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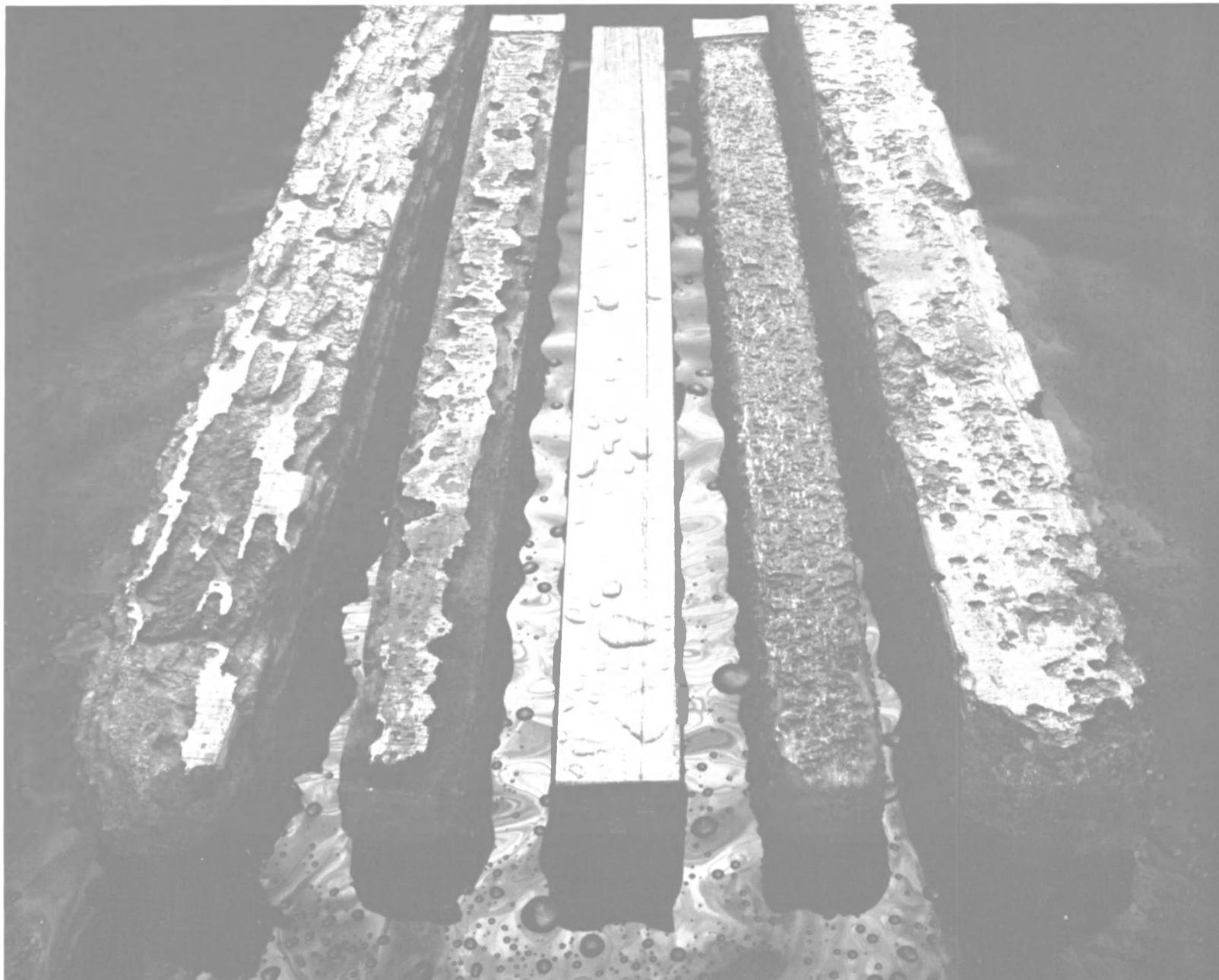
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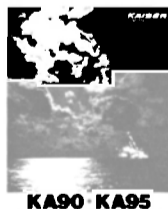
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Marine Management Systems, Inc. (MMS) recently announced the formation of an overseas subsidiary, Marine Management Systems (U.K.), Ltd., to provide technical support for its clientele in the United Kingdom and on the Continent.

Headquartered in Stamford, Conn., MMS specializes in the design and development of computerized management systems for the international shipping industry.

MMS president **Eugene D. Story** said the expansion move will also facilitate the marketing of services offered by two affiliate companies, MARDATA and MMS Associates. MARDATA markets a worldwide maritime information service, while MMS Associates is a consulting organization active in the marine transportation industry.

Mr. Story added that the new firm is headquartered at the World Trade Centre in London.

J.M. Colonell Appointed Senior Project Engineer For Woodward-Clyde

Woodward-Clyde Consultants has announced the appointment of Dr. **Joseph M. Colonell** to the position of senior project engineer with the firm's Anchorage office.

Prior to joining Woodward-Clyde, he was affiliated with the University of Alaska's Institute of Marine Science, where he was professor of ocean engineering. Before that he held a position as professor of civil and ocean engineering at the University of Massachusetts. Throughout his academic career, Dr. Colonell has also been active as an independent consultant, with emphasis on coastal engineering problems.

As senior project engineer, Dr. Colonell is responsible for Woodward-Clyde's coastal engineering and physical oceanographic activities in Alaska. His work will focus on the investigation and assessment of environmental forces in the coastal zone including beach and wave dynamics, pollutant transport processes, and the effects of ice.

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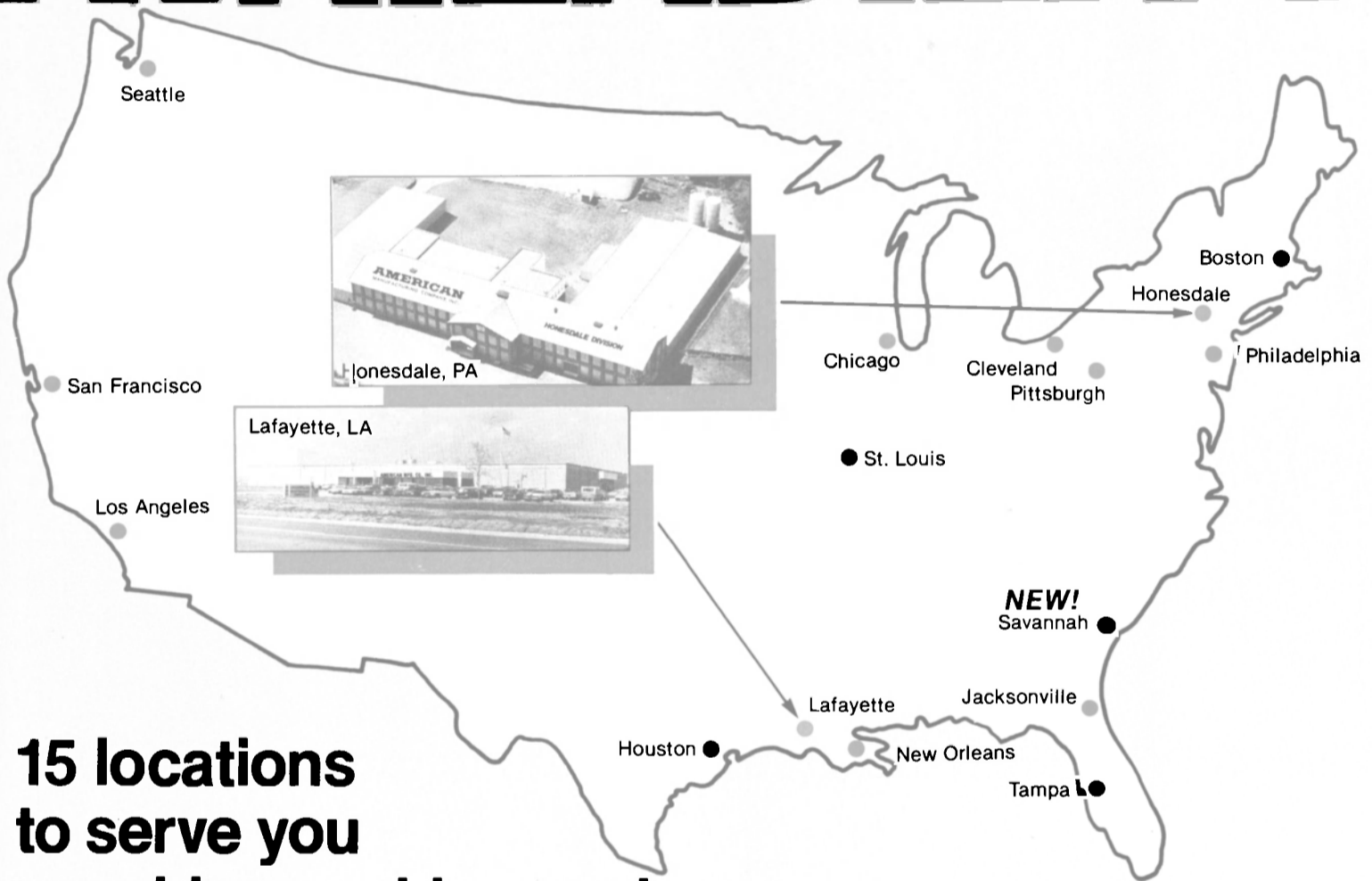
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Third Navy Destroyer Tender Launched At NASSCO Yard

A crowd of several thousand watched the recent christening of the USS Cape Cod (AD-43) at the San Diego yard of National Steel and Shipbuilding Company. She was the third Gompers Class destroyer tender to slide down the ways at NASSCO during the past 18 months. A fourth, (AD-44), is scheduled to be launched in December 1981.

Sponsor at the ceremonies was Mrs. Betty Evans Murray, wife of Under Secretary of the Navy Robert J. Murray, who was the key speaker of the day. Their younger daughter, Victoria Ann Murray, served as maid of honor.

Other participants in the program were

John J. Glynn, USN, Chaplain, Naval Surface Force, U.S. Pacific Fleet; C. Larry French, president of NASSCO; Capt. W. Todd Hale, USN, Supervisor of Shipbuilding, Conversion and Repair, San Diego; Capt. Stuart Platt, USN, Deputy Commander, Naval Sea Systems Command, Contracts Directorate; and John M. Murphy, vice president, corporate relations, NASSCO.

Following the launching ceremony, Vice Adm. Lee Baggett Jr., USN, Commander, Naval Surface Force, U.S. Pacific Fleet, laid the keel for the AD-44.

The Cape Cod — like her sister ships Yellowstone and Acadia launched last year — is



Sponsor of the new ship was Mrs. Robert J. Murray, wife of U.S. Navy Under Secretary Murray (left). Their daughter, Victoria Ann Murray, was maid of honor. At right is NASSCO president C. Larry French.

named for a U.S. geographic area; in this case, the historic cape off Massachusetts where the Pilgrims first landed.

The 642-foot-long ADs are the first destroyer tenders of their type designed since World War II, and will replace aging fleet tenders that have been in continuous service for more than 30 years. The 22,000-ton (displacement) Gompers Class tenders will provide repair and supply services to new destroyer type ships that have advanced missile, antisubmarine, and electronics systems. They have more than 50 shops, including facilities to service nuclear power plants. They will provide repairs and modifications that do not require drydocking, and will carry spare parts, weapons, munitions, and medical and dental personnel.

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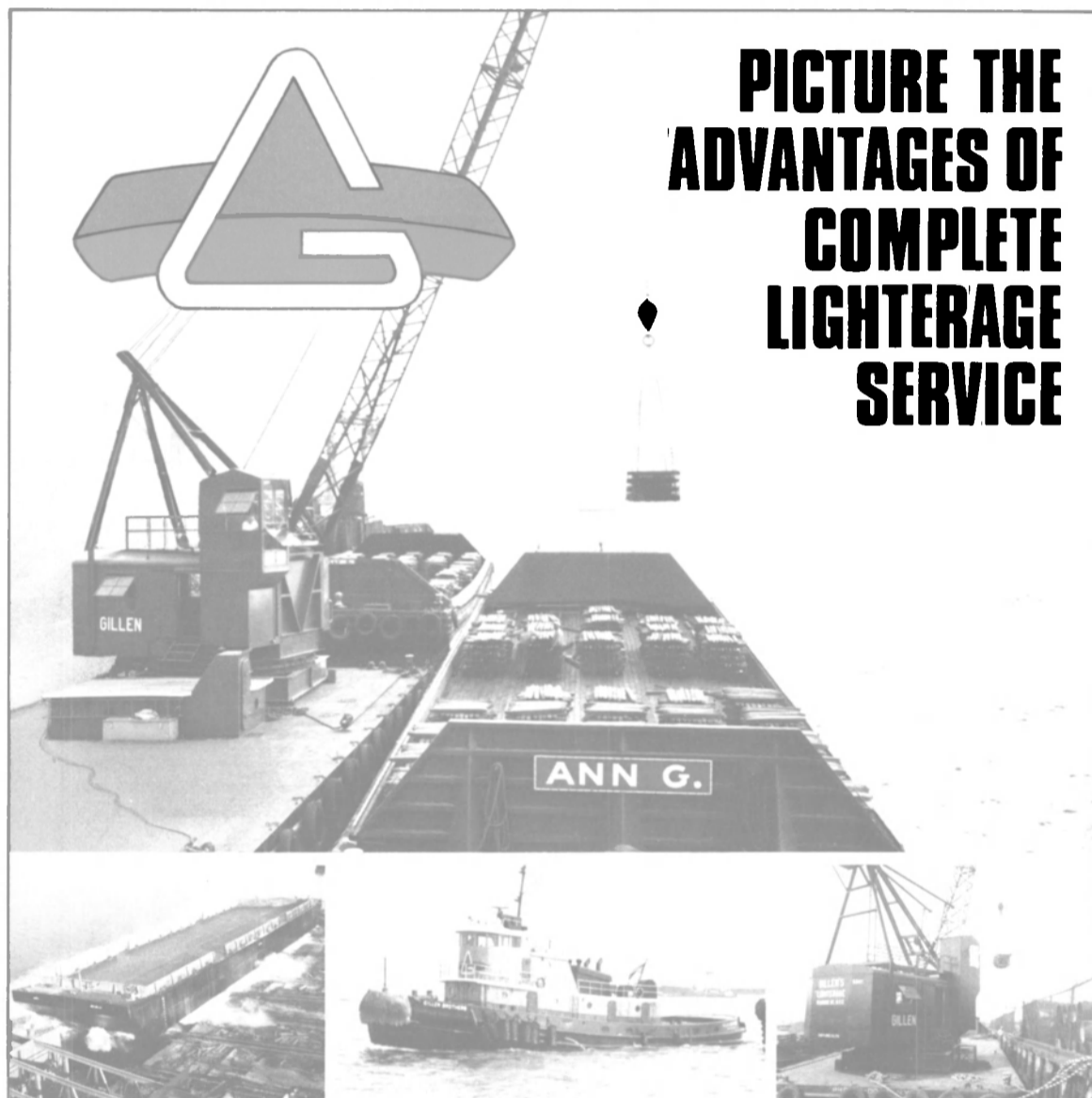


Destroyer tender USS Cape Cod (AD-43) was launched recently at San Diego yard of National Steel and Shipbuilding Company. She is third of class launched at the yard.

SSI Introduces Emergency Anchor Windlass System— Literature Available

A barge operator in Argentina is among the first customers for a new radio-controlled, emergency anchor windlass system that has been designed, developed, and is now being

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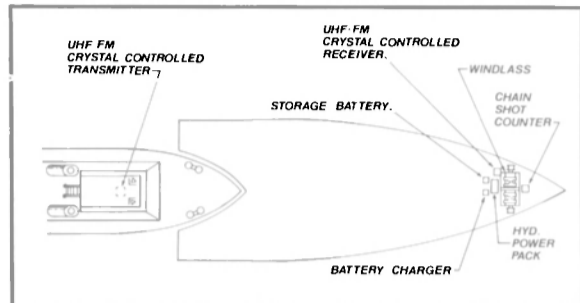
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The barge-mounted windlass is equipped with a hydraulic cylinder that activates release of the windlass brake upon receipt of the signal. This is done by means of a solenoid-operated hydraulic valve, which upon activation by the radio signal, releases hydraulic fluid to the brake-release cylinder. The wildcat begins to rotate, paying out cable, which operation is monitored by switch so that the amount of chain released may be observed. When a pre-set number of revolutions has been achieved (usually equivalent to 15 fathoms of chain), the solenoid is automatically de-energized, allowing the spring-set brake to return to the on position. The process may be repeated at any time by re-activating the transmit switch. An emergency stop control is included, enabling the windlass to be stopped at any point in the cycle.

An electric hydraulic power pack, power for which is derived from batteries, is mounted on the barge. A battery charger is provided to maintain voltage level.

For more information and free literature on the new system, write to **Robert L. Fouchard**, Dept. MR, SSI, Inc., P.O. Box 4036, Houma, La. 70361.

F. Shepherd Promoted At Designers & Planners— Pramud Rawat Joins Firm

Frank Shepherd has been promoted to the position of director, project engineering and systems analysis, and Dr. Pramud Rawat has joined Designers & Planners, Inc. as director, special projects. The announcement was made recently by Ferd Serim, president of the company. Designers & Planners is a firm of naval architects and marine engineers with offices in New York, Washington, and Galveston.

In his new capacity, Mr. Shepherd will be responsible for diverse projects including

development of general and ship specifications and standardization documentation, data base management, technical solutions to fleet support problems, and electrical and electronic engineering. Prior to joining Designers & Planners, he was employed by the Navy Department, Vitro Laboratories, Cornell Aeronautical Laboratories, Honeywell, Inc., and most recently the Logistics Management Institute.

As director, special projects, Dr. Rawat will be responsible for scientific research and development effort and facilities engineering. He is a naval architect with 23 years' experience in structural design, mathematical application in surface representation and approximation, safety certification of shipbuilding facilities, and large-scale software development.

Prior to joining Designers & Planners,



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Dr. Pramud Rawat

Dr. Rawat worked with Howaldtswerke-Hamburg, MIT, Ghana Nautical College, M. Rosenblatt & Son, Advanced Marine Technology Division of Litton Industries, Hydro-nautics, Inc., J.J. McMullen Associates, and most recently with Vitro Laboratories.




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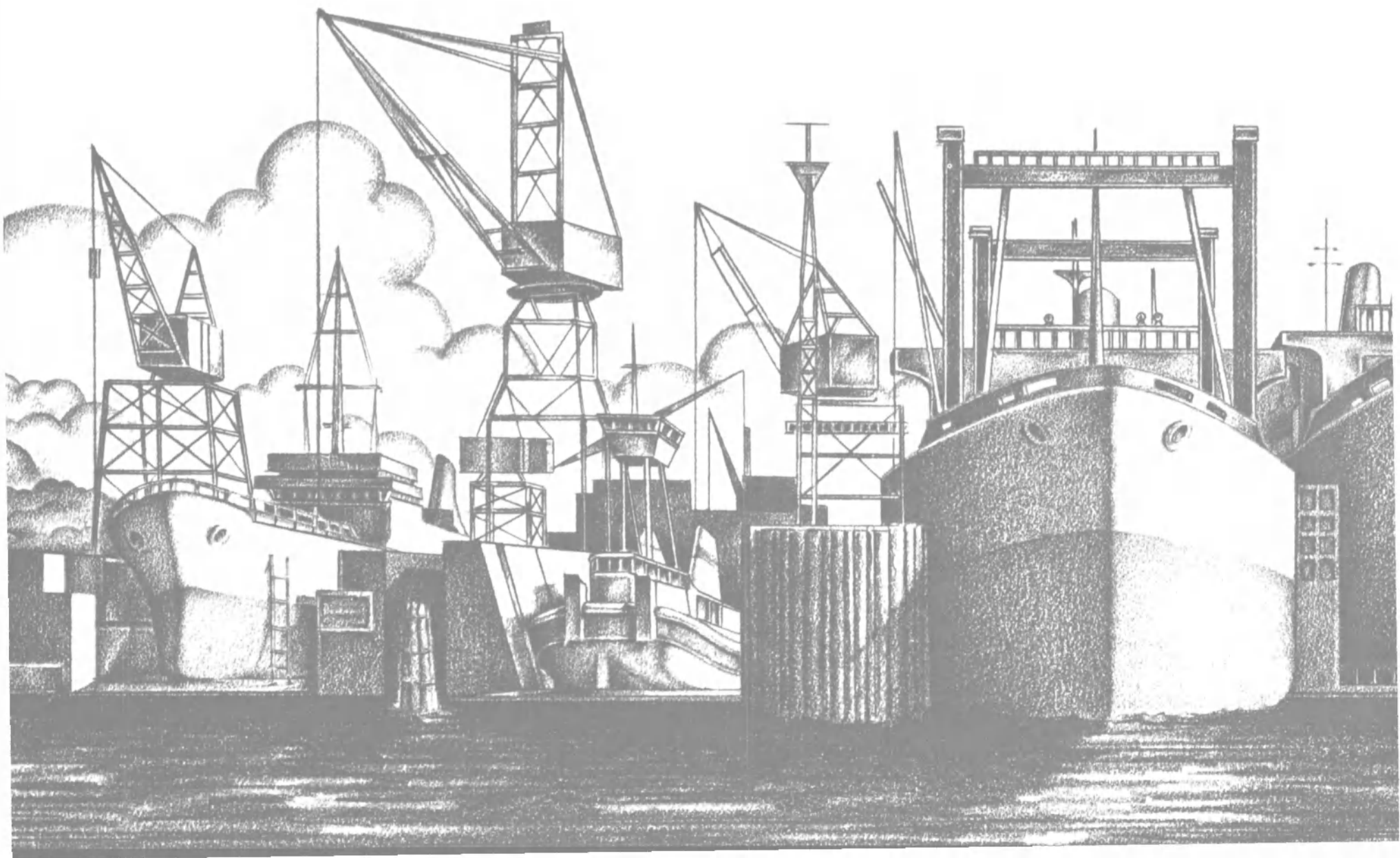
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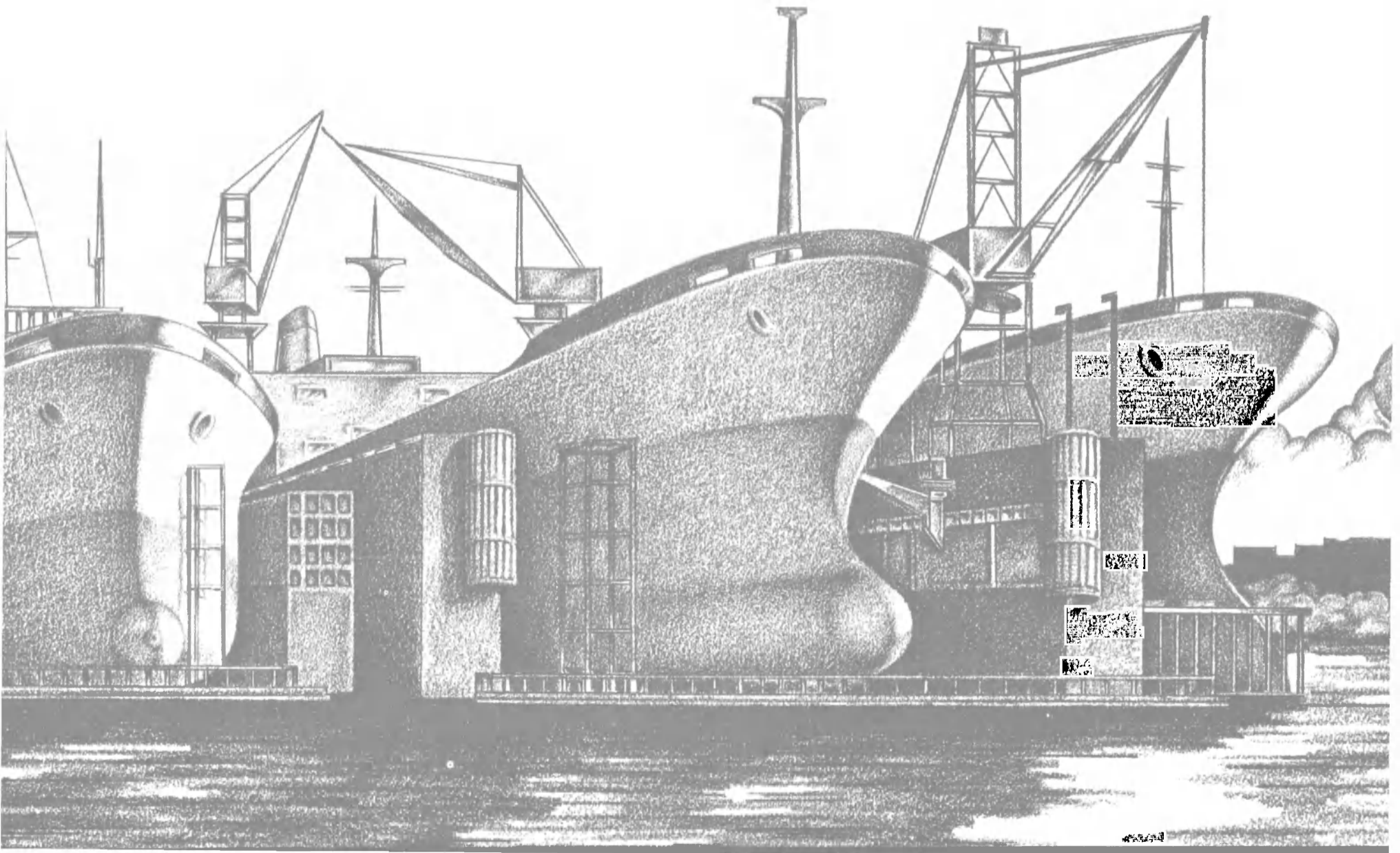
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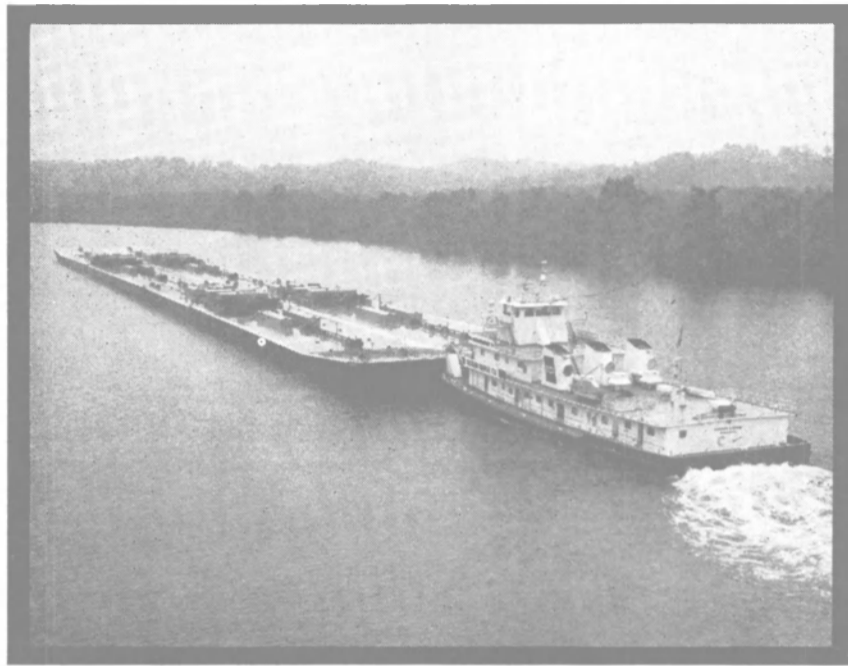


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T. Canonie Jr., president and chief executive officer of The Canonie Companies, Inc., announces the formation of a new subsidiary, Canonie-Bultema Pacific Corporation. Specifically formed to handle the West Coast operation of The Canonie Companies, Canonie-Bultema Pacific specializes in dredging, earthmoving, excavation, foundations, marine construction, and marine transportation. The new corporation combines the engineering/specialty construction/marine transportation skills of Bultema Dock and Dredge Company, Canonie Construction Company, Canonie Environmental Services Corporation, La Crosse Dredging Corporation, and Bultema Marine Transportation Inc.

