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TO ALL EMPLOYEES

OIL OUTLAYS MAY REACH NEW HIGH  
IN 1964

Ever wonder what an oil company does with the money it makes each year?

One of the most important things it does with its earnings is pour them right back into the business as an investment in the future. And from all indications, oil companies will continue to back their faith in the future of this industry with record capital investments during 1964.

One organization that keeps very close tabs on these investments is the Economics Department of the McGraw-Hill Publishing Company. The McGraw-Hill people predict that oil companies within the U. S. will spend more than \$6 billion during 1964 to maintain, modernize and expand their plants and equipment. That's a seven per cent increase over 1963, and amounts to about \$4,000 for every one of the million and a half men and women working in the industry.

It is greater than the anticipated investment for the year of any other single industry, and should account for almost one sixth of total anticipated capital outlays by all industries in 1964.

Where will this money come from? From earnings. From earnings that are not skimmed off the top of the business for anyone's personal gain, but are plowed right back into the business to continue to help provide jobs for you and other oil people.

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SERVICE ANNIVERSARIES



J. H. LEACH  
30 YRS.  
AROMATICS

A. J. LUECKEMEYER  
25 YRS.  
ENG. FIELD

J. C. MAY  
25 YRS.  
REFY. LAB.



TO HELP MAKE DIAMOND JUBILEE SPARKE: Nearby LaPorte celebrates a significant birthday this year - their 75th - and the city is planning a gala Diamond Jubilee Celebration to commemorate the occasion. To help defray part of the general expenses of the three-day festivities (April 30-May 2), the Shell Oil Company made a donation the other day. In the picture above, Process Superintendent L. J. Snyder (right) hands the check to Ralph B. Pearce, a director of the LaPorte-Bayshore Chamber of Commerce and an official of the Diamond Jubilee association. At the left is J. B. Harkness, Manager of the Refinery Dispatching Department, and also a member of the LaPorte-Bayshore Chamber of Commerce.

NAMES MAKING NEWS IN SHELL.....

M. P. L. Love, Vice President Manufacturing, has announced the appointment of J. W. Sheehan, Refinery Superintendent, Wood River Refinery, to the position of Refinery Manager of the Odessa (Texas) and Ciniza (New Mexico) Refineries, with headquarters in Odessa. The two refineries were among facilities acquired early this month from El Paso Natural Gas Products Company.

In other moves, A. J. Martin, Administrative Superintendent, Wood River Refinery, will succeed Sheehan as Refinery Superintendent, and F. W. Albers, Personnel and Industrial Relations Manager, Wood River, will succeed Martin as Administrative Superintendent.

23  
SAFE  
WORK-  
DAYS

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OIL OUTLAYS MAY REACH NEW HIGH (Cont'd.)

Although some oil companies improved their earnings in 1963, over-all petroleum profits are still only about average for all industry. Earnings will continue to be hard pressed to meet the costs of expansion this year and in the future.

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TELECAST IS ON....BUT 30 MINUTES LATER;  
"SHELL'S WONDERFUL WORLD OF GOLF" IN  
CALIFORNIA

"Shell's Wonderful World of Golf", at first cancelled locally, has been rescheduled and will be shown over Channel 2, KPRC-TV, Sunday afternoon, March 29, from 3:30-4:30 p.m. The new time is 30 minutes later than the time of the earlier shows in the series.

The match this week pits two of the U.S.'s greatest - Jack Nicklaus and Sam Snead - and the site one of the world's best known courses, Pebble Beach, California. The ocean-side course located on the Monterrey Peninsula's rocky cliffs has some of the most photogenic - and photographed - golf holes in the world.

With the showing of this week's telecast, the 1964 series comes to a close.

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SERA BOWLING RESULTS

The Woodchoppers pulled to within one game of Super Shell this week by virtue of winning four points on a forfeit from Inspection. Meanwhile Super Shell was dropping three points to the Snails, who recorded the high game and series of the night, 885-2509. Betty Lambin rolled the high game for the women, 191, and Ann Washburn scored the high series, 515. For the men, Al Jaeger's 231-586 were tops.

The league has announced plans to move to the Mimosa Lanes for the summer and next winter seasons. Bowling time at Mimosa will be 6:30 p.m. on Thursday nights.

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SHELL EMPLOYEES' EUROPEAN TOURS  
STILL OPEN

The Shell employees' group in Houston is offering 23-day vacation and educational tours of Europe this summer, and there are some openings still available. The period of the tours will be from June 26 to July 19, 1964.

Several plans are available: A tour of Eastern Europe--including the U.S.S.R., Poland, Hungary, Austria, East and West Germany, Denmark--at an all inclusive price from Houston of \$1,132.

Another tour takes in Western Europe: Belgium, Holland, Germany, Switzerland, Italy, and France. The all inclusive price from Houston is \$827. For anyone interested in making their own arrangements, the group offers a transportation only round-trip fare of \$335 - Houston to Paris to Houston by jet.

For more information, call Mrs. Betty K. Fritts, Shell Development, phone number MO-7-5661, extension 516; home phone HO-5-7422.

....And the local Shell Credit Union points out that your Credit Union is a good place to arrange for necessary funds for a European trip. Their number is GR-9-2886.

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FOR SALE: Six choice lots, 100' X 135', located off Pasadena Blvd. in Deer Park. One block from Carpenter Elementary School. Will sell any number of lots to interested parties. Call J. H. Howard, GR-9-2724.

FOUND: A gold wedding band in Main Office Bldg. Owner can claim it by calling L. J. Hallmark, ext. 530, and identifying ring.

LOST: One pair dark gray rimmed prescription glasses. Lost last week during tour by Rice students. Call Alfred Ball, MO-7-8670.

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