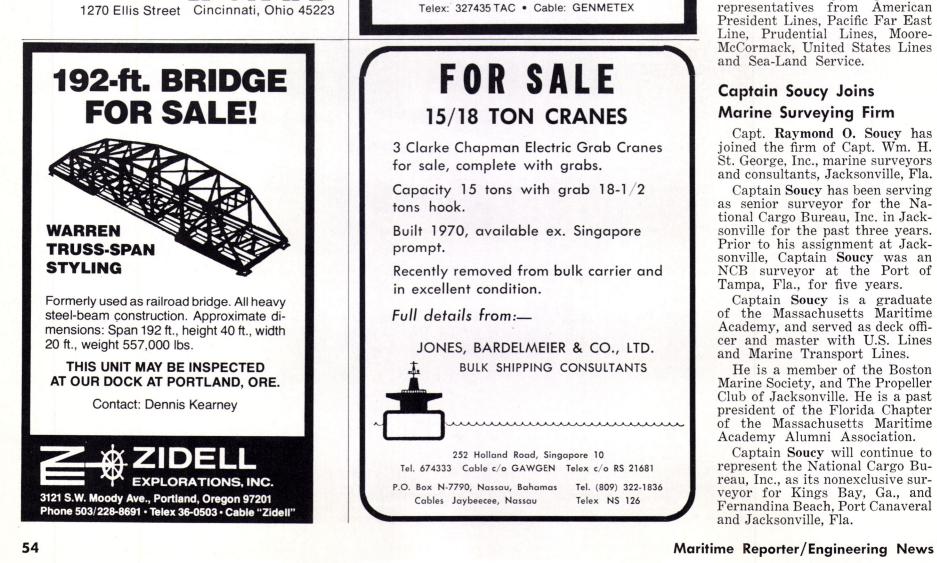
the commodities could bear while returning a profit to the U.S.-flag carriers. In a related study for the Federal Railroad Administration and the National Bureau of Standards, Manalytics is examining the domestic perishables logistics system.

service at ocean freight rates that

"At this time, there is no definitive information on the potential demand for refrigerated, ventilated, or controlled-atmosphere containers or other refrigerated ocean transport," he commented. "As a result, U.S.-flag carriers may not be equipped to meet the market as it exists. We will report on such things as the volume and seasonality of perishable goods shipments, trade balance, roundtrip transit times, and the quality of service and rate levels that shipments require at differing market volumes. We will also weigh competition from foreignflag liner and nonliner carriers and recommend actions the Maritime Administration and the carriers should take to realize the potential.

"Such information," he concludes, "will place U.S.-flag carriers in a better position to structure their refrigerated services to increase their market share of perishable goods shipments at a profit. It should also assist U.S. exporters of perishable goods to increase their markets in both volume and coverage."

Bertram E. Rifas of Manalytics is serving as program director. Manalytics has formed an advisory committee in connection with the research study, comprised of





ASNE SAN DIEGO SECTION MEETS-The San Diego Section of the American Society of Naval Engineers, Inc., held its quarterly meeting recently at the U.S. Grant Hotel in San Diego, Calif. In attendance were 26 members and guests. Peter Finne of National Steel and Shipbuilding Company, San Diego, was the guest speaker. His topic was the capabilities of the Japanese shipbuilding industry. Mr. Finne presented a comprehensive description, with accompanying slides, of the capabilities of seven different Japanese shipyards he had recently visited. These yards ranged from the older, smaller yards to new, ultrasophisticated yards capable of building 1,000,000-dwt tankers. Following the presentation, Mr. Finne responded to questions from the audience. Shown above, left to right: John Pethick, secretary-treasurer; Lou Gerken, program chairman and councilor; Peter Finne, speaker, and John Snyder, chairman.

Fire Extinguishing Systems **Described In New Brochure** By Walter Kidde & Company

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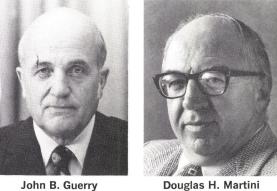
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DeLaval Turbine Inc. Elects Guerry And Martini As VPs



John B. Guerry

Donald T. Bixby, president, DeLaval Turbine Inc., has announced that John B. Guerry and Douglas H. Martini were elected to the position of vice president by the board of directors.

A resident of Yardley, Pa., Mr. Guerry joined DeLaval in 1966 and is the general manager of the Trenton, N.J.-based Turbine Division. The Turbine Division products include steam turbines, centrifugal pumps and gears.

