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MARY JO BOEER'S TRAVEL FUND DRIVE SUCCESSFUL REFINERY FAMILY DAY COMMITTEES HARD AT WORK

Mary Jo Boer, daughter of Pipefitter, H. E. Boer, champion sprint and hurdle athlete has just cleared the toughest hurdle of all - raising money.

She needed \$500 by April 1st to cover the cost of her trip to Washington, D.C., where she will represent the United States in the 10th International Olympic Games.

A fund to raise the money began among some of Boer's co-workers that soon gained the support of the Pasadena Chamber of Commerce. Together they raised three-fourths of the money. Then, as the deadline approached, Shell donated the balance.

The SHELLEGRAPH is happy to report the successful conclusion of this joint employee, civic, and Refinery project. As a result, a great number of people - besides ourselves - will be watching as "Miss Boer goes to Washington".



Family Day Committee Chairmen deep in thought about May 22. Left to right are: Tom Reed, F. B. Harrison, Floyd Pierott, Hank Lewis, Ron Johnson, Jimmy Hallmark, T. J. Villars, Buddy Yannazzo, Porter Slack, and Fred Macy.

One month to go! The Refinery Day will be held exactly one month today - May 22nd. A dozen committees have been formed to prepare for the big day and they are already hard at work.

L. J. "Jimmy" Hallmark is General Chairman and the man responsible for quarterbacking the entire effort. The following team members have been given the job of helping to score on May 22:

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Pasadena Chamber of Commerce Manager Darold Havard presents a check for \$123 to Pipefitter H. E. Boer. The check, a contribution of the Refinery, fills the quota needed to send Boer's daughter, Mary Jo, to The Deaf Olympics in Washington, D.C.

H. E. BOEER FAMILY SAYS "THANKS" TO EVERYONE

The H. E. Boer family sends their thanks to everyone in the Refinery, the Pasadena Chamber of Commerce, and Shell Oil for their kindness and generosity in financing Mary Jo Boer's trip to the forthcoming International Games for the Deaf - Washington, D.C.

R. R. LEVEILLE TRANSFERS TO ODESSA REFINERY

R. R. Leveille will be transferred to the Odessa Refinery as a Senior Engineer on May 1, 1965.

Leveille joined Shell at the Houston Refinery in September 1952, as a Jr. Engineer following his graduation from the Georgia Institute of Technology with a B.S. degree in civil engineering. He has held various technical assignments in Engineering Construction and Engineering Services, where he is currently assigned as Area Engineer.



PROCLAMATION
CITY OF DEER PARK, TEXAS

TO ALL WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME:

WHEREAS, each American citizen has the freedom to read and to think as he may decide for himself, about any subject he chooses;

WHEREAS, The public library's functions and programs derive from the conviction that books and other printed matter as well as certain audio-visual materials are powerful, indispensable agents for bringing enlightenment, new knowledge, encouragement and inspiration to every member of the community;

WHEREAS, one function remains constant: to provide and service materials for enlarging the mind and dispelling prejudice and ignorance;

WHEREAS, this implies the necessity of making access to the truth easy and rapid for anyone who seeks it;

WHEREAS, for the overwhelming majority, the quickest and easiest access to the world's best thought is through the public library.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, W. A. Carpenter, Mayor of the City of Deer Park, Texas, do hereby proclaim the week of April 25 through May 1 as Library Week to help develop an informed, creative citizenry that is competent and willing to make the choices and decisions that free men and women must make.

IN OFFICIAL RECOGNITION WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Official Seal of the City of Deer Park to be affixed this 9th Day of April, Nineteen Hundred Sixty-Five A.D.

/s/ W. A. Carpenter
W. A. CARPENTER, MAYOR
CITY OF DEER PARK, TEXAS



"KNOW WHAT YOU'RE TALKING ABOUT - READ"

The title of this article is the theme of the eighth National Library Week, April 25 - May 1.

The Deer Park Public Library joins with libraries across the nation in all fifty states to inform the people of the benefits that may be had by using their local library.

If you READ only 15 minutes a day, you would read - 1/2 a book a week-----2 books a month-----24 books a year-----1,000 books in your lifetime, which equal to - - - going through college five times, making you an authority on any subject you choose, taking a trip around the world.

The Deer Park Public Library has a staff of three and a governing body of seven trustees. Founded in January 1962, the Library has moved forward in all areas of service, and today books on hand number in excess of 3,500 volumes. Circulation shows a steady increase each month and for March, 1,830 volumes were lent. Interested citizens and area industries (Shell Oil being one) have been instrumental in bringing about the success of the Library. Continued interest will bring continued success.