Stanley J. Andrie, executive vice president of The Canonie Companies and president of Bultema Dock and Dredge, Bultema Marine Transportation, and La Crosse Dredging, has been elected president of the new subsidiary. He has been with the Marine Companies since 1963.

Charles I. Beatty, vice president of operations for Canonie Construction, and John R. Parmater, who is executive vice president of Bultema Dock and Dredge and vice president of Bultema Marine Transportation and La Crosse Dredging, have been elected vice presidents.

Mr. Beatty joined Canonie Construction in 1970. Mr. Parmater has been with the Marine Companies since 1971.

Armco Restructures Western Steel Division Into Three Groups



Clifford G. Ward



Robert L. Purdum



F.H. Cheffy

Armco recently restructured its Western Steel Division into three operating divisions—Southwestern Steel, Midwestern Steel, and Manufactured Products. The reorganization is a further step in Armco's strategy to establish autonomous business units.

Southwestern Steel Division is headquartered in Houston, and produces carbon and alloy steels in plate, wide-flange, and bar forms primarily for the energy and marine markets. Its Houston producing plant is the largest integrated steel mill on tidewater west of the Mississippi River.

Clifford G. Ward is president of Southwestern Steel Division. He was with the company's steel sales organization from 1949 to 1977, when he transferred to Armco's Houston-based National Supply Company as vice president of administration. In 1978, he returned to Armco's Western Steel

Division as vice president of Houston products.

Headquartered in Kansas City, Mo., Midwestern Steel Division produces carbon and alloy steels in the form of bar, rod, and wire, primarily for agricultural mining and light construction uses. Robert L. Purdum is president of Midwestern Steel Division. He served as sales engineer, general manager, and vice president for Armco's Metal Products Division. In 1978, he was named vice president for Western Steel Division's Kansas City Products organization.

Also with headquarters in Kansas City, Manufactured Products Division has producing plants in Kansas City; Sand Springs, Okla.; Marion, Ohio; and several smaller fabricating plants. Union Wire Rope, a full line wire rope producer, is part of this division.

F.H. (Ted) Cheffy is president of the division. He joined Armco

in 1956 and advanced through its steel sales organization to director of products and customer services for Armco's Eastern Steel Division. In 1977, he was named general manager of Union Wire Rope.

Newport News Awarded Two Navy Contracts Totaling \$39.2 Million

Newport News Shipbuilding, Newport News, VA, has been awarded a \$23,810,956 modification to a previously awarded contract for long lead time items and steel for the nuclear-powered aircraft carrier CVN-71. A second Navy modification award, in the amount of \$15,389,641, was made for additional long lead time items for the same ship. The Naval Sea Systems Command was the contracting activity for both awards.

Toronto Firm Proposes Truck/Trailer RO/RO Run Across Lake Ontario

A Toronto company is prepared to start a roll-on/roll-off, trans-lake ferry service if the scheme receives approvals from U.S. regulatory bodies.

Sherwood Marine Inc. has been developing plans for a truck/trailer ferry run across Lake Ontario for some time, and has set up a subsidiary, Ro-Ro Ontario Inc., to operate the proposed service.

According to company president **W. Paul Sherwood**, his firm is willing to spend \$35 million to establish the ferry link between the Port of Toronto and a yet-to-be-determined U.S. city. Several sites for the U.S. base port are being considered and include Somerset, Rochester and Oswego, all located in New York State.

"A new marine service across Lake Ontario carrying commercial tractor trailers will mean significant benefits to the transportation industry and the consumer," said Mr. **Sherwood**, who explained that he is confident his firm will gain the necessary approvals to operate the service. "There is no indication, from the preliminary studies, of any problems," he said.

"The service offers a fast and inexpensive alternative to shippers of freight and parcels between Canada, the United States and foreign destinations. It's a cost-efficient transportation method that is expected to have a discernable impact on lowering fuel consumption, as well as reducing truck traffic on public highways," he said.

According to Mr. **Sherwood**, feasibility studies conducted in both Canada and the United States have shown that the 2½-hour translake service is a prac-

tical approach to shipping commercial traffic as compared to the conventional overland method.

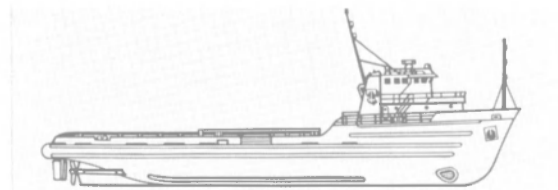
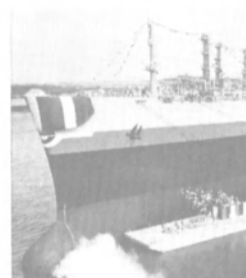
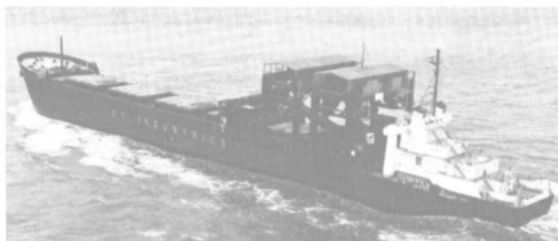
Once given the go-ahead, Mr. **Sherwood** expects to inaugurate the service with a chartered RO/RO vessel. This would be followed by the construction of equipment specifically designed for the run and for this purpose.

"Further down the road we will

have to build," he said. Among other craft, Sherwood Marine is looking at a U.S.-designed Catug integrated tug-barge system. Marketed in Canada by Bulk-Mar Canada Inc., a Toronto-based affiliate of Logistec Corporation, the Catug cross-lake ferry would accommodate 85 trailers on two enclosed decks of the barge, with room for up to 51 twenty-foot

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Avondale Lays Keel For Fourth Navy Fleet Oiler

Avondale Shipyards, Inc. of New Orleans, a subsidiary of Ogden Corporation, recently laid the keel for the U.S. Navy auxiliary oiler Willamette (AO-180). She is the fourth in a series of five that Avondale is building for the Navy.

Named for the river that flows

from the Cascades into the Columbia River in western Oregon, the Willamette is scheduled to be launched in March of 1981 and delivered in December the same year.

The Willamette will join the Navy's fleet of AOs to deliver bulk diesel marine fuel and JP-5 from shore depots to AOE's and AOR's effecting delivery under way, to make underway delivery to combatants and support forces,

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Like her sister ships, the Willamette will have an overall length of 591½ feet, extreme beam of 88 feet, mean draft of 31½ feet, and displacement of 26,110 tons. She will be manned by a crew of 200, and have a sustained speed of 20 knots.

Although principally a ship-builder, Avondale is a diversified

company with facilities that include quick-repair yards, a foundry, a special products division, steel sales, and a facility near the Gulf at Bayou Black that builds offshore drilling structures.

J.V. Sterling Joins Pacific Marine As VP And General Manager

James V. Sterling Jr. has joined Pacific Marine, a Unitek Company, as vice president and general manager of the ship and industrial repair.



James V. Sterling Jr.

Prior to joining Pacific Marine, he was senior vice president for one of Hawaii's largest maritime companies. He is a retired lieutenant, U.S. Navy Reserve, and currently holds a U.S. Coast Guard license. He is a graduate of the Massachusetts Military Academy.

Pacific Marine, a Unitek Co., is a diversified Hawaii corporation with operations in a variety of industries. Its primary businesses are ship repair and industrial contracting.

TBW Industries Gets \$5-Million Order For SMATCO Deck Equipment

A \$5-million contract for SMATCO deck equipment and Pnu-Tanks has been signed by TBW Industries of Houma, La., which will provide the equipment for MacLaren Shipyard of Rio de Janeiro, Brazil. MacLaren is currently building 14 supply boats on orders placed by Brazilian offshore operators.

Announcement of the contract was made by R.M. Thompson, president of TBW Industries, who said the major items to be supplied will be windlasses, tuggers, waterfall anchor-handling winches, and pneumatic bulk tanks.

The contract is one of three recently signed by TBW Industries with Brazilian companies. Ebin-So Shipyard of Porto Alegre has contracted for a major shipment of SMATCO constant-tension winches, and Dresser of Brazil has ordered four horizontal tanks.

All of the equipment included in the three orders is manufactured in Brazil through licensing agreements with TBW licensees CEC Equipamentos Maritimos and Irmaos Strauhs.


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Thomas Ternes Joins Guralnick Associates As Supervisory Engineer

Hugh F. Munroe, president and chief executive officer of Morris Guralnick Associates, Inc., has announced that **Thomas John Ternes** has joined the San Francisco-based firm of naval architecture and marine engineering in the capacity of supervisory engineer in the Naval Architecture Department.



Thomas John Ternes

Mr. Ternes comes to MGA from Hydronautics, Incorporated, where he served as assistant research scientist. In that position, he was engaged in numerous studies and tests of resistance and powering of ships utilizing the company's model testing basin. That work covered such technical areas as improving the controllability of tankships, maneuvering tests of cable layers, seakeeping characteristics of containerships, resistance of planing hulls, and many similar investigations, which resulted in valuable technical reports to clients.

Mr. Ternes is a 1971 graduate of the U.S. Naval Academy with a degree in naval architecture.

HUD Moves Head Office To Tsing Yi Island—Kowloon Yard Closed



A recent occupant of HUD's 100,000-ton floating dock Chung Shan was 92,000-dwt tanker, owned by Guangzhou Ocean Shipping, an example of what the yard can handle.

The headquarters office of Hongkong United Dockyards Ltd. (HUD) recently moved to Tsing Yi Island, where its new yard is now in full operation and where plans for the second phase of expansion have been made.

The recent drydocking of the passenger/cargo vessel Shanghai, owned by Xing Hai Company of Shanghai, was the last vessel to be repaired at the 115-year-old Kowloon Yard, and marked the

end of an era at Hung Hom and a beginning of a new one for the company.

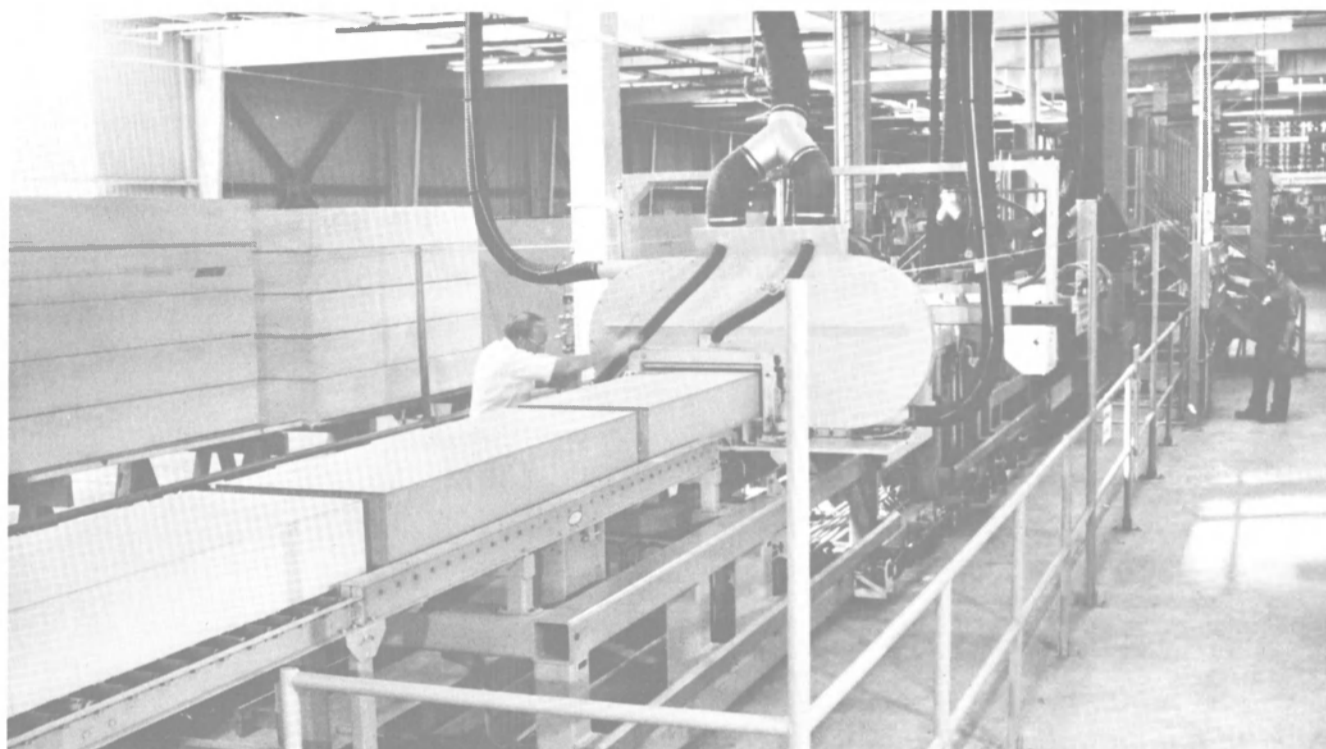
The resources of the company have now entered a new phase, for at Tsing Yi, HUD's drydock capacity is far greater than in the old graving docks that stood for so long at the Kowloon Yard.

The addition of the 100,000-ton floating dock Chung Shan, along with the Panamax-sized dock

Whampoa and the 25,000-ton Taikoo, puts HUD's facilities at Tsing Yi Island second to none in the region, says commercial manager **Frank Mackinnon**.

"The 92,000-dwt tanker Chao-hu of Guangzhou Ocean Shipping Company, which was docked recently in the Chung Shan dock, is an indication of the type of vessels to be expected in the future," Mr. Mackinnon said.

Commenting on the Kowloon Yard closure, HUD managing director **David Hall** said: "Our historical links with the Kowloon Yard are very strong, and the closure will be a landmark in the history and development of HUD, but we are convinced that our major investment in the new yard at Tsing Yi will ensure the future growth of HUD and Hong Kong's ship repair industry."



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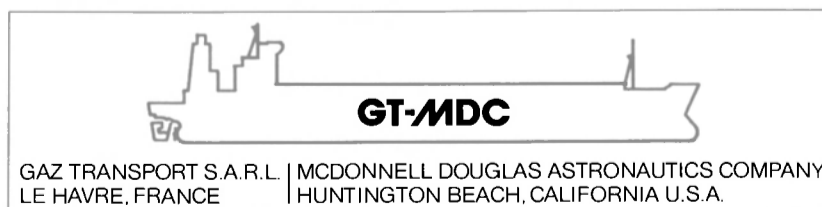
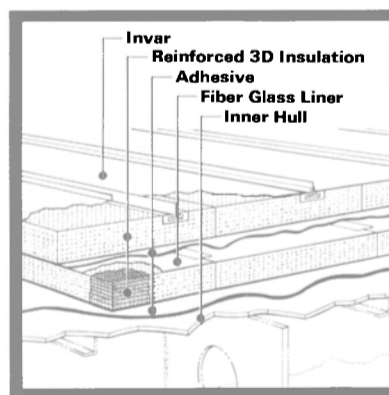
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S/S 'United States'— A Second Life For World's Fastest Passenger Liner?

The recent drydocking and inspection of the SS United States at Norshipco's yard in Norfolk showed the 28-year-old ship to be in excellent condition, both inside and out.

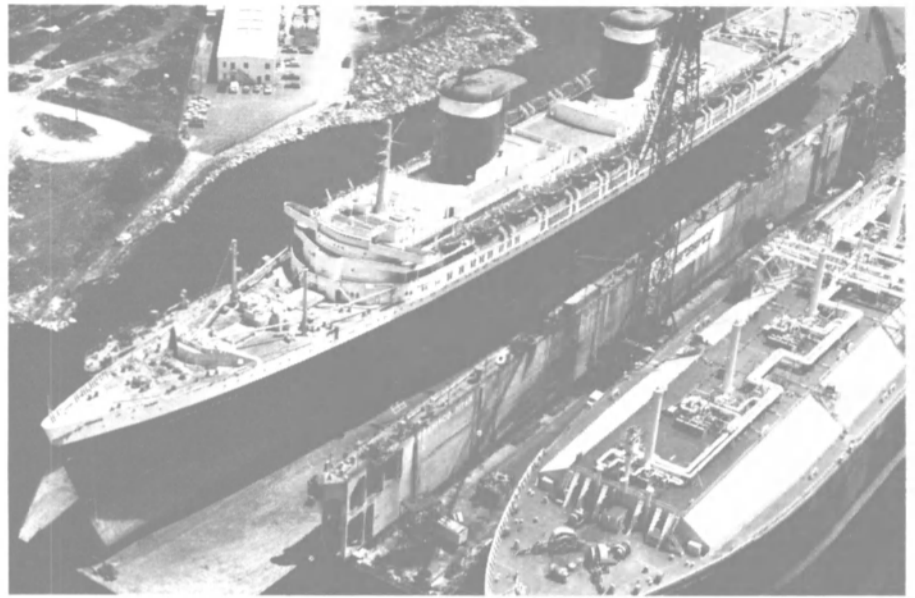
Since the world's fastest passenger liner was mothballed in 1969, the Maritime Administration has provided her with meticulous care. A sophisticated dehumidification system utilizing some 5,000 feet of galvanized tubing has kept the relative humidity in the interior spaces at less than 20 percent—about what you might expect in King Tut's sealed tomb.

Even more remarkable, during a recent tour of her public rooms and service areas, the ship appears like she had been out of service for only days or weeks—not the more than 10 years that she has been laid up. Her galley, once capable of serving 9,000 meals daily, is still stocked with its 80,000 pieces of crockery, 25,000 pieces of crystal, and 48,000 pieces of silverware. Her engine rooms are almost as spotless as the galley. And in her library, note paper, envelopes, and playing cards are still in slots on the writing desks!

When the United States was completed in 1952 as the flagship of United States Lines, she quickly set a record to win the coveted "Blue Riband" by crossing the Atlantic from New York to Le Havre in 3 days, 17 hours, and 48 minutes, attaining an average speed of more than 35 knots, a record that has never been equaled. Until recently, her top speed was a military secret; it is now known that she attained a maximum speed in excess of 39 knots during her official time trials.

Now it appears that the Big U may resume service as a luxurious cruise ship operating between the West Coast and Hawaii, and on cruises to other areas of the world. U.S. Cruises Inc. of Seattle agreed to purchase the mothballed liner from the Maritime Administration in September 1978 for \$5 million. The Seattle company is privately owned by **Richard H. Hadley**, a real estate builder and developer. He plans to spend \$35 million on a 12-month refurbishing of the United States to make her one of the most luxurious liners in the world.

When construction and outfit-



ting of the United States was completed in 1952, the total cost was about \$79.5 million. Were she to be duplicated today, the cost would be approximately \$400 million.

The SS United States was designed by William Francis Gibbs, then one of the world's leading naval architects, to be an "outstanding express liner of remarkable speed, safety, and efficiency." The 38,216-gt ship has an overall length of 990 feet and a beam of 101 feet 6 inches—measurements that would just allow her to squeeze through the Panama Canal, although she has never made that transit.

When last in service, the United States carried a crew of 1,000 to serve the needs of her 2,000 passengers who were carried in 694 cabins. After the refurbishing program planned by U.S. Cruises, she will have about 650 luxury staterooms accommodating more

than 1,300 passengers. She will carry a crew of about 450, and will operate at speed of 18-20 knots.

Present plans for refurbishing include the construction or remodeling of five gourmet restaurants, the classic ship's dining room; a half-acre shopping arcade; two theaters for films and stage shows; formal ballroom; Hawaiian lounge and disco; "San Francisco" style pub; library and card room; full-size tennis court; two racquetball courts; three new outdoor, fresh-water swimming pools and one indoor pool; and a gymnasium, sauna, and spa. In addition, a closed-circuit television system will offer daily entertainment, as well as worldwide and ship's news and reports.

The goal of U.S. Cruises for the SS United States is at once enormous and simple: to make her the world's greatest luxury cruise ship.

An Update On The Contract Design Of The

Multi-Purpose Mobilization Ship

George H. Levine and John F. Walter*

One of the Maritime Administration's (MarAd) missions is to provide shipping capability during a declared national emergency. As one part of this mission MarAd has identified the need to have "on-the-shelf" plans and specifications for designs which will satisfy shipping requirements. MarAd initiated a "Ship-Designs for Mobilization" program in 1974 to identify these requirements. Ship characteristics

were developed through an analysis of potential emergency shipping needs, shipyard production capabilities, and a variety of design constraints and requirements.

This paper presents the present status of the contract design

phase and the original preliminary design of the Multi-Purpose Mobilization Ship along with three alternative versions showing possible configurations utilizing optional features. This particular design provides flexibility and ver-

satility to effectively handle and stow containerized, roll-on / roll-off, unitized, breakbulk, or heavy-lift type cargoes. The design is commercially attractive in trading with developing areas, although it cannot compete with dedicated

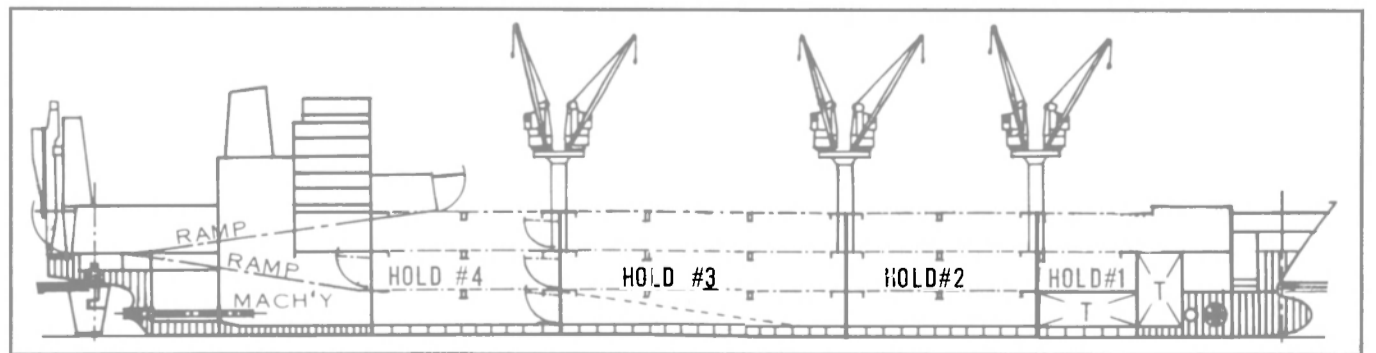


Figure 1 — Security Class mobilization ship, design no. C7-S-MA 134a.

*Mr. Levine and Mr. Walter, Office of Ship Construction, Maritime Administration, presented the paper abstracted here before a recent meeting of the Chesapeake Section of The Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers.

sophisticated designs in specialized trades.

The five scheduled phases of this design project are: Phase 1—Development of mobilization ship capabilities; Phase 2—Preliminary design of mobilization ship; Phase 3—Contract design of mobilization ship; Phase 4—Construction of prototype, and Phase 5—Operation of prototype.

The first phase has been completed and has resulted in the development of working papers reviewing: Needed shipping capabilities; shipyard production problems, engineering system alternatives; possible ship concepts, and design constraints.

The second phase has also been completed. It began with the development of three conceptual designs—the PD-204 versatile general cargo mobilization designs. These cargo ships were planned as candidates for the basic building blocks of the mobilization fleet. These designs were developed through the concept stages to assure feasibility. The three designs offered a variety of ship sizes and cargo-handling arrangements. Features of the three designs developed were compared with each other for their particular advantages and disadvantages.

The small PD-204 design, "500 General," featured a 489-foot LBP and 73.5-foot beam vessel with five general cargo holds.

The large PD-204 design, "670 RO/RO," had a 655-foot LBP and 105-foot beam and was designed primarily for roll-on/roll-off cargo.

The middle sized "550 Combination," on the other hand, was 539-feet in LBP and 97-feet in beam and had a multipurpose cargo-handling approach. Eight holds with 'tween decks were serviced by cranes (or kingposts and booms) with hatch covers forming a container-guide structure, which when in a vertical position, allows easy loading of containers. A stern ramp was also provided for roll-on/roll-off cargo access to the second deck.

Efforts between August 1977 and November 1978 refined the 550 Combination design into the Multi-Purpose Mobilization Ship preliminary design, PD-214.

In September 1979 a contract was awarded to M. Rosenblatt & Son, Inc. to prepare the contract design of the base ship and a number of alternative versions utilizing various optional types of propulsion machinery and cargo gear. This work is scheduled to be completed some time after the presentation of this paper.

The preliminary design was the starting point for developing the contract design. The object of the contract design phase is to complete the preparation of plans and specifications to a level of detail adequate for a shipyard to produce a bid quotation to construct the ship.

As a result of the Government/Industry Mobilization Ship Conference in November 1978, numerous comments were received which indicated that the preliminary design was too small for both commercial and military operations. Comparison with the results of MarAd R&D study on the design of the next generation cargo liner also indicated that a larger vessel would be more appropriate for commercial use. This R&D study is particularly valid

since it was done in cooperation with seven ship operators.

It was concluded that the new contract design base ship length should be the same as the preliminary design jumbo. In addition, the beam was increased to 105 feet 6 inches. It became apparent that, for more efficient container stowage, the hull depth should be increased to 70 feet, and it was decided to use flush, mechanically operated hatch covers on the weather deck and to

include a ramp to allow vehicle access to the weather deck. Finally, the hull material was changed from mild steel to high-strength steel when it was found to be readily available in mobilization situations. The design is shown in Figure 1.

General Arrangement

The preliminary design of the Multi-Purpose Mobilization Ship is a single-screw ship capable of

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Multi-Purpose Mobilization Ship

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loading, transporting, and discharging a mix of roll-on/roll-off, general breakbulk, unitized, and containerized cargo. The house and engine room are located aft.

The machinery space is designed to accommodate any of various types of main propulsion machinery plants of the required horsepower necessary to provide a minimum 20-knot speed.

In determining the degree of automation to be used for the machinery, the dichotomy between the desire for simplicity of design and construction (requiring less automation but increased manning) versus the limited availability of trained shipboard engineering personnel (dictating decreased manning and increased automation) during an emergency must be considered. The "one-man" watch concept selected for all mobilization ship powerplants appears to be a reasonable compromise.

All configurations of the mobilization ship can be lengthened. The jumbo Multi-Purpose Mobilization Ship version prepared during the preliminary design added one complete cargo hold of 110 feet, with associated cargo-handling gear, to the base ship. Speed remains above 20 knots.

The Multi-Purpose Mobilization Ship design can handle general breakbulk cargo, containerized cargo and ro/ro cargoes. Some of the commercial cargoes that can be driven on are buses, trucks and cars. Containers can be lifted onboard using shipboard cranes or carried on by straddle carrier or forklift. Palletized cargo, such as oil drums and cartons, can be carried aboard using forklifts or lifted aboard. Paper rolls, cable reels, lumber bales, and random lengths of pipe can all be easily handled.

