CONTRIBUTIONS FLOWN OUT TO AMMAN

Over 30 boxes of warm clothing and blankets were flown in Tapline’s aircraft from Turaif to Amman Feb. 24 and turned over to the Jordanian Red Crescent for distribution among Palestine refugees.

All segments of the Turaif Community participated in the campaign to collect the plane-load of clothing as soon as Capt. N. Oleynick suggested a drive similar to Aramco’s which had netted over 12 tons of warm clothing and blankets earlier in January. Capt. Oleynick made the suggestion in commenting on the contributions made by Aramco communities. “Wouldn’t it be nice if we could do something similar,” he said.

The first prompt response came from the members and President of the Never-Green Golf Group who had just completed their drive to collect clothing for the annual “Rummage Sale.” The Group decided to turn over the contributions to the Palestine refugees in Jordan.

Unmarried people as well as families stationed in Turaif subsequently joined the drive by looking for new things which could be offered to the refugees. Contributions were received by Mrs. H. W. Sutherland and Mrs. J. H. Rosquist; sorted and mended by Mesdames L. T. Norton, E. R. Robertson, A. M. Christman, J. J. Makkinje, M. N. Nasser, N. Oleynick, and Misses Violette Helou and Darnell Gates; and packed by Capt. Oleynick and M. Nasser.

Mrs. J. L. Koenreich and Mrs. Carl Scharn accompanied the shipment to Amman Airport, where it was turned over to Jordanian Red Crescent representative Walid al-’Said.

This marked the second time since last June that Tapline families in Turaif expressed their concern about refugees by extending to them generous contributions in the name of friendship and humanity.
14 TAPLINERS ATTEND LMA

The presentations were made, respectively, by Jamal Suleiman, of Middle East Industrial Relations Counsellor; Dr. Leif Dahl, Professor of Psychology at the American University of Beirut; R. E. Kirkpatrick, Employee Relations Adviser, Mobil Oil Co., Lebanon; and Albert Mansour of the National Social Security Fund in Lebanon.

Taplin participants in the one-day seminar aimed at enabling Management representatives to review major policies, practices and problems in the area of labor relations were President W. R. Chandler, and Vice President—Administration H. S. Smith (who served as panel chairman in the third and first sessions, respectively); Vice President—Relations R. M. Henry, M. Abou Jawdeh, J. Breidi, J. Fadil, Dr. A. Ghanim, G. M. Hajjar, A. O. Jobach, M. Kerbage, F. Khabbaz, A. Nouram, J. Sobeh, and N. Soule.

OPERATIONS ASSIGNMENTS

Manager of Operations J. J. Kellemes has announced the following changes in the Operations Department assignments in Saudi Arabia.

—The Mechanical Maintenance and Transport, Operations and Repair—Pipeline, and Central Facilities sections are reorganized into a Mechanical Services Section reporting to the General Superintendent.

—W. P. Moore is appointed Superintendent, Mechanical Services. Reporting to this position will be R. J. Gather, Coordinator, Mechanical Maintenance; C. H. Hardwick, Superintendent, Pipeline Repair; L. T. Norton, Foreman, Central Mechanical Shop; R. Rapold, Foreman, Water Wells; E. R. Rohman, Foreman, Garage and M. M. Nasser, Supervisor, Materials and Administration, Mechanical Services.

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February
1. Shipping
   Receipts
   466.0
   443.8

2. Deliveries—MDH
   274.6
   389.9

3. Offshore Ships
   11.5
   17.7

4. JFK Exchange
   19.3
   16.0

5. Medway
   17.0
   16.0

6. Jordan
   8.9
   8.7

Total Deliveries
315.2
413.3

Latest Forecast for March Offshores loadings, including Medway is 104,000 barrels per day.

ZCC GOLFS WIN AFIA CHALLENGE CUPS

Zahrani Country Club golfers upset their counterparts from the Golf Club of Lebanon Feb. 11 to win the A.F.I.A. (American Foreign Insurance Association) Challenge Cups.

Eight singles matches were contested for the Ladies’ Cup, ten singles matches and five two-ball foursome matches played in the morning and afternoon, respectively, for the Men’s Cup. Match play was with full handicap differential and each match was scored on the basis of the full 18 holes—two points for win, one point for tie and zero for loss of match.

In the men’s group, ZCC took seven singles (for 14 points), conceding three (for 6 points) to the visitors. In the afternoon, they walked away with four of the five two-ball foursome matches, scoring 8 points to Zahrani’s 2 points. The overall score for the Men’s Cup was ZCC 16 points, Golf Club of Lebanon 14.

