

MAYOR WILLIAM BAGLEY (left) has just handed a Golden Shovel Plaque to Troy Page Jr. as Troy Page Sr. looks on at the official opening of Troy Page Ford Thursday Oct. 24.



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# Troy Page Ford Grand Opening

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The official opening of Troy Page Ford was held Thursday, Oct. 24, at 11 a. m. at the new location on Highway 70 West.

Mayor William P. Bagley gave the welcoming address and the Rev. Rufus Stark gave the invocation.

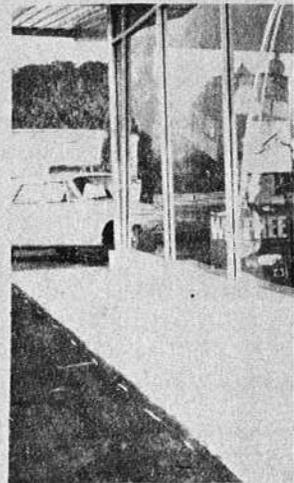
Mayor Bagley went on to say How happy he, along with the Town Council, was that this modern and beautiful structure was a part of Clayton's business world.

"We are glad to have had a small part in the completion of this building by furnishing the electricity from the town of Clayton," Bagley continued.

Other town officials on hand to welcome this Ford Dealer to the new location were Richard Woodard, president of the Chamber of Commerce, and Mrs. Elsie Cheshire, secretary to the chamber and a number of local merchants.

Several officials from First Union National Bank of Raleigh

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TROY PAGE JR. welcomed the opening of Troy Page Ford. Son Mark looks on. Gathered.

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were present as was G. Ednes from WTIK.

Mr. Page was presented the Golden Shovel Award by Ford Motor Co. in recognition of his new facilities.

Richard Woodard commented "I feel this company with its modern structure and equipment is a great asset to Clayton and its surrounding area. I hope the people of our town