Military cargo items, such as M60 tanks, can be loaded over the ramp or hoisted onboard, using the twin-tandem heavy-lift capability. Cargo type helicopters also can be lifted or rolled aboard. Trucks and other wheeled vehicles can be quickly loaded and discharged over the ramp. The portable cardeck can accommodate jeeps in the ro/ro space. Overall, the ship has enough capacity to carry supplies and equipment for one Army battalion.

A 114-foot slewing stern ramp is installed to provide access to the ro/ro deck (Second Deck). It is hinged to a turntable, allowing it to rotate so that the vessel can be offloaded when either port or starboard side is adjacent to the berth. It is 24-feet wide, permitting two-way truck traffic. Two sideports are also provided to al-

low additional ro/ro access to the Second Deck.

From the Second Deck an internal ramp in Hold 4 allows rolling cargo access to the Third Deck. In Hold 3 a ramp goes down to the Tank Top. The Third Deck ramp is 18-feet wide and the ramp to the Tank Top is 14-feet wide.

Portable cardecks are installed in the Second Deck ro/ro area.

These are lowered and form a deck with a 5-foot overhead clearance, so that maximum utilization of space can be realized when carrying automobiles.

Since in wartime mobilization situations manufacturing capacity may not be adequate to supply the necessary numbers of sophisticated cargo gear such as deck cranes and slewing ramps, provi-

sion has been made in the design to incorporate alternative gear. For instance, a quarter ramp or a single straight stern ramp could be utilized. Instead of deck cranes it would be possible to utilize kingposts and booms. Another alternative capability that has been included is the installation of a gantry crane instead of the deck cranes. Depending on the amount

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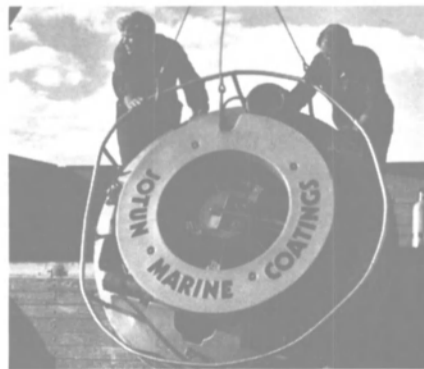
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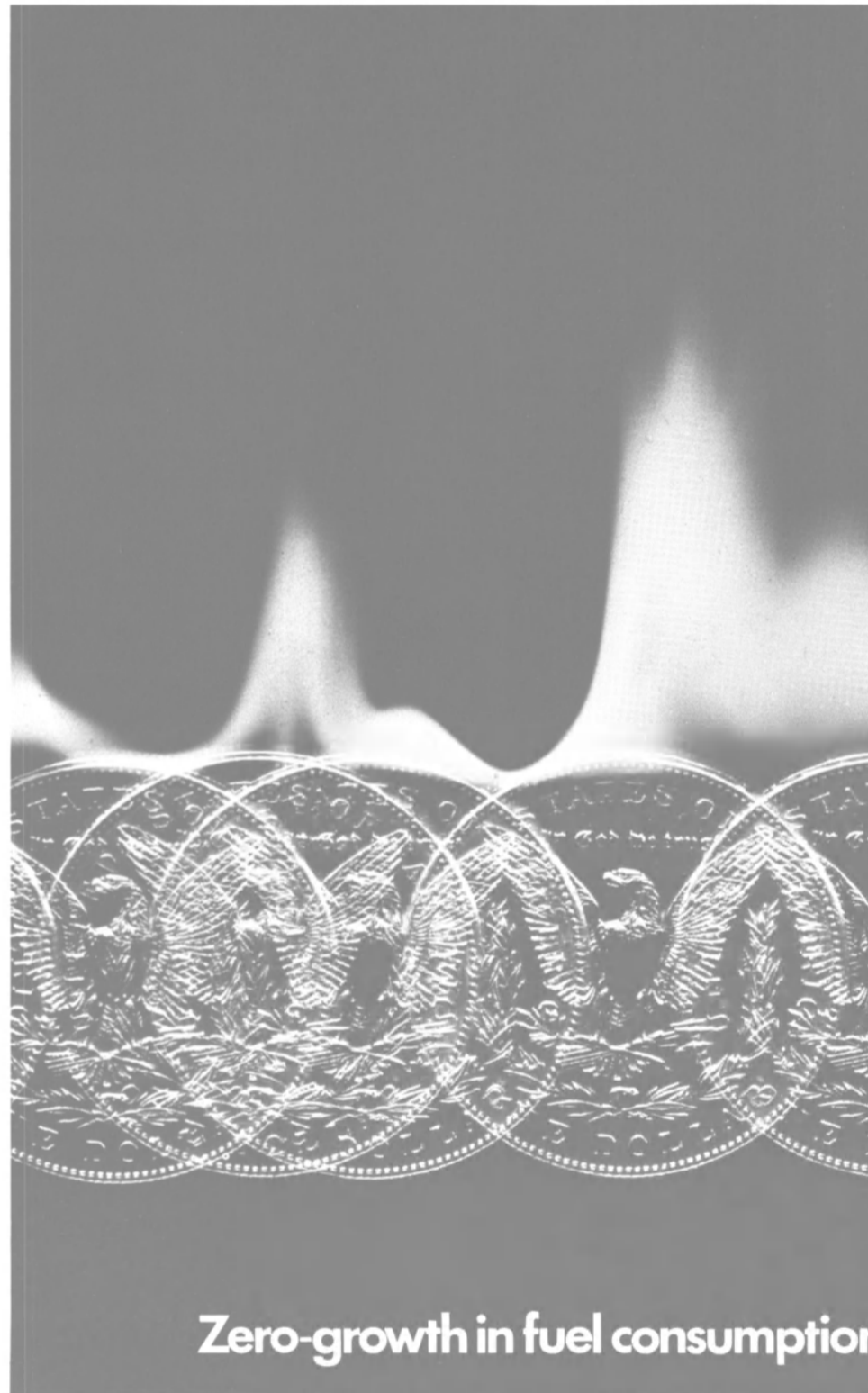
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of ro/ro capability required, internal ramps to the Tank Top and/or Third Deck and watertight doors between holds could be omitted. Likewise, watertight doors can be added to increase the ro/ro capability into the forward holds.

Machinery Selection

Machinery considerations for the Multi-Purpose Mobilization

Ship preliminary design were generally dictated by the environment in which the vessel was expected to be constructed. Since the ship is intended to be rapidly built during a full-scale wartime mobilization for military support, or to serve as replacement tonnage of U.S. ship losses for post-war commercial trade, simplicity and efficiency are characteristics

required of the machinery plant to satisfy this operating profile.

Normally, a propulsion system most compatible with the ship's mission would be selected on the basis of trade-off studies, considering space, weight and arrangement requirements, fuel consumption and costs. However, since the production of the maximum number of ships in the least time is

a major planning objective, trade-off studies to determine the optimum powerplant are less important. Since production capacity for a particular type of machinery is limited, designing the vessel to accommodate several different types of powerplants increases the number of ships that can be constructed in a given time frame.

The combined criteria of availability, marine service experience and design simplicity led to consideration of the following machinery alternatives for the preliminary design of the mobilization ship: Steam turbine; medium-speed diesel; slow-speed diesel; heavy-duty and aircraft-derivative gas turbine prime movers, with geared (or direct-drive, in the case of the slow-speed diesel) transmission systems, and fixed-pitch propellers.

Transient Personnel

A comment received from the military community suggested that, for mobilization purposes, provision should be made for the carriage of 50 transient personnel in addition to the ship's base crew. Based on recent studies, modular accommodations aft of the deckhouse would meet this requirement.

The facility is intended to be as completely self-contained as feasible. The modules would be the same size as I.S.O. shipping containers.

The accommodation complex consists of 21 modules above the Main Deck for berthing, galley, messroom, lavatory, stores, laundry and recreation; interconnected by stairways and passageways. A sewage module, consisting of a sewage holding tank and pumps, receives drains from sinks, showers, lavatories, etc., and would be located aft the house below the Main Deck. The lavatory and galley modules would be equipped with internal plumbing supplied from the ship's fresh water system.

Lighting, HVAC units, refrigeration equipment and hot water heaters would be supplied in appropriate modules and would consume ship's service electrical power by means of plug-in connections.

Houston Offshore Asks Title XI On \$29.7-Million Jackup Drilling Barge

The Maritime Administration has received an application from Houston Offshore Limited IV for a Title XI guarantee to aid in financing the construction of one jackup drilling barge.

The 157-foot-long, mat-supported cantilever barge will be operated in the Gulf of Mexico. Bethlehem Steel's Sparrows Point, Md., yard is the proposed builder, with delivery scheduled for June 1981.

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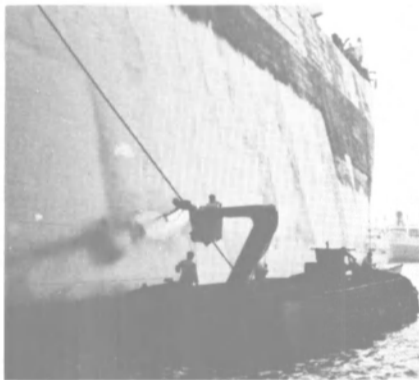
More and more vessels are docking afloat, so called "wet-dockings". Also there is a great interest in reducing the time needed for a dry-docking. There has also been a constant call for an antifouling which dries rapidly, does not need "ideal" weather conditions for application, and dries below the waterline yet still retains the lasting properties of a good long-life antifouling.

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First of five dredge tender boats destined for Egypt, built by T.D. Vinnette Company under subcontract from Dixie Dredge, undergoes trial run before recent shipment.

Dixie Dredge Delivers Four Vessels To Egyptian Dredging

The Dixie Dredge Corporation of St. Louis, a subsidiary of Pott Industries' St. Louis Ship Division, Houston Natural Gas Corporation, recently affirmed the shipment of the first of five dredge tender boats, two crewboats, and the second of five dredges to the Egyptian Dredging Company of Cairo, Egypt. The announcement was made by Dixie Dredge president **Jack T. Dunn**.

The dredge tenders, designed by **William G. Preston** of Marine Power, Inc. of Gulf Breeze, Fla. and built under subcontract from Dixie Dredge by T.D. Vinnette Company of Escanaba, Mich., are 36 feet long and are powered by a Cummins N-855-M diesel engine developing 195 bhp at 1,800 rpm. The tenders are equipped with a 10,000-pound-capacity A-frame with winch for lifting dredge equipment and cargo.

The two crewboats shipped to Egypt earlier this summer also were designed by **Mr. Preston**, and built by AAA Builders, Inc.

of Pascagoula, Miss. Each boat is 32 feet long and powered by a GM-Detroit Diesel Allison engine developing 128 bhp at 2,800 rpm. The crewboats each carry 20 passengers, protected from the weather by a canvas awning.

The dredge tenders and crewboats were subcontracted by Dixie Dredge in conjunction with its \$3.5-million contract to supply dredges, supporting equipment, and spare parts to the Egyptian Dredging Company. Financing of the purchase was accomplished by a U.S. State Department A.I.D. Loan and Grant.

The dredges employ a "tilting spuds systems" that allows them to pass under bridges and other obstacles without the need to remove their spuds. The hull side sections for the dredges are being built by Egyptian Dredging.

For further information and free literature on dredging equipment, write to **Jim Bishop**, Dept. M.R., The Dixie Dredge Corporation, 8224 Polk Street, St. Louis, Mo. 63111.

Twin Disc Forms New Task Force To Market Marine Transmissions

Twin Disc, Incorporated of Racine, Wis., has announced the formation of a task force to market the MGN-Z line of marine transmissions throughout North America. This line of marine products, for diesel engines rated 634 to 3,671 kw (850 to 4,850 hp), is manufactured by Twin Disc's partially owned affiliate, Niigata Converter Company Limited (NICO) of Japan.

Heading this marketing group is **James H. Haertel**, manager of marine sales, assisted by **Richard F. Graff**, applications engineer, and **Takero Hayashi**, a NICO engineer assigned to Twin Disc.

Mr. Haertel, a veteran Twin

Disc executive, was former manager of OEM engine equipment sales and a district sales manager in the former Newark, N.J., office.

Mr. Graff began his Twin Disc career in 1975. His experience includes application engineering in marine products as well as industrial clutches, hydraulic and universal joint products.

Mr. Hayashi has been employed as an engineer at NICO since 1962. He has had vast experience in the design and application of NICO marine transmissions.

The Twin Disc Marketing Group will work out of the company's main office in Racine, and will



James H. Haertel



Richard F. Graff



Takero Hayashi

have responsibility for sales, application, and service of NICO MGN-Z Series marine transmissions.

Literature on the NICO MGN-Z

series of marine transmissions is available by writing to **James H. Haertel**, Twin Disc, Incorporated, Dept. MR, 1328 Racine Street, Racine, Wis. 53403.

Quality Delivers Towing/Supply Vessel To Gulf Fleet Marine

Gulf Fleet Marine Corporation of New Orleans recently took delivery of the Gulf Fleet No. 41, a towing/supply vessel measuring 190 feet by 40 feet by 14 feet. The No. 41 is Gulf Fleet's 101st vessel, and the seventh delivered this year.

Built in Houma, La. by Quality Shipyards, Inc. a Gulf Fleet company, this vessel represents one phase of an aggressive construction program that projects an additional \$12 million of new vessels during the next 10 months.

Powered by twin GM Electromotive Division 16-645-E2 diesel engines that develop a total of 3,000 bhp at 900 rpm, driving through a pair of Reintjes WAV 481, 3:1 reduction gears, the vessel is capable of a sustained speed of 13 knots.

The vessel has a clear deck space of 96 feet by 32 feet, and maximum deck cargo capacity of

522 long tons. Under-deck tanks hold 520 tons of drill water, while bulk tanks have a total capacity of 5,800 cubic feet that can be transferred at a rate of 50 tons per hour. The vessel is fitted with liquid mud tanks with 1,250-barrel capacity, which can be transferred at a rate of 600-800 gpm at 170 feet head. Calcium chloride tanks also provide a capacity of 1,250 barrels.

The Gulf Fleet No. 41 has a SMATCO 66 DAW200, double-drum towing winch with a capacity of 2,500 feet of 2-inch cable on each drum. Equipped with a 5-foot by 8-foot stern roller, the vessel has a measured bollard pull of 70,000 pounds. She is built to U.S. Coast Guard specifications, and is classed by the American Bureau of Shipping as +A1 (AMS) All Oceans, Towing.

Gulf Fleet Marine is one of the Houston Natural Gas Corporation group of companies.



Towing/supply vessel Gulf Fleet No. 41 is New Orleans-based company's 101st vessel. Built by Quality Shipyards, she is powered by General Motors EMD main engines.

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The Dennis Hendrix was the first American Commercial Barge Line vessel to use *Caprinus* R. So, when the overhaul was scheduled, Shell went along to see the results. As is usual with *Caprinus* R oil, the engines were very clean, with relatively low deposit levels. Wear was low for the time and type of service. Used oil analysis showed that the premium MVI *Caprinus* R Oil had equilibrated at a TBN-E of 3.0, which means corrosion protection was adequate even though the engines were operated in 'no drain' service. Carbon deposits were as expected with an MVI oil, soft and flaky.

All three engines appeared about equal in appearance, and the port engine was selected for

detailed inspection. Top rings all rated 2A, #2 rings rated 2 and 2A and #3 compression rings all rated 1. These values are well within the normal range for engines at overhaul. Liner wear was normal for the hours. All three engines had done their job well. The oil had done its job well. MVI *Caprinus* R oil had helped the Dennis Hendrix stay on the job with minimum downtime and maximum reliability.

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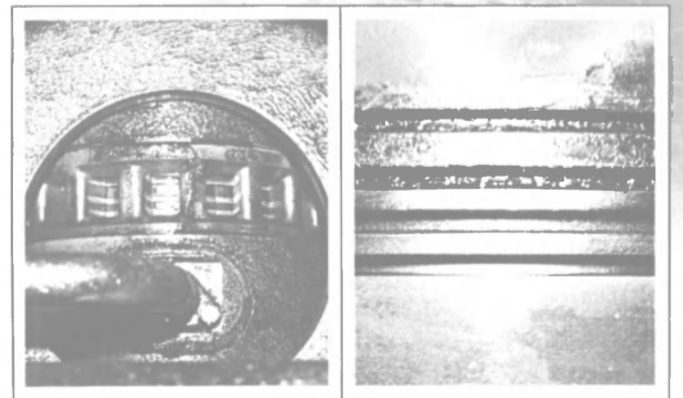
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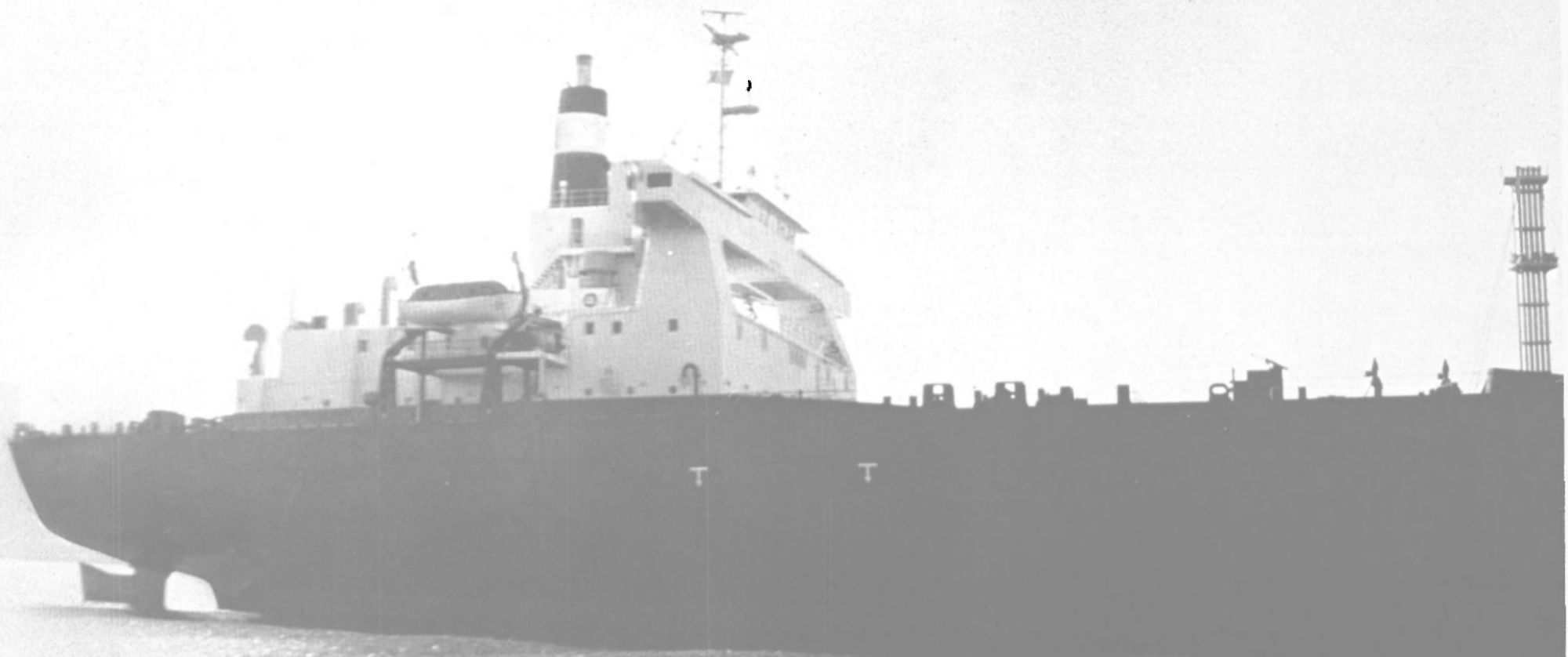
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Pistons had no scuffing or scoring. Ring groove fill and ring wear were normal for the time and type of engine service. Rings were free.

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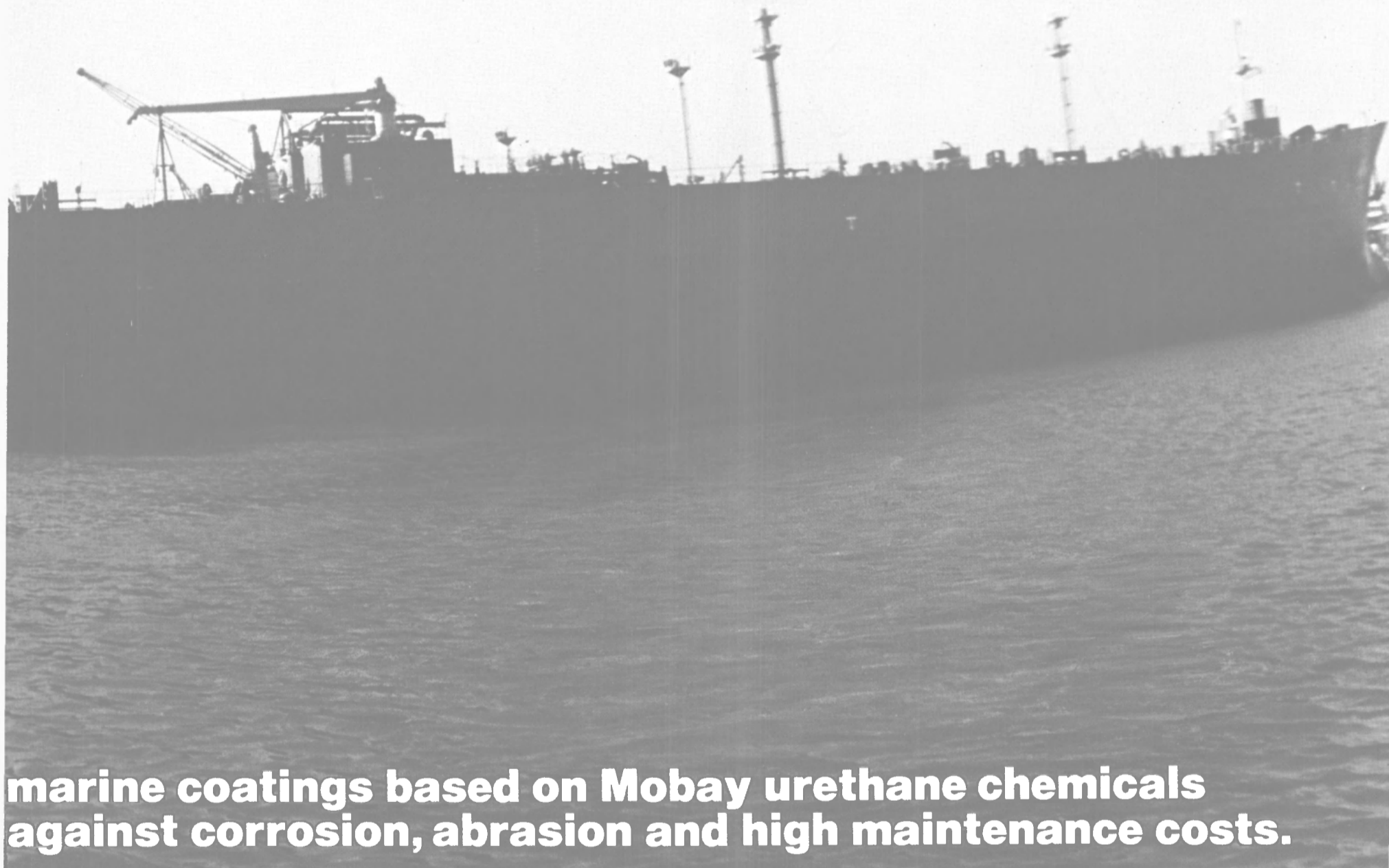
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New Company Will Offer Underwater Vehicle Inspection Services

Jerry Jones has resigned as president of Ocean Systems to form a new, highly specialized underwater vehicle inspection services company, JERED. Co-owner in the new company is Ed Trlica, former vice president of

Martech, and recently manager of Solus Ocean Systems' Gulf Coast Division.

The owners feel that a need exists in the offshore petroleum industry for a non-diving company to provide high-quality, unmanned vehicle inspection services. As new applications are required by the petroleum industry for unmanned, remotely controlled underwater devices, solu-

tions to these applications can best be met by a high-technology, engineering-oriented company that provides a dedicated service, the JERED owners stated.

For the first year, operations will be restricted to the Gulf of Mexico, using specially prepared underwater vehicles manufactured by Perry Oceanographics. An initial order for four vehicles is part of a planned 14-unit package that

will be delivered over a 48-month period. The initial four vehicles will be outfitted with color and black-and-white video systems, manipulator arms, and specialized electronic, non-destructive testing equipment. All vehicles will be capable of performing inspections inside platforms as well as on submarine pipelines.

A modern warehouse/office facility is being constructed in Houston for occupancy in October this year. The company's mailing address is: JERED, P.O. Box 218666, Houston, TX 77218.

Shearson Seeks Title XI Covering 90-Barge Order To Cost \$27 Million

Shearson Leasing Corporation of New York has applied to the Maritime Administration for a Title XI guarantee to aid in financing the construction of 90 hopper barges.

Shearson's application proposes Nashville Bridge Company of Nashville, Tenn. as the builder of 60 barges measuring 200 feet long by 35 feet wide by 12 feet deep. Dravo Corporation of Pittsburgh is the proposed builder for the remaining 30 barges, which will measure 195 feet long by 35 feet wide by 12 feet deep. All 90 barges are expected to be operated on the U.S. inland waterways.

If approved, the Title XI guarantee would cover \$23,686,000, which is 87½ percent of the \$27,069,990 estimated cost of the vessels.

