

CARPOOL CONTEST WINNERS CONGRATULATED



The winning carpool for the largest number of participants lines up in front of the van that brings them to and from work everyday. One member A. Pustejowsky was ill but the other eight members are: l-r, T. D. Bennett, W. H. Baker, J. E. Laird, T. C. Huffman, Byrd Baggett, Yancy Putman, G. W. Gates and H. M. LaRue.

The March 9 carpool contest entry deadline has come and gone. Out of 40 entries, averaging 3.97 members per carpool, the winners are:

1) Longest existing carpool (since February 1948) - Chester Bailey, Milo Muscarello, Obie Johnson, Jerry Tupa, Raymond L. Evans and Ivo Junek.

2) Most miles traveled (52 miles one way) - Roy Christmann, Tildon Hebert, Nick Ianelli, Tom Kroeger and Harold Young.

3) Most carpool members (nine) - H. M. LaRue, Byrd Baggett, T. D. Bennett, Yancy M. Putman, G. W. Gates, J. E. Laird, T. C. Huffman, W. H. Baker and A. Pustejowsky.

4) Least miles traveled (1.6 miles one way) - R. C. Whitley and C. M. Wolters, and they've been doing it for 25 years.

Now for all of you who could have topped these but neglected to enter your carpool, here's another chance to win one of the prizes listed below.

Simply fill out the carpool drawing form on page 4 and return it to the *Shellegram* by Wednesday, March 30.

This drawing and the two subsequent ones are open to *all* carpools, regardless of distance traveled, length in existence, number of members or whether you were a previous winner. One entry per carpool per draw-

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Carpooling for 29 years paid off for Obie Johnson, Raymond Evans (doing the driving), Ivo Junek, Chester Bailey and Jerry Tupa. Missing member is Milo Muscarello.

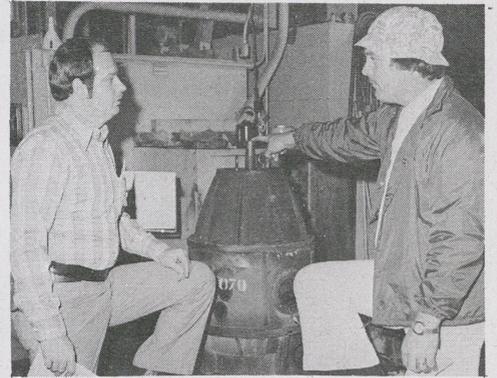
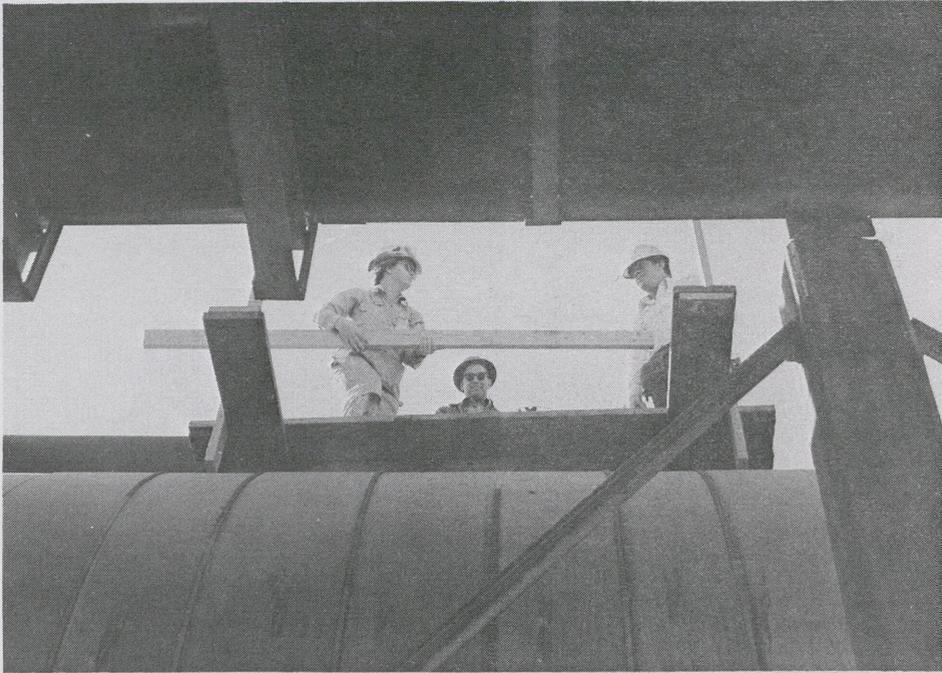


Harold Young, Roy Christmann, Tom Kroeger, Nick Ianelli and Tildon Hebert seemed pleased with their record of driving the farthest (52 miles one way) to work.

Carpooling the least miles (1.6) were R. C. Whitley and C. M. Wolters.



