



**GOOD INVESTMENT**---Refinery Manager Leonard T. Wilson, left, and Refinery Superintendent Ray O'Brien, right, examine the stock certificates they just purchased from two of the girls in the Refinery sponsored Junior Achievement company. E. A. Martinez, center, an Accountant, is the Chief Advisor for the girls' JA company. The girls are, second from left, Beverly Porter, Secretary of the JA company, and Barbara Rannals, President of the group.



**BUYING STOCK** --- G. D. Flanagan, Auditor, left, and M. L. Renquist, right, Chief Technologist, watch Janet Hull, 2nd from left, daughter of W. L. Hull, a Pumper No. 1, Dispatching, and Kay Payton, daughter of J. D. Payton, Operator No. 1, Aromatics, make out stock certificates from their Junior Achievement company. Flanagan and Renquist purchased the shares. In the center, J. M. Van Lauwe, Senior Analyst, P&IR, and the Chief JA Advisor for the two girls' JA company, looks on. This year, Houston Refinery is sponsoring two JA companies for which about twelve Refinery employees are serving as advisors.

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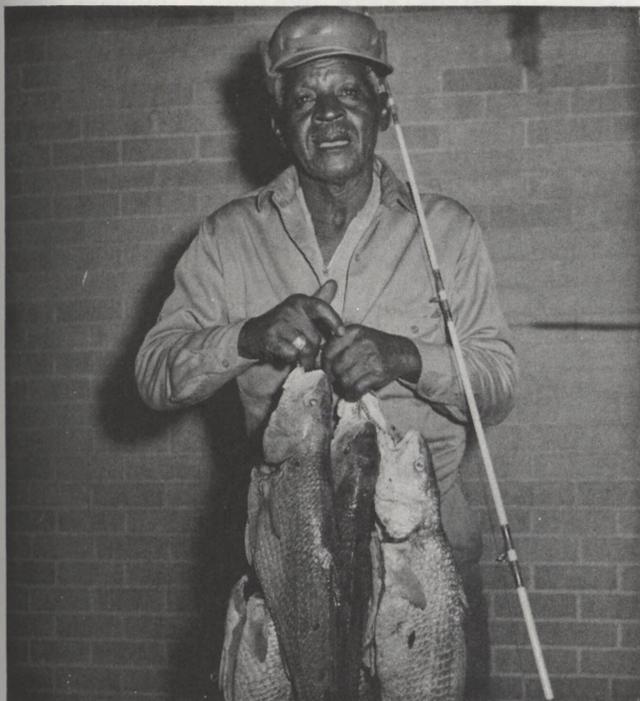


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**RETIREMENT REDS**---Much of the fishing time of R. W. Woodworth of 3606 Eagle, a retired Refinery employee, is spent on the hunt for redfish. This is his latest and best haul of redfish, made recently in East Matagorda Bay out of Chinquapin Bayou. Woodworth says it is "my best ever catch of redfish," and admitted there might have been a speckled trout or two that he threw back as "trash" fish. He retired in 1963 from the Engineering Field Department.

## SECOND WORLD-WIDE BRIDGE TOURNAMENT SCHEDULED FOR DECEMBER 8 -- ENTER NOW

The Houston section of the second Shell World-Wide Bridge Tournament will be held Friday, December 8, at the Bridge House at 3819 Reveille at 7:45 p.m.

G. H. Riesser, Group Leader, Shell Chemical Company's Industrial Chemical's Division Research and Development Laboratory, originated the computer-dealt tournament last year. He is director of the Houston section of the tournament, which is open to all Shell employees, their spouses and children.

Entry fee will be \$1 per person. Advance reservations should be made with S. C. Slaymaker, Research Chemist, Research, by Wednesday, December 6.

Shell locations which have already entered employees in the tournament include Houston, Emeryville, Milwaukee, Wood River, New York, Tulsa, Stockholm, Copenhagen, London, Egham, Stanmill, Carrington, The Hague, Rotterdam, Paris, Zambia, Curacao, Trinidad, Saigon, and Borneo.

As in last year's tournament, pairs will play computer-dealt, duplicated hands. The pair scoring the highest point total will be declared Shell world-wide bridge champions. Last year's Houston section winners were J. S. Levine, Staff Exploitation Engineer, E&P Research Division; and J. E. Chappellear, Senior Research Associate, E&P Research Division. Mr. and Mrs. I. Smith, E&P Research, scored the highest "World-Wide" score of the Houston players.

Approximately 300 pairs played in the 1966 tourney. The sections were located in the United States, United Kingdom, The Netherlands, Republic of Congo, Trinidad, Argentina, Curacao, Borneo, and Nigeria.