Ferrous Has Proportioning Pump For Fuel Additive—Literature Available

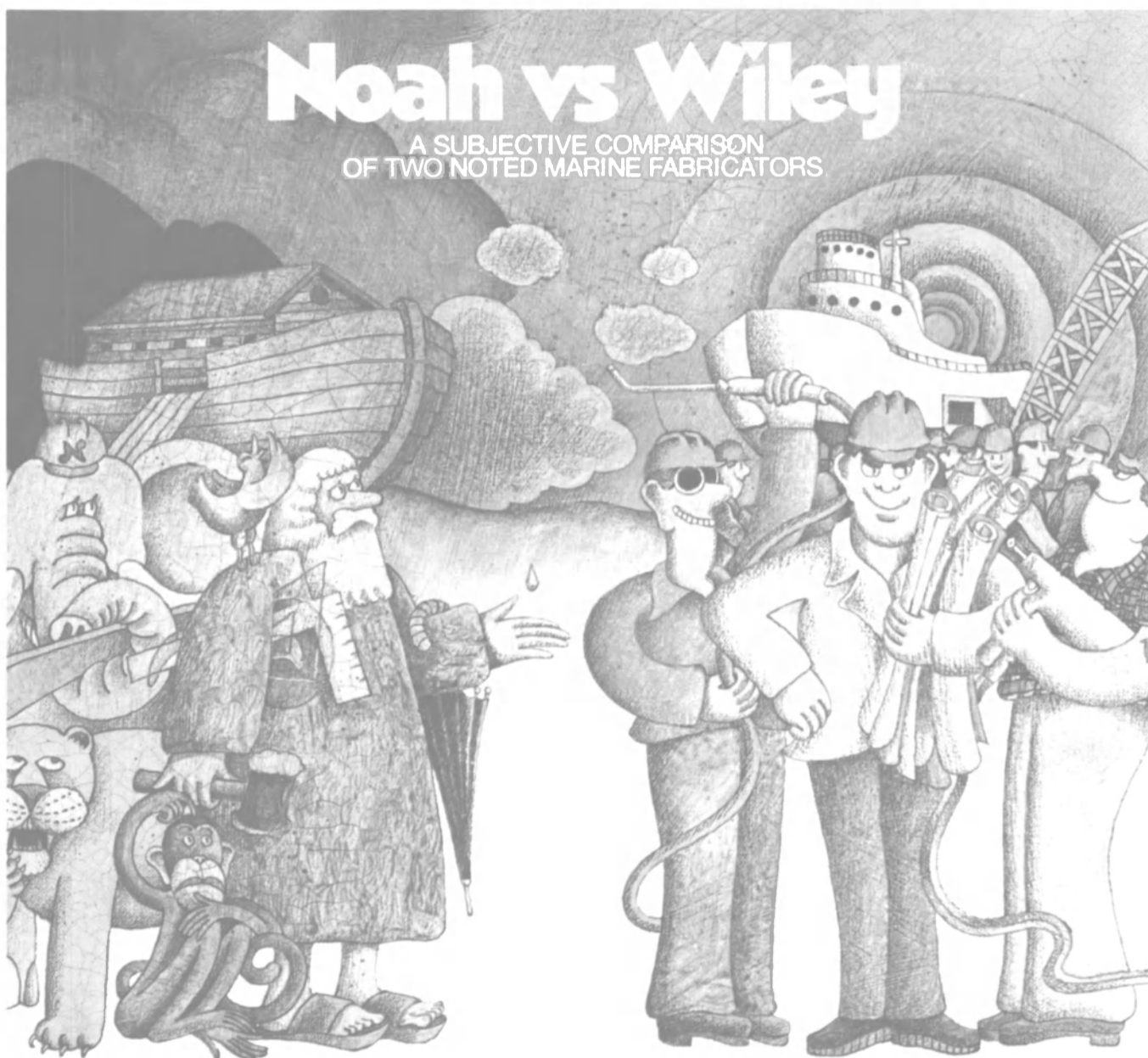
Ferrous Corporation, manufacturer of combustion catalysts for marine diesels and boilers, is now offering a simplified pump system for delivering the proper proportion of catalyst to diesel and bunker fuels prior to combustion.

The 110-volt, ac proportioning pump system is designed to fit over the top of a 55-gallon drum. The system, designed for easy installation, comes complete with mounting brackets.

"The mounting brackets can be secured directly to the deck," K. Chorlton, Ferrous vice president of marine sales said. "Once the brackets are in place, the user simply orders catalyst in 55-gallon drums and the drum becomes a daytank for the catalyst."

The new economical pump system includes a fluid-level monitor and an even-flo pump depulser that provides a continuous stream of catalyst to the fuel system.

For more details and free literature, write to K. Chorlton, Dept. MR, Ferrous Corporation, P.O. Box 1764, Bellevue, Wash. 98009.



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Joseph Quinn Named President Of Reorganized Devoe Marine Coatings



Joseph M. Quinn

Devoe Marine, formerly part of Devoe & Reynolds Co., a Division of Grow Group, Inc., has reorganized as a separate company under Grow Group's Marine and Corrosion Control Group. The move was necessary, according to company officials, to better serve the rapidly expanding market for new-technology marine coatings.

Now known as Devoe Marine Coatings Company, Division of Grow Group, Inc., the new Louisville, Ky.-based company is headed by **Joseph M. Quinn**, whose new position as president follows several years as vice president-Marine Division, Devoe & Reynolds Company. He is an 18-year veteran of the company and a graduate of the Merchant Marine Academy.

Mr. Quinn is also chairman-Marine Coatings Committee of the National Paint and Coatings Association.

Furuno Radar Simulator Installed At California Maritime Academy

Completion of an extensive radar simulator system at California Maritime Academy was announced recently by Furuno. The system was designed by Furuno engineers to present a wide variety of typical radar situations at sea on standard Furuno FRK-100 16-inch radar displays under the control of a central computer.

The basic system simulates position and movement of two "own ships" and six "target ships" including course and speed changes during an exercise. Also shown are six different coastline displays complete with radar shadow effect, radar range falloff due to earth's curvature, set and drift of tidal currents, own ship's yaw, sea clutter and receiver noise, shadow sector, defining the blind spot due to own ship's mast or stack, plus such normal radar features as azimuth and North-up stabilization and true motion.

The California Maritime Academy required a complex simulator to train midshipmen in all aspects of radar navigation. A total of nine 16-inch displays are under computer control. Maximum realism is accomplished by

adding operational "touches" such as making target subject to the effects of own ship's maximum speed, helm inertia, maximum rate of turn, loss of speed during turn, and even cross-coupling speed and rate of turn so that target speed is reduced when turning.

There are three key displays at the California Maritime Academy simulator: the instructor's unit

and two "own ship" displays. Each own ship can be made to appear as a target on the other own ship display so that two students may operate "independent vessels" within a 60 x 60 nautical mile area. The instructor's console can select either of the two own ship consoles, and the whole situation can be "frozen" at any time for discussions among the students. To add complete real-

ism, the primary radar stations are complete with simulated VHF radio communications, engine order and helm controls, speed indicators and autopilot controls.

For more information of Furuno's radar simulator experiences and capabilities, write to **John L. Burkhill**, Furuno U.S.A., Inc., Dept. MR, P.O. Box 2343, 271 Harbor Way, South San Francisco, Calif. 94080.

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Boeing Jetfoil Sold To Argentine Owner—Christened Montevideo Jet

Alimar S.A. of Buenos Aires, Argentina, has purchased a Boeing Jetfoil for operation in the Rio de la Plata area between Argentina and Uruguay. The announcement was made at recent launching ceremonies in Seattle by Adm. Victor Malatesta, president of Alimar. The Alimar Jetfoil was christened Montevideo Jet by Mrs. Malatesta.

The Montevideo Jet will be delivered in time to begin service for the 1980-81 tourist season. The sale is valued at approximately \$13 million, including training, customer options, and shipping.

Alimar will offer Jetfoil service on the 32-nautical-mile route from Buenos Aires to Colonia, Uruguay, which has been served for 18 years by Alimar PT-50 surface-piercing hydrofoils. The Argentinian operator decided to begin the Jetfoil operation following a study of available craft to update its service. The Jetfoil features a fully submerged foil system, waterjet propulsion, and automatic computer control for a smooth ride at speeds up to 50 mph, even in rough water.

Alimar will also offer service over a new route from Buenos Aires to Montevideo, a distance of 130 nautical miles. The Montevideo Jet will carry 272 passengers and offer full food service from galleys on both decks. It also will provide adequate space for baggage.

The Alimar operation will be the fifth Boeing Jetfoil service to begin this year. Other passenger services were inaugurated in 1980 on the English Channel, the Irish Sea, in the Canary Islands, and in Puget Sound between Seattle and Victoria, British Columbia. Fifteen Boeing Jetfoils are now in service worldwide.

SNAME Los Angeles Section Tours Western Gear's Power Transmission Division



On plant tour, Western Gear senior engineer William Tolliffe points out features of Guided Missile Frigate series housing to SNAME members (L to R): Church Heil, Arco Marine; J.C. Woelfe, Richfield Oil (ret.); Nabil Zake, Western Gear; Frank Kuntz, Interstate Electronics; and Richard Docherty, El Paso Tanker.

Members of the Los Angeles Metropolitan Section of The Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers recently toured the Power Transmission Division of Western Gear Corporation in Lynwood, Calif.

The main attraction was the 40,000-hp Western Gear marine propulsion drive for the U.S. Navy's Fleet Frigate Guided Missile (FFG) series of ships. Light, fast, and highly maneuverable, these new patrol vessels will be equipped with surface-to-air and surface-to-surface missile systems, antisubmarine torpedoes, a 76-mm gun, and two helicopters.

The Navy currently plans to build 55 ships

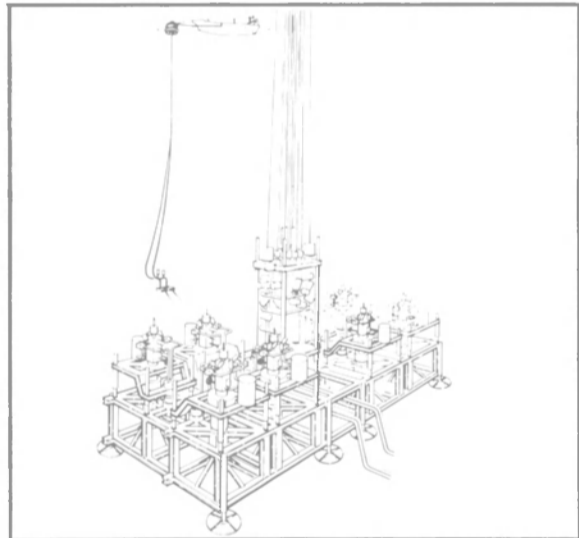
of this class, of which 43 have been contracted for with Todd's San Pedro and Seattle yards and Bath Iron Works in Maine.



RIG WORK UNDER WAY — Ocean Drilling and Exploration Company's Barge A (foreground), a 7,500-ton submersible, has been moved onto land for change-out of its four stability columns, installation of a deepwater tank module, and replacement of more than 130 tons of steel in the rig's mat, at Ingalls Shipbuilding's yard at Pascagoula, Miss. The drill barge was picked up and moved onto land by Ingalls's floating drydock and land transfer system. In the background is ODECO's jackup rig Gulftide, presently in the shipyard for placement of footings. Other work includes the 300-foot deck barge, SKUA's Able Turtle (left center), and McDermott Incorporated's 420-foot Lay Barge 28 (behind Gulftide).

National Supply Patents Subsea Template System —Literature Available

National Supply Company has received a U.S. patent for a subsea template system for multiple well drilling and production.



Subsea template system for multiple well drilling and production has been patented by National Supply Company, a subsidiary of Armco. System is said to reduce time and cost of underwater operations.

The template design was developed by National Supply's Well Control Systems engineering group, Houston, to reduce time and cost of underwater operations, whether by remote mechanical means or by divers, when installing subsea equipment and connecting it to a floating production vessel.

The system provides for assembly pre-piping and testing of drilling and production modules on land to minimize at-sea and subsea installation operations, according to National Supply.

The company helped pioneer subsea pro-

duction to floating vessels. Floating systems allow earlier production than fixed platforms and require a lower capital investment, notes National Supply. These advantages make floating production particularly suited to fields where reservoir potential is still undefined and to small fields where the economic potential does not justify the cost of a fixed platform, explains the firm.

By reducing diver operations, the template system is particularly suited to deepwater fields where fixed platforms large enough to sit on the sea bottom may not be practical or physically possible.

The templates in the patented system come in two-well modules that serve as guides for drilling and as bases for com-

pletion or landing of trees and a manifold/riser module. Template modules can be readily joined to provide for any number of wells. Drilling can be performed directionally using conventional subsea methods.

Prepiped flow lines between tree and template automatically engage when the tree is landed, eliminating problems of laying and attaching flow lines.

The United States patent for the system, No. 4,192,383, is officially held by Armco, National Supply's parent company.

For free literature containing complete details on the new subsea template system, write to William C. Marmack, Dept. MR, Armco National Supply, 1455 West Loop South, Houston, Texas 77027.

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Hitachi Gets Jackup Rig Orders From Danish And Netherlands Owners

Hitachi Zosen of Japan recently received an additional order from J.L. Offshore Drilling A/S, Denmark, for construction of a jack-up-type offshore drilling rig. This is the second of two of the same type rig to be built by Hitachi

for the Danish company; the first order was received in April this year. The first rig will be named Dan King, the second Dan Duke.

The J.L. Offshore rigs, said to be among the world's largest, are designed for operation under severe weather and rough sea conditions. They will be capable of operating in water depths of 205 feet, and drilling to 20,000 feet.

The three legs will have an overall length of 343 feet.

The rigs will be classed by the American Bureau of Shipping and have accommodations for a crew of 72. Delivery of the second rig is scheduled for October 1981.

Neddrill B.V. of the Netherlands, an affiliate of Royal Nedlloyd Group, recently placed an order with Hitachi for one canti-

lever type, jackup offshore drilling rig. This rig, to be classed by Lloyd's Register of Shipping and built to conform with Dutch Government and IMCO regulations, will be capable of drilling to 25,000 feet in water depths up to 164 feet. Delivery is scheduled for December 1981.

Since 1974, Hitachi Zosen has received orders for 14 rigs; seven units have been delivered to date.

E.H. Barron Joins Overseas Enterprises As Director Of Chartering

Magnus E. Olsen, president, Overseas Enterprises, has announced the appointment of Edward H. Barron as director of chartering. His responsibilities will encompass all chartering, marketing, and operational functions of O.N.E. Shipping Ltd., which maintains regular chemical tanker service from the U.S. North Atlantic and Gulf ports to Venezuela, Colombia, the Caribbean, the west coast of South America, and Central America.

Mr. Barron brings to this position 13 years of experience in marine transportation, the most recent being associated with Amoco Chemicals Corporation in Chicago, and prior thereto with the U.S. Navy.

Overseas Enterprises, Inc. in its capacity as general agents for O.N.E. Shipping Ltd., operate four chemical tankers in the South American service. O.E.I. also represents Delmas-Vieljeux, Paris; India Steamship Company, Calcutta; and Deutsche Africa Linien, Hamburg.

New Brochure On Gears And Gear Units Now Available From Farrel

"Gears and Gear Units" is the title of a new 16-page brochure published by Farrel Connecticut Division, Emhart Machinery Group.

The publication describes types of gearing produced by the company, including industrial, marine, high-velocity, and special gearing. Single-helical, double-helical, spur, and internal gears are discussed. Also covered are such topics as methods of lubrication, gear tooth wear, and installation and maintenance instructions for open and semi-enclosed gear sets.

Also discussed are Farrel gear units, including high-speed units, speed-reducing units, right-angle vertical-shaft drives, right-angle horizontal-shaft drives, ball mill drives, roll drives, and sugar mill drives.

For a free copy of the new brochure, write to H.F. Johnston, Dept. MR, Farrel Connecticut Division, 25 Main Street, Ansonia, Conn. 06401.

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In an industry where the cost of one critical motor or generator failure can use up much of the profits of a voyage, there is welcome news from Canada. Tests now under way on various commercial vessels are conclusively demonstrating that a new electronic device can virtually eliminate burnouts caused by insulation failure, which is the major cause of burnouts in shipboard AC machinery.

The Early Warning device, the **FAILSAFE** Motor/Generator (patent pending) is simply and easily installed in the starter enclosure of electric motors or on the switchboard of generators. It continuously monitors insulation resistance in the idle machine. When the action of salt water, condensation and unavoidable shipboard contaminants, like oil and grease, causes resistance to fall below a predetermined safe level, the **FAILSAFE** gives the Early Warning necessary to initiate appropriate normal preventive maintenance.

Developed and marketed by Marine Safe Electronics of Canada Ltd., the **FAILSAFE** Motor/Generator Protector is U.L. — Listed and has won the approval of the world's leading maritime licensing agencies. Among the vessels currently using the device to protect essential equipment are the Amoco Europa, S.S. Texaco London, M.V. Regenstein, M.W. Westgae, M.S. Dwarka and M.S. Imperial Bedford. In all cases, the owners have found the Early Warning devices to work most satisfactorily. Some even earn their investments back within a few short months.

The device is available in models for all AC motors operated by starters, contractors or shunt-trip circuit breakers and for generators delivering up to 600 volts. High voltage units, up to 11KV are available. In addition to early warning alarm systems, there are two protective options available: start prevention and start prevention with emergency override.

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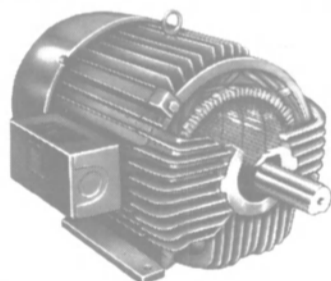
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Promet Gets Repeat Orders From Two U.S. Companies

Promet Private Limited, a marine construction company based in Singapore, has won repeat orders for the construction of two supply vessels from National Marine Service, and the construction of two three-legged, self-propelled jackup barges from Sun Contractors, Inc.

Earlier this year, Promet was

awarded a repeat order to build five supply vessels for National Marine after the completion and delivery of five supply vessels and two triple-screw tugs designed for operations in the Middle East. The supply vessels are 176 feet long, with a beam of 38 feet and depth of 14 feet. Delivery dates for the latest supply vessel order are September and November 1981.

Sun Contractors has ordered

two three-legged, self-propelled jackup barges measuring 110 by 50 by 10 feet, scheduled for delivery in March and May 1981. In May of 1980 Sun Contractors awarded Promet a contract to build a four-legged jackup barge. The Singapore yard recently delivered a three-legged well service barge to Sun, the first contract signed with that company.

In line with the Singapore government's policy to modernize

and upgrade technology in the yard, Promet will invest S\$20 million in new equipment to increase productivity at the yard. It is also negotiating with Jurong Town Corporation, Singapore, to extend the present 27-hectare yard by another 7 hectares (from 66.7 to 84 acres).

Promet recently placed an order with Manitowoc Engineering in Wisconsin for an S\$8-million, platform/revolving crane with lifting capacity of 600 tons, capable of handling large onshore and offshore projects ranging from power stations and chemical plants to oil drilling rigs, ports, and harbors. Installation of this crane is scheduled for the end of October this year.

Promet has also placed orders for a 3,000-ton press and a rack-cutting machine, both to be delivered before the end of 1980.

Michael Jackson To Head Newly Opened Global Marine Houston Office

Global Marine Development Inc., Irvine, Calif., has opened a Houston office under the direction of **Michael D. Jackson**, manager, production systems sales.

Located at 7500 San Felipe, the office will provide increased service to clientele in the Gulf and East Coast areas. Global Marine Development, a subsidiary of Global Marine Inc., Los Angeles, provides engineering and construction services to the marine, petroleum, and other energy-related industries.

A 1973 graduate of the U.S. Merchant Marine Academy, Mr. Jackson served as regional manager-marketing for IMODCO prior to joining Global Marine Development.

W.J. Kristen Appointed Freight Merchandiser For Agri-Trans Corp.

Paul J. Staadeker, vice president-transportation services for Agri-Trans Corporation, has announced the appointment of **William J. (John) Kristen** as freight merchandiser. He will report to **John S. Johnson**, director-transportation services.

In his new position, Mr. Kristen, who had been a dispatcher with Agri-Trans, will be responsible for the buying and selling of freight as it relates to the company's logistical and merchandising requirements. He joined Agri-Trans in June 1979.

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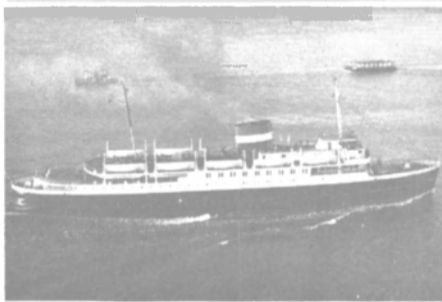
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Levingston Lays Keel For New Jackup Drilling Rig



Builder's and owner's representatives at keel-laying ceremonies included (left to right): **Woody Gaines**, director of steel trades, Levingston Shipbuilding; **Eddie Uher**, project engineer, Levingston; **L.A.J. Monroe**, chairman of the board, Dixilyn-Field; **Joe Barrios**, vice president, Commercial Division, Levingston; **David Edgar**, director of purchasing, Dixilyn-Field; **Pat Ahlman**, project engineer, Dixilyn-Field; **George Istre**, program manager, Levingston; **Dick Franklin**, hull superintendent, Levingston; and **Lou Seeber**, Dixilyn-Field representative.

Levingston Shipbuilding Company of Orange, Texas, recently laid the keel for a new jackup drilling rig. Dixilyn-Field of Hous-

ton is the owner of this Levingston-designed Class 111-C rig, and will take delivery in April 1981. Officials of Dixilyn-Field at-

tending the ceremony included **L.A.J. Monroe**, chairman of the board; **David Edgar**, director of purchasing; **Pat Ahlman**, project engineer, and **Lou Seeber**, owner's representative. Levingston was represented by **Joe Barrios**, vice president, Commercial Division; **Eddie Uher**, project engineer; **George Istre**, program manager; **Woody Gaines**, director of steel trades; and **Dick Franklin**, hull superintendent.

This three-legged drilling rig measures 200 feet by 186 feet by 23 feet and has independent four-chord square truss legs which will

be 414 feet long. One of the customer's requirements for this particular rig is that it be capable of operating in temperatures of minus 20 degrees centigrade, and withstand winds of up to 125 mph and seas of 50 feet. Drilling depth is 25,000 feet in a maximum of 300 feet of water.

Rig 87 will have accommodations for 80 people, and is equipped with two galleys and two mess-rooms. The construction of this rig will meet the requirements of the United States Coast Guard and the American Bureau of Ship-

AWO's Shipyard Conference Honors Renshaw For Leadership

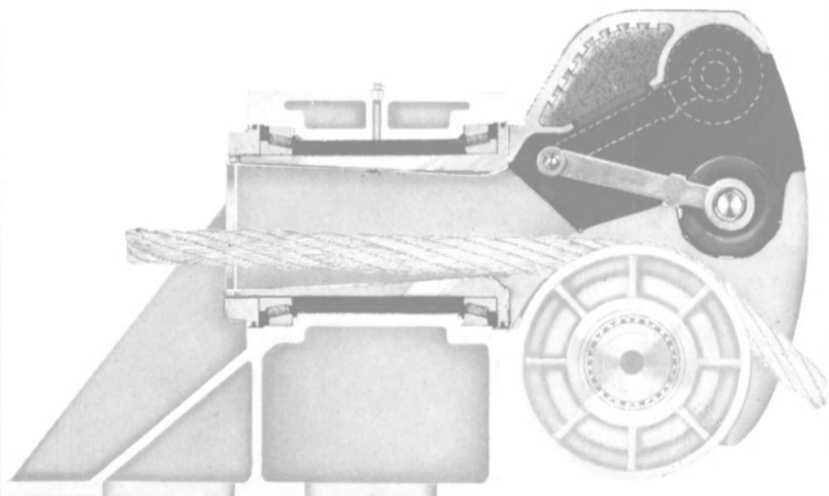
Edward Renshaw, president of St. Louis Ship, was honored recently by the American Waterways Shipyard Conference (AWSC), an organization founded in 1976 largely through his efforts. Under Mr. Renshaw's stewardship, the AWSC has grown into a representative national body,

which today includes 64 member companies.

John M. Donnelly Jr., chairman of The American Waterways Operators, Inc. (AWO), and president, Ingram Barge Lines paid tribute to Mr. Renshaw at a recent AWSC meeting in St. Louis. Mr. Donnelly traced the history



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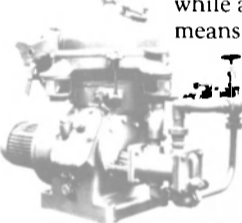
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Watercolor painting was presented recently to Edward Renshaw (left), founding chairman of the American Waterways Shipyard Conference, by AWO chairman John M. Donnelly Jr. Mr. Renshaw, president of St. Louis Ship, has stepped down from the chairmanship of the Conference. The new chairman is Jack O. Pirozzolo of RYSCO.

of the Conference and, in particular, Mr. Renshaw's leadership and dedication in organizing it.

The AWSC is part of the AWO, a trade association of the inland and coastal domestic water transportation industry. The Confer-

ence represents the interests of small- and medium-sized shipyards located on the East, West, and Gulf Coasts, the inland rivers, and the Great Lakes. These companies build and repair vessels for the barge and towing in-

dustry, offshore oil and mining industries, and the fishing industry.

Mr. Donnelly also presented Mr. Renshaw with a watercolor painting by James Godwin Scott titled "St. Louis Ship, Winter." The painting carries a plaque inscribed, "Edward Renshaw, Founding Chairman, American Waterways Shipyard Conference, With Deep Appreciation, 1980."

Since 1976 when the Conference was founded, many events, proposed regulations, and bills could have developed into major problems for the nation's smaller shipyards. Under Ed Renshaw's leadership, however, many of these potential problems have been quelled through the active work of the Conference committees and membership. In addition, the organization is seeking solutions to long-standing problems that existed before the AWSC was formed.

Steps also have been taken to improve conditions within the industry. For example, the AWSC has just received a planning grant

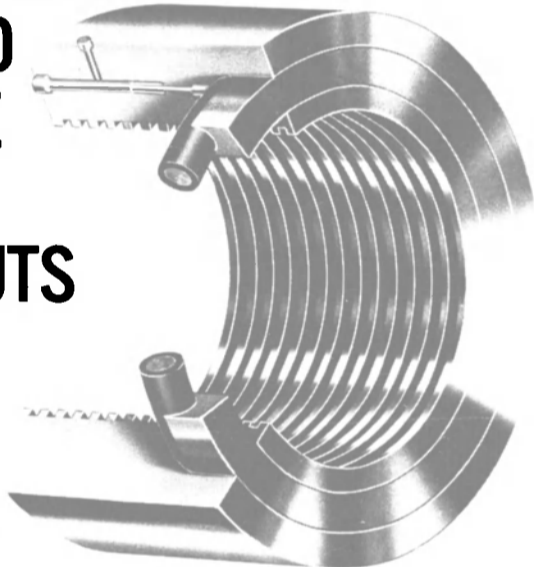
under the Occupational Safety and Health Act "New Directions" program to establish the organization as a center of competency for shipyard safety and to provide safety programs for the industry.

Mr. Renshaw stepped down from the chairmanship of the Conference this past June after helping to insure its status as a viable national organization. The new chairman is Jack O. Pirozzolo, RYSCO Shipyard, Inc., Rockport, Texas.

Automation Industries Gets \$4.5-Million Navy Job For Conversion Plans

Automation Industries, Incorporated, Vitro Laboratories Division, Silver Spring, Md., has been awarded a \$4,480,700-million negotiated cost-plus-fixed-fee contract by the U.S. Navy for a set of conversion plans for Class DDG 28-30 Midlife Conversion Program for Federal Republic of Germany guided-missile destroyers. The Naval Sea Systems Command was the contracting activity.

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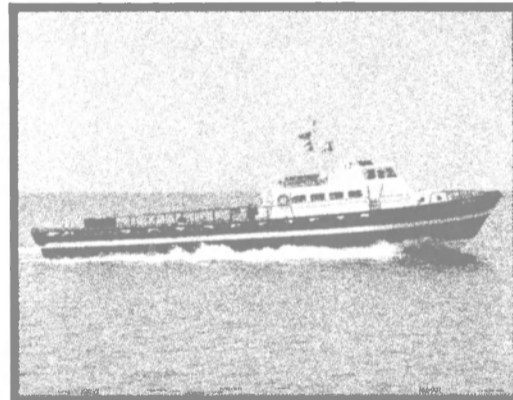


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Gazocean USA Inc., New York, the American affiliate of the French-based Gazocean Group (specializing in liquefied gas transportation and worldwide gas trading), has announced the addition of Lionel Charveriat to its staff.

