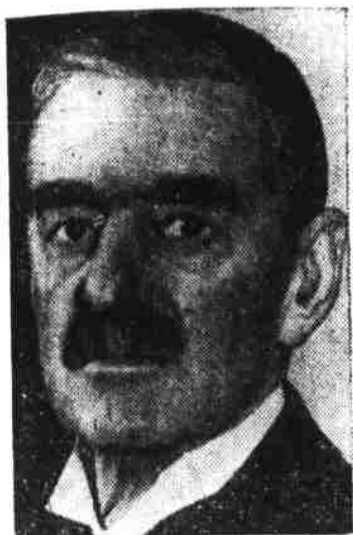


## Were Headlines As World War II Began 10 Years Ago Today



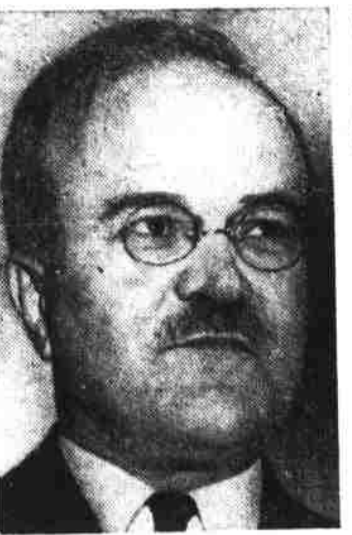
**NEVILLE CHAMBERLAIN**, Prime Minister of Britain, now was set to fight as "appeasement" failed.



**EDOUARD DALADIER**, French premier, warned Hitler his country would go to the aid of Poland.



**JOACHIM VON RIBBENTROP**, Nazi foreign minister, just signed a non-aggression treaty with Russia.



**PREMIER VYACHESLAV MOLOTOV** of Russia agreed Reds would not join a war against the Nazis.



**GENERAL MAURICE GAMELIN** headed French army, which experts called the best-trained in the world.



**MARSHAL SMIGLY-RYDZ** led Poland's half million men under arms, pronounced a prolonged war.



**GEN. WALTER VON BRAUCHITSCH** commanded forces which soon sliced through Poland.

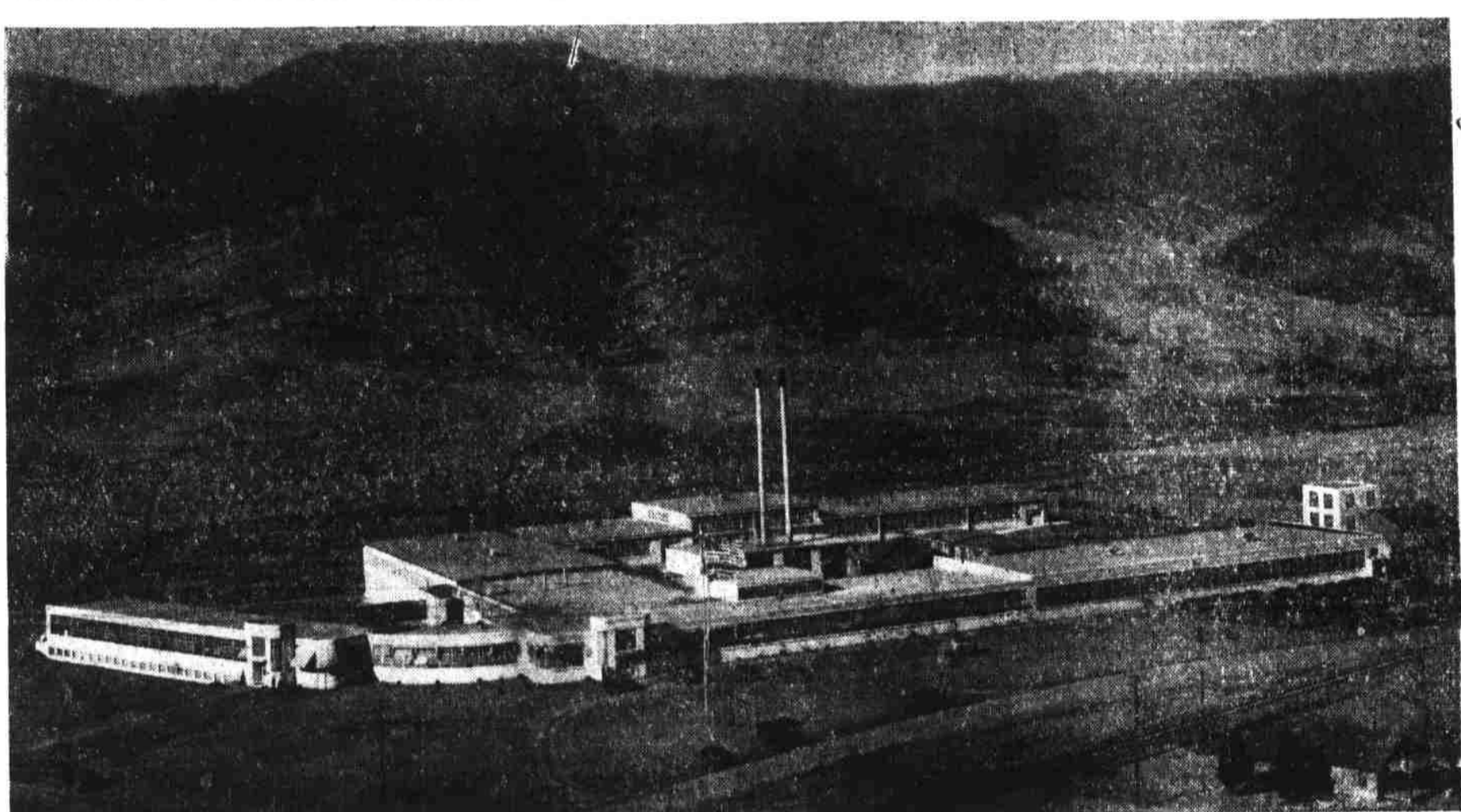
### HEADLINES:

