

## TECHNICAL EDITOR'S PAGE

With this issue, the Transactions Journal is able to print more technical papers per issue, and the next December issue will be even thicker. This year we have had an increasing backlog, more than we planned. Next year we expect to have a large flow of technical information to this journal from the Energy-source Technology Conference and Exhibition, the National Solid Water Processing Conference, and the Ocean Engineering Sessions at the Winter Annual Meeting, and additionally, from the Offshore Technology Conference. Note that the paper presentations at OTC do not constitute "prior publication" for this journal, since the ASME Petroleum Division is a member Society cosponsoring the OTC. But the OTC papers review for possible publication in this journal has been processed on the basis of the stringent ASME Transactions review criteria, independent of the OTC review.

In 1982 ETC will have seven Symposiums, each providing three full days of technical programming of six to nineteen technical sessions within each Symposium. They are:

Synthetic Fuels Symposium  
Wind Energy Symposium

Arctic-Offshore-Deepsea Systems Symposium  
Pipeline Technology Symposium  
Drilling and Production Technology Symposium  
Refining/Petrochemical Mechanical Engineering Symposium  
Diesel and Gas Engine Symposium

Information on ETCE and individual Symposiums can be found in this issue.

We, the editors of JERT, would like to take this opportunity to thank all the reviewers and the review processors for their valuable time, professional dedication, and excellent work. We plan to print the list of reviewers and review processors named in the March 1982 issue. Our March issue will be featuring Arctic engineering, offshore mechanics, and drilling and production technology.

Season's Greetings

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