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ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION ORGANIZATION ESTABLISHED AT COMPLEX

Environmental protection, which is second only to safety in the operational priorities of the Deer Park Manufacturing Complex, has been re-enforced here with a new Environmental Conservation organization.

The new organization will conduct complete around-the-clock environmental surveillance and control of the Complex. It will ensure that adequate action is taken to avoid and eliminate environmental problems and will respond to all environmental complaints.

The Environmental Conservation organization will also operate the effluent treatment facilities at both the refinery and chemical plant, as well as provide the environmental engineering design and technical support for the Complex.

It will also apply for any permits required and maintain liaison with the various regulatory agencies, assisting their efforts to formulate regulations and gather information. The group will also assess the environmental impact of expansions to the Complex.

Bob Mattern is the Environmental Conservation Superintendent; and he has two staff engineers, Chuck Rivers and Gordon Reno, assisting him. Chuck heads the group responsible for the contacts with the environmental agencies and Gordon is responsible for the expansion environmental coordination. Mike Grasley is the manager of the Environmental Engineering Department responsible for design and technical support.

Dick Frutiger is the manager of the newly formed Environmental Operations Department which operates the effluent treatment facilities and monitors the Complex.

A new position of environmental supervisor has been

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The environmental supervisors of Shell's Deer Park Manufacturing Complex look over the gas chromatograph analysis sheet of a sample from the Complex's waste water treatment facility. From l-r are C. M. Thorpe, D. L. "Dixie" Perry, R. H. "Scotty" Schultz, John Woods and Billy Roper.

Trade Fair to be held January 31 and February 1 COMPLEX ACTIVELY SUPPORTS JUNIOR ACHIEVEMENT

Complex employees actively support Junior Achievement in its efforts to train and develop the potential of local high school students.

Two J. A. Companies sponsored by the Complex are Creative Enterprises and The Carpenters.

Bill Barry, E&S; Roger Burwell, Maintenance; Kevin Crase, Environmental Engineering; and Dean Prochaska, Treasury, represent the Chemical Plant's sponsors for Creative Enterprises.

The Carpenters are sponsored by the Refinery and MTM Research. Bernie Caracena, Accounting, is joined by MTM Research employees: Charlie Bednar, Don Mattern, Bob Montgomery, Greg Langnau and Thor Hanson.

The Complex coordinator for these activities is Kent McCarger, Accounting supervisor.

Creative Enterprises and The Carpenters are among 190 miniature J.A. Companies active in Southwest Texas who will hold trade fairs to feature their products. This year's trade fair will be held at the Sharpstown Mall tomorrow, January 31, from 4 pm to 9 pm and on Saturday, February 1, from 10 am to 6 pm.

Creative Enterprises, located at Booth 66, will feature glassed shadow boxes and plaques of the State of Texas - both decorated with shells and flowers.

The Carpenters, in Booth G, will feature wooden recipe holders and button necklaces.

ART OF PAINTING PORCELAIN IS REDISCOVERED



With a feeling of complete satisfaction, Dorothy Clary and Betty Dunagan display their favorite piece of porcelain, which they had on display at the Pasadena Library. The items displayed ranged from a decorated egg to lamps.

Wives of two Shell employees were recently featured in a china painting display at the Pasadena Library (across from Foley's). The ladies involved were Dorothy Clary, wife of Joe W., painter No. 1, Engineering Field, and Betty Dunagan, wife of Thomas C., supervisor engineering.

Both ladies are students in the art of china decorating under Ester Hoffpauir in Baytown and belong to the Porcelain Guild of Baytown. The guild was organized in December 1968 and is one of several to be found in Texas.

Betty studied for a year in Kansas before moving to La Porte. Both Betty and Dorothy have been taking lessons from Mrs. Hoffpauir for the past eight months.

According to Dorothy, most of the better porcelain pieces they use in their decorating classes are made in Japan.

They attend a weekly private lesson on Tuesdays and a regular monthly meeting to compare notes and their individual progress with other members of the guild.

Demonstrations are given on how to apply the paint and how to execute the various patterns - mostly of roses. Then they are on their own to try their hand at painting the patterns on plates, bowls, pitchers and lamps - the kind that have two globes with flowers painted on them. Note the variety of items in the picture.

They use an oil base paint in powder form. After painting on the pattern, the items are fired and then more painted details can be added and the porcelain refired or a protective finish can be applied. The pieces are then ready to use or display.

The art of painting porcelain is a pleasurable way of spending one's time, and the sense of accomplishment is great. If you're the practical type, you can do dishes to use; but if you're the decorative type, you can paint items for displaying in your home. Then, again, an entrepreneur would be thinking of the ways and means of selling the pieces to the general public.

PIEROTT RECEIVES AWARD



Proud employee Floyd Pierott shows his distinguished service award to L. J. Hallmark, Employee Relations.

Pierott, supervisor engineering, Engineering Field, was presented the award at a banquet held in his honor on December 16.

The award was in recognition of Pierott's 11 years of faithful service as finance secretary and trustee of the Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church in Houston, where A. Doyal McCraw is pastor.

RULES FOR SUBMITTING ADS

Readers are reminded of the rules for submitting ads for free publication in the *SHELLEGRAM*.

- Ads are published for complex employee pensioners and families only. Advertiser must be owner and not agent or dealer.

- All ads must be submitted in writing stating item, price, advertiser's name and home telephone number. Forms are available at the receptionist's desk and the *SHELLEGRAM* office.

- Deadline for submitting ads is MONDAY.

- Mail ads to the *SHELLEGRAM* or bring them to Room 103, Main Office Annex.