W. E. JENSEN'S SON INTERVIEWS REFINERY MANAGER AS ASSIGNMENT FOR HIS PAPER;  
RESULTING ARTICLE APPEARED IN CHANNEL AREA NEWSPAPER, THE DAILY PRESS

Editor's note: The following article appeared in the Pasadena newspaper, THE DAILY PRESS, and was written by Dell Jensen, the son of Refinery Laboratory employee, W. E. Jensen, Special Tester. Dell is a graduate of the University of Houston in journalism and now works as a reporter for THE DAILY PRESS. The article is based on an interview Dell conducted with Houston Refinery Manager L. T. Wilson.

"Leonard T. Wilson, Houston Refinery Manager of Shell Oil Company, exemplifies a highly successful and capable oil executive who discusses business and civic affairs with as much interest and familiarity as his latest fishing trip.

"Wilson assumed the position of Refinery Manager of the Houston Refinery at Deer Park in December, 1962. As refinery manager he heads up a work force of some 1,700 men and a refinery that produces enough gasoline each day to run an automobile around the world 1,500 times.

"In his office Wilson has three telephones at his fingertips, one of which is a direct line to the Shell office in New York, base of Shell's operations in the United States.

"Glancing around Wilson's elegantly decorated office one is impressed by several mementoes that symbolize some of the places he has visited.

"Immediately behind his desk hangs a painting of the Araguaney Tree with the Andes Mountains in the background. El-Araguaney is the National Flower of Venezuela. Wilson was appointed custodian of the famous Lopez Mendez painting.

"He was Director of Refining and Supplies for Compania Shell de Venezuela from 1957 to 1959.

"Speeches to the employees had to be bilingual, and business records for official files had to be translated into Spanish," said Wilson.

"A sailfish mounted on the staircase wall outside the office was hauled in off the coast of Baja, Mexico.

"I've been fishing since I was a youngster. I've done more deep sea fishing out in the Gulf of Mexico, but I've also fished out of San Francisco and off the coast of Oregon," said Wilson.

"Wilson said his biggest thrill was catching salmon and steelheads on flies in the Rogue River near Agnes, Oregon.

"I would like to fish the Canadian salmon streams along the coast of Nova Scotia and some of the Scottish streams in late spring and early summer," he commented.

"Wilson also likes to hunt deer and turkey, ride horseback, and snow ski.

"Snow skiing is a sport people can enjoy at all ages," said Wilson.

"Wilson's wife, Fay, originally from Pendleton, Oregon, also likes horseback riding as do his two daughters.

"His older daughter, now Mrs. Peter A. Neisser of Scottsdale, Arizona, has two children, Dawn and Sandra. Anne Neisser is an excellent ice skater, her father said, having passed her third test.

"Miss Susan Wilson, the younger daughter, attends Cornell University and is talented in music and painting. She plays the piano, flute, guitar and she also likes to snow ski.

"Wilson, born in Los Angeles, on Dec. 31, 1907, received his BS degree in Mining Engineering from Oregon State University in 1933.

"Wilson served five and one-half years with the 75th Infantry and attained the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel.

"He was first employed by Shell Oil Company at the Wilmington-Dominguez California Refinery in August, 1933."

The balance of the article was a resume of Wilson's career with Shell.



INTERVIEW---Refinery employee son, Dell Jensen, left, whose father, W. E. Jensen, is a Special Tester in the Refinery Laboratory, interviews Refinery Manager Leonard T. Wilson. The accompanying article was written by Dell and appeared in a local newspaper, THE DAILY PRESS, recently.

TOURIST TALK

A PHILOSOPHY PROFESSOR wrote on the blackboard, "Is Life Worth Living?" He then told his class to write a paper on this subject as this was their final exam. One student completed his paper in half a minute and he received an "A" for the course. His answer was, "It depends on the liver."

