

Opening of the Oil Pipeline Valves at Norris City



Description

Opening the oil pipelines valves at Norris City, Illinois so oil from Texas can be loaded into railroad tank cars for shipment East. Left to right: Burt E. Hull, Vice President and General Manager, War Emergency Pipelines, Inc.; W. Alton Jones, President of War Emergency Pipelines, Inc.; George A. Hill, Jr., Executive Vice President and General Counsel of Defense Supplies Corporation; and Ralph K. Davies, Deputy Petroleum Administrator for War.

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8x10 inches (21x26 cm) Black & White

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People Pictured Davies, Ralph K. (Ralph Kenneth), 1897-1971 Jones, W. Alton (William Alton), 1891-1962 Hill, George Alfred, 1892-1949 Hull, Burt E. (Burton Elias), 1884-1958

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