Schedule for Library Week Activities
Deer Park Public Library
2222 Kingsdale - GR-9-1989

Sunday, April 25 - Closed
Monday, April 26 - Government Day -
9 a.m. - 6 p.m.
Tuesday, April 27 - Education Day -
9 a.m. - 9 p.m.
Wednesday, April 28 - Business &
Professional Day -
9 a.m. - 6 p.m.
Thursday, April 29 - Civic Day -
9 a.m. - 6 p.m.
Friday, April 30 - Closed
Saturday, May 1 - Community Day -
9 a.m. - 1 p.m.

HERE'S THE WHOLE FAMILY....You've already met Hugh and Shella Refinery - your Family Day hosts. Now meet the kids - Flasher and Rotella. Although Rotella is too much of a lady to mention such things, Flasher says that there will be plenty of surprises for your kids on May 22 - so be sure to tell 'em. Rotella says she was only 5 when she last saw the refinery in 1958, so she's looking forward to seeing where Dad works but, yes, she might be willing to take a souvenir home too - just to be polite.

REFINERY FAMILY DAY (CONT'D.)

| <u>Committee</u> | <u>Chairman</u> | <u>Committee Members</u> |
|---------------------------|-----------------|---|
| Promotion- Invitations | Ron Johnson | Peggy Shelburne, Electa Tharp, J. F. Lee, T. K. Stewart |
| Photography | Sam Davis | R. L. Gibson |
| Souvenirs | C.F. Stebbins | Jack Cook |
| Transportation | Tom Reed | C. G. Crum |
| Tour & Guide | Fred Macy | R.A. Bannerot, Carl Robertus, W.T. Bratton, L. W. Garner |
| Signs & Properties | Hank Lewis | Leo Dickey, G. B. Dunn |
| Traffic & Parking | Porter Slack | C. D. Fisher, M. A. Wood |
| Entertainment | Robt. Mann | Geo. Nuss, F.B. Harrison |
| Reception | T.J. Villars | L. Sampy, J. Casas, B. Dunn, J. Cunningham, B.L. White |
| Refreshments | B. Yannazzo | O. G. Green, E. A. Zalesak |
| Exhibits & Decorations | H. Smith | Doug Wheeler, J.H. Robinett, Betty Lewis, Lee Scott, Jean Arnic |
| Buildings & Grounds | F. Pierott | R. Fisher, H. H. Wagoner |

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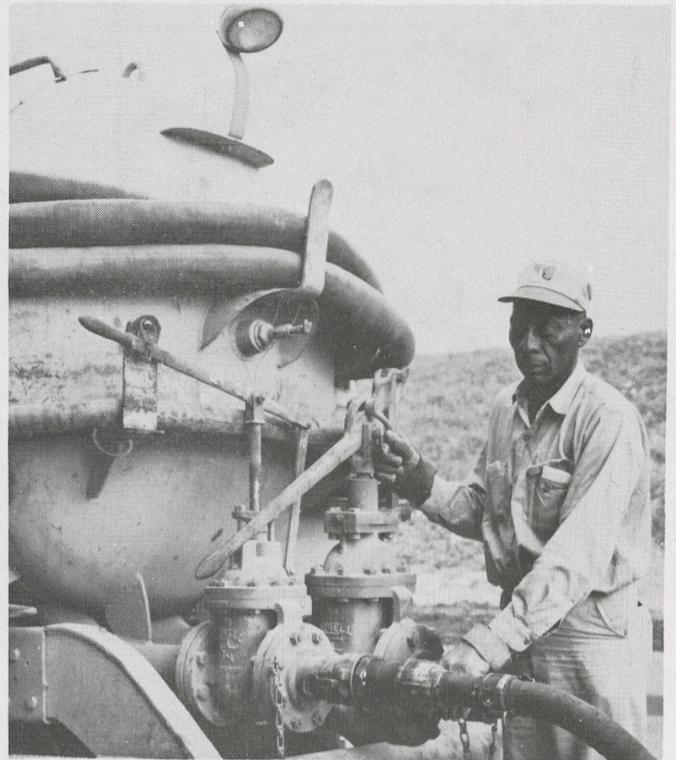
**CAUTION - PLASTIC CONTAINERS CHANGE
GASOLINE TO "KEROSENE"**

Many operators of lawn mower and small outboard engines may actually be trying to start and run them on kerosene - if their gasoline has been stored for a period of time in a one-gallon plastic household bleach or similar bottle! On the surface, storing fuel in this manner appears to be a fine idea and is widely practiced. But the convenience can be deceptive, because after a time the operator might find his mower or outboard engine hard to start and if analyzed, he might find his fuel resembles kerosene. He wasn't cheated; he started with gasoline. The catch is the container. It is made of polyethylene and not made, nor approved, for gasoline storage.

If this gasoline has been stored in a polyethylene container in an unventilated area, poor engine performance might not be the only result.

At temperatures ranging from 140 to 150°F, gasoline will chew up low-density plastic with ease, especially in thin sections. Heat in the trunk of a car or in the covered bow of an outboard boat can easily reach those temperatures on a hot day. These are just two relative examples where explosions could occur or a fiery blaze start that would most certainly result in tragedy.