ELECTRICIAN plus CARPENTER equals CRAFTSCOUPLE



Bob and electrician B trainee Cecil Risinger discuss repairs for a vertical motor.

Evelyn and C. E. Dunn (far right) line up a 2"x8" for a scaffold at DHT, while D. D. Evans looks on.

They met three years ago at Shell; now they're married and still working in Engineering Field as craftsmen.

Bob Russ is an electrician No. 1, and Evelyn Russ is a carpenter B trainee.

"When I came to Shell, I was divorced with two kids; and I had to find a job where I could support myself," says Evelyn, who formerly worked

as a receptionist, but whose salary simply wouldn't cover the rent, babysitting and food expenses. Then a neighbor told her Shell was hiring. She thought, "Why not!"

Shell interviewed her, tested her and hired her. Then she met Bob who likes mechanically inclined women.

Now they carpool together, work in the same department (though in different crafts), attend Union meetings together, share the household

chores as well as the yard-work. That's a lot of togetherness, but both are quick in saying that they enjoy doing things with each other. In their free time they enjoy camping with Evelyn's two boys, ages seven and eleven. Mostly they camp at Lake Livingston, but last year they went to Canyon Lake near New Braunfels.

"That's beautiful country," says Evelyn, and Bob agrees completely. Both are looking
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MORE FOR SALE CLASSIFIEDS....

1972 Olds 98 luxury sedan, loaded, new steel belted tires, very clean. 473-1274

1976 Cutlass supreme tudor, 13,000 miles, vinyl top, tilt wheel, air, Rally sport wheels, AM-FM stereo tape, many extras. \$5,095. 455-7393

60'x120' wooded lot, Wildwood Resort City near Kcurtze, Texas. \$3,200. 479-1135

One acre lots in 53-acre subdivision, heavily wooded, water, electric, paved roads, Barber's Hill school district. \$7,950 per acre. 452-0025

Super-Pro detector with fine tuning, earphones. \$250. 473-7961 after 5:30 pm

1976 Dodge Tradesman, partially customized, 11,000 miles, all power. Take over payments. 645-9975 or 473-7888

INSPECTION, MECHANICAL EQUIPMENT AND PRESSURE EQUIPMENT CELEBRATE SAFE YEAR



Inspection, Mechanical Equipment and Pressure Equipment departments held a joint safety party. Guests included, l-r, Carol Ann and Tommy Sewell, John Houghton, Gerry and Delores Mills, Bob and Dora Lopez, and Horace Butler.



Shirley and Gene Savell.

Jean Stewart, Charlie and Linda Toune, and Dick Stewart. Jane and Gary Dickerson.

Electrician plus carpenter equals crafts couple....

forward to another camping trip at Canyon Lake.

What does being a carpenter B trainee mean? Well, Evelyn describes her job as building scaffolds, scaffolds and more scaffolds. At least she finds it to be 90 percent of her job. "We do things like

hanging doors and making forms for concrete, but I really think that most of it is building scaffolds."

As an electrician No. 1, Bob works on everything electrical - motors, motor valves, substations, etc.

Both Bob and Evelyn left

desk jobs to become craftsmen at Shell. Neither regret the change from an inside job to an outside one.

Both agree that they have to help each other. "There isn't any clear line of division in jobs at home," says Bob. "We have to help each other."

"When we first got married," says Evelyn, "I worked shift work; that's when we had problems." Then she continued by saying, "There's no way I could do this without his help."

After thinking a lot about their both working in the crafts, Evelyn can't think of a single disadvantage. "Our jobs cause us to have a lot in common; when we talk about someone or some place at work, we both know what the other one is talking about."

To Evelyn one of the biggest contributors in making Shell such a good place to work is that everyone is so friendly and helpful. "Oh, I get teased about women's lib, but I guess that's to be expected. Still," she continues with a smile, "I'm working here for the very same reasons they are."

"GRADUATES' ISSUE" COMING IN JULY

Although the *Graduates' Issue* doesn't come out until early July, inquiries about it have been received. So, here's your first official notice.

Don't do like a father did last year and unknowingly take home the *Graduates' Issue* when you have three children graduating and you didn't submit any information on them, because there won't be a follow-up issue for late submissions.

Start preparing now by locating a clear print (preferably a black and white glossy) of *your graduating son or daughter* (no spouses, parents or other relatives, please).

Accumulate a list of their honors, awards and other note worthy accomplishments and when the form appears in the April 21 *Shellgram*, fill it out and return by the June 1 deadline as late submissions can not be accepted.

Carpool contest winners....

ing please.

The prizes each member of the winning carpool may choose from are:

- a) Fillup (up to 20 gallons of gas), carwash, lube job, oil change and filter.
- b) Engine tune-up.
- c) Gift certificate to Foley's.
- d) Dinner for two at either The Foundry, Looks "Sir Loin" House or the Gallery Steak House.

