ANSWERS TO TEST YOUR ARABIC

I am twaaxini—I'm sorry or don't hold it against me.

I. The young man: "I want to ask for the hand of your daughter."

I. The father of the girl: "I don't give my daughter by the piece."

III. Once upon a time a lady and her mother-in-law was shown the big city from the roof of the RCA finder and light meter. Contact: I. S. Beirut.

NEW CONSTRUCTION AT QUARAIATAN COMPLETED

With completion of a third bay added to Quaraiat's permanent structure, a new mess hall and housing facilities for both nationals and transient senior staff employees are now in use. Constructed of local stone, this additional wing also houses both nationals and transient senior staff employees are now in use. Constructed of local stone, this additional wing also houses both nationals and transient senior staff employees are now in use. Constructed of local stone, this additional wing also houses both nationals and transient senior staff employees are now in use.

MAY-JUNE THRUPUT SET NEW RECORDS

Oil deliveries to Sidon Terminal smashed previous records during the months of May and June. A total of 16,092,574 barrels of crude were pumped into terminal storage in May, averaging 329,772 barrels per day. June set a new record with an average of 335,672BPD.

Those records resulted from increased station discharge pressures, reduced station surcharge pressures by use of vertical booster pumps, and almost continuous operation at full system.

EXTENSIVE REC PROGRAM PLANNED FOR STATIONS

An extensive and permanent recreational program for the pump stations has been approved by Company management, and a series of intra-station sports activities are presently underway at most of these locations.

HOURS OF WORK CUT IN ARABIA

Tapline employees in Saudi Arabia were informed June 9 that effective July 1 their work week would be reduced to 44 hours for regular day workers and 42 hours for shift workers on 24-hour, seven-day uninterrupted operations. With this work schedule a majority of Tapline workers will have a five and a half day work week with half day off on Thursday and a full day off on Friday or any other half and full day off during the week, depending upon their individual schedule. There will be no reduction in pay because of the reduced work week.

To really get this new program rolling an old-fashioned, get-together barbecue for all employees and their families will be held during the month of July at each of the stations. Entertainment for this event will feature a tug-of-war, relay races, 100 yard dash, 50 yard dash, two-legged race and the running broad jump. Suitable prizes will be presented by the Station Superintendent to winners of the various competitions.

Under the proposed recreational setup, each of the stations will be the site of a different event every two weeks. A new, 25-bed hospital at

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Service is the word for Min—der” has been a familiar slogan with the residents of Rafha for some time. Firmly believing in carrying out his classification to the very letter, Emil’s activities frequently range from carrying food to an errant employee who finds himself incarcerated in the local bastille. And, he’s been observed virtually ripping the recreation hall apart single-handed in the heat of a general cleaning campaign.

Emil Minder arrived in Saudi Arabia four years ago as assistant recreation hall supervisor at the Company’s eastern division construction camp, Ras el Misha’ab. “He was a slender Minder in those days”, laments (?) Emil. At that time he felt confident that half a contract or, at the most, a full contract would complete his desert experience.

One harbored such a first impression, Emil stayed on. In 1951 he became Service Foreman at Rafha, later transferring in the same capacity to Turaif and thereafter to Qusimah. Several months ago Minder was welcomed back to the Rafha fold. He’s non-committal on his exact age — except he claims he saw the light of day in Jerusalem in the early 20’s. Educated by the Fathers at the College des Freres in Jerusalem, Emil took a short course from the College and specialized in English and Accounting. A long line of related work led him to his present occupation.

Emil does not report any hobbies, sports interests or plans for the future, the records reveal that Minder is a bachelor — and what’s more, gals, he can cook!

**IN THE SPOTLIGHT**

**NURSE, WHAT DID I DO WITH THAT LITTLE SAW?**

**MISPLACED TOOLS CAUSE TROUBLE!**

**OPERATIONS REPORT**

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**Test Your Arabic**

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IV. Ho7? 7ay l | (An expression)

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**Employees Receive Service Pins**

Sudan Terminal employees E. C. Constantine (left), Y. S. Essrawi (right) and N. M. Gherayeb (second from right) are new members of the five-year service group. June 2 was the anniversary date of Essrawi and June 4 for Constantine and Gherayeb. Employed in the Operations division, these men were awarded their pins by Capt. A. A. Breathauer, acting terminal superintendent.

