SNYDER, Oct. 29 (Spl). — Henry Luce of New York, editor of Time, Life and Fortune Magazines, toured three oil fields near here Saturday morning after a night at C. T. McLaughlin’s Diamond M Ranch and took off by plane for Dallas where he was to be Governor Shivers’ guest at the Texas-SMU football game Saturday afternoon.

Luce and Bill Johnson of Dallas, southwestern bureau chief for Time and Life, arrived at the Diamond M at 5 p.m. Friday aboard a private plane from Fort Worth, where they were guests of Amon Carter on a whirlwind tour of Carswell Air Base, the Convair factory and the Star-Telegram newspaper, radio and television plants. The Luce party were luncheon guests of Maj. Gen. Roger M. Ramey, 8th Air Force commander, at Carswell after a detailed briefing on the B-36 and its defense potentialities.

“It is terribly impressive,” Luce said of the B-36. “It confirms my opinion that our first importance is to have a power of retaliation great enough to discourage aggression.”

Luce and Johnson were met at Arlington, en route here from Dallas Friday morning, by Carter and Amon Carter Jr. who accompanied them on the tour. Both were presented Shady Oak hats before boarding the twin-engined plane, piloted by Roy Prim, which brought them here.

They were honor guests at a ranch dinner at 9 p.m. Friday.