

South Carolina Cotton Mills Raise Workers' Pay 10 Per Cent

Greenville, S. C., May 9.—More than 5,000 employees in 19 South Carolina textile mills were given 10 per cent increases today, reflecting better business conditions and appreciation of the loyalty of the workers.

Mills here and in Greenwood, Ninety Six, Woodruff, Renfrew, Liberty, Simpsonville, Easley and Fountain Inn were affected by the increases.

Meanwhile, other mill officials were adding workers to the factory rolls while still others contemplated "wage adjustments."

Over the week-end, the Greenwood, Mathews, Panola Number 1 and Grendell mills at Greenwood and the Ninety Six mills at Ninety Six announced the increase.

Others Come In
Today additional announcements were made by the Brandon corporation here for the Brandon and Poinsett mills here; the Renfrew at Renfrew and the Brandon corporation plant at Woodruff. The Woodside mills with plants here, in Simpsonville and Fountain Inn and the Easley mills with two plants at Liberty and one at Easley also increased their employees' pay.

Late today officials of the Victor Monaghan mills said their five plants would immediately increase wages of employees, but the amount of the increase was not specified.

The Woodruff and Easley officials in announcing the increase said:

"This increase is not based so much on earnings but to show our appreciation for the loyalty of our help. They stood by us without a murmur and we planned to remember them as soon as we could do so. We are doing that now and, on the prospect of better times, we can announce this wage increase."

Business Improving
Officials of the Judson mills here said a number of employees had been recalled to work during the past few days and that orders were piling up.

W. J. Bailey of the Clinton mills said, when asked about wages in his mills: "We will have to wait and see how long this prosperity lasts. We only hope that it is not a flash in the pan. It looks like the genuine thing."

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Where We Are Heading
The general policy of the Administration is beginning to take

This Week In Washington

Washington.—The word has gone out that all of the Roosevelt program is to be pushed through Congress before the date of the World Economic Conference, which is to meet in London on June 14. A good many Senators and Representatives will want to go to London at that time, whether they are delegates to the Conference or not; and Mr. Roosevelt will, naturally, want to have some of his close advisers over there, but as long as Congress is in session he needs them here. So the big rush will be to get through and adjourn early in June, leaving less pressing matters to lie over until the regular session next December.

Another reason for the desire for an early adjournment is to give business and industry a chance to get used to the changes in conditions brought about by the new sort of laws which will all have been put in force by early June. So much of the legislation which has been adopted so far gives the President broad discretionary powers that many business leaders and industrialists are waiting to see how the President intends to use these powers before going ahead too fast with their own plans.

A Heavy Program
With the Farm Relief bill out of the way, and its attached amendments giving the President full control over currency inflation, the Muscle Shoals bill, the railroad reorganization bill, the banking reform bill including some sort of insurance to depositors, the public works bill to provide more employment, the measure for direct financial gifts to states and municipalities for unemployment relief, the measure to prevent the sale of worthless securities and the bill giving the President great authority over private industry, including the power to advance Government funds in some cases, ought to provide both houses plenty of work to do in a month or so of time. On top of those it is expected that the President will ask—and receive—broad and final authority to adjust tariffs, negotiate trade treaties and make binding settlements in the matter of the war debts.

There is little doubt that Congress will continue to give Mr. Roosevelt everything he wants. There is no possible doubt that he has fired the imagination of the mass of the American people as no other President has done since the famous "Teddy," and Congress knows that. There are many men in both houses, of both parties, who do not at all approve all of the projects which the President has put up to them, and who see great danger in giving the Executive so much more power than the Constitution contemplated, but they do not express their opposition publicly, because they are aware that the bulk of their constituents are with the President.

Glass and Borah
Only one outstanding Democrat has had the temerity to voice his opposition to any of Mr. Roosevelt's major policies. That is Senator Carter Glass of Virginia. Mr. Glass was greatly desired by Mr. Roosevelt as Secretary of the Treasury. He declined, for reasons not clearly stated at the time, mainly, it was said, because of his advanced age and poor health. But there was no sign of age or illness when this little giant rose in the Senate to denounce the proposal to permit the President to reduce the amount of gold in the United States dollar. Mr. Glass said that he did not object so much to the currency inflation proposals, but he regarded as a dishonorable evasion of our obligations even to consider the project of paying gold debts in depreciated gold dollars.