It was quite an occasion at Turaif when Jim Hughes (Mich.) had his five year service insignia pinned on by Asst General Superintendent Nick Bibby, May 28. On hand to congratulate Jim were (left to right) C. G. Rush, R. B. Lewis, C. L. Koellner, H. L. Krapp, Station Superintendent Ken Curran and W. K. Fuller.

Supervisor Jim —Mahan, May 1.

Salim M. Kayssi of Community Services received his five year pin from Supervisor Jim Mahan, May 1.

Another P&T employee to reach the five year goal is Hassan A. Labban, who was awarded his pin May 29 by Supervisor George Majar.

W. P. Harris, acting superintendent of P&T, presented his two-star pin to Superintendent G. H. Gossens, May 22.
Meet Beirut Headquarters

The Accounting Department in Beirut has come a long way from its beginning in 1947 when its personnel constituted but a small contingent of the overall organization. Today fifty-four Lebanese and eight American employees handle the vast amount of work turned out by this department.

The pictorial spread on these two pages still does not cover all the functions of the Accounting group. Next month our camera lens will sweep through their Materials Accounting section as well as cover the remainder of the Relief and Special section. Also, for the next issue the camera is aimed at P&T - Purchasing and Transportation, which operates as a unit of General Services (Operations).

Accounting's representative in the Management group is O. T. Swanson, Assistant Treasurer and Assistant Comptroller, who is in charge of the department's Field operations. Mr. Swanson's office is in Room 403.

Also a new appointee is H. L. Seeley, assistant superintendent of Accounting. Herb's office is in Room 209.

Payroll accounting of American personnel is in the hands of H. L. (Hank) Little. Hank can be found in Room 213.

Developing procedures for the Accounting department is the job of Richard Chanish (left) who shares office space with Ray Bedros (right) of the Audit section in Room 203.

A familiar face at the cash window in Room 205 is that of Mitri Antonios. From here pay and living allowance envelopes are dispensed, traveler's checks issued, stamps sold, checks cashed and other miscellaneous cash transactions handled.

A new appointee is O. K. Bigelow, who recently appointed superintendent of the department, is located in Room 210.

Below: The analysis and bookkeeping section of Accounts 207 and 208. This section is supervised by W. J. Keane.

Time and payroll accounting of national employees is headquartered in Room 206. George Shehabel (second from right) is supervisor of this section.

O. K. Bigelow, who was recently appointed superintendent of the department, is located in Room 210.
Pipeline Periscope

Turaif by M. Jaouni

Welcome home to Dick Prentice who returned from Stateside vacation June 9. To their home station, Badanah, returned Fran Franssen from Rafha; and, of course, Nicolas Daceashe from Beirut.

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**EXTRACTION REPORT FOR THE OPENING OF A NEW COMMUNITY CENTER IN DEPARTMENTS**

**BRITISH CONSTRUCTION**

The opening of the new community center in Tripoli, Lebanon, was held on May 22 as a part of the annual tournament organized by the Tripoli Massachusetts Club. The center includes a number of facilities such as dining and recreation rooms, and it is being used to accommodate the growing number of workers in the area.

**NEW COMMUNITY CENTER OPENED**

The new center, located in the heart of the city, provides a range of services and amenities for the local community. It includes a dining area, recreation rooms, and facilities for children and adults. The center is open to all, and it is expected to become an important hub for the local community.

**NEW COMMUNITY CENTER LOCATED**

The center is situated in a strategic location, making it easily accessible for the local population. It is located near several major roads and public transportation routes, ensuring easy access for all.

**NEW COMMUNITY CENTER SERVICES**

The center offers a range of services to the local community, including dining and recreation facilities, as well as spaces for children's activities. It is also equipped with modern technology and amenities to meet the needs of the community.

**NEW COMMUNITY CENTER FUTURE PLANS**

The management of the center is looking forward to expanding its services and facilities in the future. They are planning to add more spaces for activities and events, as well as improving the quality of services provided.

**NEW COMMUNITY CENTER MISSION**

The main mission of the new community center is to provide a welcoming space for the local community, where they can come together to socialize, participate in activities, and access various services. It aims to foster a sense of belonging and community spirit.

**NEW COMMUNITY CENTER POST-OPENING**

After the opening ceremony, the center was open for the public. People of all ages and backgrounds flocked to the new facility to explore its various amenities and services.