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Summary Information

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The Wapping Creamery Co. was founded around 1883, and operated at 74 Felt Road until 1929. Workers collected milk from local dairy farms and churned it into butter, which was then sold to area stores. The 1,656-square-foot building also was used to manufacture illegal booze during the Prohibition era; a 1,500-gallon still was found inside the structure in 1930. The site is now a private residence.

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