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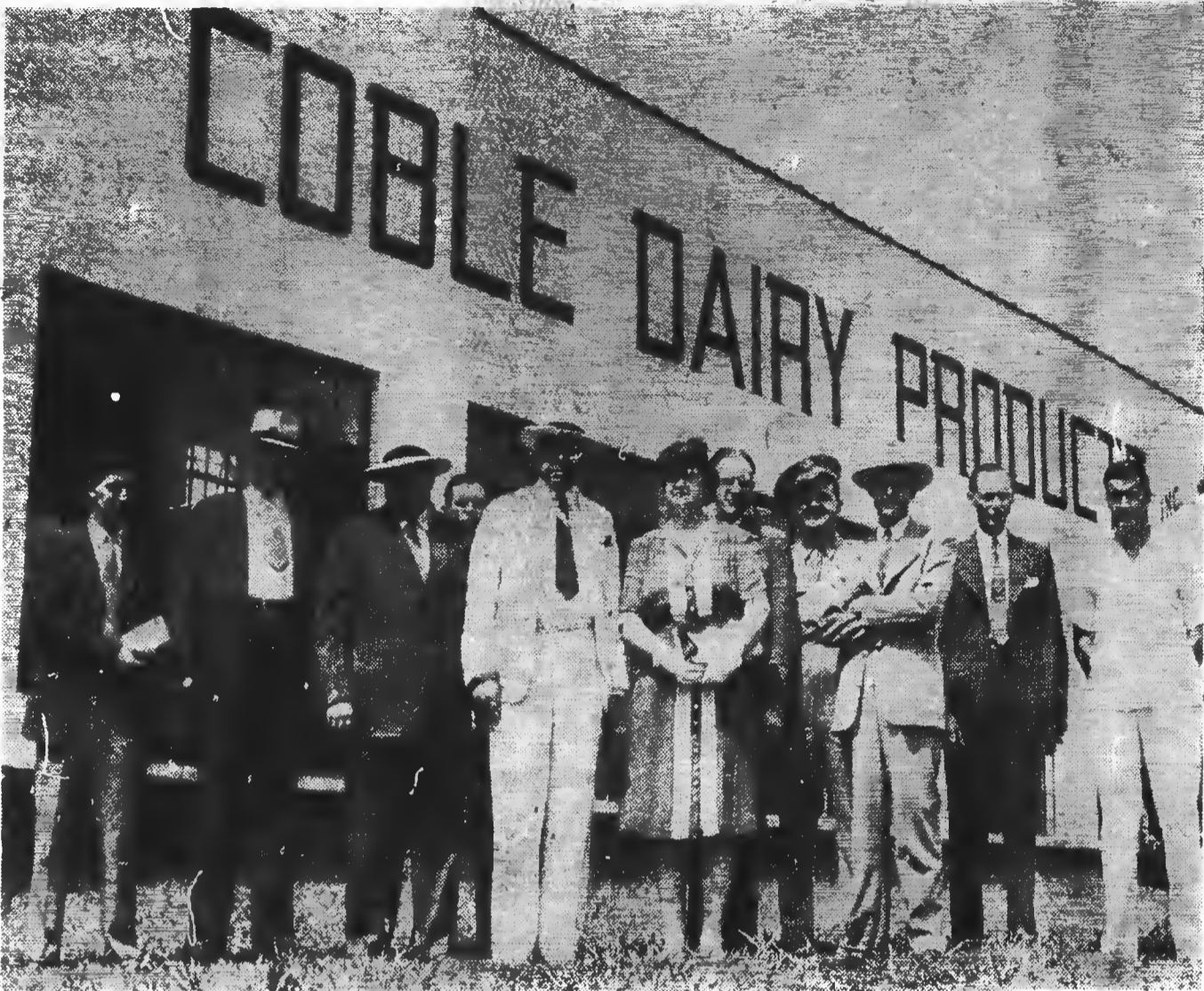
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GOVERNOR BROUGHTON WITH GROUP VISITING COBLE PLANT



Governor J. Melville Broughton, the big man in the white suit near center of this picture, on Friday visited two of Wilkes county's most interesting and best known enterprises, the Coble Dairy Products company plant in Wilkesboro and Champion Poultry Farm at Champion. The picture above, including the party who accompanied the state's chief executive, was made on the lawn of the Coble plant in Wilkesboro after the Governor had gone through the plant while it was in operation. Left to right in the picture are: Dwight Nichols, editor of The Journal-Patriot and whose articles in the "Food For Freedom" edition attracted interest of the Governor to such an extent that he decided to visit the

plant and poultry farm; J. B. Williams, local building and loan and insurance executive who was instrumental in having Mr. Coble to locate his big manufacturing plant in Wilkesboro; George S. Coble, president of Coble Dairy Products company; J. B. Snipes (behind Coble), Wilkes county agent whose work was highly praised by the Governor; Governor Broughton, Mrs. Broughton; Frank Buck, Coble company auditor and financial advisor; Capt. Jacob P. Mauney, of the U. S. army in charge of milk control for this territory; Ray Coltrane, general superintendent of Coble Dairy Products company; H. H. Cobb, superintendent of the Coble plant in Wilkesboro; Eddie Forester, egg drying department foreman. (Photo by H. Lee Waters).