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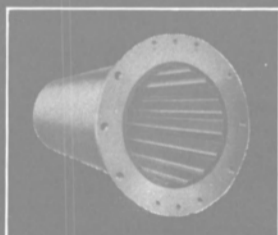
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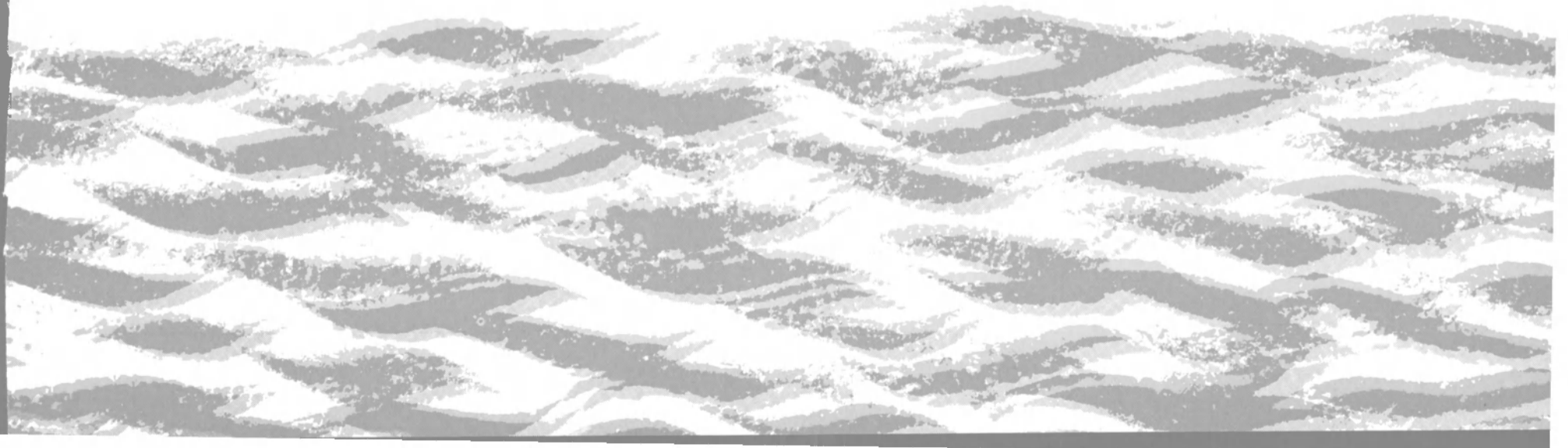
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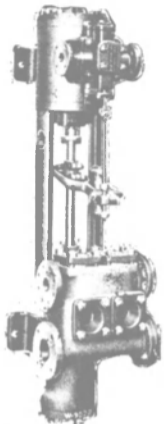
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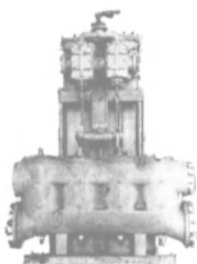
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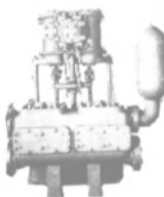
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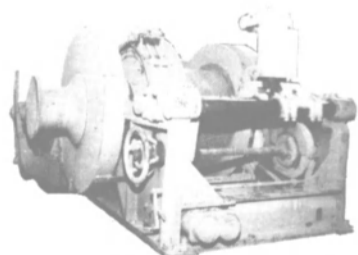
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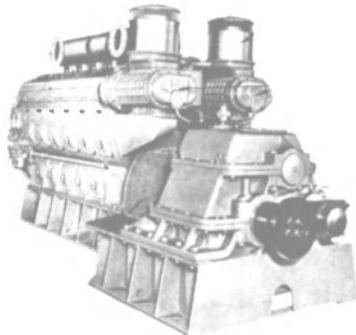
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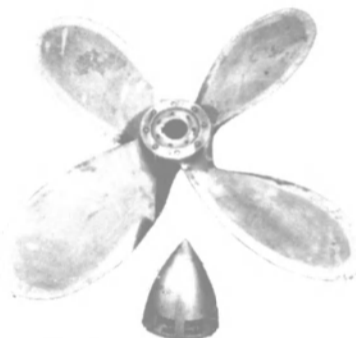
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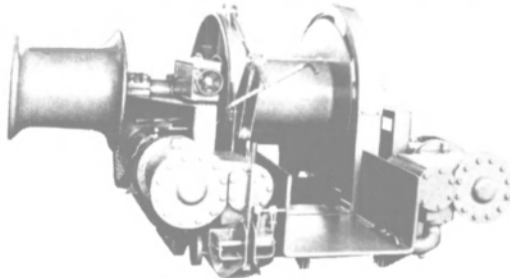
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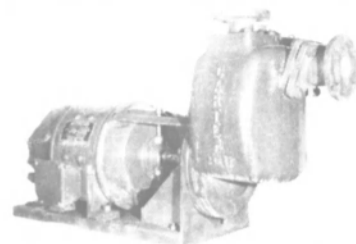
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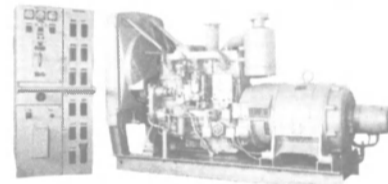
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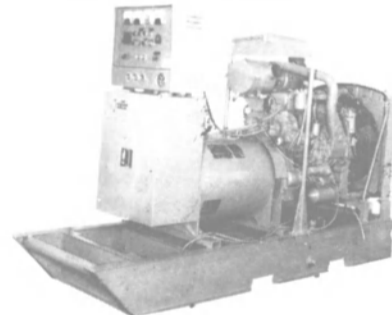
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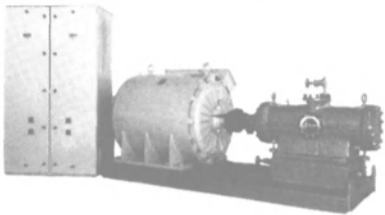
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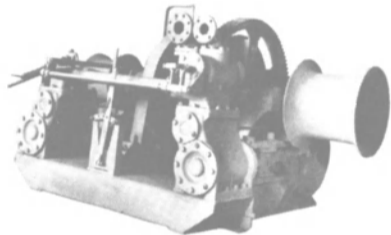
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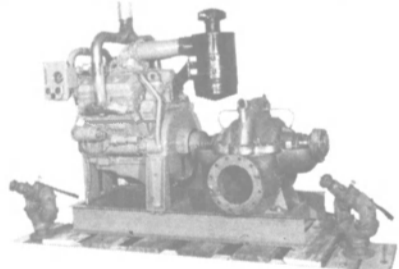
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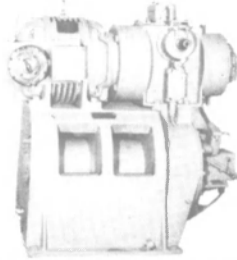
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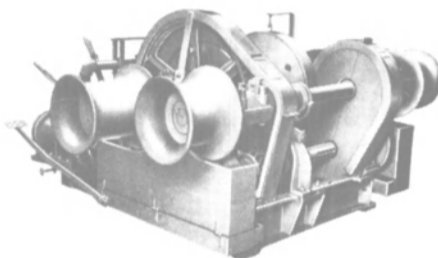
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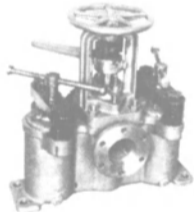
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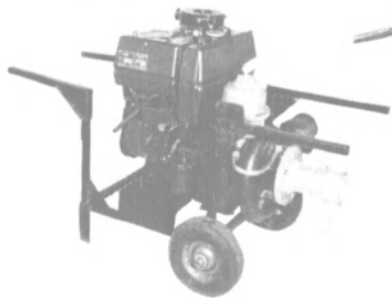
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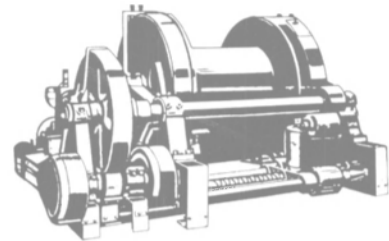
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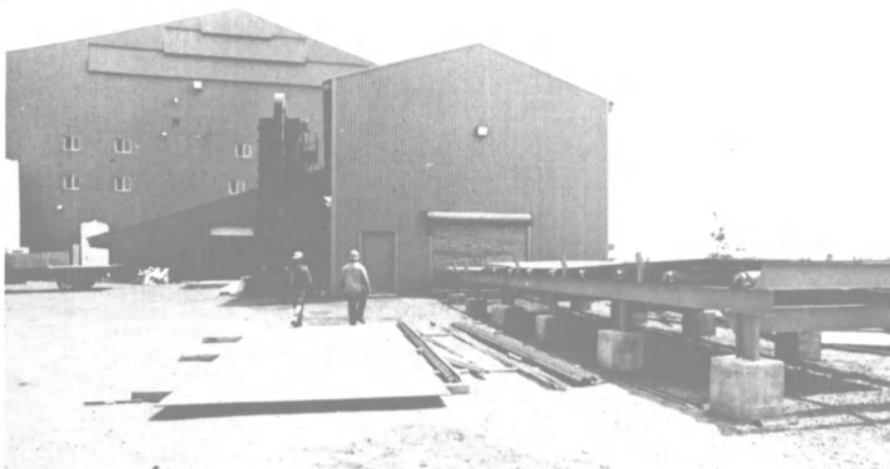
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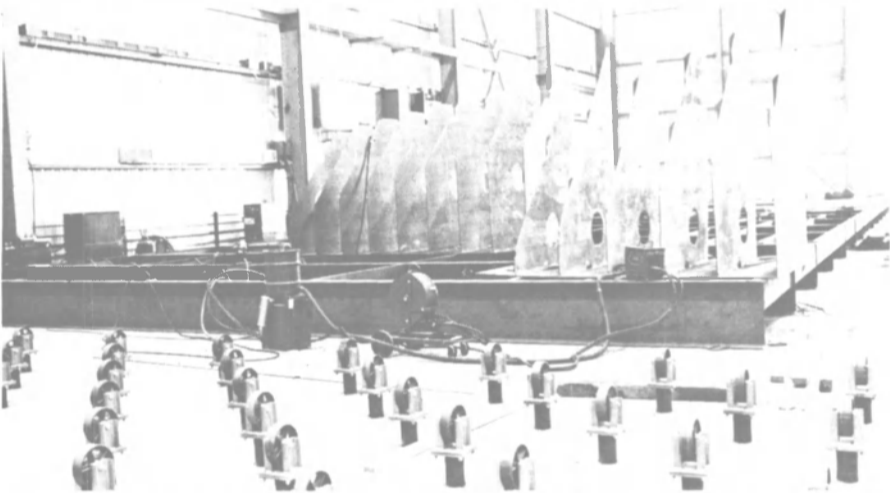
New UPSCO Shipyard Begins Production



Steel entering main fabrication building passes through Pangborn processing unit.



Interior of fabrication building, with Linde cutting equipment in the foreground.



One of first barge modules being fabricated on Ogden high-capacity welding line.



View of fabrication building and yard cranes from across the Ontonagon River.

An entirely new shipyard, programmed to build commercial tug/barge units, is now in operation in Ontonagon, Mich.

Upper Peninsula Shipbuilding Company (UPSCO), a privately owned firm, was formed in May of 1979 when its president, Charles H. Kerkman, together with Robert J. Rotundo and Robert D. Fischl, saw a need for efficient vessel systems that would offer low-cost water transportation on the Great Lakes. Comprehensive transportation studies involving rail and truck traffic in the Great Lakes area clearly indicated savings to the many shippers who could use cross-lake water transportation as an alternative to around-the-lake rail or truck forms of shipping.

These studies showed that the integrated tug/barge concept seemed to offer the most efficient system in handling cross-lake needs on a shuttle basis. Frequent service on a closely scheduled timetable would smooth the peaks and valleys, and reduce the "dead time" during loading and unloading of cargoes. UPSCO feels that the integrated tug/barge concept is ideally adapted to the needs of cross-lake railroad car shuttle service between Michigan and Wisconsin railhead ports.

The first vessels being built at the new UPSCO yard are part of an integrated tug/barge system for the State of Michigan. The initial contract with the state specifies a system comprising one tug and four barges (forebodies). Production of the system is now under way, with deliveries planned over the next three years.

The tug in the UPSCO system is 120 feet long, powered by two MaK 4,000-bhp turbocharged diesel engines driving controllable-pitch propellers. The engines are designed to operate on residual fuels, providing low-cost operation. Each barge will be 437 feet long with a beam of 64 feet; LOA of the tug/barge unit will be 484 feet.

The barges will be fully enclosed utilizing Navaire bow doors, and will accommodate 28 railroad

cars. The mechanism to connect the tug and barge will be manufactured under license from ACB of France.

UPSCO engaged Breit & Garcia, a New Orleans naval architecture firm with a great deal of experience and an international reputation in the development of integrated tug/barges, to design the complete system.

Construction of the Upper Peninsula Shipbuilding yard began in November 1979. In less than seven months, on June 2, 1980, vessel fabrication was started.

The main fabrication building has an area of 60,000 square feet, with an adjoining five-floor production office building. Module building is carried out under four P&H bridge cranes, each having a span of 125 feet and 70 feet under the hook; two have a capacity of 50 tons and two are 15-ton cranes. Administration, trades, warehouse, and other support buildings are now under construction, scheduled for completion by the end of this year.

Installation of the latest in steel-treatment, transport, fabrication, and lifting equipment ensures the cost efficiency of UPSCO's operation. Major items of equipment include a Pangborn metal-processing system, the latest computer-automated Linde metal-cutting equipment, a high-capacity Ogden welding line, and a 750-ton Pacific press. Outside lifting will be handled by a Manitowoc model 4100W crawler crane.

One of the major undertakings is the staffing of the company. UPSCO is building its organization on a scheduled basis, both in the areas of management and hourly employees. Knowledgeable, experienced personnel have been brought into the company in all areas.

In cooperation with the Michigan Department of Labor, employee training schools have been under way for several months. Total employment during July this year reached 85 people; full-production employment level will range between 400 and 450 workers.



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Works, Bath, Maine, a Congoleum company.

The new insulation, named Tuff Skin™, was developed and tested in a cooperative program between the shipyard and the Claremont Company of Meriden, Conn.

The Navy has authorized the use of Tuff Skin on the frigates being built at the shipyard, according to **George Bliss**, super-

visor of value engineering at Bath Iron Works, and adopted it as the Navy's standard for all new ships.

Mr. Bliss said use of the insulation in the frigates is saving approximately \$100,000 per ship. It is applied in machinery spaces.

"Navy authorization was the culmination of an accelerated development and test program which

required extensive fire and acoustic tests of many different materials," Mr. Bliss said.

For free literature containing complete details on "Tuff Skin," write to **Robert C. Roy**, Dept. MR, Claremont Company, 174 State Street, Meriden, Conn. 06450.

**Supramar Reorganized
With Baron Hanns von
Schertel As President**

Supramar of Switzerland has been reorganized and will now operate under the name Supramar Hydrofoils Ltd., and no longer as Supramar AG.

Baron Hanns von Schertel has been appointed president of the renamed firm, and **Harry Trevisani** general manager.

The company will continue to operate at Ausserfeld 5, CH6362 Stansstad, Switzerland; telephone 041/613194, telex 78228. An enlarged team of designers will be working on further improvements of existing hydrofoil types, and developing a new type of hydrofoil/catamaran, for which the company sees a wide range of applications.

**Lance Melik Appointed
Director Of Marketing
For Twin Disc, Inc.**

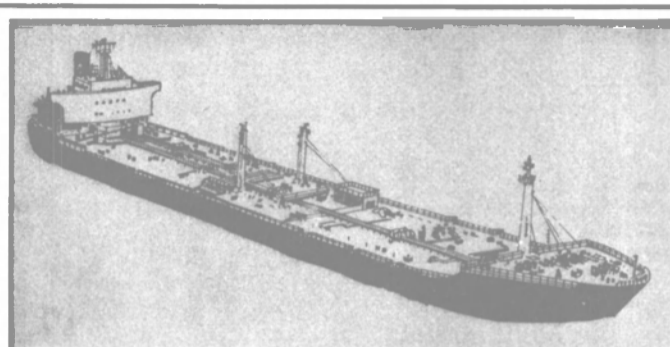


Lance J. Melik

Lance J. Melik, formerly manager-product development, has been promoted to the position of director of marketing for Twin Disc, Incorporated, Racine, Wisc. He will be responsible for the formulation and implementation of the company's marketing strategy.

Mr. Melik will supervise the following functions: product development, distribution marketing, service engineering, market economics, marketing communications, and marketing administration.

Since joining Twin Disc in 1967, Mr. Melik has held several positions within the Marketing Department including statistician, marketing analyst, manager-marketing service, manager-market economics and product planning, and his most recent position of manager-product development.



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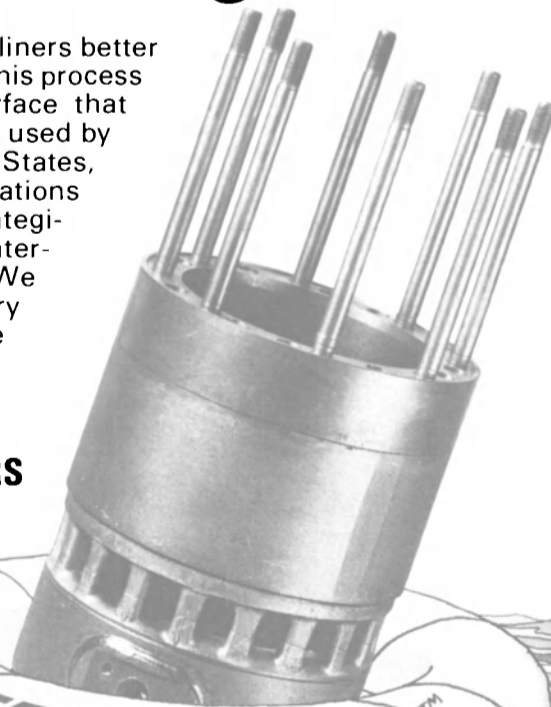
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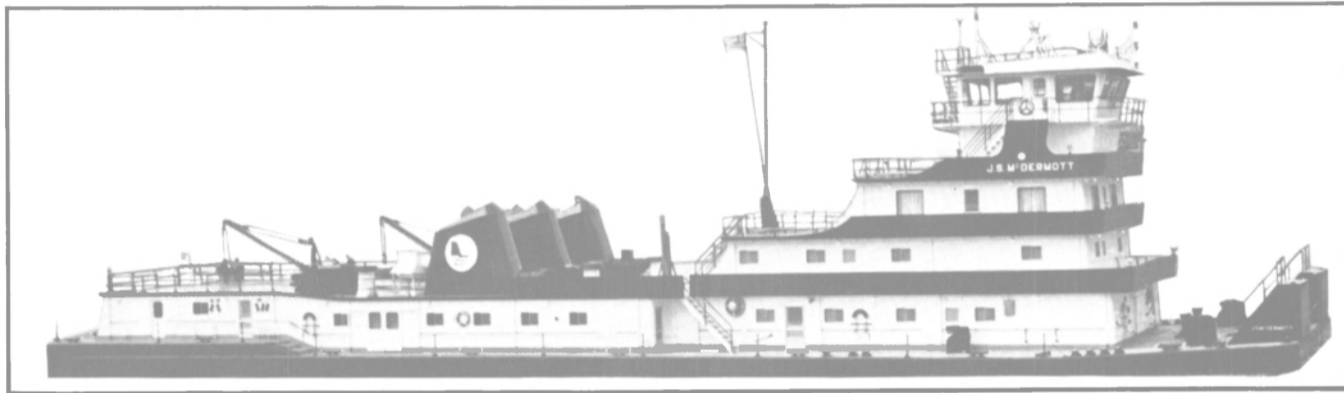
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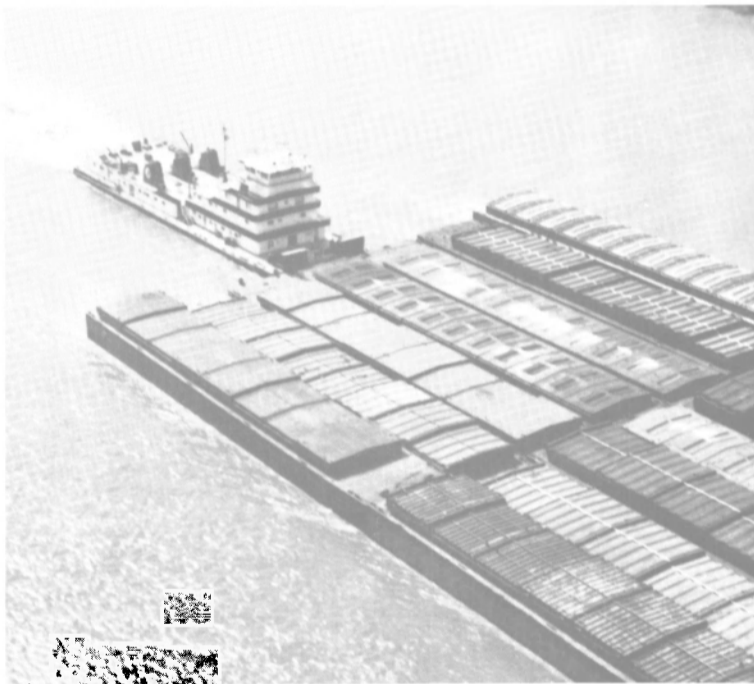


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more than a dozen members of Congress also are expected to address the conference. Opening remarks will be made by Coast Guard Commandant Adm. **John B. Hayes**, chairman of the conference and exhibition.

The conference theme, "Decade of the Oceans," underscores the major role marine technology will play in the 1980s as the United States and other countries turn to the seas for more effective ways of solving their economic, environmental, and defense needs.

The three-day conference will provide a timely forum for discussing national and international issues related to marine technology. Technical seminars will deal with ocean energy and food supplies, pollution control, undersea vehicles, ocean measurements and instrumentation, and state-of-the-art hardware for the marine environment. More than 200 exhibits will showcase the latest marine technology products and services.

The Marine Technology '80 technical program, focusing as it does on the coming decade of the oceans, represents a broad spectrum of expertise. It encompasses the interests of many disciplines—including the social, political, and physical sciences, as well as engineering—on that 70 percent of the world's surface called the oceans.

The technical sessions arranged for the MT '80 Conference focus attention toward a variety of topics. Over 150 scholarly papers, representing significant contributions from universities, govern-

ments, laboratories, and private industries worldwide were reviewed to develop this year's technical program. The efforts of all concerned have been aimed toward insuring that this conference will be the finest and most productive for the oceans community.

Chairman of the Technical Program is Rear Adm. **Alfred P. Manning Jr.**, USCG.

Marine Affairs Program

The Marine Affairs Program will provide four panels, of shorter duration than the Technical Program, to complement the ongoing technical sessions and follow up on the theme outlined in the Chairman's Message and Plenary Session.

Panel I—A Forecast of Emerging Economic Marine Needs—will attempt to gain some consensus on the precise range of national needs having marine dimension that now indicate a significant, emerging demand for advanced marine technology. It will explore how marine technology can be applied more effectively to support national economic (energy, transportation, mining, fisheries, etc.), defense, foreign policy, environmental and other societal needs. It also will highlight current developments, such as the need to implement anticipated accords from the Law of the Sea

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

MARINE TECHNOLOGY CONFERENCE & EXHIBITION SHOREHAM HOTEL

Sunday, October 5, 1980	
5:00 pm	Advance Registration and Early Bird Reception
Monday, October 6, 1980	
9:00 am	Plenary Session
11:45 am	Chairman's Luncheon
1:30 pm	Concepts/Regulations
2:00 pm	Oceanography I/Water Quality/Marine Affairs I
3:00 pm	Coffee Break
3:45 pm	Offshore Structures/Oceanography II/Oil Pollution/Search and Rescue
5:15 pm	Exhibitors' Cocktail Party
Tuesday, October 7, 1980	
8:30 am	Buoy Technology I
9:00 am	Manned Vehicles/Oceanographic Ships/Marine Affairs II
10:00 am	Coffee Break
10:45 am	Buoy Technology II/Unmanned Vehicles/Education I/Ocean Energy
12:15 pm	Lunch
1:30 pm	CZM
2:00 pm	Ocean Mining I/Education II/Marine Affairs III
3:00 pm	Coffee Break
3:45 pm	Undersea Physics/Ocean Mining II/Diving/Materials
6:15 pm	No Host Reception
7:00 pm	Decade of the Oceans Banquet
Wednesday, October 8, 1980	
8:30 am	Geodesy
9:00 am	Fisheries/Marine Technology I/Marine Affairs IV
10:00 am	Coffee Break
10:45 am	Cables-Connectors/Sea Floor Engineering/Marine Technology II/Remote Sensing
12:15 pm	President's Award Luncheon
2:00 pm	Instrumentation I/Radioactive Waste I/Vessel Traffic Service I
3:00 pm	Coffee Break
3:45 pm	Instrumentation II/Radioactive Waste II/Vessel Traffic Service II

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negotiations into national legislation and programs, and specifically how these trends will accelerate the need for advanced marine technology.

Panel II—Government-Industry Relations in Marine Resource Development—will focus its discussion on the appropriate roles of both the private and public sectors in the fostering or facilitating of the state of the art for marine technology. In collateral discussion, the panel will deliberate how marine law and policy, and its implementation into Federal and State programs, can be improved to insure that marine technology will be more supportive of national needs.

Panel III—The Role of U.S. Marine Technology in the International Area—will explore the range and directions for U.S. foreign policy in the transfer of technology to both developing nations and the developed world. Considering such issues as technology transfer inherent in the Law of the Sea negotiations and the "North-South Dialogue," the panel will discuss the cooperative roles of the private sector and government in this effort. Examination also will focus on the critical problems of balancing U.S. needs for access to resources with conditions diluting traditional proprietary rights associated with technology.

Panel IV—Economic Regionalism in Maritime Affairs—will complement Panel III by extending the concept of regionalism that has been evident in the areas of science and transfer of marine technology to the broader range of economic development. Addressed will be such topics as hemispheric cooperation for energy and fisheries development, and the roles of multinational corporations in the sectoral extraction, processing, distribution, and marketing of ocean resources—fisheries and agriculture, offshore oil, and ocean minerals.

Executive Summaries

Executive summary of major developments and trends in marine technology will be presented by the Marine Technology Society professional committees to provide ocean managers, engineers, and scientists with a summation of the leading activities in the broad spectrum of ocean discipline. MTS vice president for technical affairs **Joseph R. Vadus** will chair the two sessions, and the chairmen of the four technical divisions will moderate the presentations given by each of the MTS professional committees.

The program will include:

(1) Ocean and coastal engineering—**Jack W. Boller**, moderator;

(2) Manpower, professional development, and education—**Gilbert Maton**, moderator;

(3) Ocean and coastal manage-

ment—**John Norton Moore**, moderator;

(4) Ocean resources and environment—**Jack Flipse**, moderator.