ZCC’s own members proved more formidable, scraping five of the eight singles matches and losing three, to win the Ladies Cup by 10 points to 8.

ZCC and Golf Club of Lebanon players prepare to tee-off at Zahrani, Feb. 11, for the A.F.I.A. Challenge Cups.

A. D. Mohammad

A. Nassar

Tom Hauff, Vice President of the A.F.I.A., made the cup presentations following a succulent curry luncheon at the Rig.

Retired Badanah Plumber Mamdouh Salim al-Shammarry cuts a cake at the farewell party given to him recently by the Operations-General personnel in Badanah.

Zahrani Country Club golfers cut a cake at the farewell party given to the Badanah Plumber Mamdouh Salim al-Shammarry recently.

The 50-bed hospital being constructed by the Saudi Arab Government in Ar’ar is reported about 70 percent complete. The hospital, which will be run by the government, is scheduled for completion this year. It will include clinics as well as living quarters for physicians and nurses. (Photo by Nasr).

The Keyes were presented by Station Superintendent C. S. Babb in the presence of Club Steward Ibrahim Abdul Rahman.
Several farewell functions honored the M.A. Kearneys prior to their March 1 transfer to Aramco. Shown above at the farewell party hosted for the transferred couple by Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Koenreich are, from left, Mrs. Kearney, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Kearney, Mr. Koenreich and J. J. Kelberer.

**KEARNEYS, BICHLIS, KRYUTS & NAJJAR ARE BIDDEN WARM FAREWELL IN TURAIFF**


The former General Superintendent and Mrs. Kearney left the Arabian headquarters for the line March 1 with daughter Patricia Annette (left) and son Daniel Gus, on transfer back to Aramco, where Mr. Kearney assumed the position of Superintendent-Pipelines in Abqaiq. Mr. Kearney has been with Aramco since June 20, 1949. He joined the company ranks in May 1956. Mr. Kruyt was appointed Assistant Foreman-C. E. & I. in February. Mr. Najjar had left Turaif earlier in July 1964. Mr. Najjar had transferred to Tapline-Turaif to the Arabian headquarters for the line March 1 with daughter Patricia Annette and J. L. Koenreichs. Mrs. Kearney left the field permanently in February. The former General Superintendent—Pipelines in Abqaiq, Mr. Koenreich and J. J. Kelberer.

**SERVICE STARS**

Eight Tapliners earned Starship emblems in February and March for chalking up 15 years of continuous company service. Ten other employees completed 10 years of service each during the same months.

The 15-year-pin recipients:

**Outward**

M. Mousa of Operations General
A. Sadeq of Operations General
A. Rafii
I. Bidal of Operations General
O. W. Shumary of Operations General
Sifas
J. H. Hanna of Operations and Repairs, Station
Z. W. Kaldawy of Operations and Repairs, Station
**Turaif**
S. Fayad of Community Services
M. S. Thabet of Operations General
The 10-year-pin recipients:

**Bashad**
A. M. Abdallah of Medical
A. K. Mawloud of Medical
O. Mohgal of Operations General
B. S. Saba of Medical
**Baitar**
F. E. Kasha of Accounting
**Outward**
A. R. Mohyed of Medical
A. Haoun of Motor Transport
G. G. Mourad of Medical
M. H. Saif of Saudi Arabia Government
**Turaif**
A. A. Khelil of Motor Transport

**SEA SEARCH**

Tapline's efforts in trying to locate a stranded and abandoned schooner off Sufian's coast have been commended by local officials in South Lebanon.

Schooner's local customs officer and port captain appealed for the terminal's assistance in helping locate the missing Egyptian schooner "Fahd" at 2300 Hours, Feb. 26, shortly after the schooner's three-man crew arrived at the Terminal's pier in a rowing boat. The crew had rowed for 14 hours before reaching the pier after having abandoned the schooner which had sustained a broken auxiliary engine and was in no position to use its sail because of sailmaker weather.

Following receipt of the official request for assistance, Tapline sent out its tugboat "Swigart" to search for the missing schooner. The vessel has been equipped with fishing gear including engine and方法是针对不同的需求和应用场景来设计的。
Beirut

Robert E. Marsh, Manager—Relations, Arabian American Oil Company, was away on vacation from March 12 to 30.

