

Pipefitter Known For Quality Work



HIGH QUALITY WORK ROUTINE FOR PIPEFITTER BRINLEE

A perfectionist to the end, pipefitter Lewis Brinlee applies a finishing twist on Special Projects job in the north end of G-200. The 63-year-old pipefitter, known as "Old friendly Brinlee," has a reputation among his fellow workers as being hard to keep up with as well as being friendly.

Same Game: Different Views

The following articles represent two viewpoints of the game played August 2 in response to a challenge by the All Stars to the Turkeys, a SCORA baseball team.

Although you may experience some difficulty in recognizing both viewpoints as being of the same game, the fact is that it was, indeed, the same one. It all depends on which team you played or cheered for as to what viewpoint you are most likely to accept as the authoritative one.

All Stars' View

The Bill Ervin All Stars featuring the curves of Janie Dickerson lost a squeaker to SCORA'S Turkeys managed by boilermaker Barney Gaines under the careful guidance of Chester Guidry. The final score of 23-2 would have been closer except for a couple of bad calls by home plate umpire Bob Bray.

All Star shortstop Jim Raney was fined \$25 for not hustling.

The All Stars were noticeably weak at second base and left field. Trade rumors still persist involving Don Chrismer (on second base) and Duke Ellington (in left field). Manager Ervin indicated there will be more changes unless there is more hustling.

One All Star player will be retained and that's Slugger Charlie Towne. Slugger hit a homer and a half. The half being B. J. Faulkner, whom Slugger passed somewhere between third base and home plate. B. J. was just too pooped to stay ahead of Slugger. Consequently, with the ball right behind him, he was forced to slide into home or face the wrath of manager Ervin. The next day a stiff legged B. J. discovered that 30 years makes a difference in how one plays ball.

Hitting star for the Turkeys was J. J. Moore with one for four. It may be timely to mention here that effective

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Six Employees Retire

Albert C. Baker, 56, retired as an operator No. 1 in Resins with 24½ years of company service.

Albert and his wife, Thelma, make their home in Mabank, Texas.

Jim Britton, 60, retired as a service representative in General Services with 30½ years of company service.

Jim and his wife, Charlotte, make their home at 1311 London in Pasadena.

Anthony I. Dean, 55, retired as an operator No. 1 in Alkylolation with 20½



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years of company service.

He and his wife, Betty Jean, make their home at 4948 Whitney Avenue in Carmichael, California.

Richard T. Foster, 65, retired as a pipefitter No. 1 in Maintenance North with 33½ years of company service.

Richard and his wife, Hattie, make their home at 814 Cedarwood in Friendswood.

Loomis L. King, 57, retired as an operator No. 1 in Thermal Cracking with almost 30 years of company service.

Loomis and his wife, Marie, make their home in Livingston.

James E. Moulder, 59, retired as an electrician No. 1 in Maintenance North with 34½ years of company service.

James and his wife, Georgia, make their home in Spring.

Same Game: Different Views

Monday all of the Turkeys will be assigned to a permanent shutdown crew.

Turkeys' View

It was a sight to see Bill Ervin's All Stars, consisting of all chiefs and no Indians, beaten 23-2. Everybody had a good time laughingly trying to figure out how the Turkeys won such a decisive victory when, after the first inning, the All Stars were granted a handicap of six outs and 30 men in the field per inning to the Turkeys 3 outs and 10 men.

No one questioned that the All Stars' strongest point was their pitcher's curves, especially as viewed from second base. Another highlight of the game was the talented announcing done by Mickey Mattison. It has been reported that Mickey revealed the All Stars' hidden abilities just so he'd have something nice to say.

Spectators, as well as the Turkey team, made every effort to suppress their utter disbelief when instrument

foreman E. R. "Johnny" Johnson tried to catch a fly ball with his feet while lying flat on his back. Then everyone was aghast when two All Star runners laid claim to second base at the same time. It only can be assumed that they weren't aware of the game rules. Still, everyone agrees that All Star manager Ervin did a good job considering the 30 stars he had to work with.

One Turkey supporter said it appeared that some physical conditioning would have help considerably. One way to achieve this conditioning would be to get rid of all those air conditioning vehicles and go back to bicycles.

Rumors keep surfacing that SCORA plans an Old Folks league for next year just so the All Stars can be competitive. In the meantime, the Turkey's wives and children challenge them to a game.

The All Stars vs. Turkeys game convinced many that "old athletes never die, they just become supervisors in the field."



All Star manager Bill Ervin appears to be having second thoughts about his team's chances of beating the Turkeys, as home plate umpire Bob Bray reacts to Johnny Johnson's attempt to catch a fly with his feet. Coming up to bat is Dale Hargraves.

TEN-AND-OVER PARTIES SCHEDULED

It's the time of year when plans begin for the annual 10-and-Over Parties. Dates set aside at Sylvan Beach Pavilion are:

Saturday, October 1
Refinery

Saturday, October 15
Chemical

Mark your calendars now.

BLOOD PRESSURE TESTING

The Medical Department will be taking blood pressure readings in the cafeterias on the following days:

Refinery — August 15 and 18

Chemical — August 16 and 19

Time: 11 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

2 p.m. - 4:15 p.m.

QUARTER REPORT

Shell Oil Company's Second Quarter Report 1977 to its shareholders is now available by dropping the Shellegram office, room 151, Refinery Administration, or by calling 6301.

50 Scholarships Available To Shell Children

In its eleventh Shell Companies Scholarship competition, the Shell Companies Foundation, Incorporated, will sponsor 50 college scholarships for Shell children who will complete high school in 1979 and enter college in 1979. As in previous years, all phases of the competition will be handled by the National Merit Scholarship Corporation (NMSC).

