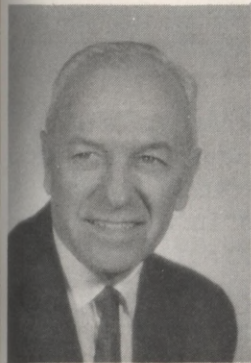
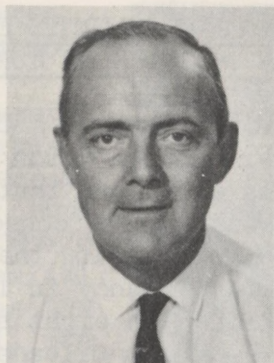


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GROSSHEIM RETIRES AFTER 48 YEARS OF SERVICE: BRYAN SUCCESSOR, FLOYD NAMED SAFETY SUPERVISOR



Grossheim



Bryan

L. J. (Louie) Grossheim, Manager, Safety, has announced plans to retire September 1 after 48 years of service.

R. L. Bryan, Jr., presently Assistant Manager Safety, will replace Grossheim, and J. B. Floyd, presently Senior Safety Inspector, will be appointed to the newly-created position of Safety Supervisor, as announced by L. T. Wilson, Refinery Manager.



Floyd

Louie began working for Shell in February 1921 as an Analyst at the Wood River Refinery. After serving as an Analyst at

NO LONGER CUBAN EXILES, MR. & MRS. DeCARDENAS BECOME UNITED STATES CITIZENS AFTER 9 YEARS



AMERICANIZATION OF EMILIO--Steve Braun, (l), Manager Construction Refinery Equipment, Expansion Construction, gives a new name to Emilio DeCardenas who has just become a U. S. citizen.

"When I first came to the United States 9 years ago, I wasn't planning to become a citizen. I first came to study at the University of Florida in 1956, and then I returned as a Cuban exile in 1960," said new American citizen Emilio DeCardenas.

"Like most Cuban exiles, I wanted to be able to go back to somehow get rid of Castro, but after I started working and everyone was so nice to me, I decided to stay and try to be one of you," he said.

Emilio and his wife recently became citizens. Their four children were all born on

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Wood River and Arkansas City, he became a Chief Inspector in 1926. He moved to Houston in 1938 as a Junior Fire Inspector, and since that time has become an institution at the Houston Refinery and in safety circles. As the years passed, his title changed until he became Supervisor, Fire & Safety Division in 1947 and Manager Fire & Safety in 1949.

Bob joined Shell at the Houston Refinery in June 1952 following his graduation from North Carolina State with a B.S. degree in chemical engineering. After completing a variety of technical assignments in several departments, he transferred to his present position in September 1968.

John, who holds a B. A. degree in business administration from Arlington State College, joined Shell as an operating employee in August 1936. In October 1943, he went on a three-year military leave of absence. Upon his return, he held a variety of assignments before being transferred to the staff payroll in December 1950 as a Cargo Inspector. He assumed his present position of Senior Safety Inspector in April 1959.

# SHELLEGRAPH



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ONE SHELL SQUARE--This 686-foot-high, 50-story building will be Shell's new home in the New Orleans area. The building will be centrally located in relation to the port, the Civic Center and financial centers.

See story on Page 2.

## J. R. JONES SAYS GOODBYE...



SNOOPY AND RED BARON REVISITED--J. R. Jones gets a good razzing at farewell party from W. E. Hale. The attire supposedly befits his car pool habits and the pillow is a souvenir from his grave-yard shift days.

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 Emilio DeCardenas--

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U. S. soil, so they were citizens before their parents.

Born in Havana, Emilio earned an Associate of Arts, Bachelor of Mechanical Arts, and a Master of Metallurgical Engineering from the University of Florida.

He came to work at the Refinery in 1965 as an Engineer and is presently a Senior Engineer in Expansion Construction.

Fellow employees gave him a party after he became a citizen last week. The sign on the blackboard read, "Viva de Cardenas, Welcome Citizen Numero Uno."

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 VACATION TIME SAFETY TIPS: CAMPING

- o Prepare for the place where you vacation.
- o Know the special hazards of your vacation area.
- o Wear the proper clothing.
- o Boil doubtful water...or purify it chemically.
- o Keep fires small and guarded--Be sure fires are permitted.
- o Don't flick away lighted smokes and matches. Put them out.
- o Put campfires out--drench with water--cover with sand or dirt.
- o Carry a compass and first-aid kit at all times.