George T. Balas delivered a speech to a group of Tapiolayers from Beirut and Sidon on March 19 in the Conference Room. His talk centered around the general subject of crude oil supply and distribution and included references to transportation economics.

Mr. Balas is Assistant Vice President—Government Relations and Manager—Economics Department, Standard Oil Company of California.

J. J. Kelleher, D. M. Felker, G. M. Higginbotham, R. H. Davis and A. O. Juhlefi, participated in the Management Safety and Supervision Seminar, which was conducted by the Scientific Methods, Inc. of Austin, Texas, at the Phoenix Hotel Feb. 4-6.

The seminar included analysis and identification of managerial styles. The basic theme of the seminar was the degree of concern for people versus profits in production.

The second quarterly meeting of the Management Safety and Fire Protection Seminar was held in Erbil, Iraq. The seminar took place in Qayara on Feb. 19, 21st, and 22nd. A. E. Lindsey, J. J. Kelleher, G. H. Canale, J. L. Kushner, H. H. Jabara, F. M. Nagesh, H. Dura and Hans Reinnet, the committee reviewed the activities during the first quarter of 1968.

H. J. Kelleher, Senior Engineer—Cathodic Protection, and Bassem Yuquman, Senior Engineer, repeated their trip to Beirut March 22 from a five-day business trip to Syria. They returned to Beirut March 22 from a short visit to Beirut in early February.

Their purpose was to attend the University of Beirut's International Seminar on Cathodic Protection, which was held at the University of Beirut in early February.

Mr. Balas is Assistant Manager—Cathodic Protection, Standard Oil Company of Syria.

Qaisumah

Congratulations to Shift Operator Mrs. Mohamed Ali Safitri on the birth of her baby, a girl, on March 10. The baby weighs 7,410 grams at the company hospital in Badanah on Jan. 22. Patrick and Mrs. W. A. Eddy; and Said Taher are the proud parents of this new addition to the Qaisumah family.

Robert E. Davis, the project manager for the Zahrani Club, announced that the club has been transferred to Turaif. The Zahrani Club's annual general meeting held in mid-February.

George Stephan is with us again from Melbourne, Australia, following a successful "pot luck" supper.

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hosted a dinner party on March 8 to celebrate the birth of son Raymond.

Matrooh Mashan held Radio Operator S. Obaid during the latter's absence from Raffa. Off to Beirut on holiday are Dr. and Mrs. B. Gouriyani and children.

Sonata Technician Waldi Goshali arrived here from Ba-

deig, March 12.

Welcome to Franks Ane on his transfer here from Bahrain. Mrs. A. M. Seeghna, who has moved to Qunas, and Mrs. John Arnold held a dinner party Feb. 25 in honor of visiting General Attorney and Mrs. W. A. Robinson and Manager of Opera-

tions J. J. Seeghna.

Making the pilgrimage to Mecca this year from Raffa were Saad Bahees, A. Mohammad, Mulaq Aswad, Turki Rahab, Matti Banayan and Ayed Kha-

bulk.

Off on vacation are Moham-

med Abdallah, Salem Omran, Abdo-Majid Muhammad, Mosta-

raf Hamad and T. Anok.

Turaif

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. I. Bishay and Mr. and Mrs. Salim al-Farej on the birth of son Victor and Karl.

Mrs. R. L. Cosgrove and Mrs. L. T. Norton took advantage of their seasonal visit to the E. O. Witters in Qamines during the last week of February to host for Qiname an “American” dinner and traffic.

Dr. and Mrs. M. A. Baroudy entertained Dr. J. Thubalos at dinner during his overnight stop-

over here Feb. 23.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Robinson, J. J. Seeghna and G. M. Hajar of Beirut attended the farewell function hosted by General Super-

intendent and Mrs. J. L. Cowen-

ch in honor of Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Kameir.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Qaieff and children, Doreen and Dennis, and Mr. and Mrs. J. Hartman and son, Tom, made an overnight trip to Bahadera in late February.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Suther-

land won top honors at the 18-hole Callaway Tournament organized by the Qatar-Gulf Golf Group, Feb. 22. Mr. Sutherland took the low gross honors with 80 strokes for 18 holes. Ahmed Said finished second with a score of 81. Mrs. Sutherland took the low net title with 78. Other participants in the tournament were J. H. Bousquet (runner-up, low net), Ahmad Balshe, Nasser Mustafa, B. H. Putnam, N. Olesky, L. Brisco and Sohibelly Mahlia.

