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"Your Information HOT LINE"

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TO ALL EMPLOYEES

"QUICKIE" HURRICANE BLOWS UP IN A HURRY

Hurricane Cindy does not appear destined to earn a place in history for her devastation - thank goodness - but she may well have one distinction. For as late as yesterday afternoon, the quick-forming disturbance had not been labeled a "hurricane". In this day of long-range, across-the-Gulf weather tracking, we usually have several days advance warning of a pending hurricane. With Cindy it was only a matter of a few hours.

The teletype bringing in the latest weather reports suddenly became the most popular place in the Refinery after Cindy was detected, and activity picked up throughout the Refinery to "batten down the hatches".

Though it seemed a certainty - if "certainties" are possible in hurricanes - that this would not be a major hurricane and that in addition we would escape the maximum intensity of the blow, still, the necessary precautions were taken in all departments to make sure that such things as scaffolding was down, loose materials tied down.....just anything that might cause damage or injury from high winds.

With this done, we waited and watched, 'til the wee hours of morning. And as the path of the hurricane skirted along the coast, on past us, the feelings of everyone were summed up with, Well, we missed that one!"

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FOR J. DENLEY...
a trouble light...

A FIRE EXTINGUISHER
for R. W. Woods....

A. F. SARTOR
rated the light "tops".

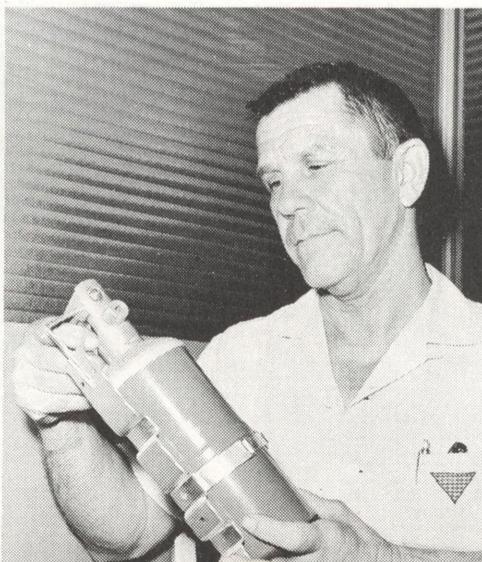


W. W. WEST (right) receives trouble light from H. M. Miller, Fire and Safety Department.

SAFE WORKERS MAKE CHOICES - TROUBLE LIGHT TOP ATTRACTION

Our first five winners have made their choices of safety items from the display cases...Leading the list of safety partners available for more home and recreation safety was the trouble light with the blinking red warning signal. Three of our winners, W. W. West, J. Denley, and A. F. Sartor chose it. The trouble light can be used for a variety of purposes - for hunting, fishing, and as an aid when car trouble develops at night, to name

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a few. Woods chose the fire extinguisher - to be placed in his kitchen at home...just in case. For Bill Cowgill the seat belts were his choice, for that extra measure of safety on the road.

There'll be more winners chosen from our growing list of Safe Workers in the future...And to be eligible for one of the prizes, you must be caught being a "safe worker" by our Mystery Man...And since we don't know when-or where-our Mystery Man will be roaming next, the best bet is to always be a safe worker, and then you're always ready for his visit....

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SHELL MAGAZINE SUBSCRIPTIONS
NOW BEING TAKEN

Subscriptions for the "Shell London Magazine" are now being taken for the period January-December, 1964. The subscription rate is 85¢ per year.

As in the past, the Mailroom will take these subscriptions from the individual, or they may be handled by designated personnel and forwarded to the Mailroom. Deadline for getting in the subscriptions to the Mailroom is October 9, 1963.

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NEW PROCEDURE FOR CHEMICAL PLANT
NORTH GATE

As of yesterday, the Chemical Plant has assigned a guard to be on duty at the North Gate to the Chemical Plant from 7:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. each normal work day, Monday through Friday.

During the period that this gate is unattended, anyone desiring entrance into the Chemical Plant by way of the North Gate must contact the Chemical Plant Main Gatehouse. To do this, a telephone is located on the north fence on the Refinery side just east of the gate. This is a direct telephone connection and requires no dialing. Simply pick up the receiver, announce yourself and request entrance. The Sergeant or Main Gateman will immediately come to the gate and arrange for entrance.

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An Indian took his watch to the jeweler to have it repaired. The jeweler took the watch apart and a dead bug fell out. The Indian remarked, "Ugh! No wonder watch no run...engineer dead!"

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GLASSES FOUND NEAR CAFETERIA

FOUND: Pair of glasses, gray, shell plastic rimmed, in brown leather case, found Monday afternoon near Cafeteria. Owner may claim by coming by the Editor's office, Room 132, Main Office Building.

C L A S S I F I E D S

FOR SALE: 1952 Chevrolet, two-door, six-cylinder, standard shift, radio, heater, good condition, \$160. Call HU 4-2165.

FOR SALE: Table saw, 9", like new. 1 hp motor, stand, dado blades; \$200 setup for \$100. GR 3-7902.

WANT TO BUY...1955 or 1956 Chevrolet. Call B. E. Daniels, GR 9-2241.

