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Don't leave safety awareness on the sidelines

Carl Mauck said he has been able to stay "witty, charming, and beautiful" because he wore the right safety equipment while he worked. Every day, before he began his job, he would dress carefully and make sure everything was in place.

Like his knee pads. His thigh pads. His hip pads, elbow pads and shoulder pads. And his helmet with the double crossbar.

Helmets, for instance, are nothing new to most of us at DPMC. They are a standard symbol of head protection we couldn't do without. The only difference between us and Carl Mauck is that we don't have to bang heads with Mean Joe Greene's every week.

Mauck, former center for the Houston Oilers, wanted to make sure he took his good looks home with him when he left the field each Sunday. That isn't so easy when you're trying to open holes for Earl Campbell and protect Ken Stabler from a blitzing linebacker.

Mauck took risks in his profession — most of us do, in fact. But he anticipated the hazards, and rose to the occasion by carefully preparing with the proper protective equipment before he stepped on the football field.

We would probably think it was comical if Carl Mauck lined up without his helmet; he would think it was insane.



Former Houston Oiler Carl Mauck didn't take chances when he went to work on Sundays in the NFL — he made sure he had the right safety gear. DPMC operators Jim Bragg, left, and V.M. Daniel, right, don't take chances either. They may not wear shoulder pads, but they prepare for work by using their own style of protective equipment.

We should be as conscientious in our own daily safety precautions.

You'll see Carl Mauck's poster in a number of places around the Complex in

the next few weeks. You may even see him in person — he's not very easy to miss. Be sure to watch the bulletin boards for more details.

Light Olefins puts 12-year safety record on hold

The Light Olefins-II Department completed its 12th consecutive year without a lost-time accident last month, a record that has continued since OP-II was started up in 1970.

"That's a pretty remarkable accomplishment for a unit of that size and scope of operations," said Jake Jacobson, Superintendent, Olefins. He said the record is even more impressive because OP-II was the first unit of its kind.

"The scale of operations and the kind of technology practiced at OP-II were unique when it was built," he said. "The

start-up of the unit was a critical and demanding period. Since then, there have been several major turnarounds requiring significant maintenance, all accomplished safely."

H.R. Strickland, surveillance operator, has been with the unit all 12 years. "It's a wonderful experience," he said. "Everybody has to concentrate 100 percent of the time. It took a lot of hard work, but it's paid off."

The unit's safety record, estimated at more than one million manhours, might continue, but for now it will be put on

hold. Based on new economic forecasts, the Light Olefins unit, which has continued reduced operations since OP-II shut down last June, will be consolidated with other groups in Olefins. The unit's operators and staff have already been assigned or transferred to other units within the Complex.

"We're confident OP-II will come back and run again," Jacobson said. "When we re-staff OP-II, we would like to think members of the Light Olefins group will come back and pick up the safety record where it left off."

Classifieds

FOR SALE

1974 Mercury Capri. Automatic, air conditioning, good running condition. Four cylinder engine. \$995. Call 422-4069.

1980 Cadillac Coupe de Ville. Diesel. Must sell. Call 1-856-4755 or 1-856-5326.

1981 Ford Escort. Four-speed with console, air, reclining bucket seats, sport wheels. Sanyo AM-FM stereo cassette with quadraflex speakers. Three-year 36,000 mile extended warranty. 14,800 miles. Wife had twins — must sell. \$6,500. Call 487-0943.

Restored 1967 Mercedes. Call 471-2443.

1968 Volkswagen Bug. Engine OK — transaxle needs repair. All glass OK. \$250. Call 332-3286.

Dodge D-50 Pickup Truck. Air conditioning, AM-FM radio, four new tires. Black with yellow stripes, yellow mags. \$3,500. Call 427-3850 after 7 p.m.

Hodaka 125 cc dirt bike. Very good running condition — perfect bike for young teen. \$275. Call 334-6403.

1979 Yamaha 750 cc Motorcycle. Shaft drive with many extras. Excellent condition. Owner will finance part of price for Shell employee. \$1,800. Call 495-1811.

Four speed transmission for four-cylinder Pinto. \$75. 2000 cc Pinto engine for parts. Engine is complete — needs new piston and rod. \$50. First \$100 takes all. Call 339-3363.

1979 Datsun 210. Automatic, air conditioning, AM-FM stereo. Low mileage. \$3,950 firm. Call 473-0204.

Delco AM-FM stereo. \$100. Four new P-205-15 steel-belted radials. Mounted and balanced on Chevrolet Rally Wheels. \$300. Call 930-0375.

Three-ton air conditioning unit. Warranty replacement compressor. Still

in box. As is where is. \$250. Call 476-1740.

Five-cubic foot contractor type wheelbarrow. \$30. Traveling sprinkler. \$15. Call 941-3906.

Kenmore 17-cubic foot refrigerator-freezer with icemaker. Avocado with textured doors. Like new. \$350. Ward's Lawnmower with four-horse Briggs & Stratton motor. Complete with grass bag. \$65. Call 471-2758 after 4 p.m.

Mattress and box springs for single bed. Steel frame with casters to fit. Like new. \$90. Call 471-2731.

Sofa, love seat, chair. Three years old. \$175. Call 471-1458.

PLANT SALE. 12625 Coulson Drive in Woodland Acres. Friday and Saturday, May 14 and 15 from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

FOR LEASE

Patio home in La Porte area. Three bedrooms, two baths, two car garage with door opener. Pool, tennis courts, and clubhouse available. \$650 per month plus deposit. Call 471-2758 after 4 p.m.

Whitman wins Resins Fat-Off Contest

Resins Superintendent Leonard Alpert, left, presents a \$25 Foley's gift certificate to J. P. Whitman, right, who won the Big Resins Fat-Off Contest. Whitman, an operator in Distribution, lost 35 and one-half pounds, or 15.01 percent of his original weight. The contest was held in conjunction with the DPMC Medical Department's annual weight loss contest.



FREE

Three-year-old Black Labrador male. No papers. Free to a home with large yard. Call 422-4069.

WANTED

Table top woodworking band saw. Call 477-0350 after 1 p.m.

Regulation size pool table. Accessories, too. Call 333-4523 after 5 p.m.

LOST

Mercury digital watch. Lost in Lube C zone shop. Contact Sonny Hammond at Insulation Shop on extension 7951 or 6296.

RETIREMENT PARTY

A retirement party has been set for E.E. Wilhelm of the Instrument Shop North on May 26 at 4 p.m. in the North Cafeteria. Contact John Carlson or Tom Bullard for details on extension 6622.



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