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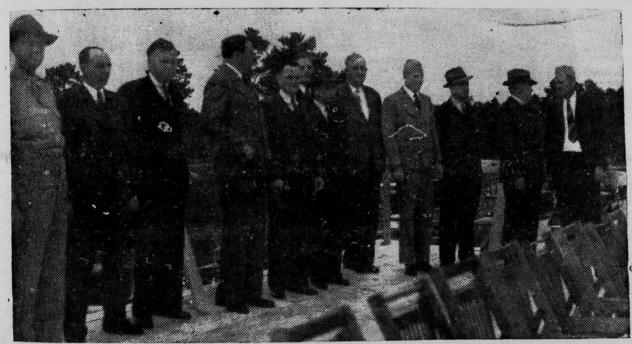
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AT ARMORY DEDICATION PROGRAM



Above photograph shows visitors, officials, veterans lined up on the reviewing stand just before the armory dedication program began here Sept. 27. They are, reading left to right: Col. H. E. Newell, Earl Parker, J. R. Wrenn, J. M. Broughton, J. R. Allsbrook, W. B. Allsbrook, M. D. Collier, N. W. Warren, Rev. Daniel Lane, Dr. Bahnson Weathers, Alfred Terrell, and M. C. Newsom.

HELPS IN ARMORY DEDICATION



is pictured Alfred Terrell, President of the Roanoke and Pattermpanies and Vice-President of the Simmons Company, as he VPA shovel with which helped dedicate the armory site by from the excavation where the cornerstone will rest. Others who participated in the shoveling are Mayor Allsbrook, Ma-Newell, and Lt. Col. Ferner.

MEN BETWEEN 21 AND 36 REGISTER IN SERVICE ACT

All male persons, except men connected with the United States Army, Navy, or Marines, or branches thereof, between the ages of 21 and 36, will be required to register under the Selective Service and Training Act of 1940 on October 16, 1940. Registration places will be regular polling precincts for the county, state, and national elections (changes have been made at Littleton and The hours of registration Hollister precincts). will be from 7 a.m. until 9 p.m.

Help Wanted

Clerical help is needed for the job of registering the approximately 6,000 men between the ages of 21 and 36 in Halifax County next Wednesday, October 16.

Kelly Jenkins, Chairman of the County Board of Elections which is in charge of the registrations, said today that at least fifty persons were needed in this city alone for the big job on October 16. He stated that he would like to ask for volunteers through the press.

Those who are willing and able to serve in this task should communicate with Mr. Jenkins by telephone, letter, or go to see him in person. If the volunteer writes, he or she should give name, age, and address.

Following are rules governing irregular registration: 1. A man abroad or on the high seas on the day of registration must register within five days after reaching home. 2. A person sick may (a) secure a person to register for him if he is not in hospital; (b) if too sick to register, he may obtain special permission to register later by presenting doctor's certificate; (c) Special deputies will be sent to hospitals to register patients there (T. J. Alford has been appointed for the local hospital). 3. If absent from his home on registration day, a man may register at the most convenient registration place. His card will be sent to the local poard. 4. Those in schools, colleges etc., will come under provision 3 above. 5. Inmates of jails, penitentiaries, reform schools, asylums shall register the day they are released.

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CHARGES GUARDSMEN



Governor-Nominate J. M. Broughton is pictured above, standing before the microphone on the reviewing stand at the armory site here during the dedicatory services. Recalling some of the deeds of former soldiers of North Carolina, he told the members of Company B that they had a great tradition to uphold. He felt, he went on, that they would carry on the tradition with great pride.