Mr. Martini, a resident of Moraga, Calif.,

Lindsay And Fowlis Promoted At Seaspan International Ltd.



J. Rod A. Lindsay

Allen M. Fowlis

Genstar Marine Limited has announced that J. Rod A. Lindsay, formerly president and chief executive officer of Seaspan International Ltd., Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada, has been appointed chairman of that company. Allen M. Fowlis, formerly executive vice president, has been appointed president and chief executive officer of Seaspan, replacing Mr. Lindsay. Mr. Fowlis will, in addition, retain his position as president of Vancouver Shipyards Co. Ltd.

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The Kidde brochure is available free of charge by writing to Arnold Storfer, Walter Kidde & Company, Inc., 675 Main Street, Belleville, N.J. 07109.

Crosby Announces New Shackle Design

An entirely new shackle design to greatly improve the wearability of wire-rope slings is now available from The Crosby Group.

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It also provides a 58-percent increase in the rope bearing surface, and increases usable rope strength by 15 percent. Shackles are available in forged or cast

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has been with DeLaval since 1971, and serves as the general manager of the Engine and Compressor Division located in Oakland. Calif. This division manufactures mediumspeed diesel engines and a line of engine/

compressor packages. DeLaval Turbine Inc. has 15 manufacturing facilities in the United States, Canada, the Netherlands, and West Germany.



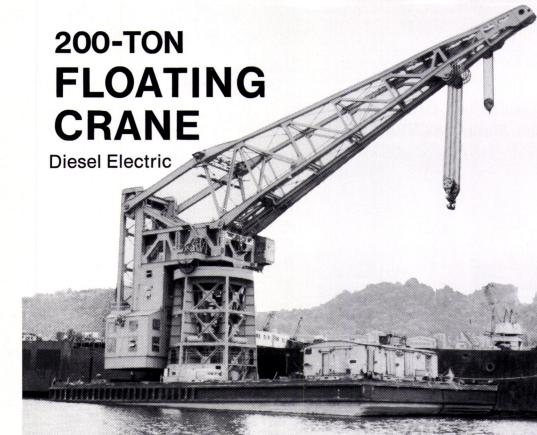
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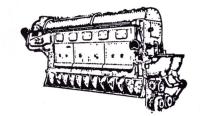