Make yours a safe summer. Use a closed, metal container designed for gasoline storage.

MEET W. B. MILLER OF AUTOMOTIVE

Willie Miller at the business end of his vacuum truck.

W. B. "Willie" Miller of Automotive performs one of the many vital, but relatively unknown jobs in the Refinery. He drives the Automotive Department's vacuum truck.

Wherever there is an oil or gasoline spill or leak, you'll find Willie on the scene. These liquids are quickly "sucked" into his vacuum truck and removed for disposal. If the liquids are deemed "recoverable", they are taken to the secondary separators or the blow-off pit and reclaimed for processing. Waste materials are taken to Jones Lake or the East Land Area. Naturally, spills or leaks that may create a hazard are given first priority.

Willie, a Refinery veteran of 31 years' service, has spent nearly all his career in Automotive.

Besides answering calls for the vacuum truck, there is another call that will catch his ear: "rodeo!" Willie has been a part-time rodeo performer most of his life. He specialized in calf roping and bronc riding, although he's tried all events. Reports are that he consistently won more than his share of prizes. But Willie quit rodeoing recently because, as he said (with tongue in cheek), "I had a 39th birthday and figured that's no age to be riding broncs."



David M. Renquist, son of Chief Technologist M. L. Renquist, has been named to the Honor Roll at Washington State University at the end of the fall semester. He is in his senior year in the school of Veterinary Medicine.

KEEP YOUR TEMPER!

With many roads overloaded with cars, traffic jams are frequent, nerves become frayed. Tempers can flare when someone leans on the horn, cuts from one lane to another, even yells out the car window at you. This is the time to remember you don't make things right by "blowing up", getting sore at the other fellow. Take it easy, curb your temper. You'll enjoy life better, stay safer for it.

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ENGINEERING OFFICE'S MARTIN S. ROUSE DIES

We regret to announce the death of Martin S. Rouse on April 20, 1965, after a lengthy illness in Pasadena General Hospital. He was 47 years of age.

Mr. Rouse joined Shell at the Houston Refinery on September 30, 1957, as a Design Draftsman in the Engineering Office Department.

He was an Army Air Force Veteran of World War II in which he served with distinction as a bomber pilot.



Mr. Rouse is survived by his wife, Mrs. Lou Ada Rouse, 1305 Deer Avenue, Deer Park, and one daughter, Mrs. Nancy Goldman of Conroe.

Funeral services were held today at the Forest Park Lawndale Funeral Chapel with burial in the Forest Park Lawndale Cemetery.

FAMILY DAY (CONT'D.)

A really big day is being planned, so make your plans to attend right now!

WELCOME!

Peter K. Samsury
Engineer
Engineering Services

CLASSIFIEDS**FOR SALE OR**

FOR TRADE: 1953 Oldsmobile; 4-Door; fair shape.
Telephone - L. D. Jennings,
GR-3-2512

FOR SALE: Brand new Sting Ray Bicycle with Hollywood handle bar; hand brake; banana seat. (Never been used.) \$40
Telephone - L. D. Jennings,
GR-3-2512

FOR SALE: Slightly used automobile air conditioner.
Telephone - L. E. Milholland,
GR-9-1325

FOR SALE: Nylon and Naugahyde Cover for long wheelbase Fleetside Chevrolet or GMC Pick-Up. Also plywood frame to support cover - All for \$25.
Telephone - GR-9-1353

FOR SALE: FARM - 137 acres in Lavaca County. Near Hallettsville, Texas. River bottom black land farm. Huge pecan bottom. House recently rebuilt. Good barn and out buildings. 9-acre hay meadow. \$200 per acre.
Telephone - J. L. Tupa, HU-6-1583

FOUND: Scripto Lighter - Contact Main Gate.

WOULD LIKE

TO TRADE: 30 hp Outboard Motor with Electric Starter for good garden tractor. Telephone Jim Moore, GR-2-6370

FOR SALE: 1957 Chevrolet; 4-Door, 2-tone Blue & White; 6 cylinder; automatic transmission; new paint job and completely renovated inside. In perfect condition. \$550
Telephone V. B. Smith, 7135 Myrtle, WA-3-5795

FOR SALE: House in Gulf Freeway Oaks (off Exit 13 in Houston). 3 bedrooms. Convenient to schools and shopping. Will sell G.I. equity with 4½% loan and \$76 payments.
Telephone - MI-4-4298

FOR SALE: 1958 Ford, 2-Door, stick shift, big V-8 engine, one owner. \$395
Car may be seen at Credit Union.
Telephone - GR-9-2886.

BOWLING NOTICE

A summer league for "shifters" is being formed to play on Tuesdays at 8:30 a.m. Contact: J. H. Williams, HU-7-1659 or Meadowcreek Lanes.