Satellite Workshop

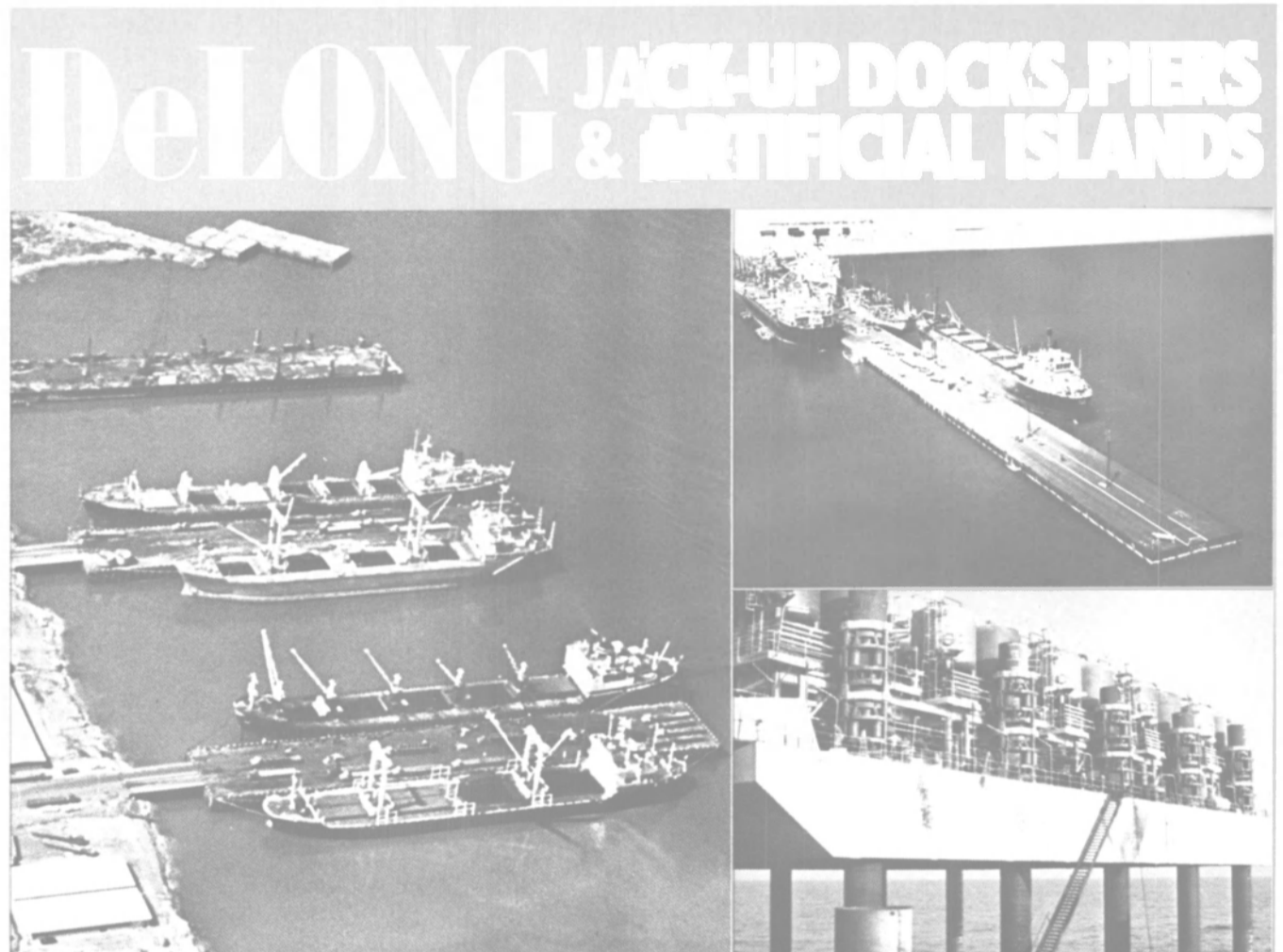
A workshop is being organized by the MTS Satellite and Aircraft Remote Sensing Technical Committee. The purpose of this workshop is to review and assess the

state of the art of ocean monitoring satellites having microwave sensor suites (SEASAT-A and NIMBUS-7), and to attempt to apply this information to the proposed National Oceanic Satellite System (NOSS).

Dialogue will be encouraged to assess accomplishments, voids, and needs related to: (1) sensor data acquisition, storage, retriev-

al, dissemination, and processing; (2) ground-truth verification; and (3) meteorological interference corrections. Corresponding points of discussion will be addressed for the NOSS, using the SEASAT-A and NIMBUS-7 experiences as a reference base.

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**McIndoe Named Director—
International Marketing
For Twin Disc, Inc.**



James McIndoe

James McIndoe has been promoted to director of international marketing for Twin Disc, Incorporated. His former position was marketing director of Twin Disc International, S.A. in Nivelles, Belgium. Mr. McIndoe will be headquartered at the Twin Disc corporate offices in Racine, Wisc. He will be responsible for the development of the company's international marketing strategy involving markets and products.

He began his career at Twin Disc International in 1967 as a sales engineer, and was promoted to his former position of director of marketing in 1976. Prior to joining TDI, Mr. McIndoe was chief engineer at Inchgreen Engineering, J. Swire Division, in Greenock, Scotland.

**MarAd Awards CDS For
Mormac Conversions To
Cost \$4.4 Million Total**

The Maritime Subsidy Board has authorized the award of construction-differential subsidy (CDS) for work by Maryland Shipbuilding and Drydock Company of Baltimore to increase the container-carrying capacity of four Mariner Class vessels owned by Moore McCormack Lines of New York. The cost of the work is to be \$1,105,087 per vessel, with the subsidy rate set at 40.82 percent.

The ships are the Mormacsaga, Mormacsea, Mormactide, and Mormacwave. The conversion work will allow the carriage of 40-foot containers, and increase the total container capacity for each ship from 140 to 206 twenty-foot equivalent units.

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Thomas Zambetti Named New Sales Engineer For Selby, Battersby

Dean S. Champlin, vice president-marine operations of Selby, Battersby & Company of Philadelphia, a subsidiary of Quaker Chemical Corporation, has announced the appointment of **Thomas J. Zambetti** as sales engineer.

For the past several years Mr. Zambetti has been serving the marine industry in the marketing of marine deck coverings and other hull outfitting materials. His addition to the Selby, Battersby staff is aimed at broadening the company's service to the industry.

MarAd Study Reports \$9.8 Billion Needed To Expand U.S. Ports

A new study by the Maritime Administration estimates that construction costs to increase deepwater cargo-handling facilities at American ports will exceed \$5 billion in this decade. Growth of the nation's waterborne commerce, the report says, will require construction of nearly 250 new marine terminal berths by 1990.

The report, "National Port Assessment 1980/1990," also projects the need for nearly 500 new or upgraded riverport facilities in 17 mid-America states at an estimated cost of \$4.8 billion.

The assessment discusses the 10-year requirements of seaport and riverport terminals by comparing their current cargo-handling capacity with projections for the end of this decade. Ter-

minal requirements by major coastal regions also are included.

Some 45 percent of the estimated deepwater requirements is expected to consist of container terminal facilities; about 25 percent of dry-bulk cargo berths; about 19 percent of liquid-bulk facilities; and 11 percent of break-bulk handling facilities.

Most of the U.S. riverport in-

dustry is located from the Central Gulf Coast north through the Ohio River basin. This regional system comprises nearly 1,200 water terminals providing more than 1,800 barge berthing facilities serving 26 rivers and waterways.

The study also discusses the distribution of existing port facilities by state and size, and

identifies typical marine terminal construction and operating costs. Two national and 13 regional maps are included, showing major ports and waterways.

Copies of the 127-page report are available from the Superintendent of Documents, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 20402. The order number is 003-007-0010.

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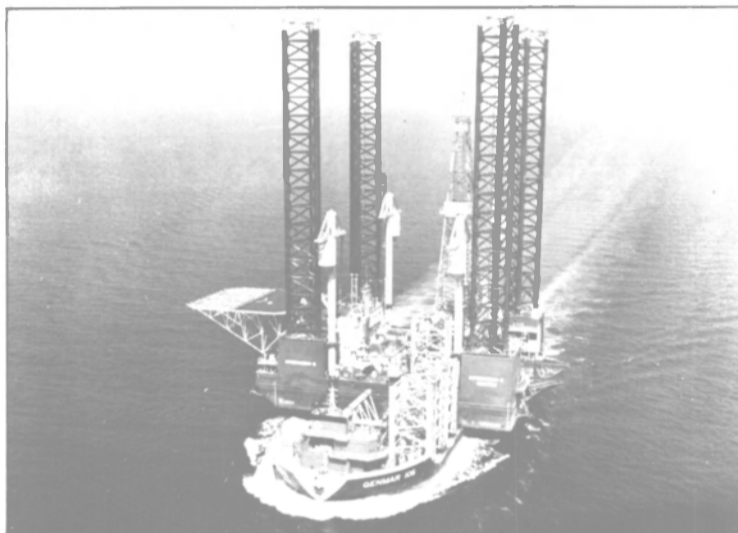


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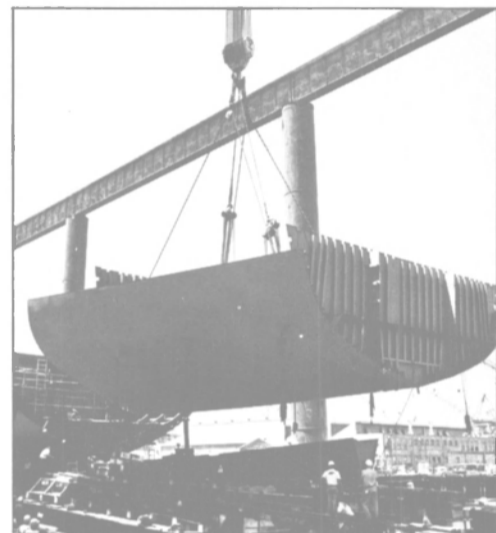
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IMM Asks For Title XI For Two Offshore Boats To Cost \$2.7 Million

International Mooring & Marine, Inc., Port of Iberia, New Iberia, La. 70560 has applied to the Maritime Administration for a Title XI guarantee to aid in financing the construction of two 120-ton workboats.

The 510-bhp, twin-diesel vessels are to be used in marine construction and offshore oilfield work in the Gulf of Mexico. Halter Marine of New Orleans is the proposed builder of both vessels, with delivery scheduled for later this year.

If approved, the Title XI financing would cover \$2,027,000, or 75 percent of the total estimated cost of \$2,703,000.

Title XIs Asked On Two Tug/Supply Vessels To Cost \$6.5 Million Total

Spring Rain, Inc., and Summer Sun, Inc. of Berwick, La., have applied to the Maritime Administration for Title XI guarantees to aid in financing the construction of two 3,000-bhp tug/supply vessels.

The diesel-powered vessels will operate in U.S. and foreign waters servicing offshore oil and gas drilling platforms. Halter Marine, Inc. of Lockport, La., is the designated builder of the boats, but no delivery date has been set.

If approved, the Title XI guarantees would cover \$5,712,000, or 87 1/2 percent of the total estimated cost of \$6,530,000 for the two vessels.

Demetropoulos Named West Coast Manager For Magnus Maritec

Nick Demetropoulos has been promoted to West Coast District manager by Magnus Maritec International, one of the largest suppliers of marine water treatment and maintenance chemical technology in the U.S.



Nick Demetropoulos

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ML Barge Seeks Title XI On 125 Barges To Cost Total Of \$37,622,700

ML Barge Operating Corporation, a subsidiary of ML Operating Corporation of New York, has applied to the Maritime Administration for a Title XI guarantee to aid in financing the construction of 125 box and rake type, jumbo covered barges, all intended for use on the inland waterways of the U.S.

St. Louis Ship of St. Louis, and American Bridge Division of Ambridge, Pa., are the proposed builders of the barges.

Estimated cost of the first 60 vessels, scheduled for delivery later this year, is \$17,147,700 (\$285,795 per unit). The estimated cost of the other 65 barges, scheduled for 1981 delivery, is \$20,475,000 (\$315,000 each).

The requested loan guarantee is for 70 percent of the total cost.

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Design forum. Case studies by shipbuilders actively working on designs for coal fired ships.

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Program October 22

The rationale of bunkering
J van Oldenborgh, Shell Coal International

Classification society requirements
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Coal-Burning Bulkers Ordered From Yards In Italy And Japan

Orders were placed recently for the first four of a new generation of coal-burning ships. Two 75,000-dwt coal-fired bulk carriers have been ordered by Bulkships Ltd., the ship-owning arm

of Australia's Thomas Nationwide Transport Group, from the Monfalcone Division of Italy's Italcantieri Shipbuilding Group. Two additional 75,000-dwt, coal-fired bulkers have been ordered by the Australian National Lines from Mitsubishi Heavy Industries' Nagasaki yard. All four ships will be classed by Lloyd's Register of Shipping.

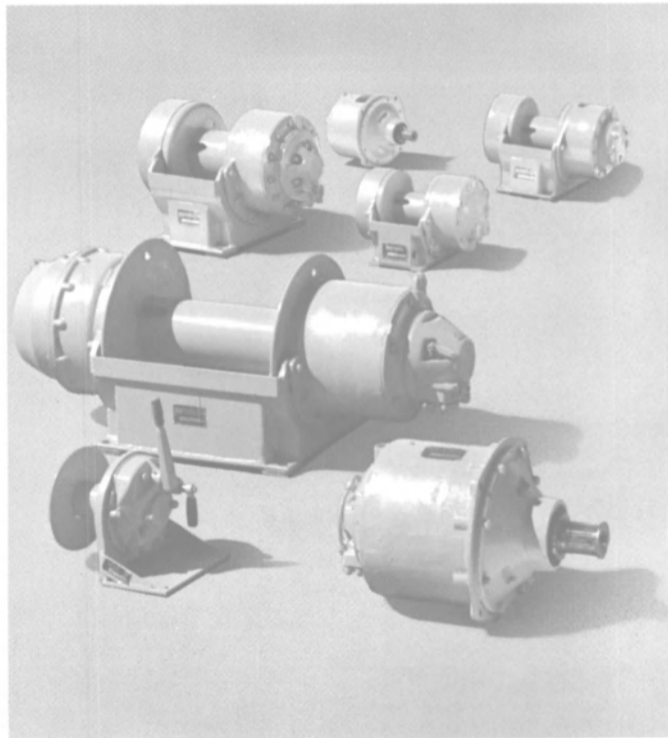
These ships will all be powered by steam turbine plants supplied by coal-fired boilers. They will use well established methods of coal burning, as well as highly automated handling of their bulk cargoes.

Several economic studies have shown that the world demand for coal as an energy source will increase from now until the end

of the century. This makes this first generation of coal-burning ships of particular technical importance.

Lloyd's Register has shown keen interest in the use of coal as an alternative fuel for merchant ships. The British classification society recently published a booklet on the subject titled *Guidance Notes for the Burning of Coal in Ships' Boilers*.

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A contract with Naval Ship Systems Engineering Station (NAVSSSES), Philadelphia, is also significant to the continued growth of CDI Marine. This contract, totaling \$1.9 million, requires CDI Marine to furnish engineering and support services for Naval ships' propulsion system and electrical power generation and distribution systems. Management of this contract will be assigned to CDI Marine's Philadelphia area office in Voorhees, N.J.

CDI Marine Company, headquartered in Jacksonville, has grown into one of the nation's largest naval architectural and marine engineering firms. The Jacksonville office is the hub of a network of permanently staffed design offices located in the Philadelphia area, Norfolk area, San Diego, Boston, Groton, Conn., Charleston, S.C., and Pascagoula, Miss.

Offshore Ship Services Seeks Title XI On Tug/Supply Boat To Cost \$3.2 Million

Offshore Ship Services, Inc. of Belle Chasse, La., has applied to the Maritime Administration for a Title XI guarantee to aid in financing the construction of a twin-screw tug/supply vessel.

Rysco Shipyard Inc. of Blountstown, Fla., has been designated to build the 180-foot vessel, with delivery scheduled for October 1981. Offshore Ship Services plans to operate the vessel in U.S. and foreign waters servicing offshore oil and gas drilling rigs.

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Tidelands Seeks Title XI For \$11.9-Million Inland Barge Drilling Vessel

Tidelands Limited III of Houston has applied to the Maritime Administration for a Title XI guarantee to aid in financing the construction of one inland barge drilling vessel.

Tidelands plans to operate the

vessel in the inland waterways along the U.S. Gulf of Mexico coastal areas. Stewart & Stevenson Service, Inc. of Houston, and McDermott Incorporated of New Iberia, La., are the proposed builders; delivery is expected in February 1981.

If approved, the Title XI guarantee would cover \$10,400,000, or 87½ percent of the vessel's \$11,886,000 estimated cost.

Delta Bulk Terminal Asks Title XI On Two Barges To Cost \$7 Million Total

Delta Bulk Terminal, Inc. of Houston has applied to the Maritime Administration for a Title XI guarantee to aid in financing one self-unloading barge and one flatdeck barge.

Kenner Marine & Machinery,

Inc. in La Place, La., is building both the 524-foot self-unloader and the 203-foot flatdeck barge. Delta Bulk Terminal plans to operate both vessels along the U.S. Gulf Coast.

If approved, the Title XI guarantee would cover 87½ percent of the vessels' estimated cost—\$6,103,125 of the self-unloading barge's \$6,975,000 estimated cost, and \$91,875 of the flatdeck's \$105,000 estimated cost.

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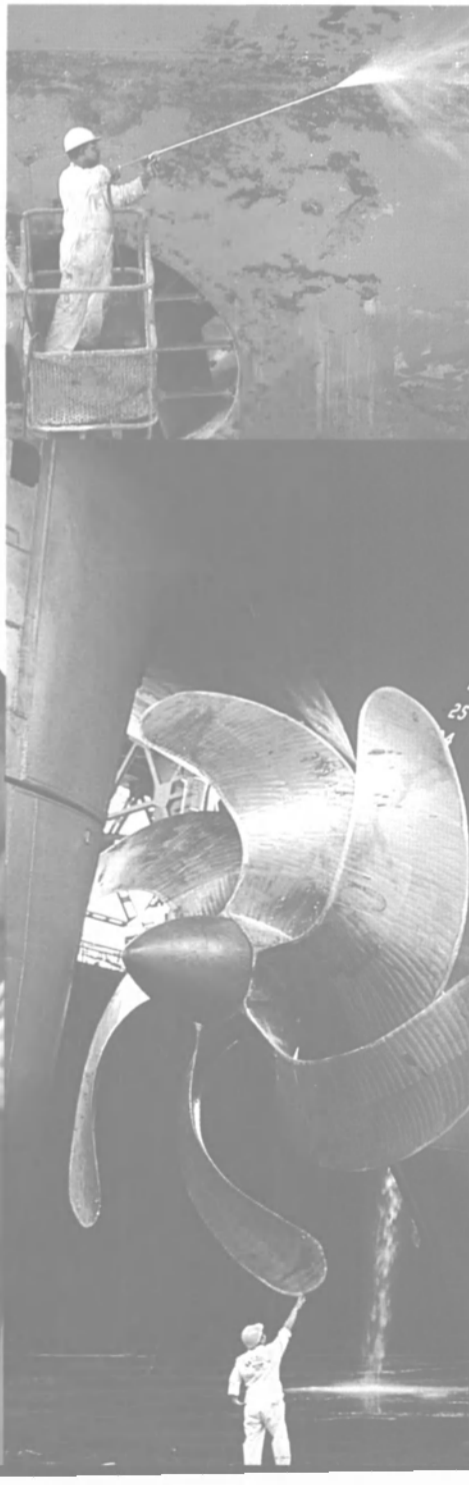
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Bonito Offshore Orders Jackup Drilling Rig From Ingalls Shipbuilding

Bonito Offshore, Inc. of Houston has signed a contract with Ingalls Shipbuilding of Pascagoula, Miss., to build a Friede & Goldman design L-780 (Mod. 2), cantilevered jackup drilling rig.

Scheduled for delivery in March 1982, the rig will be capable of drilling in 300 feet of water to depths of 25,000 feet. The mobile unit will be 180 feet long and 175 feet wide, and will have accommodations for 90 personnel.

Ingalls Shipbuilding, the only North American contractor currently building L-780 design jackups under Friede & Goldman license, now has 12 rigs under construction, including eight jackups and four submersible rigs. All rig contracts have been signed this year.

Tacoma Boat To Build Nine USCG Cutters At Cost Of \$646 Million

Tacoma Boatbuilding Company, Tacoma, Wash., has been awarded a contract to construct nine 270-foot, medium-endurance cutters for the United States Coast Guard. Original contract price for the cutters is \$378 million; however, with the escalation factor built into the contract price, keyed to the Bureau of Labor statistics for shipbuilding, total cost for construction of the nine vessels is estimated at \$646 million.

Announcement of the award was made recently by Congressman Norm Dicks (D-Wash.) in ceremonies at the company's new Plant Number 3 on Commencement Bay in Tacoma. According to Congressman Dicks, the vessels will be delivered to the United States Coast Guard over the next five years. As planned, they will be used for patrolling the 200-mile limit.

The nine-vessel contract is a follow-on to four medium-endurance cutters already under construction at Tacoma Boatbuilding. As with the first four vessels, the nine new ships will be constructed using the same production facilities located at Plant Number 3.

With the award of the current contract, the backlog at Tacoma Boatbuilding Company now stands at approximately \$800 million.

**Michigan Wheel Will
Market Bow Thrusters
—Literature Available**

Michigan Wheel Division, Dana Corporation, recently announced that it will now market a line of bow thrusters under the trade name of Michigan-Jastram. This exclusive arrangement applies to the United States, Canada, and Mexico.

According to **Chuck Dykstra**, director of marketing of Michigan Wheel, the company has formed a new propulsion systems group that is consistent with its goal to provide quality propulsion equipment and systems for improved maneuverability for overall vessel efficiency. Michigan Wheel, Mr. **Dykstra** indicated, is collaborating with Jastram-Werke of Hamburg, West Germany in manufacturing and marketing of the Michigan-Jastram line of bow thrusters in North America.

Working with Dr. **Dykstra** at Michigan Wheel's divisional offices in Grand Rapids, Mich., will be **Dave Johnson**, propulsion systems manager. Mr. **Johnson** explains that an essential element of the Michigan-Jastram bow thruster is its high-quality marine gearbox. He adds that since 1954, an ever-increasing number of ships of all sizes and types in Europe have been equipped with Jastram bow thrusters. The Hamburg-based company is a leading European manufacturer of transverse, fixed-pitch bow thrusters.

In the United States, the Jastram-supplied gears, along with Michigan propellers and transverse tunnels, will provide cost-efficient thrusters for the North American market.

For further information and free literature on Michigan-Jastram, write to **Charles Dykstra**, Dept. M.R., Michigan Wheel Division, 1501 Buchanan S.W., Grand Rapids, Mich. 49507.

**U.S. Yards Invited To
Bid On First Maritime
Prepositioning Ships**

Private American shipyards have been invited to bid on the first two Maritime Prepositioning Ships, a new class of cargo vessels designed to provide standby logistic support for the rapid deployment of United States Marines around the world.

The invitation was extended by the Maritime Administration (MarAd), under a joint agreement with the Department of Defense. MarAd will serve as the contracting authority for the construction of the vessels, and will turn them over to the U.S. Navy upon delivery of the shipyard(s). The Naval Sea Systems Command will be responsible for the over-

all program, and the Navy's Military Sealift Command will operate the ships. A joint program office is being organized to administer the entire program.

Up to eight new ships in this class, designated by MarAd as C8-M-MA134j, are planned by the Navy. MarAd has invited sealed bids on the first two vessels (either one or both) on or before October 22, 1980. All bids will be

publicly opened at the Commerce Department at 2:15 p.m. that day.

The ships will have an overall length of 831 feet 6 inches, a displacement of 48,800 long tons at design draft, a carrying capacity of 28,000 deadweight tons, and a service speed of 20 knots.

Interior cargo volume will exceed 2.6 million cubic feet. Four twin deck cranes will provide both standard and heavy lift-on/

lift-off access to the ship's five holds.

Vehicles will roll on and off the ship via a stern ramp. Each ship will have up to 225,000 square feet of roll-on/roll-off deck area, including cardecks, and a maximum container capacity of 1,958 twenty-foot-equivalent units (TEUs).

Options thus would be provided (continued on page 52)

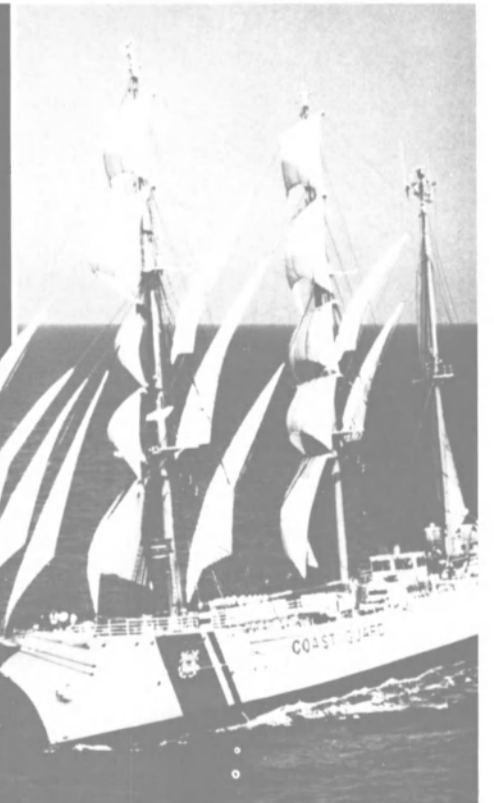
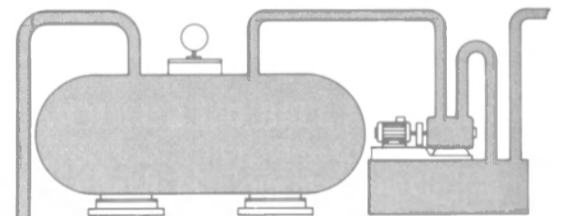
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U.S. Yards To Bid On Prepositioning Ships

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for any combination of cargoes, ranging from heavy tanks to refrigerated containers filled with perishables.

The ship will be propelled by two medium-speed energy-efficient diesel engines generating a total of 27,000 bhp.

The design also calls for a helicopter pad on the stern, and for the installation of dehumidification systems to provide long-term preservation of the cargo.

The existing Navy/Marine Corps sealift support plan calls for the conversion of four roll-on/roll-off ships currently in the U.S. merchant fleet to serve with the

eight new prepositioning ships. The 12 vessels together would support three Marine Amphibious Brigades (MABs). In the event of an emergency, MAB personnel would be airlifted to a point of rendezvous with their support vessels.

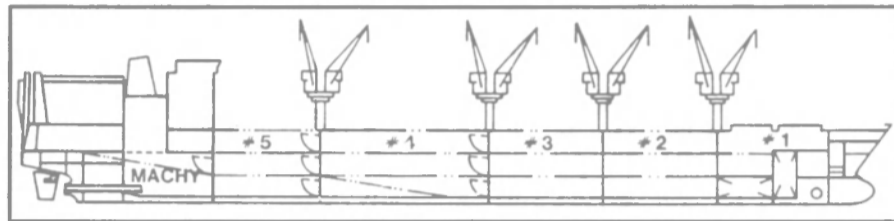
Delivery of the first ship would be due 29 months after the signing of a construction contract, and the second within 34 months of the signing.

The Maritime Prepositioning Ship design grew out of MarAd's ongoing development of a multi-purpose mobilization ship design known as the Security Class. The purpose of that program is to prepare the detailed design of a vessel or vessels that could be produced quickly in an emergency,

as Liberty and Victory ships were in World War II.

M. Rosenblatt & Son, Inc. of New York developed the contract design for the Maritime Preposi-

tioning Ship. The firm is continuing work on the contract design of other versions of the Security Class under a contract with MarAd.