#### Years Ago Today

#### Started Rolling

Germany's...  
 Allies invade Sicily (July 1); Ital-  
 ians depose Mussolini (July 25); Al-  
 lies invade mainland of Italy (Sept.  
 3); and Italy surrenders (Sept. 9).  
 Marines land at Tarawa (Nov.  
 21), capture Gilbert Islands.  
 Bremen bombed by 500 U. S.  
 planes (Nov. 27).  
 Roosevelt, Churchill and Stalin  
 meet at Teheran, agree on Euro-  
 pean invasion plans (Dec. 3).  
 —1944—  
 Marines and army troops land at  
 Kwajalein in the Marshalls (Feb.  
 1); U. S. planes attack Berlin  
 (March 4). Russians recapture  
 Odessa (April 11). Rome captured  
 by Allies (June 4). D-Day—Ameri-  
 can, British and Canadian troops  
 seize Normandy beaches in biggest  
 water-borne invasion of all time  
 (June 6).  
 U. S. troops land on Saipan in  
 Pacific (June 15).  
 Allies break out of Normandy  
 beachheads, routing German armies  
 (July 25).  
 Allies enter Paris (Aug. 25). De-  
 feated German race for shelter of  
 Siegfried line. American troops  
 enter Germany (Sept. 12). U. S.  
 troops invade the Philippines (Oct.  
 20).  
 U. S. navy wins biggest battle  
 in its history, crushing Japanese  
 sea power in second battle of the  
 Philippine sea (Oct. 24-29).  
 Allies launch 300-mile wide of-  
 fensive on western front (Nov. 16).  
 Americans suffer setback in "Battle  
 of the Bulge".  
 —1945—  
 Allies smash German line, re-  
 gain many miles in "the Bulge"  
 (Jan. 12). U. S. Third army  
 smashes through Siegfried line  
 (Feb. 5). Russians reach outer  
 defenses on Berlin (Feb. 7).  
 U. S. Marines land on Iwo Jima  
 (Feb. 19). U. S. First Army crosses  
 the Rhine on Remagen bridge  
 (March 7).  
 B-29s set great fires in Tokyo  
 (March 10). U. S. troops invade  
 Okinawa (April 1). American and  
 Russian forces meet on the Elbe  
 river (April 27). Russian flag raised  
 over shattered Reichstag building  
 in Berlin (April 30). Berlin cap-  
 tured (May 2). German radio in  
 Hamburg reports death of Hitler  
 in Berlin.  
 VE Day—Germany surrenders  
 (May 6).  
 U. S. warships and planes smash  
 at Japanese cities (July 10). Atomic  
 bomb dropped on Hiroshima (Aug.  
 6). Russia declares war on Japan  
 (Aug. 8). Atomic bomb dropped on  
 Nagasaki (Aug. 9).  
 VJ Day—Japan sues for peace,  
 formally surrenders (Sept. 1).  
 Churchill frame  
 (Aug. 14). Nazis  
 (Aug. 14). Russia "is  
 rise again"  
 half Nazis  
 Nov. 12).  
 attack on  
 Congress de-  
 Germany de-  
 leaves Phil-  
 promises to  
 More than  
 bomb Cologne.  
 at Guadal-  
 Canal saved  
 "Desert Fox"  
 at El Ala-  
 fires stage  
 Africa (Nov.  
 take Bonn,  
 Russian  
 out of 22 Na-  
 (Dec. 1).  
 victory at  
 Americans and  
 in Africa

Western United States contains more than 60,000,000,000 feet of standing White Fir sawtimber. About 50,000,000 tons of ice are produced yearly in 6000 plants throughout the United States. The longest barrier reef in the world parallels eastern Australia for more than 1,200 miles. American women use perfume and fragrance products to the value of \$685,000,000 per year. A small vial of rose-perfume can have as much as 200 pounds of roses in it. Myrrh and frankincense were aromas only used in religious ceremonies in early times.



# LABOR DAY 1949 GREETINGS

As we observe this 1949 Labor Day, it is fitting that we make it a period of Thanksgiving for the many blessings that have been bestowed upon this community—we have been spared of floods, storms, crop failures, and serious disease epidemics. To live in such a splendid place affords us a lot of satisfaction, and enjoyment in going about our daily tasks. For this Labor Day, let's make it a day of Thanksgiving and rejoicing.

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### Honor Roll For Clyde Church Is Announced

The Clyde Methodist Sunday School has announced the perfect attendance honor roll for the month of August as follows: Mrs. Grady Rogers, Mrs. John Stamey, Mrs. Robert Corzine, Mrs. J. H. McDowell, Mrs. Frank Chambers, Mrs. Dae Mann, Mrs. Marvin Dotson, Grady Rogers, Mrs. Bruce Sellers, Jewel Rhinehart, Shirley Welch, Janice Corzine, Geraldine Fish, Janice Smathers, Mildred Rhinehart, Roger Morgan, Richard Morgan, James Craig McDowell, Elaine Pless, Carolyn Burnett, Frank Chambers, Jr., Linda Smathers, Mike Leatherwood, Nancy Noland, John R. McDowell, and Carolyn McDowell.

**IRVING J. THOMAS ON VISIT HERE**  
 Irving J. Thomas, a prominent realtor of Coconut Grove, Fla., will spend the month of September in Waynesville. He is stopping at the Palmer House, and will enjoy golf while here.  
 Mr. Thomas expressed his pleasure at being back in these beautiful mountains. He has been a regular summer visitor here for a good many years.