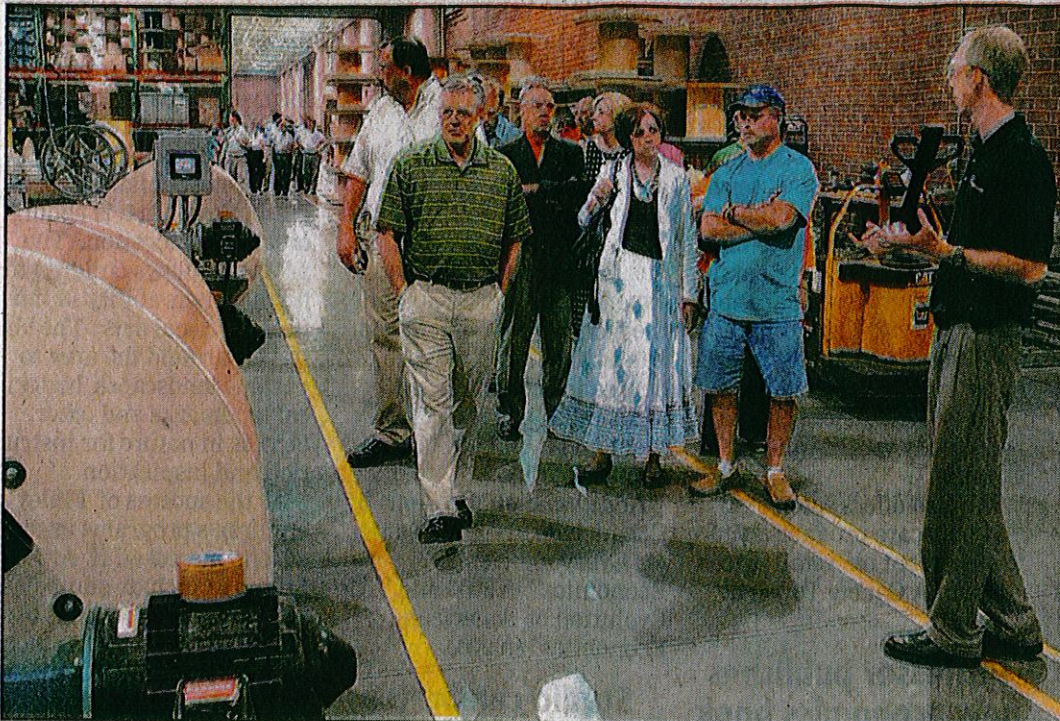


# Expanding company has open house



Fiber-Line Inc. held an open house on Friday to celebrate a \$4.5 million expansion that doubled the size of its Hickory plant. The Pennsylvania-based company is a converter of synthetic fibers utilizing twisting, winding, splicing and impregnation to enhance the performance of yarn for such markets as the filter optic cable, utilities and composite material industries. Here, Jamie Little (at right in photo), operations manager, shows visitors through the plant on Performance Drive, SE.