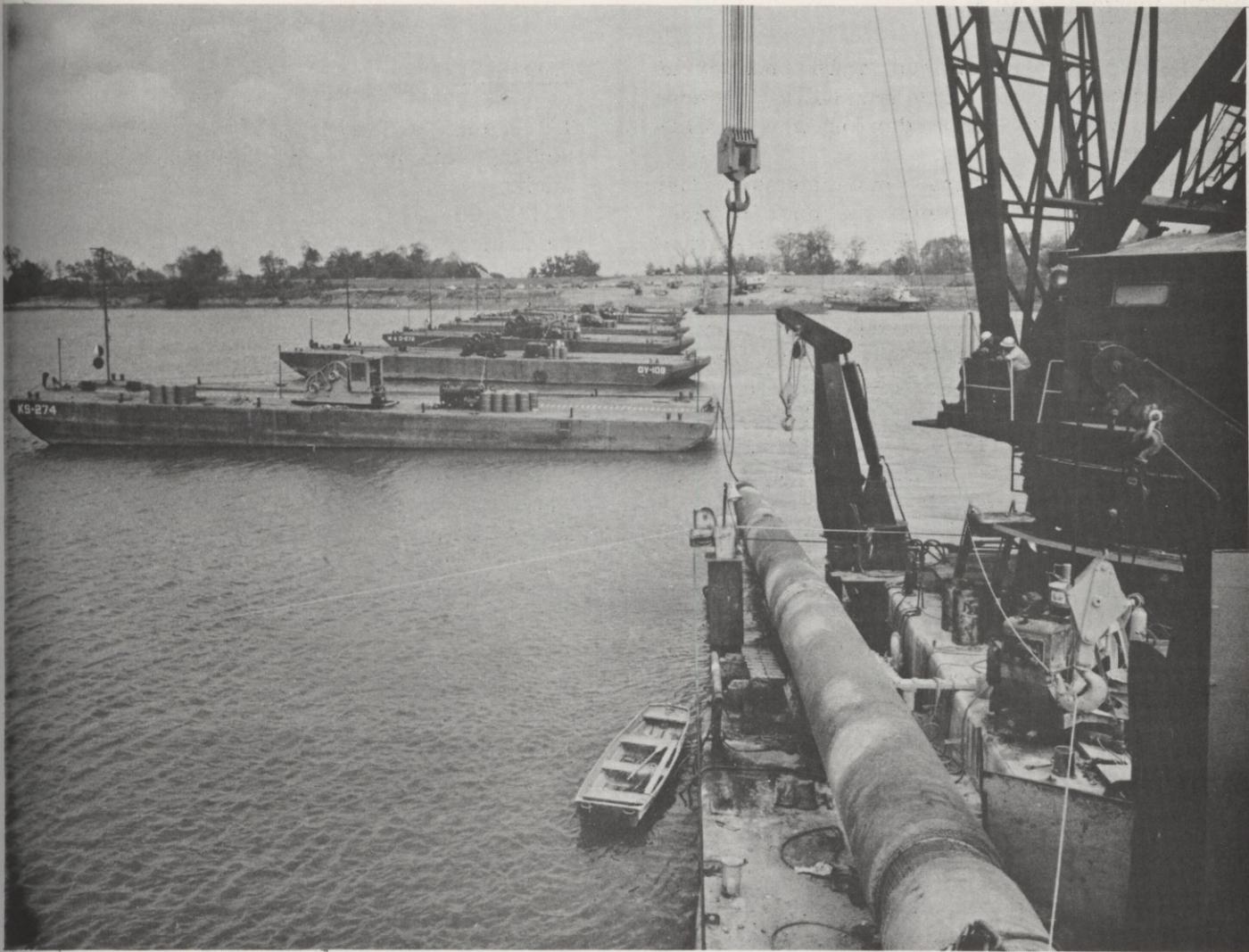
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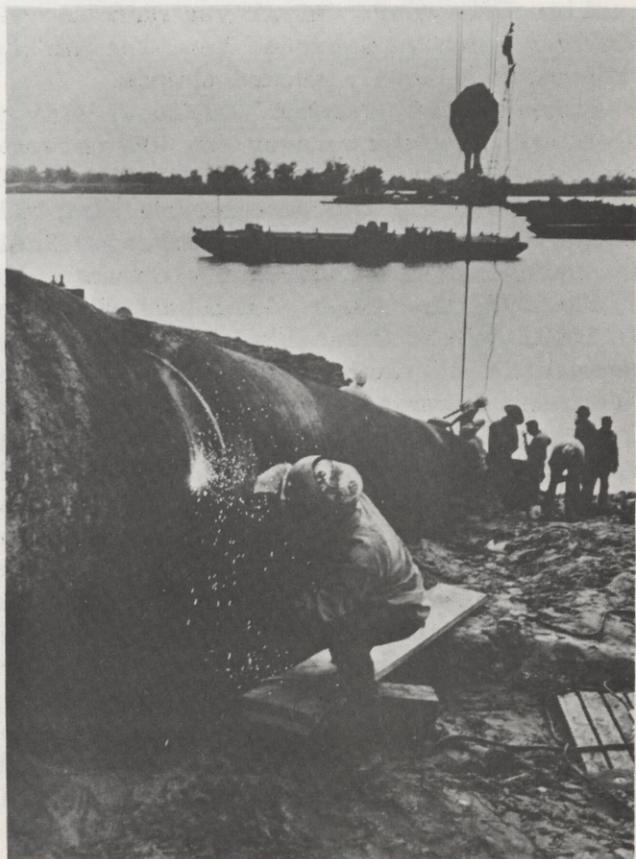