Those eligible to compete are sons and daughters of regular full-time employees and retired or deceased employees of Shell Oil Company (including Shell Chemical Company and Shell Development Company) and Shell Pipe Line Corporation.

Students who wish to compete must submit completed 1979 entry forms by November 1, 1977, to Scholarship Competition, Shell Companies Foundation, Incorporated, Two Shell Plaza, P. O. Box 2099, Houston, Texas 77001. Additionally, they must take the Preliminary Scholastic Aptitude Test-National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test (PSAT-NMSQT) which will be given in high schools on October 18 or October 22, 1977.

Booklets describing the competition

and 1979 entry forms are available on request in the Employee Relations Department: Glenn Pardon, room 102, Safety Annex Building-Chemical or Bobby Garrett, room 164, Main Office-Refinery. Children of retirees or deceased employees should contact the Employee Relations office at any company location.

SCORA Events

Volunteers are needed to serve as dealers at the Las Vegas Night on August 27 at the Deer Park Firemen's Recreation Hall. If interested, call either Larry Csengery on 7750, Tom Davis on 6402 or Tom Meyer on 6716.

SCORA mixed volleyball season starts Monday, September 12, at 6 p.m. All games will be held at the Deer Park High School gym. If interested in playing, please contact Tom Meyer on 6716 no later than August 19.



1,000th SCORA member — Technical superintendent Don Schissler was more than surprised when SCORA president Sandra Bradbury called to inform him that his check for SCORA membership would be returned. Why? He was the 1,000th employee to join, and SCORA's board was providing that membership free.

Congratulations, Don! Enjoy your membership in SCORA.

Safety Records Honored



LEFT —

Guests at the electricians' safety party are pictured (counterclockwise) as they socialize prior to their sit-down dinner: Carl and Mae Miller, Jane and Dudley Dale, Darrell and Patty Isenberg. Having a good time were John and Betty Gauntt.

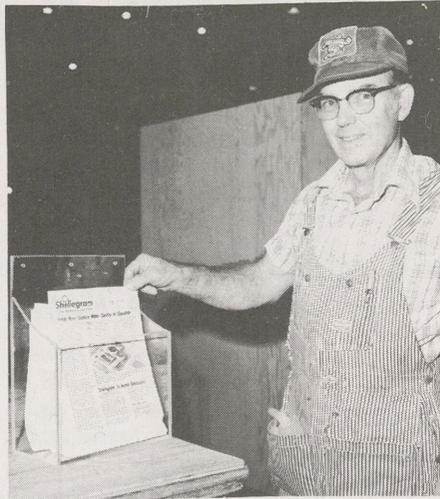
BELOW —

Services employees enjoyed a "fun time" at their recent safety party. Guests adding to the evening's activities were: Charlotte Rice; couples, Janice and Tim Bourgeois, Donna and Jerry Murray; Curtis Doucet and Bink Lang.



Carpenters Build

Carpenter D. W. Tibbs poses with one of 12 boxes he built for dispensing the new **Shellegram** format, while carpenter, W. A. "Tack" Tackitt, is pictured working on a Xerox machine cabinet for the warehouse. Tack installed the new boxes at chemical's clock alley, the warehouse and the warehouse. Tack installed the new boxes at chemical's clock alley, the warehouse and the Maintenance South office building. Labels for the boxes were done by Leroy Taylor in the Maintenance North print shop.



Classifieds

FOR SALE

Four square acres of wooded land in Pineland, Texas, off Hwy. 96, about halfway between Lake Sam Rayburn and Toledo Bend. \$4,000. 946-7800

1970 Sportcraft, 18-foot deep V-boat, 120 hp I-O, rebuilt engine, outdrive, power trim, new interior. \$2,700. 479-0498

1976 Honda 550 motorcycle, low mileage, excellent condition, extras. \$1,400. 921-0513 after 6 p.m.

1974 Yamaha Enduro 360 dirt bike. \$350. 475-2437

Woods bikes, 175cc and 125cc Montesa, 4-bike trailer. \$800. 488-3397

Chevy Impala, P-S, P-B, air, good work car. \$500. 476-0128 after 4 p.m.

1971 Ford, full power, V8, clean, low mileage. \$1,200. 479-5389

1969 Dodge ½-ton truck, P-S, air, automatic, 2 saddle tanks, slider rear window. Will trade for motorcycle or sell. 473-8727 after 5 p.m.

1971 VW, automatic, air, good condition. \$1,000. 946-4964

1977 Ford LTD Country Squire station-wagon, loaded, like new. 473-2104

1973 Montego Brougham, auto, air, AM-FM stereo, vinyl top, new tires, sharp inside and out. \$1,950. 474-3370

1976 Chevy van, 13,000 miles, like new, AM-FM tape, partially customized. \$4,975. 476-5837

New 36-inch aluminum screen door with latch and closer. \$22. 453-0231

Duncan Phye mahogany drop leaf table, 2 leaves, custom pad, 4 chairs \$100. Large oval brown braided rug, 12'x16'. \$35. Rust braided rug, 8½'x11½'. \$15. 473-2973 after 4:30 p.m.

Duncan Phye solid mahogany dining table and 6 chairs. Couch. Solid maple twin beds with mattress and springs, dresser and chest. Double bed mattress and springs, dresser and chest. 862-9780

100 sq. ft. V-crimp sheet metal, 8-16 foot lengths. 452-0572

1973 Yamaha Enduro 175, CT3, very good condition. Motorcycle 3-rail trailer. 474-3556 or 474-2455

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