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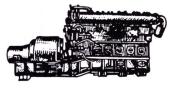
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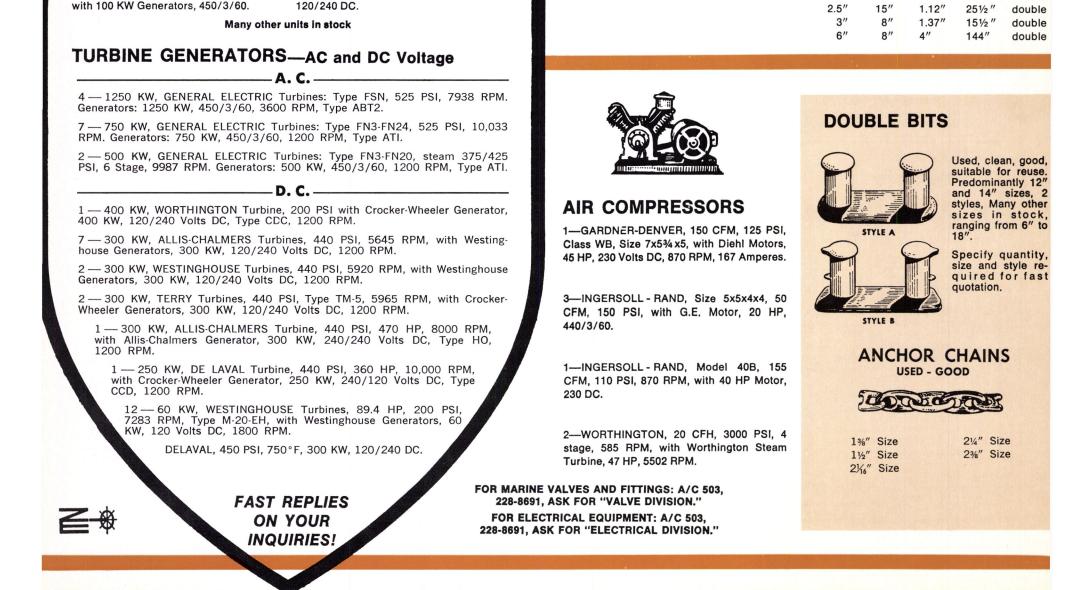
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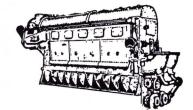