SHELL CONSOLIDATES E&P OFFICES IN NEW ORLEANS  
IN NEW OFFICE COMPLEX--ONE SHELL SQUARE

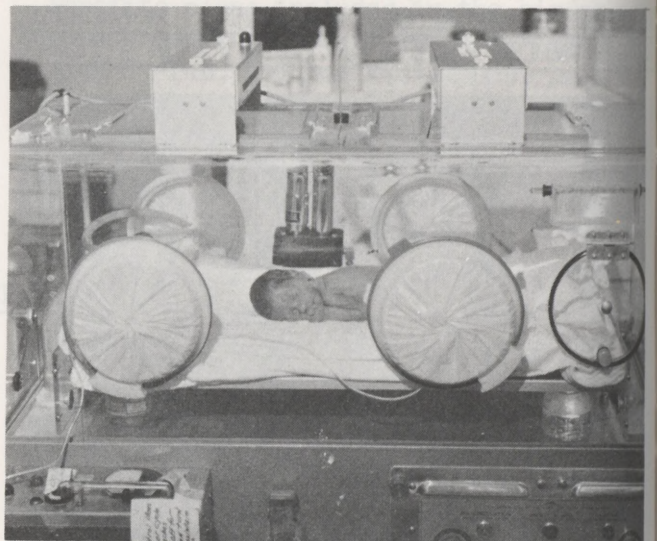
J. F. Bookout, Vice President, Southeastern Exploration and Production Region, has announced that E&P offices in New Orleans will be consolidated in a new office complex bearing the Shell name, to be ready for occupancy in 1972. The Region now has offices in eight separate buildings in the greater New Orleans area.

The complex, One Shell Square, will be developed by Gerald D. Hines interests of Houston. It includes a 50-level office building tower and a 13-level parking facility. The remainder of the square will be finished into a plaza atop business and public areas.

The site for the complex is a block in the central business district of New Orleans, bounded by Poydras, St. Charles, Carondelet, and Perdido Streets.

Shell holds a 20-year lease with options on 415,000 square feet comprising 19 floors, or approximately 40 percent of the net rentable office space in the complex.

The 686-foot tower building will dominate the skyline of New Orleans and present an image comparable to Shell's standing in the city as well as the other southern states in which Shell has operations.



GRANDFATHER'S PRIDE AND JOY--Little Kimberly Sue Hiatt slept in her incubator while her grandfather, Aldon Hiatt, Chemist, Refinery Lab, took this picture. Kimberly weighed 2 pounds when she was born July 29 and has since gained two ounces.

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Deadline for ads--Wednesday noon.

## EMPLOYEES ATTEND SEMINARS TO IMPROVE SAFETY KNOWLEDGE

Back from A&M School--Twenty-Safety men from Anacortes, Martinez, Wilmington, Odessa, Ciniza, Norco, Wood River, Houston Refineries and Head Office New York and Shell Chemical attended the 40th Texas A&M Fire School. The Shell men were hosted by the Houston representatives when they visited the Refinery immediately after the school.



Shell safety people from across the United States attended the recent 40th Texas A&M University Fire School, and 21 employees from the U.S. and Canada participated in the Lateiner Accident Control Seminar in Houston this week.

About 500 industrial employees took part in the A&M school and received intensive training in fire prevention and fire fighting.

The Shell group represented Anacortes Refinery, Martinez, Wilmington, Odessa, Ciniza, Norco, Wood River and Houston Refineries. One employee from Head Office New York and two from Shell Chemical also attended.

L. J. Grossheim, Manager Safety, was one of the four instructors from Shell.

At the Lateiner Seminar, Grossheim, Bob Bryan, of the Safety Department, J. C. Dunbar, Operations Supervisor, and R. R. Crawford, Craft Coordinator, learned principles on safety training.

Eleven different Shell locations including Samia and Oakville, Canada, Refineries were represented at the seminar which was sponsored by Head Office Manufacturing organization.

## VOLUNTEER ORGANIZATION--OPERATION MORALE STAGES FIRST SHOW FOR PUBLIC, AUGUST 28

Operation Morale, a group of talented people, will put on its first show for the public to enlist encouragement and support on Thursday, August 28 at 8 p.m. at the Strawberry Park Pavilion in Pasadena.

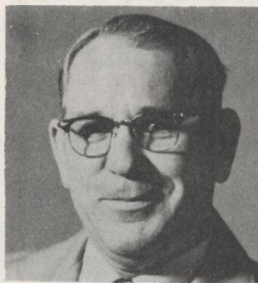
The show, Pavilion Showcase '69 will feature 20 acts and four bands. Admission will be free.

This group was started in the Houston area in February, but the first chapter was organized in 1967 at Apple Valley, California. Their main purpose is to build morale at military installations, and the Houston group will perform at the Veteran's Administration Hospital on September 9.

