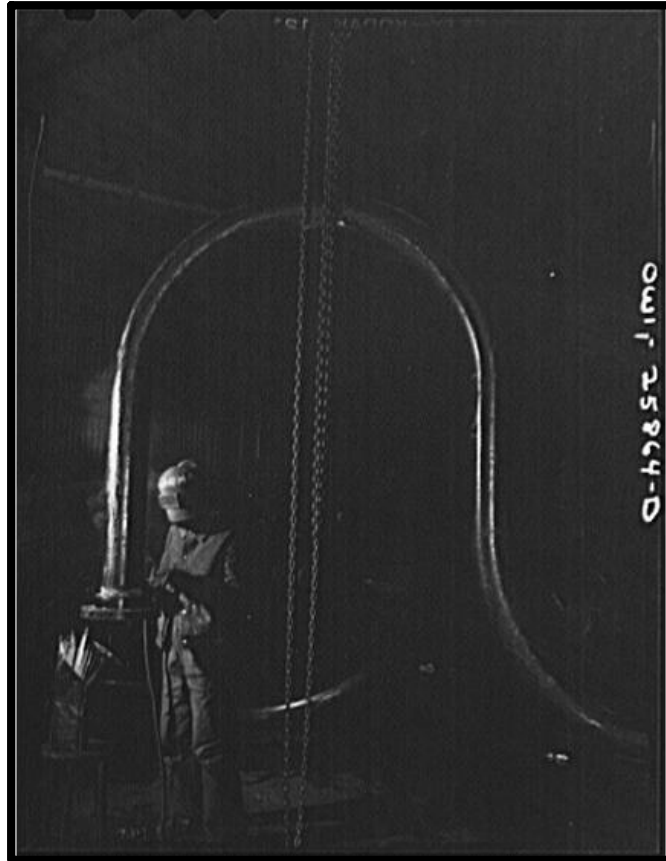


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Source: Siegel, A. (1943, May). *Bethlehem-Fairfield shipyards, Baltimore, Maryland*. [Woman welder working on bent pipe]. Retrieved December 28, 2009, from Farm Security Administration – Office of War Information Photograph Collection database. (LC-USW3- 025864-D)

### Background Information

Many female workers employed in wartime industries such as Bethlehem Steel shipyards at Sparrows Point and the Glenn L. Martin Company learned skills not commonly taught to women workers. The worker pictured above is employed at Bethlehem-Fairfield shipyards demonstrating her ability to weld a large steel pipe. Many of the materials welded by these women would be use in ships designed for combat overseas.