OVER LAND...AND THROUGH WATER...Construction of CAPLINE, destined to be the nation's largest crude oil pipeline when it is completed and placed in operation next year, is underway at points up and down the 630-mile route. Beginning in Southern Louisiana near Baton Rouge, the line crosses mid-continent to Central Illinois. Ultimately the line will deliver more than a million barrels of crude a day from the Gulf Coast to Midwest refineries. In the photo at left below, the 40-inch line makes its way through a wooded area in Northern Louisiana; in the photos at bottom right and above, the line is shown crossing the Mississippi River between Baton Rouge and New Orleans. For the river crossing, the line was wrapped in a heavy coat of concrete, then buried in a deep trench on the river floor. One of the owners of CAPLINE, Shell Pipe Line Corporation, is supervising construction of the line.



#### NOTE TO HUNTERS

Game seasons will be opening with regularity now. Hunters are advised to check the county hunting laws, seasons, and bag limits before firing that first shot.



## SPEED CHRISTMAS MAIL

You can help speed up mail and avoid disappointment of late arrivals by shopping and mailing early during the Christmas season.

"Mail your letters and packages the earlier the better," says the post office.

"Wrap packages securely, address plainly for less handling, and use ZIP code numbers in all addresses."

Here are some suggested mailing deadlines to assure delivery by Christmas: Greeting cards for out-of-town delivery, December 9; local mail deliveries, December 15. Parcels for out-of-town delivery should be mailed by December 4; local delivery, December 13.

Greeting cards will still be received by Christmas if you use airmail and send by December 18. Airmailed packages should be sent by December 14.

Christmas deadline for overseas airmail is December 9 to the Far East, Africa and Near East; December 15 for Europe, South and Central America and West Indies. Overseas military airmail should be sent by December 11. Surface mail deadline to military addresses is December 1.

There are no words adequate to thank all of you for your sympathetic expressions and acts of kindness which you have extended to me and my family on the loss of my wife. I can sincerely assure you if it had not been for your sincerity and comfort, my loss would have been intolerable. May God Bless You All.

L. Grossheim

## HAS YOUR DRIVING IMPROVED SINCE MAY? TAKE THE NDT ON DECEMBER 5, AND SEE

If you missed the National Drivers Test earlier this year, or if you want to see how much you've improved from the earlier program, you have a second chance.

A repeat of the 1967 National Drivers Test will be shown over the CBS network, Tuesday, December 5, on Channel 11 at 9:00 p.m. Sponsoring the December showing will be the Travelers Insurance Company. Shell has sponsored previous test programs.

The 1967 test was developed from the National Safety Council's defensive driving course and includes dramatic sequences on winter driving hazards, mountain driving, school buses, motorcycles and driving distractions.

The format of the program follows the pattern set previously. Filmed from the driver's standpoint, the situations involve the viewer and elicit natural driver reactions. National and studio sample audiences will allow viewers to compare their scores with others.

The program will be shown 20 days before Christmas to stimulate defensive driving during the long holiday season. The test will be televised in color.

## CLASSIFIEDS

### FOR SALE

1963 Ford Pick-Up; 1/2 ton, 6 cylinder. Radio, heater, airconditioner, camper on back.

\$1095.00

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Custom Wardy surfboard. Excellent condition.

\$95.00

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Cabin - Big Thicket Lake Estates - between Liberty and Livingston (Hwy. 146). 640 sq. ft. cabin; 2 lots (50' x 120' each); cedar siding outside; unfinished inside (partitioned off); partially furnished; plumbing; electricity (three 220 connections); water; hunting and fishing; lots cleared. Will take \$3,800 total. Have over \$4,500 invested.

Telephone - GR-2-3590

16 cu. ft. upright freezer by Carrier. Over 500 pound capacity. Good condition.

\$125.00

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Mattress (U.S. Rubber Foam Kylon); Box springs, and bed frame - Regular double size.

\$35.00

Telephone - 644-7044

Bass Boat 13' Glass Magic Nomad Speedster (Skeeter Style) Mercury Wizard 12 hp. Remote controls and steering on Chris-Craft small trailer - New spare tire--Extra props.

\$300.00

Telephone - PA-3-0740

Pirogue - 12' Marine plywood. Good condition.

\$35.00

Telephone - PA-3-0740

House in Deer Park. 205 East 2nd Street. 1 block from school. Two bedrooms and attached garage.

Telephone - GR-9-2241

1956 Mercury. Automatic transmission. 4-Dr. Sedan.

\$200.00

Telephone - GR-1-3556