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established in the Environmental Operations Department to provide 24-hour surveillance of the Complex. Five shift foremen, D. L. Perry, B. C. Roger, R. H. Schultz, C. M. Thorpe and J. T. Woods were promoted into this new job. They are currently

participating in six weeks of special training to help them recognize environmental problems and take appropriate action. During this six weeks, the supervisors will receive an orientation from each operating department of the refinery and chemical

plant to familiarize them with its processes and personnel.

In addition to overseeing the operation of the effluent treatment facilities, the supervisors' duties include continuous environmental monitoring of the Complex. If they detect a problem, they are authorized to take whatever corrective action is necessary. They will also receive and react to any environmental complaints from regulatory agencies, fellow employees or the community.

The environmental supervisors are expected to complete their training and assume their duties about the middle of February. When they do, the Complex will have an added safeguard to ensure that operations here are compatible with Mother Nature.

WELCOME TO DEER PARK MFG. COMPLEX



New employees recently completed a three-week Operator Fundamentals Course. Session 50 included: (kneeling) Robert Ortiz, Terry Stinson, Bill Baker and instructor A. P. Augustine; (2nd row) Pete Ortiz, Dawn Buckles, Shirley Garpne, Ted Vega; (3rd row) John Carroll, Clifford Russaw, Ray Miles, Ron Penland, Bob Benson, Al Hayes and Joe Walker.



Session 51 included: (kneeling) Lawrence Smith, Carl Slaten, instructor Babe Curtiss, Jerry Williamson, Ed Going, Dale Hargraves; (2nd row) Larry O'Shea, Larry Norman, Dave Bergeron, Judy Ward, Roy Hallcom, Charles Dodson, Mike Ewing, Harold Reel, Michael Strickler and Don Wilkerson.

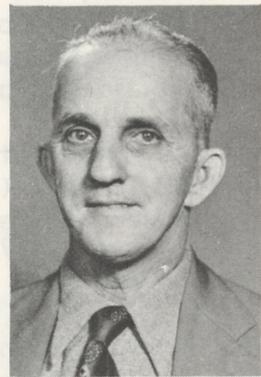
RETIREE LOOMIS DIES

Ivan G. Lomis, retired craft supervisor (carpenter), Engineering Field, died January 21 at 72.

Lomis retired August 1961 after some 29 years of company service.

Funeral services were held at Forest Park Lawndale Chapel January 23, with burial in Forest Park.

Lomis is survived by his wife, Eva Mae, who resides in Friendswood.



ENGLEMAN

CLASSIFIEDS

FOR SALE

14'x64' Kingswood mobile home, 2 years old, 2 bedrooms, bath, living room, den, patio awning. Equity/assume payments. 487-3397

16' aluminum boat with 1973 Evinrude, 24 hp motor. \$675. 534-3453 or 337-3035

Philco refrigerator with deep freeze compartment, good condition. \$60. 643-7640

1972 DT-2 Yamaha MX 250 cc. \$200. 534-3453 or 337-3035

1973 Honda CT70 trail bike, good condition. \$225. 479-2263

1972 Honda 350 CB, 7,000 miles, perfect condition, includes crash bar and book rack. Must sell: getting married. \$550. 644-4212

1970 Plymouth Roadrunner, tar red and white, B&M transmission, mag wheels and Mickey Thompson tires, see to appreciate. \$1,495. 695-4311 after 6 pm

Pontiacs: 1964 Star Chief and 1962 Tempest (new tires), both in need of repair to run. Both for \$175. 479-1306

1965 Chevy Biscayne, runs good, good work car, new battery and new alternator. \$150 or best offer. 479-1579

1967 Plymouth, 2-door, 6 cyl., 225 cu in, radio, heater, good tires, new carb, coil, points, plugs, distributor cap. \$600. 487-3574

1967 Chevy pickup, LWB, 6 cyl., radio, heater, rebuilt transmission and clutch, homemade cover. 473-4219

1971 Chevy El Camino 307, V8, power steering and brakes, auto trans., radio. \$1,300. 479-8940

1974 Yamaha MX 250 with two bike trailer, like new. \$900. 472-4203 after 5 pm

1970 Williamscraft house-trailer, electric brakes, self-contained, excellent condition. \$1,275. 472-4203

Four recap tires, 14" wheel size, Firestone 500, good condition. \$20 or make good offer. 645-6934

20,000 BTU gas heater, brown porcelain enameled. Two-heat electric heater. 668-1025

Brick house, 3-1½-1, fenced, covered and screened patio, built-in stove, half block from elementary school, close to others, Freeway Manor. \$23,000 479-6946

Archer four-station intercom, never used. \$15. 945-5404

Sears gas dryer, white, good condition. \$45. 772-9152

1969 Chevy Caprice, all the extras. \$975. 665-0321

Gas range "Vista" with griddle. \$45. 479-6537

Conqueror electric guitar with case and Kustom amp, excellent condition. \$325. 643-8859

Bathroom light fixtures for hanging over mirror or along side of cabinets. \$4 each. 471-5365 after 5 pm

WANTED

Silver female miniature poodle pup. Will pay up to \$50. 946-2990

FREE

Three small Chihuahua puppies: 1 male and 2 female. 3 to 4 months old. 487-1035

LOST

Gold ring with 25 year service emblem (has one diamond in the Platformer No. 2 of Insulating Shop area. Contact SHELLEGRAM office if you should find this ring



Seymor says now is the time to STOP WASTE...

DID YOU KNOW THAT the complex spent some \$510,000 last year on small tools. This includes only those tools which cost less than \$500 each.

So, when YOU complete a job, be sure to return all tools to the toolroom or their proper storage area

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