Recently, the talent show helped raise \$800 for the Brazoria County Children's Hospital.

Age is no object for the group, the youngest member is 8 years old, and many adults are active in the organization.

## LEO J. FULLERTON, PENSIONER, DIED JULY 31 C. B. LOCKE, RETIRED FOREMAN, DIED AUGUST 8



Fullerton



Locke

Leo J. Fullerton, Pensioner, died July 31. Leo had retired in 1963 after 32 years of service as a Pipefitter #1. He started working for Shell in 1930 in the Cracking Clean-out section.

Curtis B. Locke, who retired in 1961, died August 8. His funeral was held at Cold Springs Methodist Church in Alto, Texas.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Edna Earl Locke, Route 2, Alto, Texas.

Locke began working for Shell in 1930. He worked in Dispatching and Lube Oils and was named Shift Foreman, Section B in 1950. He retired in that job.

## PROVIDENT FUND NEWS

Here are the latest Provident Fund valuations:

Equities Fund:  
July 5, 1969--\$2.177  
July 20, 1969--\$2.084  
Shell Stock Fund:  
\$60.872

## SHELL CHEMICAL COMPANY PURCHASES 800 ACRES OF LAND IN NORTHEAST SECTION OF HARRIS COUNTY

Shell Chemical Company has purchased approximately 800 acres of land in Northeast Harris County as a potential site for future manufacturing activities.

The property is located along the west bank of the San Jacinto River, south of U. S. Highway 90, near Sheldon. The site is about 10 miles from the Shell Chemical Plant at Deer Park.

There are no plans for the immediate development of this property.



**SETTING THE PACE**--United Fund Committee Co-Chairmen John Moyers and Billy Farmer make ready to put the United Fund message before employees. This year's goal for the Refinery is \$40,000, and the campaign will be September 8-10.



**RELEASING FRUSTRATIONS ON COMPUTER**--Houston Process Control Group and Computer Control Applications Department members posed for a gag picture which they gave to Bob Hovorka upon his transfer to Wood River. L-r, are K. C. Young, Adam Chou, Brian Horn, John Woodward, Wally Lawhon, Bill Hill, Dave Joy, Brian Ramaker, Ginton Shelef and Ray Schlunk.

#### WANTED

Car pool from Park Place--Reveille & Hereford area. 8-4:30 shift.  
649-4729

#### TO GIVE AWAY

7-week-old puppies--half poodle, half fence climbing Romeo.  
487-3211

#### 26 EMPLOYEES HONORED FOR LONG SERVICE AT SEMI-ANNUAL 30 PLUS PARTY LAST WEEK



**TALKING ABOUT OLD TIMES**--At 30 Plus Party L. E. Vaughn, Jimmy Collins, Maldon Wallace, Dewey Galloway, and Darby Darby reminisce.

#### CLASSIFIEDS

##### FOR SALE

Bees and hive, all accessories, \$35.  
GR 2-5988

Aqua colored vinyl covered lounge chair with matching ottoman, excellent condition, \$15.  
946-0729

'69 Ford Ranger pickup. 650 miles.  
MI 5-1155

Bundy Cornet, excellent condition.  
471-1444.

Used manual typewriter (Royal), \$15.  
WA 6-9801

'58 Chevrolet, 3 door, 6 cylinder, stick shift, radio, heater, good shape mechanically, body rough, \$75.  
GR 2-2831

Two portable typewriters--brand new Wizard \$30, Remington, \$30.  
GR 2-5184

1962 Chrysler Newport, 4 door with power and air, \$325.  
MI 5-5062, after 5 p.m.

Shiplap, \$85 per thousand board feet.  
GR 2-8445

1953 Chevrolet 1/2 ton pickup. Good motor, tires, body a little rough, \$150.  
649-9958

1969 Mustang Mach I, still in warranty, fully equipped, 7,000 miles, \$3095  
643-6158, after 6 p.m.

Camper trailer, priced to sell, \$195. Steel frame, tent top, new tires, folds out to sleep 4 adults. Also used RCA black & white TV, \$20.  
GR 9-1491

Garden tiller, reverse gear, brand new.  
489-8588

15' 9" MFG boat, 35 HP Evinrude, big wheel heavy duty tilt trailer, \$425.  
GR 9-1800



**AT HEAD TABLE**--Libby Cassner was surrounded by 40-year men and L. T. Wilson. The honorees are, l-r, C. E. (Red) Walker, Doc Tilton, Libby Cassner, L. T. Wilson, C. J. (Jack) Taylor and A. J. (Jack) Englishby.