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TO ALL EMPLOYEES



INSULATORS CELEBRATE SAFETY RECORD.....IT'S THE BEST IN THE REFINERY

"Yours is the best safety record in the Refinery....We are heartened to think that others might reach it....because you have." These were among the comments and praise passed along to the Insulators craft last Friday evening by Refinery Superintendent H. E. Walker. The occasion was the craft's safety party, held at the Executive Country Club.

The pictures above depict some of the highlights of the evening...fellowship, and

food enjoyed by the group.

The Insulators' amazing record dates back to 1939, and as of January 23 totaled 1,169,571 man-hours worked without a disabling injury. As H. M. Kiefer, Manager, Engineering Field Department, expressed it, "We wish we could bottle up whatever it is that you have so that it could be shared with other crafts...Because it is indeed a remarkable achievement."



....ANOTHER PARTY FOR THE UTILITIES GROUP

Utilities Department employees who were working and unable to attend the first safety party held their own get-together last week at Angel's Grill in Pasadena. Shown above are several of the guests, working their

way through a steak dinner. In the middle photo, Utilities Department Manager E. J. Newton takes a few moments to talk "safety".

J. H. MORTON NAMED MANAGER OF TREASURY DEPARTMENT AT HOUSTON REFINERY

John H. Morton has been named Manager of the Treasury Department at the Houston Refinery, according to an announcement by Refinery Manager L. T. Wilson.

Morton fills a position left vacant by the death in November of R. L. Lucas. He moves to the Refinery from the position of Chief Accountant, Houston Area E & P. Previously he held similar posts in Head Office and at Midland in the Midland E & P. Morton transferred to Houston

from Midland in July.

A veteran of World War II, he served for two years with the U.S. Air Force, advancing to the grade of First Lieutenant before his release from duty in November 1945.



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SAFE  
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DAYS

J. H. MORTON NAMED MANAGER OF TREASURY (Cont'd.)

A native of Grand Junction, Colorado, Morton is a graduate of Denver University, Denver, Colorado, having earned his bachelor's degree in accounting in 1948. He joined Shell Oil Company in January 1949 as a Clerk in the Pacific Coast Area E & P. Following a variety of assignments over a three-year period in Los Angeles, California, he was transferred to Casper, Wyoming in July 1952 as Supervisor - Accounting. From there, his next move was to Denver, Colorado, in October 1953, as Area Auditor. In July 1955 he was transferred to Head Office, and in January 1958 advanced to Chief Accountant. In December of that year he moved to Midland, Texas to fill the Chief Accountant's position in the Midland Area E & P.

Married to the former Bea Koch, the Mortons live at 1413 Voss Road, Houston, with their nine-year old daughter, Nancy.

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HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM TO BE NAMED AFTER REFINERY RETIREE

The Deer Park School Board has announced plans to construct a new auditorium for the high school, and has voted unanimously to name the new auditorium after the late Gaines Y. Mason "In recognition of his many years of service on the school board".

Mr. Mason, who passed away in July of last year, had been retired from the Refinery since August 1961. A long-time resident of Deer Park, he served on the school board from 1941 to 1963.

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SAFETY PARTIES SCHEDULED FOR THIS WEEK

- Jan. 29 Distilling Department  
(Angel's Grill)
- Jan. 31 Brickmasons, Tanners,  
Tool Room, Gen. Helpers,  
Surveyors  
(Angel's Grill)

CREDIT UNION ANNUAL MEETING SET FOR THURSDAY, JANUARY 30

Here's a reminder to all Credit Union members....The Annual Meeting is scheduled for Thursday evening, January 30, beginning at 7:00 p.m. in the Music Hall in Houston.

The Music Hall is located in downtown Houston, next to the Sam Houston Coliseum, at Capital and Bagby streets.

Door prizes totaling \$1,000 will be given away to some lucky members in attendance and favors for the entire family will be passed out to everyone attending. Following the meeting refreshments will be served.

Already announced was the news that a 4.68 per cent dividend has been voted for shareholders in 1963, along with a 30% interest refund for members who had loans with the Credit Union during the past year. Dividend payments totaled \$192,028, while interest refund payments amounted to \$136,811....or a combined total of \$328,839 returned to members as a result of 1963 operations.

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SHELL TOURISTS TO MEET

The Shell employees' group who are making the European tours this summer will meet at the Recreation Hall of St. Mark's Episcopal Church of Houston at 7:00 p.m. on January 31.

Mr. Rudy Gruberg of the New York firm, American Travel Abroad, will speak on "Travel in Europe" with emphasis on the Shell group's itineraries.

Representatives of Air France and Travel Unlimited, Inc. will be present to answer individual questions concerning the details of the trip.

All Shell employees interested in European travel are invited to attend.

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