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HOUSTON Future Oil Center of AMERICA

The recent transfer of the Central and Gulf
Coast headquarters of

the

SHELL CORPORATION

and the general headquarters of the

TIDE WATER OIL CO.

to

HOUSTON

and announcement

of a proposed

**\$5,000,000 Refinery
at HOUSTON**

are indications of the increasing impor-
tance of Houston in the oil world.

Houston is in the heart of one of the
world's richest known oil fields.

Houston has rail connections to every
part of Southwest, with rapid and
dependable service.

Houston has 68 steamship lines keep-
ing regular schedules to every part of
the world.

Pipe lines extend to Houston from all
important fields in this territory.

Houston possesses every advantage of loca-
tion, climate and facilities to producers or
refiners of oil.

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