Miss Candye Colesworth cele-

brated her 14th anniversary on March 16. Mary happy returns.

Mr. and Mrs. George Faraj and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Schaefer celebrated their sixth and seventh wedding anniversaries during the month.

P. H. T Superintendent G. M. Hajar was in Turaif on business in late February. He was the former guest of the S. Naseers in the 30th. 

Several conditions are ex-

tended to George Faraj on the recent death of his uncle, Mr. Phreas, and his brothers, Mr. Andre and Doreen.

Congratulations to Ahmad Said and Mrs. H. W. Sutherland for bringing back to Turaif the tro-

phies of the Open Invitation Golf Tournament played at Qamines March 7-8. Making the trip to Qunas for the Open Invitational from Turaif were the J. L. Cowenches, H. W. Suther-

lands, J. H. Bousquet, Ahmad Said, C. H. Hardwick, Mrs. J. Makkine, Mrs. E. C. Olsen, L. Brisco, Mrs. E. R. Robertson, Dr. and Mrs. M. A. Baroudy, E. L. Waid, N. Mufford and capta-

ins D. H. Lambert and N. Oleynick.

Speaking of golf, Turaif will sponsor the annual Lus Tourna-

ment on the April 7-8 weekend. Plans for the Tournament were discussed at a meeting of the Novo-Gulf Golf Group held March 19 at the Rousgile's. L. Brisco has been appointed Tournament chairman.

Miss Vidette Helen left her March 16 following a few weeks visit with her sister, Mrs. Maurice Naseer. Prior to her departure, Miss Helen was entertained at dinner parties by the L. T. Norton's, A. M. Christians and R. L. Colesworth.

Mrs. E. C. Olsen celebrated her 21st birthday in March.

Dr. and Mrs. I. Kiblawi and Dr. N. Turk of Beirut were entertained by the M. Naseers during their stopover in Turaif on March 3.

A dinner was served the same evening by Mr. and Mrs. F. Qaieff in honor of Mines Baila Jass and Rupina Blahabkeen. Mrs. Jass left on vacation March 6 while Miss Blahabkeen left the field permanently on the 14th. R. H. Putnam and Elie Conly drove off to Beirut March 5 on annual leave.

Also off on holiday are Mr. and Mrs. George Faraj and children, Jamel and Badii, R. E. Peer and F. Studer.

Dr. A. Basilak of AUR's Pediatric Department left here March 1 on completion of his six-month assignment at the Turaif Hospital.

I. F. Pagelle of Aviation, Beirut, also left for Beirut on completion of a three-week assignment in Turaif.

Ms. J. L. Keernech held a small farewell in mid-March in honor of Miss D. Cole, visiting from Bahrain, and the R. W. Boys.

J. L. Keernech and R. H. Putnam were in Qamines March 14 on business.

J. H. Bousquet, J. Makine, J. Gunningberg and W. P. Moore left for Abuqig March 14 on a company business. Moore, Moore and Bousquet were in Abuqig March 10-13. Mr. Bousquet re-

ports that the H. L. Keps, J. L. Schsend, G. B. Farah and M. A. Keemer join in sending their best to Tapline friends along the Line.

Men and Mrs. R. W. Boys returned to Bahrain March 16 following completion of Mr. Boys' relief assignment in Turaif.

The Turaif Swimming Pool Association held its annual meet-

ing March 18 to elect officers and hear the outgoing president's and secretary's reports and financial statement. Newly-elected officers are R. H. Putnam, president; M. N. Nasser, vice president; E. C. Olsen, secretary; and D. M. Droure, treasurer.

Good luck to Miss Azizeh Isha and Abdallah Shifer of Medical on their transfer to Turaif and to Abdallah Shifer and Sandra Ynes, also of Medical, on their transfer to Qunas.

Our hearty felicitations go to Amern Almar on his recent engagement to Miss Georgette Haddid, a former Tapline nurse currently serving at the American University Hospital in Beirut.

SEA SEARCH

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search for the missing schooner southwest of Salib.

The schooner's captain accompanied the "Swigart" crew in the search which extended from 2300 Hours, Feb 26 to 0400 Hours, Feb. 27.

The Swigart's unsuccessful efforts to locate the missing schooner were rewarded at 0900 Hours, Feb 27 for the "Ezahra." The latter launch returned to the Terminal at 0900 Hours following another nine-hour fruitless search.

The Lebanese Government participated in the search with an airplane and a fast marine craft. The "Huluk" was subsequently located off the Beirut shore.