The deadline for the first drawing is March 30.

TOMBSTONE MOVED FROM REFINERY TO NEW PARK

On March 8 the tombstone located at the base of a refinery tank (top view) was moved to Dow Park (bottom view), a 40-acre site located in Deer Park, where it will rest near a botanical garden.

The tombstone was discovered in 1929 by Shell engineers going over land scheduled for clearing.

According to a 1929 news clipping, the tombstone was found "in the lower corner of the pasture of the cattle ranch of the late E. R. "Farmer" Brown. The land is being cleared for a huge oil refinery to be built by the Shell interests."

The tombstone, according to that same article, was found under a moss-hung tree. The inscription on the stone reads: "To the memory of Mary W. Jackson, died July 24, 1834, 33 years, William Wilson, died October 7, 1834, 25 years both of Boston."



CLASSIFIEDS

FOR SALE

A.B. Dick 326 offset printing press, versatile, relatively new. \$1,250
524-0521 or 641-4374 after 6

IBM selectric typewriter, excellent condition. \$175.
641-4374

1975 3/4-ton Chevy 4 W/D, 4-speed. \$3,600
479-6972

3-2-2 house in Deer Park, deluxe kitchen, formal areas.
479-0793

3-2-2 brick veneer on 80'x135' lot, all electric, Highlands.
426-2960

Black leather recliner. \$80.
471-3603 after 5 pm

1974 Plymouth, good condition, gold metallic, 73,000 miles. \$1,795.
472-4270 or 721-2365

1966 Mustang Shelby replica, white with blue stripe, excellent condition.
487-1562

1976 Jet boat, California Wreidt 18' custom metal flake, custom jet trail trailer with chrome wheels, immaculate. \$6,000.
479-4979

Farmall model "A" 1-row tractor, electric start, vacuum lift, wheel weights, breaking plow, bedder, planter, cultivator, new paint, runs great. \$1,695.
649-7647

18'x24' ruff cedar cabin, all electric, furnished, on 2 lots near Trinity, both 50'x227'. \$4,700.
479-4979

1970 Ford country sedan stationwagon, full power, air, rack, original owner. \$1,150.
479-1357

1976 Monte Carlo, 12,000 miles, power, air, AM-FM Pioneer stereo (good condition), V.W.C. \$4,200.
649-4018

8' fluorescent lamp fixtures. \$10 each.
941-3704

1966 Chevy pickup 283, 4-speed. \$600.
789-0889 or 334-2009 after 6

Complete darkroom, enlarger w/two neg. carriers, 2 Nikor lenses, 8x10 and 11x14 drums for daylight processing, 2 timers, set up for Cibachrome and Besler, 2 paper safes, containers, etc. \$425.
485-5250

55-gallon aquarium w/stand, light, glass top, Aqua King filter system, heavy duty air pump, diatom, complete rocks, gravel, fish, plants. Delivered and set up. \$200; You pick up \$175.
485-5250

Pentax KZ auto w/55 1.8 normal lense, 135mm tele F2.5, 34mm wide angle F2.0, filters, lense shades, case, excellent condition, under warranty. \$575.
485-5250

3.0x6.8 mahogany door with frame. \$25.
944-2623

1974 Gremlin, 6 cyl, X package, auto, bucket seats, console, air, P/S, tint glass, wide oval tires, excellent condition. \$2,395.
497-6934

1976 Kenmore self-cleaning electric stove. \$300 cash or will trade for car or motorcycle.
471-0581

FOR LEASE

College Park, 4-2-2, central heat, air with all built-ins, carpet, drapes, fences, refrigerator and lawnmower stay, 4 miles from plant.
479-7015

WANTED

Canoe.
358-2515

TRADE

1973 Chrysler New Yorker, excellent condition for like new 16' or larger late model travel trailer.
489-7160

FOUND

Keys on ring with leather circle. Leather cigarette holder. Claim in *Shellegram* office.

PERSONALS

It's great to have as many wonderful friends as I have at Shell. It was a pleasure working with every one of you all of these years. I want to thank all of you for the nice retirement gifts. I love and miss you all.

- Paul Bagwell

My sincere appreciation for the beautiful retirement party and the gifts. Also a special thanks to those who contributed money and the gift to the "Chef." A sincere thank you to Shell Oil Company. I shall always cherish the years that I was employed by you. As I said at my party, you helped provide a college education for our two sons and also to our retirement home here in the beautiful hill country. Sincerely,

- J. F. "Red" and Betty Sitta

I would like to take this time to thank each one of my friends for the gifts and memories I have of Shell. I am thoroughly enjoying my retirement. Country living is fine. Sincerely,
- "Woody" Woodland

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