HIGHWAY PATROL OFFICIAL AND S.B.I. AGENT INDICTED

Many Cases Tried During Court Term

Jack Reynolds Given 10 to 15 Years In Pen

James Stamper, 15-year-old youth indicted for murder of Bryce Jennings, 13, in Mulberry township a few weeks ago, was sentenced in Wilkes court by Judge J. Will Pless, Jr., to an indefinite term in Jackson training school or other juvenile institution.

Stamper, who was first held without bond after the dead body of his associate in a squirrel hunt was found three days after his death, entered a plea of manslaughter. He refused to be freed from his story that he accidentally shot Jennings while trying to shoot a bird.

Jack Reynolds, who entered a plea of manslaughter for the death of Robert Nicholson, was sentenced to from 10 to 15 years in the state penitentiary at hard labor.

Tax paid liquor totaling 609 cases, which were seized on the premises of Phillip Yates near Purlear June 1 in a raid by SBI and highway patrol officers, was ordered confiscated and to be sold by the county, although the liquor charge against Yates was not disposed of. The case of Tim Yates, from whom 150 cases were taken, was called and the liquor was ordered.

R. J. Hinshaw To Retire From The City Barber Shop

Has Been Barber Here For Past 29 Years; T. E. Cain To Succeed Him

R. J. Hinshaw, one of the best known barbers in this section of the state, will retire from active work on September 1, he said today.

Mr. Hinshaw came to North Wilkesboro 29 years ago to engage in barber work. Later he became a principal owner of the City Barber Shop which he operated for a number of years, and which will continue to be operated after September by T. E. Cain, also a well known local barber.

The building occupied by the City Barber Shop, as well as the equipment, is owned by James Lowe, now in army service.

At Camp White



Pvt. Zeb C. Walsh left Thursday for Camp White, Oregon, after spending a few days with his wife, the former Miss Minnie Glass. Mrs. Walsh is making her home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Glass, of North Wilkesboro.

Lentz, Scott Face Charges Liquor Theft

Officials Are Charged With Responsibility For Shortage

Lieutenant W. B. Lentz, of Asheville, head of the state highway patrol in the western division of the state, and Guy Scott, an agent of the State Bureau of Investigation, were indicted by the grand jury in Wilkes court this week on charges of larceny and receiving in connection with the alleged disappearance of \$3,000 worth of seized liquor, and for violation of the prohibition laws.

The two high officials of law enforcement agencies are charged with larceny and receiving of a total of 90 cases of expensive liquor, which were alleged to have been part of 697 cases of tax paid liquor seized at Phillip Yates' home near Purlear on June 1, this year.

After the true bills were returned by the grand jury, Judge J. Will Pless, Jr., who is presiding over court, ordered that capias be issued for Lt. Lentz and Scott and that bonds be fixed at \$500 each.

Highway patrolmen and SBI agents raided Yates' premises on June 1 and made the wholesale seizure of liquor, which Yates said was worth \$40,000 and consisted of almost 700 cases. The liquor was turned over to the county commissioners and the inventory showed only 609 cases.

Newspaper stories of an alleged shortage in the amount of liquor attracted much attention.

On opening day of Wilkes court Judge Pless called attention to the reports and instructed the grand jury, of which E. M. Blackburn was foreman, to make a thorough investigation and report to the court.

Solicitor Avalon E. Hall, who had done much preliminary work investigating the reports, sent to the grand jury blank bills of indictment and the names of about 25 witnesses to be called before the grand jury for questioning. (Continued On Page Four)

Rationing Of Stoves Is Announced

Dealers To Register With Rationing Boards

Wilkes rationing officials today announced that rationing of all types of heating and cooking stoves will go into effect on August 24.

Sept. 1, 2 and 3 have been designated as dates for dealers to register and declare their inventories of heating and cooking stoves.

Any person who buys a stove after August 24 must first fill out an application and must secure a certificate from a rationing board.

OPA Manager Says No New Rationing

Washington. — The new OPA general manager, Chester Bowles, says his organization is not considering the rationing of any additional items not now on the ration list—that is, with the exception of coal.

In California



Pvt. Nelson Money, son of Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Money, of North Wilkesboro route three, is now stationed near Los Angeles, California. Pvt. Money, who entered the army in February, is expecting overseas service soon.

More Pulpwood Is Needed

Journal-Patriot Enlists In U. S. Pulpwood Drive

The Journal-Patriot has joined other weekly and daily newspapers of the nation in a campaign to aid the Government to help solve the serious pulpwood shortage situation.

It is the second time since Pearl Harbor that the nation's newspapers have been called upon to overcome a serious war material shortage.