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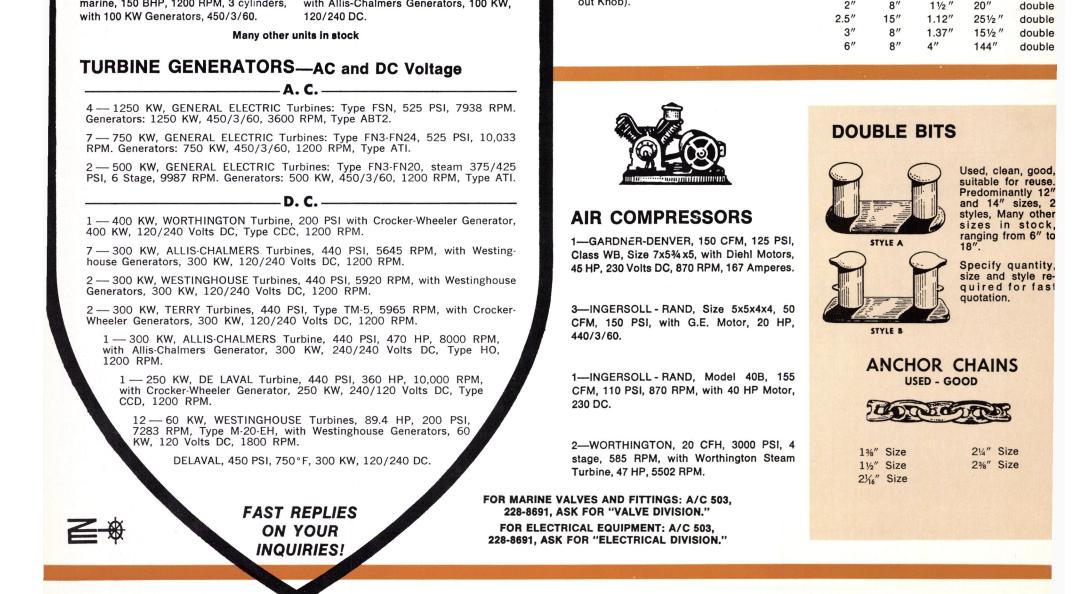
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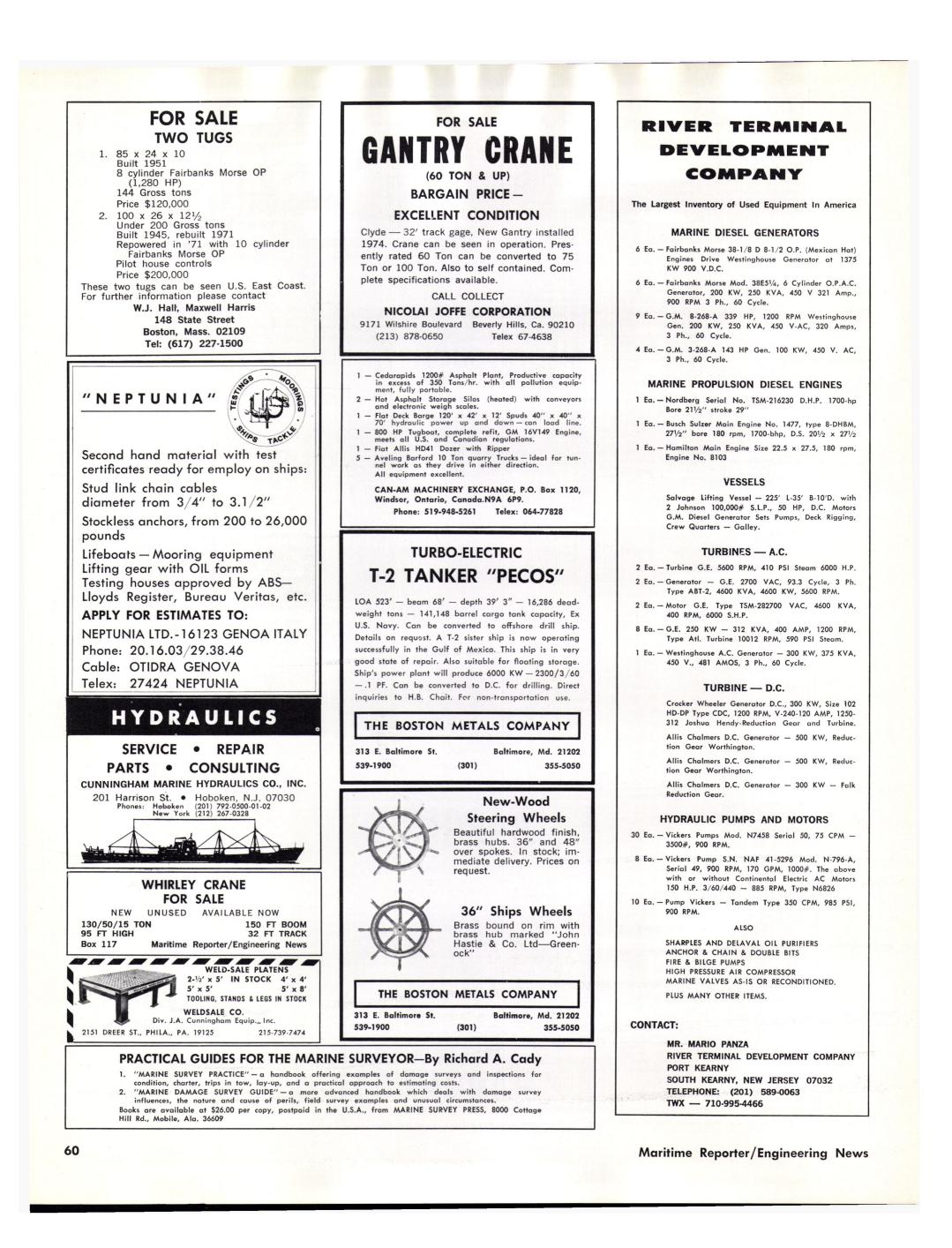
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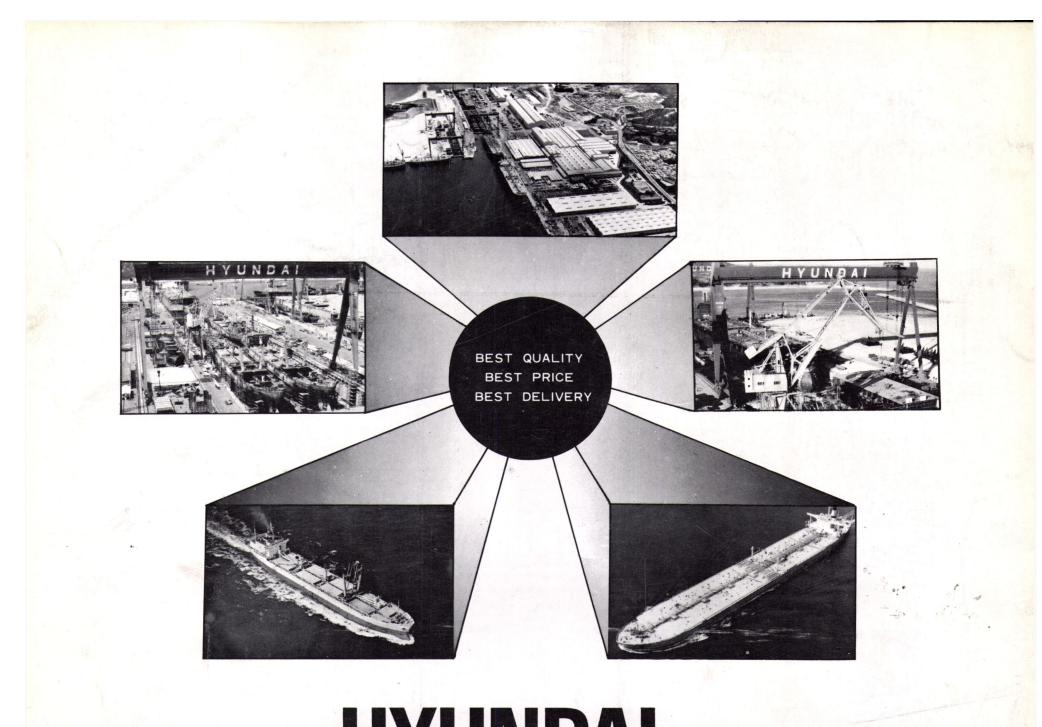
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