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## HOUSTON REFINERY

"It Strikes Us This Way"

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TO ALL STAFF EMPLOYEES

### Negotiations

#### MEETINGS CONTINUE TODAY

With a three-man panel of the Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service in attendance, Companies and Union representatives met yesterday afternoon in Houston. The Union stated they wished to discuss four issues, and the contents of that discussion are included in a letter to all supervisors - being circulated today. Meetings which resumed this morning, at which according to the Conciliation Service the Union was expected to present some form of counter-proposal, are continuing this afternoon.

### Operations

#### C&R DEBUTANIZER STARTED UP

Lookin' 'em over the last couple of days, it went something like this:

In the Gas Department, the C&R debutanizer started up.....and the alky depropanizer came down to repair a leak in an overhead condenser. Over in Thermal Cracking, a retubing job on one of the residue-to-crude heat exchangers at Dubbs 9 distilling is going on. And in Utilities, work on boiler No. 21 continues.

(EDITOR' NOTE: Keep tuned to your favorite TV station and watch your local newspaper for the latest in today's demonstration.)

### UF Award

#### BOB EVELD RECEIVES PLAQUE FOR '63 UF DRIVE

"Achievement Award From The Board of Trustees, United Fund of Houston and Harris County." That's what the plaque says that Bob Eveld recently received. The citation goes on "County Division Section Attaining Highest Percent of Quota....1963 Section A - Robert G. Eveld, Chairman". Bob headed up a section that included much of southeast Harris County, and when the results of the '63 campaign were added up, his section had recorded 130% of quota - and as the plaque reads, it was "tops". The plaque will occupy a place of prominence in the north entrance to the Main Office Building, so drop by and see it.

### NSA News

#### CHANNEL CHAPTER GETS AWARD...AND CASH

Hilda Chevalier, President of the Channel Chapter of the National Secretaries Association, attended a conference of the Association's Texas-Louisiana Division last weekend, and brought back a certificate proclaiming her chapter as having the greatest percentage increase in membership of any of the 44 chapters represented. And to top it off, her group received a cash award of \$25 for the accomplishment. Hilda says the chapter is still on the look for new members and she'll be happy to talk to anyone interested in joining. She can be reached at Ext. 680. The group meets monthly at the Pasadena Club in Pasadena. "Deac" Lucas is scheduled to be their principal speaker at the next meeting, June 4.

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New Director

HOUSTONIAN ELECTED TO SHELL OIL COMPANY BOARD OF DIRECTORS

S. M. McAshan, Jr., president of Anderson, Clayton & Company, Houston, Texas, was elected a Director of Shell Oil Company today at the regular monthly meeting of the Board of Directors. Mr. McAshan, a graduate of Lawrenceville School and Princeton University, joined Anderson, Clayton & Company in 1927 and has been president since 1959. During World War II, he was in charge of the United States Purchasing Commission in Brazil. He has been president of the Texas Cotton Association, the Houston Cotton Exchange and the American Cotton Shipping Association.

Rushin' Roulette

Nearly nine out of every 10 casualties on the nation's highways in 1962 were caused by human error and lack of judgment. And the speedster still ranks as the Number One Killer on the road.

Of the 40,500 persons who lost their lives in traffic accidents last year, 32,300 died in accidents caused by driver error and traffic law violations. Moreover, according to the report, nearly 3,000,000 persons were injured in auto mishaps blamed on drivers' mistakes.

The fast driver continued to be the greatest menace on the highways. Nearly 13,000 deaths and more than 1,145,000 injuries were directly attributable to excessive speeding.

ODDS & ENDS

DAMAGED AUTO: Charlie Smith's 1956 Buick Roadmaster (white two door) was damaged in the East parking lot on Monday, May 20. The car was parked in the lane nearest the road during the day shift. Damage was to the right rear fender and bumper. Charlie may be reached at telephone Ext. 513. (Home phone GR 2-3318).

BIRTHDAY BELLES & BEAUS -

May 23 -- Elizabeth Allen, Marshall Andre, Virgil Gibson

May 24 - Ollie Gindratt, Bert Starker, T. J. Villars

SERVICE SYMBOLS -

15 years - Don Jennings (May 24)

MISSIN' BILLFOLD - Adrian Stockton reports a missin' billfold....belonging to his daughter, Ann. It's black, patent leather, and the last time Adrian saw it, the billfold was in the front seat of his '55 blue Olds, parked yesterday morning behind the Hash House. Since the billfold contained identification cards, pictures, and her driver's license, Miss Stockton is particularly interested in getting the billfold back. If found, please call Adrian at Ext. 444.

PILL BOX PALAVER - Distilling Department's Johnny Mustin is in John Sealy Hospital in Galveston for skin grafts to his leg. He'll be in there for about six weeks and would like to see all his friends.

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