Last fall it was the Newspapers United Scrap Metal Campaign. At that time scores of steel mills faced shutdowns for lack of vital materials. What the newspapers accomplished in that drive is history. The situation was saved with more than 6,000,000 tons of precious metal collected.

Now it is the pulpwood campaign and it is equally serious because hundreds of thousands of cords of the nation's pulpwood are required for war purposes.

The Victory Pulpwood Campaign was initiated by the War Production Board, with the cooperation of other Federal Departments, war agencies and industry. It is designed to relieve increasingly serious shortages in pulpwood, the raw material which makes smokeless powder, rayon for parachutes, plastics for airplane parts, shell and bomb casings and shipping containers for ammunition, foods, supplies, blood plasma and other necessities for our armed forces and our allies.

Last fall the weekly and daily press, responding to the call of Donald M. Nelson, chairman of the War Production Board, organized and conducted the memorable Newspaper Scrap Metal Drive. Mr. Nelson described (Continued On Page Four)

Old Type Gas Coupons Expire On August 24th

Wilkes rationing officials announced today that all old type gasoline rationing coupons will expire on August 24th.

The old type coupons include both B and C coupons in the old type books which have cardboard covers.

Those who have old type B and C coupons may exchange them for the new type at rationing board offices.

Buy War Bonds and Stamps In New York State



Pvt. Lloyd W. Palmer, who entered service in January, 1942, is now stationed at Pine Camp, N. Y. He received his basic training at Fort Knox, Ky., and then to Greenville, Pa., before being sent to his present location. Pvt. Palmer is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Palmer, of this city.

Stores To Remain Closed On Wednesday Afternoons

Announcement is made today that North Wilkesboro stores and business firms will continue to be closed on Wednesday afternoons, except during the month of December.

The plan was originally announced in May and to continue through August. However, it was decided to continue Wednesday afternoon closing with the exception of the month of December. This is in line with arrangements in other towns.

Those to be closed on Wednesday afternoons include practically all department stores, furniture stores and jewelry stores. One drug store will be open each Wednesday afternoon

Revival at Lewis Fork Announced

Rev. A. W. Eller, pastor, has announced that revival services will begin Sunday night, August 22, at Lewis Fork Baptist church. Rev. Glenn Huffman will assist the pastor in the services, which will be held at two p. m. and eight p. m. daily.

Sellers of roast corn have supplanted roast-chestnut vendors in Paris.

LIST WILKES MEN ACCEPTED

Wilkes Selective Service boards have received from the induction center the names of men accepted this month from Wilkes for the various branches of the service.

A larger percentage of men sent to the induction center this month was taken, in comparison with the number in recent months. List of accepted men follows:

- BOARD NUMBER 1
Army:
Otto K. Whittington, Jr.
Arthur Edward Parlier.
Wade Hamilton Palmer.
Maynard Lee Miller.
Charlie Guy McGlamery.
John Robert Frazer.
Kid Junior Brooks.

- Noah Lee Call.
Claude Fred Bentley.
Glenn Ray Walsh.
Lloyd George Mayberry.
Richard Bynum Price.
Navy:
Wesley Shelton Anderson.
Lawrence G. Critcher.
James Andrew Kinore.
Marine Corps:
William Harvey Hayes.
William Martin Moore.
BOARD NUMBER 2
Army:
Udy Clay Wood.
Guy Columbus Spicer.
Paul Herman Miller.
Claude Dean Higgins.
Robert Lewis Bowers.
Paul W. Shumate.
Radford Harold Blankenship.
Steven Harvey Hauric.
Carl Alexander Shumate.

- Leo Joshua Darnell.
Bruce Gibson Joiner.
Paul Edward Church.
Vernon Reece Byrd.
Tam Hall.
Howard Glenn Wingler.
Navy:
Willie Reeves.
Palmer Franklin Craven.
James Robert Smoot.
John Grant Elledge.
Hilton Eugene Holbrook.
Ralph Alexander Hayes.
Howard Chester Holbrook.
Jack Vannoy Eller.
Edward Eugene Warren.
Thomas Paul Welch.
Marine Corps:
Heracle Davis Hunter.
Fred Thomas Jennings.
Coast Guard:
James Earl Smith.

Rations

BLUE STAMPS— (For canned, frozen and certain dehydrated foods)

Blue stamps R, S, and T, became valid August 1 and will be good through September 7.

GASOLINE— "A" book coupons No. 6 good for three gallons each and must last till November 21.

RED STAMPS— (For most products, canned fish, most edible oils and cheeses).

Red stamps T, U, V, and W, will remain valid through August 31.

SHOES— No. 1A shoe in War Ration Book One good for one pair through October 31st.

SUGAR— Stamp No. 14, good for five pounds, because valid today and is good through November 1. Stamps Nos. 15 and 16 in War Ration Book One now are valid for 5 pounds of sugar each, for use in cooking.