

# Chamber, GP Plant in Int'l. Magazine

The Torrance Chamber of Commerce and General Petroleum's Torrance refinery came in for attention by an internationally circulated magazine this week.

The FLYING RED HORSE magazine, published by the Socony-Vacuum Oil Company carries a three page article in its July-August issue, which states,

"Balmy California climate and heavy West Coast crude give unique character to this Flying Red Horse unit."

The article points out that General Petroleum's refinery is the second largest of any in the Flying Red Horse Companies which include Socony-Vacuum, Magnolia Petroleum Co., General Petroleum and several others which operate all over the globe. The FLYING RED HORSE magazine is published for employees of all the affiliated companies, their stockholders, and others interested in the oil industry. It has readers in over thirty foreign countries.

"The refinery also watches the weather because when it gets low towards 32 degrees, heaters are lighted in the citrus groves. The heaters each burn better than 50 gallons of oil a night. That puts sudden demand on distributors everywhere that is instantly reflected back to the refinery."

Illustrating the article are many pictures of General Petroleum refinery employees including Paul Sanders, Glen W. Bowden, Robert Lenton, Raymond Foster, Lois Edwin, R. E. Lauterbach, A. E. Thompson, Albert Phillip, Sidney Prigg, Thomas Spellman, C. C. LeBarth, "Whitey" Richardson, Bert McCoy, Damon Jacobsen and A. J. Alexander.

General Petroleum's property tax manager, R. I. Plomert, Jr., is shown in front of the Chamber of Commerce building.

The article, written by FLYING RED HORSE staff writer Mellor Jones, stresses the importance of weather in the operations of the refinery.

"Electric power is produced in California by either burning oil or using water power," says the article. There's no coal economically available. Heavy snows in the mountains or heavy rains mean ample hydroelectric output and less demand for oil."

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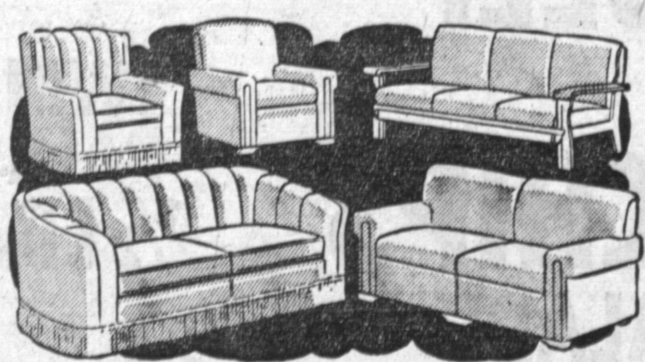
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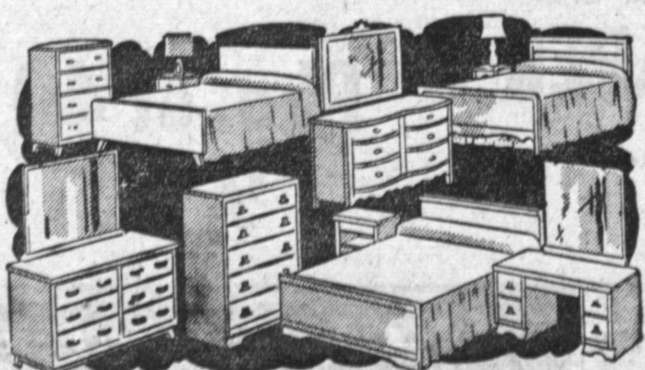
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