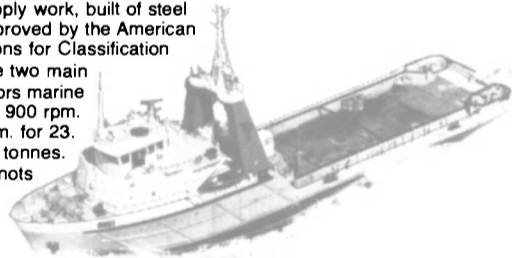
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Dravo Lays Keel For Towboat Ordered By People's Republic Of China



The keel was laid recently for the first of four 6,000-bhp Friendship Class pushboats being manufactured by Dravo Corporation's Engineering Works Division for the People's Republic of China. The vessel will measure 45.7 meters by 12.8 meters by 3.5 meters (150 feet by 42 feet by 11½ feet). The boats and a fleet of 30 barges are being produced for the PRC's Chang Jiang Shipping Administration at Dravo's Neville Island shipyard near Pittsburgh.

From left to right in photograph, are: Chen Yiming, inspec-

tor, engineer-ship structure; Li Youqiang, inspector, interpreter; Peter Kurlak, vice president, manufacturing, Engineering Works Division; Kees van Mook, engineering manager, marine; Donald P. Courtsal, vice president and general manager, Engineering Works Division; Yu Xianhuan, chief inspector, directing engineer; Li Daode, inspector engineer, steering and navigation; Chen Xiaojin, inspector engineer, drawings and superstructures; and Ling Hongyun, inspector engineer, mechanical and electrical.



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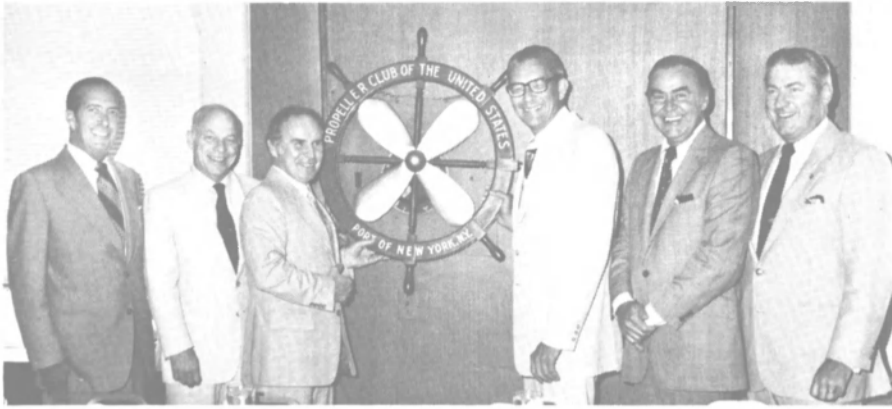
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National President Honored At New York Propeller Club Luncheon



Capt. **William V. Figari** (3rd from left), corporate vice president of Crowley Maritime Corporation and national president of the Propeller Club of the United States, was guest of honor at a recent luncheon meeting of the Port of New York Chapter. Shown with Captain Figari are (L to R): **James J. Dickman**, president, New York Shipping Association; **Capt. Robert E. Hart**, president, Marine Index Bureau; **Donald Schmidt**, senior vice president, Farrell Lines; **Francis X. McQuade**, board director, Northeast Terminal; and **William Horan**, president, Horan Associates.

Jeffboat-Built 'Conti-Karla' Christened At Chicago's Navy Pier



Towboat **Conti-Karla**, built by Jeffboat for ContiCarriers and Terminals, was christened recently at Navy Pier in Chicago. The new 2,800-bhp, GM-powered vessel will transport salt and other commodities to the Chicago area, and grain southbound on the Illinois River.

The motor vessel **Conti-Karla**, fourth of six towboats under construction by Jeffboat, Incorporated for ContiCarriers and Terminals, Inc., was christened recently at the Navy Pier in Chicago. ContiCarriers and Terminals

is a subsidiary of Continental Grain Company, with headquarters in Des Plaines, Ill.

The **Conti-Karla** has a length of 114 feet, beam of 34 feet 6



Mrs. Walter M. (Karla) Goldschmidt, wife of executive vice president of Continental Grain Company, was sponsor of the new vessel. Looking on is **Robert Greene**, vice president of American Commercial Barge Line.

CONTI-KARLA SUPPLIERS

Main engines (2), **GM Detroit Diesel**.
Reverse/reduction gears (2), **Lufkin**.
Propeller shafts (2), **National Forge**.
Generators (2), **GM Detroit Diesel**.
Hot water boiler, **Kewanee**.
Air-conditioning, **Dunham-Bush**.
Air compressors (2), **Westinghouse LeRoi**.
Fire pump, **Ingersoll-Rand**.
Capstans (2), **Schoellhorn-Albrecht**.
Winches (2), **Beebe Bros**.
Radar, **Raytheon**.
Depth indicator, **Elac**.
Intercom, **TOA/Moakler**.
Sound-powered telephone, **Hose McCann**.
Searchlights (2), **Carlisle & Finch**.
Air horn, **Kahlenberg**.
VHF radios (2), **Raytheon**.
SSB radio, **Motorola**.
Swing meter, **Rivertronic**.

inches, depth of 10 feet, and normal operating draft of 7 feet 3 inches. Normal displacement is 620 tons. She can carry 44,200 gallons of fuel oil, 8,000 gallons of fresh water, 8,400 gallons of sanitary water, and 2,000 gallons of lube oil.

Specially designed to work on the Illinois waterway system and in the Chicago harbor, she is constructed with a retractable pilothouse to permit passage un-

der the 15-foot bridge levels in the Greater Chicago area, and sufficiently powered by two GM Detroit Diesel 8E7 BA engines, each rated at 1,400 bhp at 900 rpm, to handle tows on the Illinois River.

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Mid-Coast Marine Delivers Second Trawler And Tugboat

Mid-Coast Marine, Inc. of Coos Bay, Oregon, recently delivered the second 94-foot trawler Centurion to Continental Marine. She is designed to participate in the North Pacific trawl fishing industry, with capabilities of switching quickly from bottom trawling to mid-water trawling. The vessel is equipped with four fish holds totaling 5,100 cubic feet and chilled by two Wescold 24-ton R-22 Port-A-Chillers with Carrier compressors. Overall length is 94 feet, molded beam 26 feet, and depth 11 feet.

The Centurion is powered by two Cummins KTA 1150 diesel engines, with Twin Disc 5:1 reduction gears driving two stainless-steel propellers in Kort nozzles. The



Trawler Centurion was delivered recently to Continental Marine by Mid-Coast Marine, Inc. of Coos Bay, Ore. The 94-foot vessel is powered by two Cummins diesels.

main engine room is located aft, minimizing shaft length and reducing noise and vibration in the living quarters. The aft engine

room also houses two 135-kw, Cummins auxiliary generator sets and one 30-kw, Detroit Diesel Allison emergency generator.

A passageway between the fish holds permits easy access between the forward and aft engine rooms; the forward engine room contains all the smaller auxiliary machinery for the electrical, bilge, hydraulic, fresh water, and steering systems. To round out the efficiency of the vessel, a complete package of electronics and communications equipment was provided by Whatcom Marine Electronics of Seattle.



Another recent delivery by Mid-Coast Marine was the tugboat Ardie, built for Amak Towing Company of Alaska. Twin-screw boat is powered by Caterpillar engines.

Shortly after the Centurion was completed, Amak Towing Company of Ketchikan, Alaska, took delivery of their second 55-foot tugboat from Mid-Coast, the Ardie. Her overall length is 55 feet 6 inches, with a beam of 19 feet, depth of 8 feet 9 inches, and draft of 7 feet 6 inches.

The twin-screw tug is powered by two Caterpillar 3408TA diesel engines driving 54-inch, stainless-steel propellers in fixed nozzles through Twin Disc MG514, 4.5:1 reduction gears.

Two Perkins 4-236, 30-kw auxiliary diesel generator sets provide ac power. All engines are cooled by Fernstrum grid coolers. Aurora Communications of Ketchikan provided the electronics and communications package. The vessel is equipped with Mathers controls, Argus Auto-Watch alarm systems, and a Microphor sanitation system.

HUDSHIP To Build Utility Vessel For Kuwait Owners



At recent Morgan City, La., signing of contract to build a 112-foot utility vessel for the Lamnalco Group of Kuwait were (seated, L to R): **Wendle Huddleston**, president of HUDSHIP; and **Peter E.J. Evans**, technical manager for Lamnalco. HUDSHIP executives in second row are (L to R): **Travis E. Short**, vice president and general manager; **Gayle Robinson**, vice president; and **Bobby Rawls**, secretary-treasurer.

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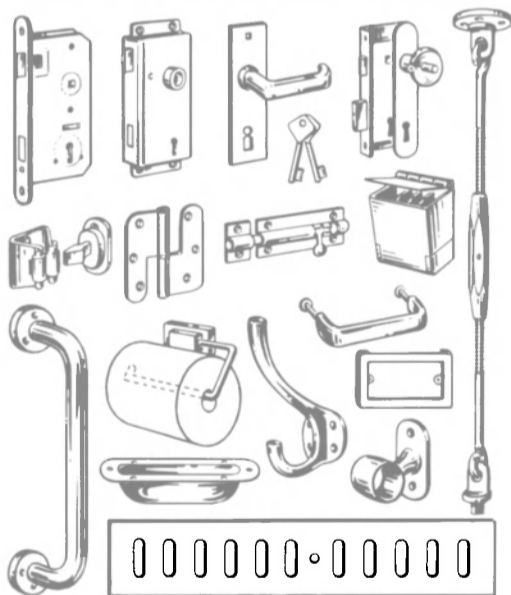


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Fair Grounds Exhibition Centre, Hamburg, West Germany. Contact the organizers at Tungiusstrabe 18, Messehaus Postfach 302360, Hamburg 36, West Germany; telex 0212609.

NACE Northeast Regional Meeting Sept. 29-Oct. 1
Sponsored by the National Association of Corrosion Engineers, and organized by the Philadelphia Section.

Marriott Hotel, Philadelphia. Contact Jay Keldsen, c/o Matcor, Inc., P.O. Box 687, Doylestown, PA 18901; (215) 348-2974.

Marine Technology '80 Oct. 6-8
Conference & Exposition sponsored by the Marine Technology Society.

Shoreham American Hotel, Washington, D.C. Contact MTS at 1730 M Street, N.W., Suite 412, Washington, DC 20036; (202) 659-3251.

54th Annual Convention and 1980 American Merchant Marine Conference Oct. 8-10
Sponsored by The Propeller Club of the United States, and hosted by the Propeller Clubs of Seattle and Tacoma.

Washington Plaza Hotel, Seattle. Contact Propeller Club, 217 Ninth Avenue North, Seattle, WA 98109; (206) 624-9525.

(Preview in Oct. 1 issue of MR/EN.)
AAPA Annual Convention Oct. 19-23
Sponsored by the American Association of Port Authorities.

Omni International Hotel, Norfolk, Va. Contact AAPA 1980 Convention Planning Committee, Virginia Port Authority, 1600 Maritime Tower, Norfolk, Va. 23510; (804) 622-1671.

Conference on Coal-Fired Ships Oct. 21-22
Sponsored by Shipping World & Shipbuilder and Polytech International.

Roosevelt Hotel, New York City. Contact John Hiett, Conference Organisers International Ltd., 21 Lewes Road, Haywards Heath, West Sussex RH17 7SP, England; 444-50476, telex 87515.

MariChem 80 Oct. 21-23
Third International Conference and Exhibition on the Transportation, Handling, and Storage of Bulk Chemicals.

Organized by BML Business Meetings Ltd. Royal Lancaster Hotel, London, England. Contact Ronald A.B. Sim, 2 Station Road, Rickmansworth, Herts WD3 1QP, England; telex 924312 Gastech.

European Offshore Petroleum Conference & Exhibition Oct. 21-24
Sponsored by The Society of Petroleum Engineers and others, and organized by The Society of Petroleum Engineers (U.K.) Limited.

Earls Court, London, England. Contact The Society of Petroleum Engineers, EUROPEC II, 6200 North Central Expressway, Dallas, TX 75206; (214) 361-6601.

(Preview in Oct. 1 issue of MR/EN.)
WGA Annual Convention Oct. 22-24
Ninth annual convention and technical symposium of the Wild Goose Association for professional navigators.

Bradford Hotel, Boston, Mass. Contact Bahar Uttam, c/o JACOR, 300 Unicorn Park, Woburn, MA 01801; (617) 933-6805.

Dieselcare 80 Oct. 28-29
Second International Conference on Marine Diesel Propulsion.

Organized by Intec Press, Ltd., London. New York Hilton Hotel, New York City. Contact M. Randolph Long, Intec Press, Ltd., 310 East 46th Street, New York, NY 10017; (212) 697-4893.

SNAME Annual Meeting Nov. 13-15
Sponsored by The Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers.

New York Hilton Hotel, New York City. Contact SNAME, One World Trade Center, Suite 1369, New York, NY 10048; (212) 432-0310.

(Preview in Nov. 1 issue of MR/EN.)
EUROPORT '80 Nov. 18-22
Exhibition & Conference organized by the Europort Group.

RAI Halls and Congress Centre, Amsterdam, The Netherlands. Contact Peter K. Johnson, Europort Inc., 6006 Bellaire Boulevard, Suite 101, Houston, TX 77081; (713) 666-5188.

(Preview in Nov. 1 issue of MR/EN.)

Marchese Named Estimating Manager, Tacon Chief Accountant For Paceco

Peter J. Marchese was recently appointed manager, Estimating Department, and **Frederic E. Tacon Jr.** was named chief accountant for Paceco, Inc. of Alameda, Calif., a subsidiary of Fruehauf Corporation. The announcement was made by **Adam J. Consolatti**, vice president, administration.

Mr. Marchese will be involved in the development, training, and managing of the new Estimating Department at Paceco's Gulfport, Miss., manufacturing plant. Prior to coming to Paceco, he was associated with Whiting Corporation in Harvey, Ill., where



Peter J. Marchese

Frederic E. Tacon Jr.

his most recent position was manager of the Crane Division.

Mr. Tacon's prior association was with the Jim Walter Corporation in Tampa, Fla., where he held the position of controller.

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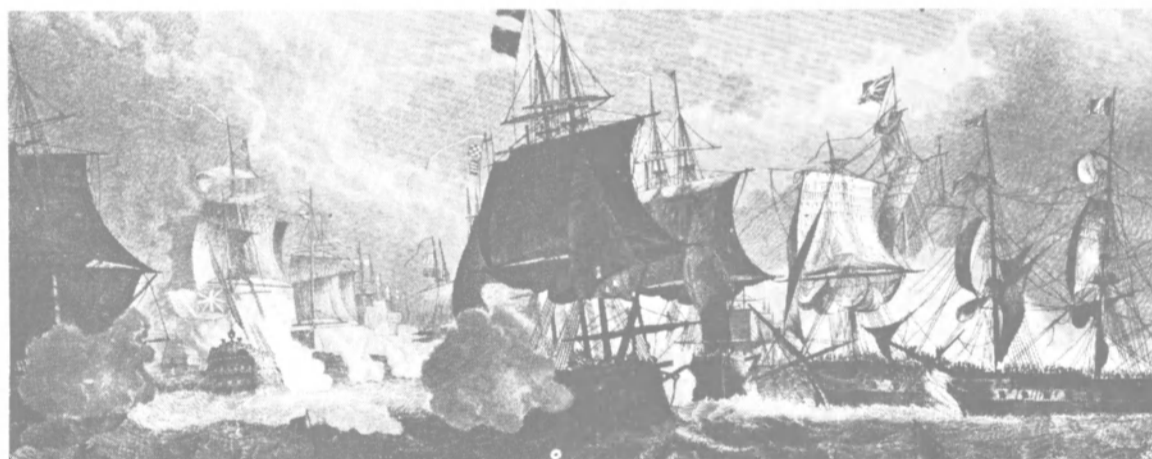
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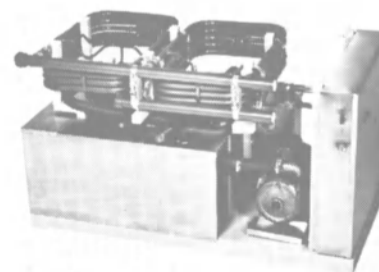
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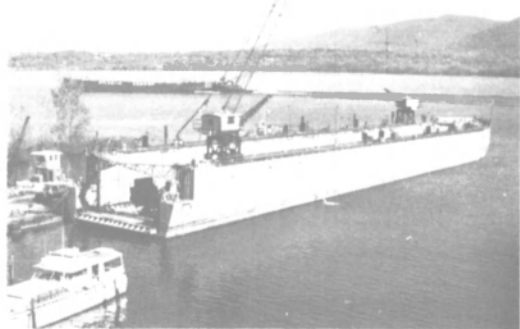
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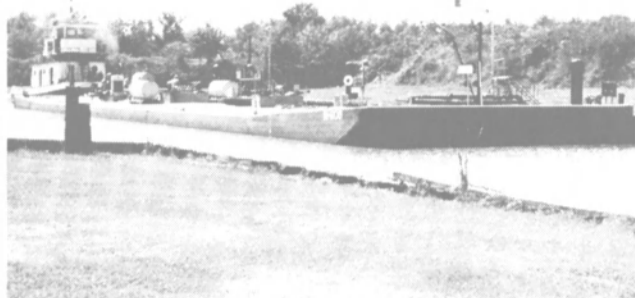
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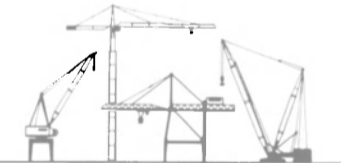
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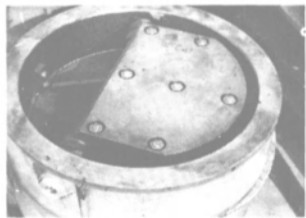
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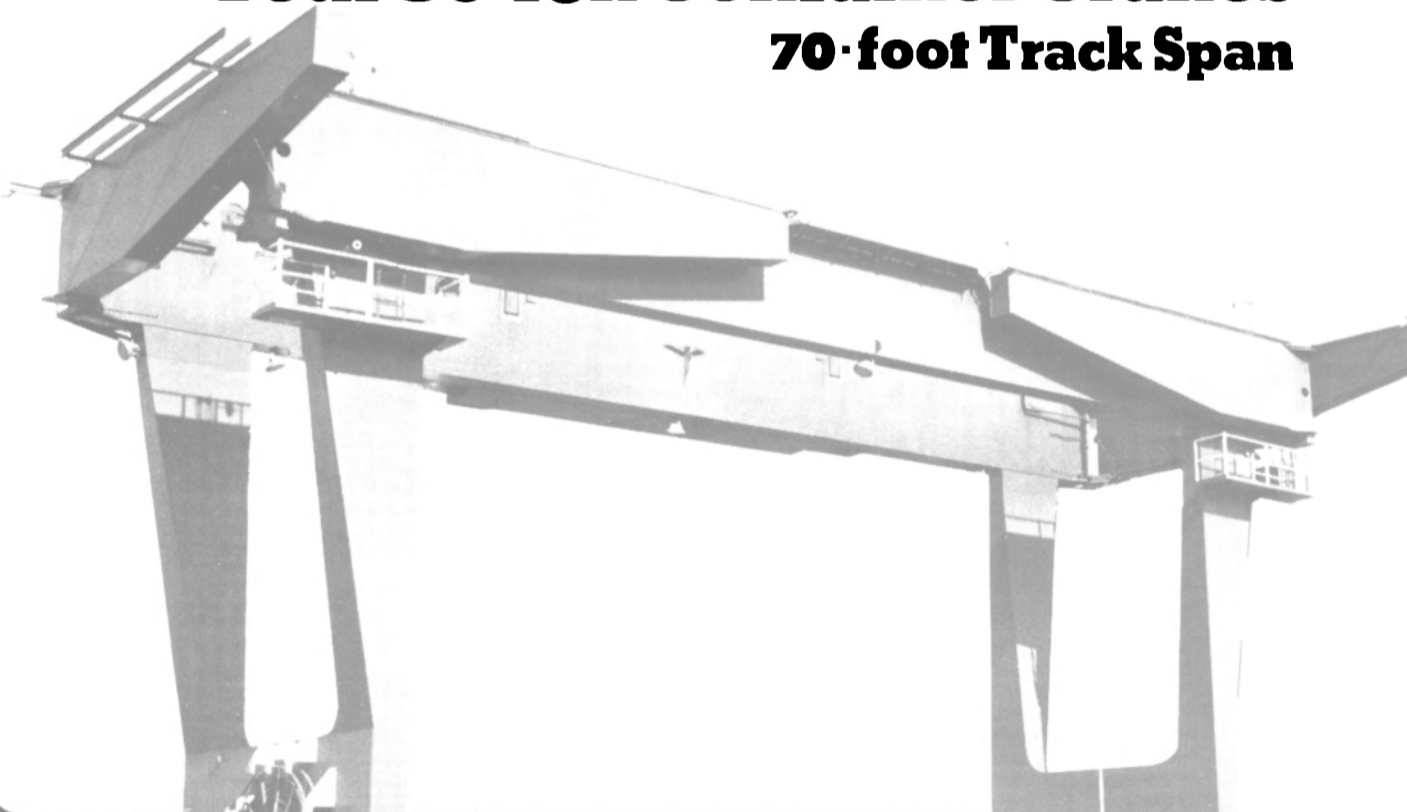
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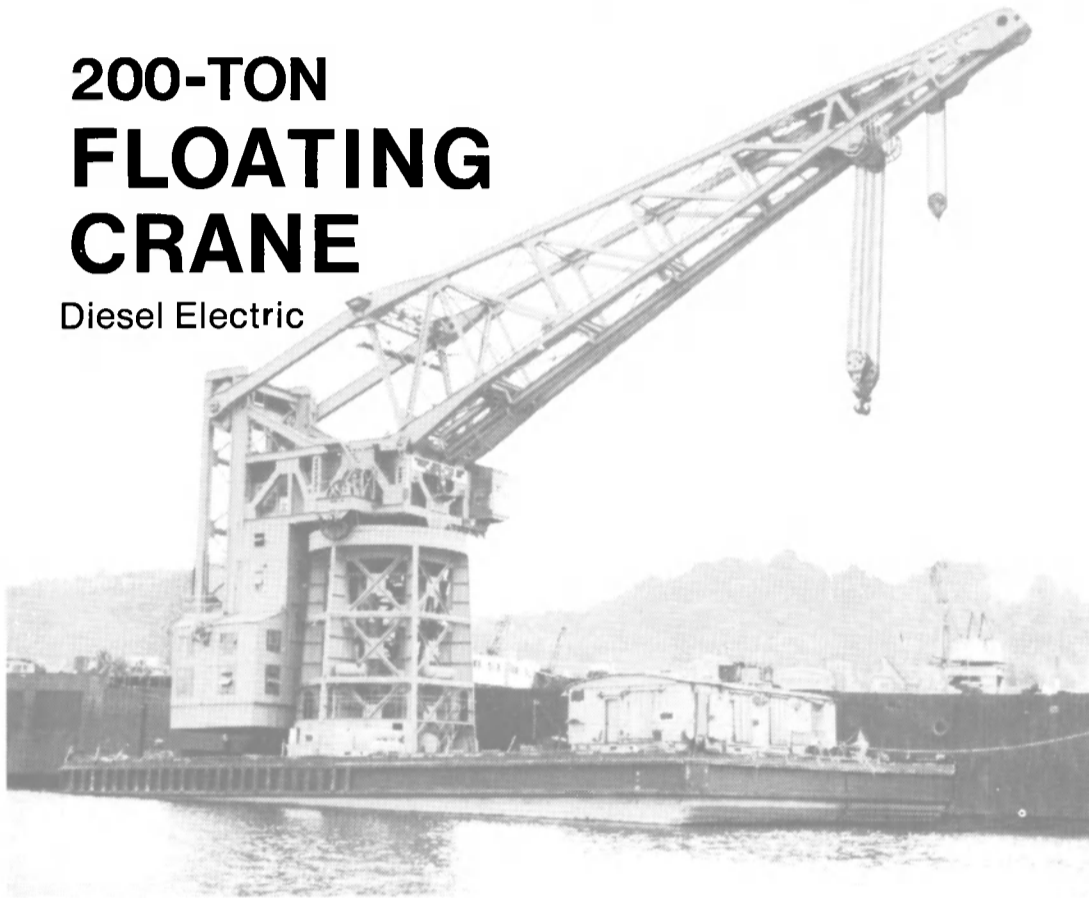
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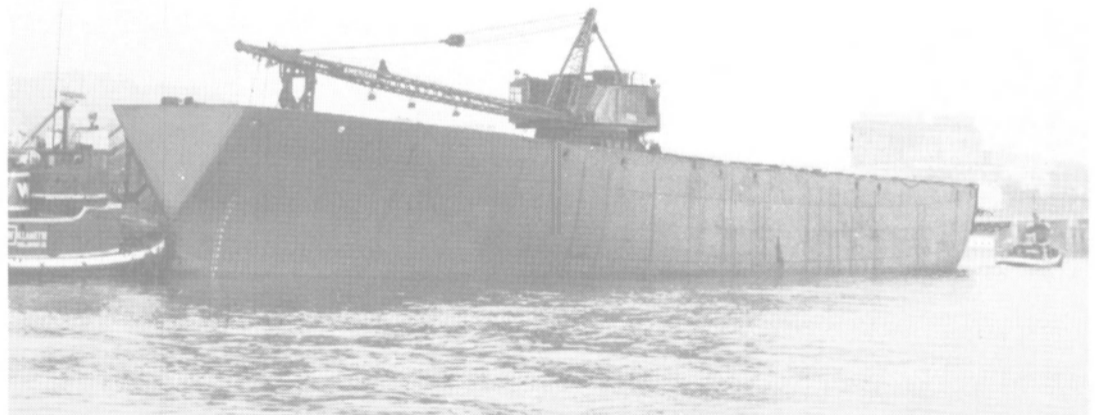
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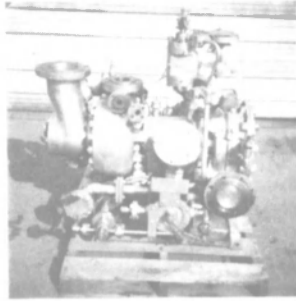
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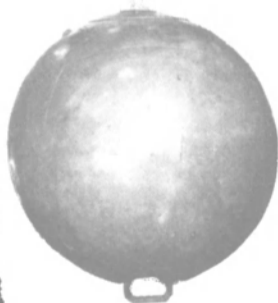


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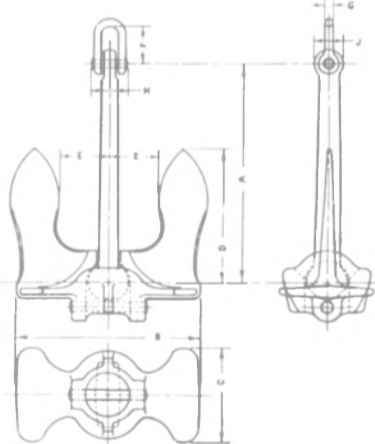
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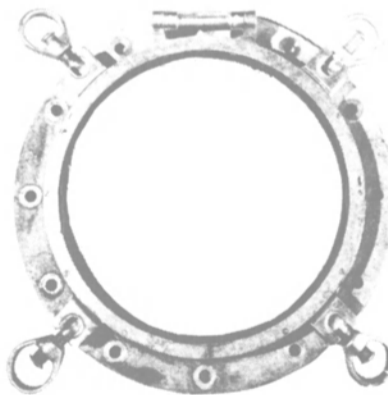
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 Foster Wheeler Boiler Corp., 110 So. Orange Ave., Livingston, N.J. 07039
 Fredrikstad mek. Verksted, N. American Agents, American United Marine Corp., 575 Madison Ave., New York, N.Y. 10022

INFORMATION—Marine

Maritime Data Network, 300 Broad Street, Stamford, CT 06901

INSULATION—Cloth, Fiberglass

Bailey Carpenter & Insulation Co., Inc., 74 Sullivan St., Brooklyn, N.Y. 11231
 Dupont Company, Nemours Bldg.-RM C31H6, Centre Rd. Bldg., Wilmington, DE 19898
 IDT Corp. (Intersystems Design & Technology Corp.), P.O. Box 1590, Summerville, S.C. 29483

INSURANCE

Adams & Porter, 1819 St. James Place, Houston, Texas 77027
 Adams & Porter, 5 World Trade Center, Suite 6433, New York, N.Y. 10048
 Alexander & Alexander, Inc., 1185 Ave. of the Americas, New York, N.Y. 10036
 Midland Insurance Co., 160 Water St., New York, N.Y. 10038
 Whitehall Brokerage, Inc., 17 Battery Place, New York, NY 10004

KEEL COOLERS

Johnson Rubber Co. (Marine Div.), 16025 Johnson St., Middlefield, Ohio 44062

LADDERS

Duo-Safety Ladder Co., 513 West 9th Ave., P.O. Box 497, Oshkosh, Wisc. 54901

LIGHTING EQUIPMENT—Lamps, Fixtures, Searchlights

ACR Electronics, Inc., 10-99 3901 North 29th Avenue, Hollywood, FL 33020
 Oceanic Electrical Mfg. Co., 157 Perry Street, New York, N.Y. 10014
 Oreck Corp., 100 Plantation Rd., New Orleans, LA 70123
 Perko Inc., P.O. Box 6400D, Miami, Florida 33164
 Phoenix Products Company, 4785 North 27th Street, Milwaukee, WI 53209
 Port Electric Supply Corp., 157 Perry Street, New York, N.Y. 10014

LNG CONTAINMENT

McDonnell Douglas Astronautics Co., 5301 Bolsa Ave., Huntington Beach, CA 92647

LUMBER

R.N. Templeman, Inc., 3000 Perdido St., New Orleans, LA 70119

MACHINE TOOLS

Climax Manufacturing Company, P.O. Box 230, Newberg, OR 97132
 Master Machine Tools, Inc., 1300 East Avenue A, Hutchinson, Kansas 67501

MACHINERY MAINTENANCE, REPAIR, OVERHAUL, AND TESTING

A.L. Burbank & Co., Ltd., Marine Thermotest Dept., One World Trade Center, Suite 2811, New York, NY 10048
 General Electric Company—Bldg. 2, Rm 216, Schenectady, N.Y. 12345
 Schnitzer-Levin Marine Co., 445 Littlefield Ave., So. San Francisco, CA 94080

MOORING SYSTEMS

Samson Ocean Systems, Inc., 99 High Street, Boston, Mass. 02110

NAVAL ARCHITECTS, MARINE ENGINEERS, SURVEYORS

Advanced Marine Enterprises, Inc., Suite 500, 2341 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, Va. 22202
 Agemar, Avenida 3E No. 71-51, Edif. Acuario (Planta Baja) Apartado 1465, Maracaibo, Venezuela
 American Standards Testing Bureau, Inc., 40 Water Street, New York, N.Y. 10004
 Amirkian Engineering Co., Chevy Chase Center Bldg., Suite 505, 35 Wisconsin Circle, Chevy Chase, Md. 20015
 J.L. Bludworth, P.O. Box 2441, Corpus Christi, TX 78403
 Del Breit Inc., 326 Picayune Place (Suite 201), New Orleans, LA 70130
 CCS Marine Associates Ltd., 2784 Crescentview Drive, N. Vancouver, B.C. Canada V7R2V1
 C.D.I. Marine Co., Regency East, Suite 222, 9951 Atlantic Blvd., Jacksonville, Florida 32211
 CTS & Associates, 11320 S.W. 108 Court, Miami, Fla. 33176

CADCOM, 107 Ridgely Ave., Annapolis, MD 21401
 Childs Engineering Corp., Box 333, Medfield, Mass. 02052
 John P. Colletti & Associates, P.O. Box 13378, Pittsburgh, PA 15243
 Columbia-Sentinel Engineers Western, Inc., P.O. Box 21542, Seattle, WA 98111

Crandall Dry Dock Engrs., Inc., 21 Pottery Lane, Dedham, Mass. 02026

Crane Consultants Inc., 15301 1st Ave., So. Seattle, Washington 98148

C.R. Cushing & Co., Inc., One World Trade Center, New York, N.Y. 10048

Norman N. DeJong & Associates, Inc., 1734 Emerson St., Jacksonville, Fla. 32207

Design Associates, Inc., 3308 Tulane Ave., New Orleans, La. 70119

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Parker C. Emerson & Associates, 17935 Cardinal Drive, Lake Oswego, Oregon 97034

Christopher J. Foster, Inc., 16 Sintsink Drive East, Port Washington, N.Y. 11050

Friede and Goldman, Ltd., 225 Baronne St., New Orleans, La. 70112

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John W. Gilbert Associates, Inc., 58 Commercial Wharf, Boston, Mass. 02110

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Morris Guralnick Associates, Inc., 620 Folsom Street, Suite 300, San Francisco, CA 94107

Hampton Roads Engineering, Inc., 119 E. Little Creek Rd., Norfolk, VA 23505

J.J. Henry Co., Inc., Two World Trade Center—Suite 9528, New York, N.Y. 10048

Hydraonautics, Incorporated, 7210 Pindell School Road, Howard County, Laurel, Maryland 20810

Jantzen Engineering Co., 6655-H Amberton Drive, Baltimore, Md. 21227

James S. Krogen & Co., Inc., 3333 Rice St., Miami, Fla. 33133

Littleton Research and Engrg. Corp., 95 Russell St., Littleton, Mass. 01460

Lucander Designs, P.O. Box 711, San Perito, TX 78590

Alan C. McClure Associates, Inc., 2600 South Gessner, Houston, TX 77063

John J. McMullen Associates, Inc., 1 World Trade Center, New York, N.Y. 10048

MacLear & Harris, Inc., 28 West 44 Street, New York, N.Y. 10036

Marine Consultants & Designers, Inc., 308 Investment Insurance Bldg., Corner E. 6th St. & Rockwell Ave., Cleveland, Ohio 44114

Marine Design Inc., 401 Broad Hollow Road, Rte. 110, Melville, N.Y. 11746

Marine Technical Associates, Inc., 195 Paterson Avenue, Little Falls, NJ 07424

Maritime Service Company, 1357 Rosecrans St., Suite B, San Diego, CA 92106

Rudolph F. Matzer & Associates, Inc., 13891 Atlantic Blvd., Jacksonville, Fla. 32225

Mechanical Resources Inc., 191 Cambridge Avenue, Jersey City, N.J. 07307

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Ocean-Oil International Engineering Corporation, 3019 Mercedes Blvd., New Orleans, La. 70114

PRC Guralnick, 5252 Balboa Ave., San Diego, CA 92117

Pearlson Engineering Co., Inc., 8970 S.W. 87th Ct., Miami, Florida 33156

S.L. Petchul, Inc., 1380 SW 57th Ave., Fort Lauderdale, Fla. 33317

M. Rosenblatt & Son, Inc., 350 Broadway, New York, N.Y. 10013 and 657 Mission St., San Francisco, Calif.

Sargent & Herkes, Inc., 611 Gravier St., New Orleans, La. 70130

Schmahl and Schmahl, Inc., 1209 S.E. Third Ave., Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33316

Seacor Systems Engineering Associates, Corp., P.O. Box 2030, 19 Cherry Hill Industrial Park, Perina Blvd., Cherry Hill, NJ 08003

Seaworthy Engine Systems, 36 Main Street, Essex, CT 06426

George G. Sharp, Inc., 100 Church St., New York, N.Y. 10007

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R.A. Stearn, Inc., 253 N. 1st Ave., Sturgeon Bay, WI 54235

Richard R. Taubler Inc., 8 Columbia St., Milford, Del. 19963

Thames Engineering Consultants Inc., P.O. Box 589, New London, Ct. 06320

Timco, 622 Azalea Road, Mobile, AL 36609

Corning Townsend III, 18 Church St., Georgetown, CT 06829

Undersea Systems, 112 W. Main St., Bay Shore, N.Y. 11706

Wesley D. Wheeler Associates, Ltd., 104 East 40 St., Suite 207, New York, N.Y. 10016

Thomas B. Wilson, 920 North Avalon Blvd., Wilmington, CA 907

XPLO Corporation, 229 Fifth Street, Gretna, LA 70053

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American Hydromath Co., Buckwheat Bridge Rd., Germantown, N.Y. 12526

Collins Marine Corp., Pier 32, San Francisco, CA 94105

Communication Associates, Inc., 200 McKay Road, Huntington Station, N.Y. 11746

Comsat General Corp., 950 L'Enfant Plaza, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20024

Dantronics Co., P. O. Box 673, Rye, NY 10580

Electro-Nav, Inc., 1201 Corbin St., Elizabeth Marine Terminal, Elizabeth, N.J. 07201

EPSCO, Inc., 411 Providence Highway, Westwood, Mass. 02

Furuno U.S.A., 271 Harbor Way, S. San Francisco, CA 94080

Harris Communications, RF Communications Division, 1680 University Avenue, Rochester, NY 14610

Henschel Corp., 14 Cedar St., Amesbury, Mass. 01913

Hose McCann Telephone Company, Inc., 9 Smith Street, Englewood, NJ 07631

Raytheon Ocean Systems Company, Westminster Park, Risho Avenue, East Providence, RI 02914
Rockwell International, Collins Telecommunications Products Division, Cedar Rapids, IA 52406
Simrad Inc., 1 Labriola Court, Armonk, N.Y. 10504
Sperry Marine Systems Div., Charlottesville, Va. 22901, Division of Sperry Rand Corp.
Texas Instruments Inc., P.O. Box 226080, M/S 3107, Dallas, TX 75265
Tracor, Inc., Industrial Products Div., 6500 Tracor Lane, Austin, Texas 78721

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Ferroous Corporation, P.O. Box 1764, Bellevue, WA 98009
Gulf Oil Company—U.S. (Domestic Oils), 909 Fannin Street, Houston, TX 77001
Gulf Oil Trading Co., 1290 Ave. of Americas, New York, N.Y. 10019
Shell Oil Co., 1 Shell Plaza, Houston, Texas 77002
Mobil Oil Corporation, 150 East 42nd St., New York, N.Y. 10017
Texaco, Inc. (International Marine), 135 East 42nd St., N.Y., N.Y. 10017

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Alfa-Laval, Inc., 2115 Lindwood Avenue, Ft. Lee, NJ 07024
Butterworth Systems Inc., 224 Park Ave., Florham Park, N.J. 07932

PAINTS—COATINGS—CORROSION CONTROL

Belzona Molecular Metalife Inc., 224 7th Street, Garden City, NY 11530
"CONSOL" manufactured by Hanline Bros., Inc., 1400 Warner St., Baltimore, MD 21230
Devoe Marine Coatings Co., P.O. Box 7600 Louisville, KY 40207
Eureka Chemical Company, 234 Lawrence Ave., So. San Francisco, CA 94080
International Paint Co., 17 Battery Place North, Suite 1150, New York, N.Y. 10004
Mobil Chemical Co., Maintenance & Marine Coatings Dept., P.O. Box 250, Edison, N.J. 08817
The Skybryte Co., 3125 Perkins Ave., Cleveland, OH 44114

PETROLEUM SUPPLIES

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

PIPE—HOSE—Cargo Transfer, Clamps, Couplings

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Hydra-Craft, Inc., 4223 Edgeland, Royal Oak, Mich. 48073
Kubota, Ltd., 22, Funada-cho 2-chome, Naniwa-Ku, Osaka, Japan
Penco Division/Hudson Engineering Co., 1114 Clinton St., Hoboken, N.J. 07030

PLASTICS—Marine Applications

Hubeva Marine Plastics, Inc., 390 Hamilton Ave., Bklyn, N.Y. 11231

PROPULSION EQUIPMENT—Bowthrusters, Diesel Engines, Gears, Propellers, Shafts, Turbines

Alco Power Inc., 100 Orchard St., Auburn, N.Y. 13021
Alstom-Atlantique, 2 quai de Seine, 93203 Saint-Denis, France
Arco Steel/Advanced Materials Div., 703 Curtis St., Middletown, OH 45043
Avondale Shipyards, Inc., P.O. Box 52080, New Orleans, La. 70150
Bird Johnson Company, 110 Norfolk St., Walpole, Mass. 02081
Burmeister & Wain, One State Street Plaza, New York, N.Y. 10004
Burmeister & Wain Alpha Diesel AS, DK-1400 Copenhagen K, Denmark
Caterpillar Tractor Company, Engine Division, Peoria, IL 61629
Colt Industries' Fairbanks Morse Engine Division, Beloit, Wisc. 53511
Combustion Engineering, Inc., Windsor, Connecticut 06095
Electro-Motive Division, General Motors Corp., LaGrange, Ill. 60525
Elliott Company, (Div. of Carrier Corp.), Jeanette, PA 15644
General Electric Co., Diesel Power Products, 2901 E. Lake Rd., Erie, PA 16531
MTU of North America, Inc., 10450 Corporate Drive, Sugar Land, TX 77478
Maritime Industries, Ltd., 6307 Laurel St., Burnaby, B.C. Canada V5B 3B3
Michigan Wheel, 1501 Buchanan Ave., S.W., Grand Rapids, MI 49507
Motive Power Corp., P.O. Box 365, Mineola, NY 11501 70124
Omnithruster Inc., 15418 Cornet Ave., Santa Fe Springs, CA 90670
Oosterhuis Industries, P.O. Box 30587, New Orleans, LA 70190
Port Electric Turbine Div., 155-157 Perry St., New York, N.Y. 10014
Propulsion Systems Inc., 21213 76th Ave., So., Kent, WA 98031
Schottel of America, Inc., 8375 N.W. 56 Street, Miami, Fla. 33166
Skinner Engine Company, P.O. Box 1149, Erie, PA 16512
Tacoma Boatbuilding Co./Escher Wyss, 1840 Marine View Dr., Tacoma, WA 98422
Transamerica DeLaval Inc., Engine & Compressor Div., 550 85th Ave., Oakland, CA 94621
Transamerica DeLaval, Inc., Turbine & Compressor Div., P.O. Box 8788, Trenton, N.J. 08650
Turbine Specialties, Inc., P.O. Box 207, West State Street Road, Salina, KS 67401
Voith Schneider of America—U.S. Agent: Eli Sharprut, 347 Evelyn St., Paramis, N.J. 07652

PUMPS—Repairs—Drives

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Transamerica DeLaval, Inc., IMO Pump Div., P.O. Box 321, Trenton, NJ 08602
Warren Pumps, Inc., Bridges Ave., Warren, Mass. 01083

REFRIGERATION—Refrigerant Valves

Bailey Refrigeration Co., Inc., 74 Sullivan St., Brooklyn, N.Y. 11231
Port Refrigeration Div., 157 Perry Street, New York, N.Y. 10014

ROPE—Manila—Nylon—Hawsers—Fibers

American Mfg. Co., Inc., Willow Avenue, Honesdale, Pa. 18431
Samson Ocean Systems, Inc., 99 High Street, Boston, Mass. 02110
Tubbs Cordage Company, Orange, CA 92668

RUDDER ANGLE INDICATORS

Electric Tachometer Corp., 68th & Upland St., Philadelphia, Pa. 19142
Henschel Corp., 14 Cedar St., Amesbury, Mass. 01913
Hose McCann Telephone Co., Inc., 524 W. 23rd St., N.Y. 10011
Sperry Marine Systems Div., Charlottesville, Va. 22901, Division of Sperry Rand Corp.

SANITATION DEVICES—Pollution Control

Argo Marine Pollution Systems Division, 140 Franklin St., New York, N.Y. 10013
Envirovac (Division of Dometic Inc.), 1260 Turret Drive, Rockford, IL 61111
Marine Moisture Control Co., Inc., 449 Sheridan Blvd., Inwood, L.I., N.Y. 11696
Marland Environmental Systems, Inc., N. Main Street, Walworth, WI 53184
Microphor, Inc., P.O. Box 490, Willits, CA 95490
Red Fox Industries, P.O. Drawer 640, New Iberia, LA 70560
Research Products/Blankenship, 2639 Andjion, Dallas, Texas 75220
St. Louis Ship FAST Sewage Systems, 611 East Marceau St., St. Louis, Mo. 63111
Sigma Treatment Systems, 2 Davis Ave., Frazer, PA 19355

SCAFFOLDING EQUIPMENT—Work Platforms

Patent Scaffolding Co., 2125 Center Ave., Fort Lee, N.J. 07024
Spider Staging Sales Co., P.O. Box 182, Renton, Washington 98055
Trus Joist Corp., P.O. Box 60, Boise, Idaho 83707

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Bird-Johnson Co., 100 Norfolk St., Walpole, MA 02081
Electric Tachometer Corp., 68th & Upland St., Philadelphia, Pa. 19142
Henschel Corp., 14 Cedar St., Amesbury, Mass. 01913
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SHIPBREAKING—Salvage

American Ship Dismantlers, Inc., Division of Schnitzer Industries, 3300 N.W. Yeon Avenue, Portland, Ore. 97210
The Boston Metals Co., 313 E. Baltimore St., Baltimore, Md. 21202
Levin Metals Corporation, 1310 Canal Blvd., Richmond, CA 94807
Zidell Explorations, Inc., 3121 S.W. Moody St., Portland, Ore. 97201

SHIPBUILDING STEEL

Armco Steel Corp., 703 Curtis St., Middletown, Ohio 45042
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A.D.M. (Amsterdam Drydock Mfg.), Moatschappij bv, P.O. Box 3006, 1003 AA, Amsterdam, Holland
AMT, Inc., 2400 N.W. 39th Avenue, Miami, FL 33142
Asmar Shipyards Co., Astilleros y Maestranzas de la Armada, Prat 856, Piso 14, Casilla 150-V, Valparaiso, Chile, S.A.
Astilleros Espanoles S.A., 17 Padilla, P.O. Box 815, Madrid, Spain
Astilleros Unidos de Veracruz, S.A., San Juan de Ulua S/N, Apdo. Postal 647, Veracruz, Ver., Mexico
Avondale Shipyards, Inc., P.O. Box 52080, New Orleans, La. 70150
Bergeron Industries Inc., P.O. Box 38, St. Bernard, La. 70085
Bethlehem Steel Corp., One State Street Plaza, N.Y. 10004
Blount Marine Corp., P.O. Box 368, Warren, RI 02885
Boeing Marine Systems, P.O. Box 3707, Mail Stop 14-11, Seattle, WA 98124
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Centromor, One World Trade Center, Suite 3557, New York, N.Y. 10048
China Shipbuilding Corp., c/o Allegro Transportation Supply Co., One Penn Plaza, Room 1606, New York, NY 10001
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Conrad Industries, P.O. Box 790, Morgan City, La. 70380
Curacao Drydock Co., Inc., P.O. Box 153, Willemstad, Curacao, Netherlands Antilles
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Dorbyl Ltd., Military Road, 1 Industrial Sites, West Bank, 5201 East London Republic of South Africa
Dravo Steelship Corp., R.4, Box 167, Pine Bluff, Ark. 71602
Empresa Nacional Bazan, Paseo de la Castellana 65, Madrid 1 Spain
Equitable Shipyards, Inc., P.O. Box 8001, New Orleans, La. 70122
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Galveston Shipbuilding Co., P.O. Drawer 2660, Galveston, TX 77553
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Levingston Shipbuilding, P.O. Box 968, Orange, TX 77630
Lockheed Shipbuilding and Construction Co., 2929 16th Avenue, S.W., Seattle, Wash. 98134
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Newpark Shipbuilding & Repair, P.O. Box 5426, Houston, TX 77012
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Pearlson Engineering Co., P.O. Box 8, Kendall Branch, Miami, Fla. 33156
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Sembawang Shipyard Ltd., Sembawang, P.O. Box 3, Singapore 9175
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Tacoma Boatbuilding Co., Inc., 1840 Marine View Drive, Tacoma, WA 98422
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Gulf Fleet Marine Corporation, Canal Place One, Suite 2400, New Orleans, LA 70130
James Hughes, Inc., 17 Battery Pl., New York, N.Y. 10004
McAllister Bros., Inc., 17 Battery Pl., New York, N.Y. 10004
McDonough Marine Service, P.O. Box 26206, New Orleans, La.
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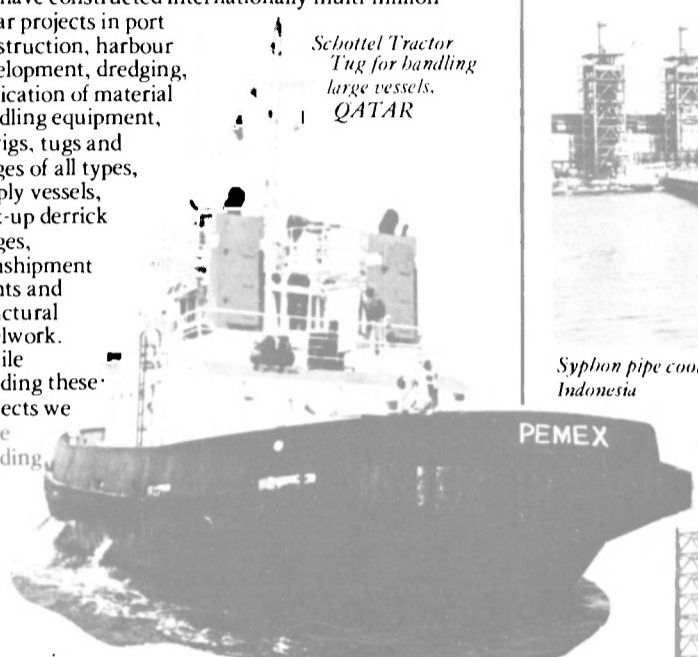
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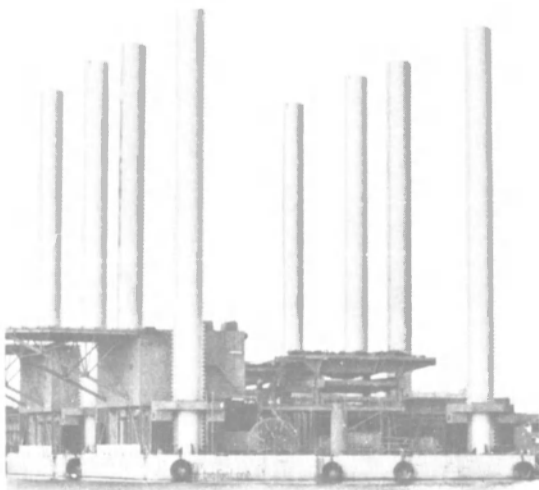


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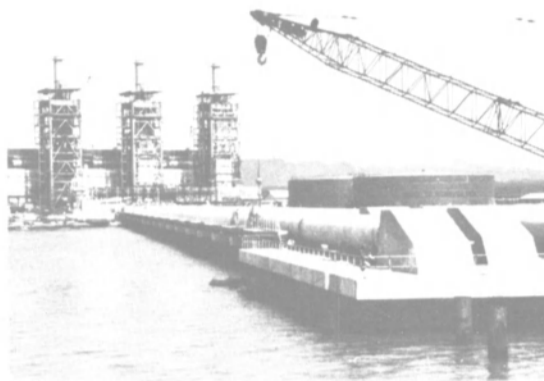
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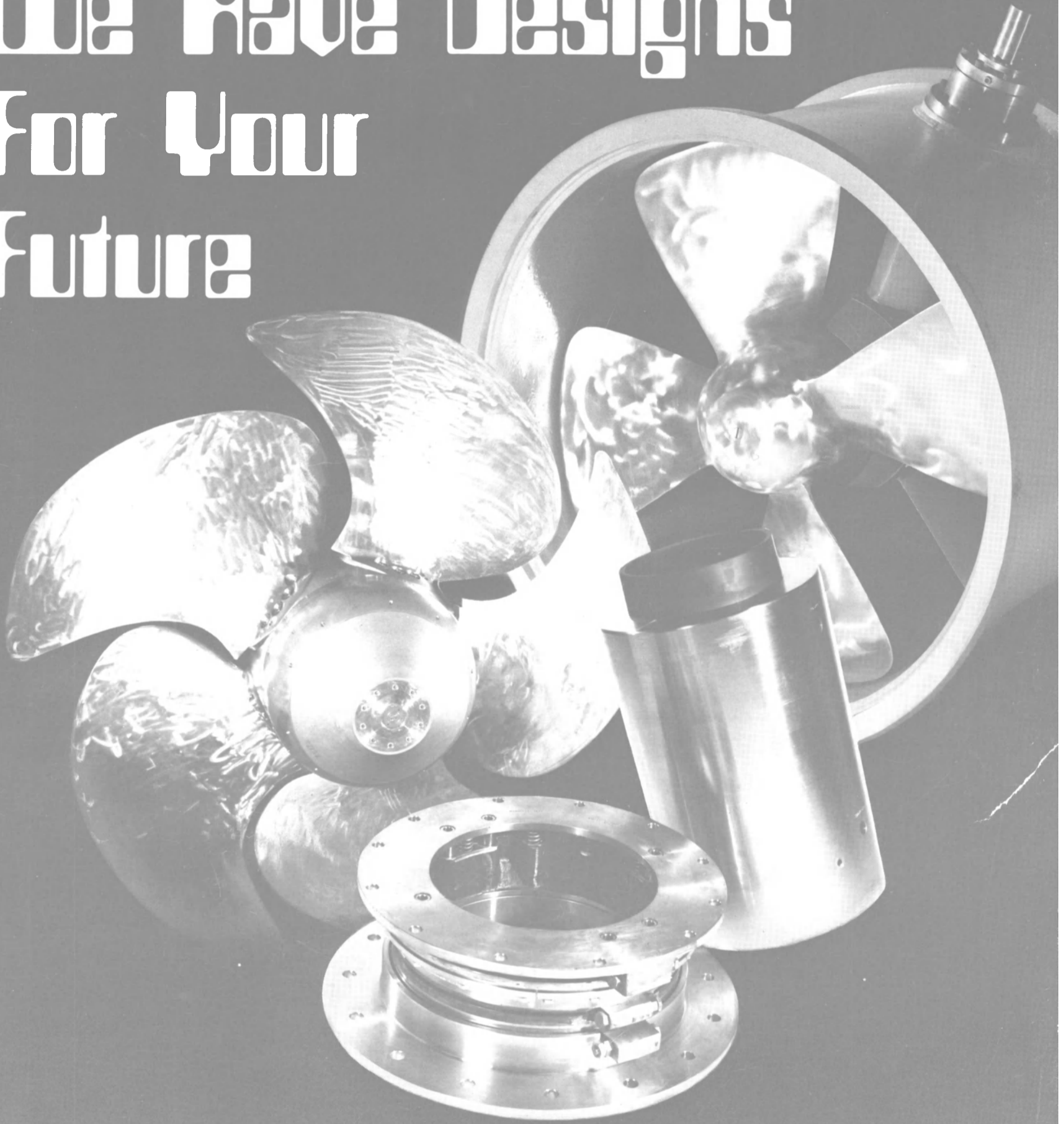
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