Regardless of the firm belief of Mr. Roosevelt's friends that he will never use that power, that he only wants it for trading purposes in negotiating monetary questions with Europe, Mr. Glass was as vigorous as any man has been in Congress at any time in his opposition to the measure. He failed to carry the Senate with him, and his friends are suggesting that his defeat may impair his influence.

Another note of opposition to the Administration was sounded by Senator Borah, who challenged the right of the Government to demand the return of gold to the Treasury. "If I had five thousand dollars in gold I would refuse to give it up and there is no legal power to make me give up what is my own," Senator Borah said, in effect. But that, again, was one man's expression, against an overwhelming majority which will do the President's bidding whatever he asks of them.

Wright To Have Charge
Kiwanis Program Friday
Prof. C. C. Wright is scheduled to have charge of the program at the Kiwanis Club luncheon tomorrow (Friday). The venerable superintendent of schools has not announced the features of his program, but Kiwanians are urged to attend the luncheon.

Another Record For Bee Swarms

J. C. Wallace, of Pores Knob, Had Three Swarms From One Hive
PORES KNOB, May 9.—These warm days have put the honey bees to work also. They have swarmed early and rapidly this year. Mr. C. J. Wallace has had near a dozen swarms, the first one on Easter Sunday. On May 1, one old hive swarmed, May 5 it swarmed the second time and May 6, it swarmed for the third time. Quite a record for one bee hive in such a short time.

Mr. Bynum Propes has returned to his home in South Carolina after having visited among friends in the section for several days last week.

Mrs. Effie Davis and children, Estella and May, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Wallace, Friday.

Miss Alma Wallace spent Saturday with her sister-in-law, Mrs. R. J. Wallace.

Mrs. Gordon Laws visited Mrs. C. J. Wallace, Saturday. Misses Edna and Maude Jones visited Mrs. Rom Lowe, Sunday. Mrs. R. J. Wallace visited Mrs. I. E. Hart, Sunday.

Mr. T. R. Ashley was a guest

NOTICE
Having qualified as administrator of the estate of Miss Annie M. Finley, deceased, with the Will annexed, late of Wilkes County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Oakwoods, North Carolina, on or before the 4th day of April 1934, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This 4th day of April, 1933.
MRS. ELLA OGLIVIE,
Administratrix, c. t. a., Miss Annie M. Finley, Deceased.
5-11-6t.

County Dog Trails 20 Miles After Man

The thief who entered the out-building of Dr. W. R. Triplett near Purlear on Wednesday night of last week and got away with about 1,200 pounds of meat apparently attempted to throw the blame on an innocent party. The county bloodhound was taken to Dr. Triplett's by its keeper, S. M. Estep, and put on the trail early Thursday. The dog followed the meanderings of the thief about 20 miles to the home of Tom Church, two miles west of Summit, but it was known that Mr. Church was not involved.

The track made by the man at Dr. Triplett's trailed with the track in the yard of Mr. Church's home, but Mr. Church's track was not at all like it. It seemed that either the thief had gone to Mr. Church's home in the hope of placing the blame on him or to steal something there.

Mr. Church is working with the officers in an effort to apprehend the guilty party.

SAFETY OF RAILROADS OF THE UNITED STATES BOOSTED BY SOUTHERN

Atlanta, Ga., May 10.—Commenting on the remarkable safety record of the railroads of the United States for the year, 1932, a statement issued by the Safety Bureau of the Southern Railway System points out that on the Southern no passenger lost his life as the result of a train accident during the year.

Complete reports for 1932 which have now been filed with the Interstate Commerce Commission show that during the year the railroads of the United States handled 480,000,000 passengers and that among this vast number there was only one fatality in a train accident.

This is the best safety record in the history of the railroads of this country. 480,000,000 passengers having been carried with only one fatality. Passengers on the Southern Railway System rode a total distance of 405,514,268 miles during 1932 without a single fatality.

QUESTION AND ANSWER

Q.—When is the best time to plant soybeans for hay and seed?

A.—For best results, the beans should be planted within the next two or three weeks. Early planting gives the beans a longer growing season which is necessary for heavy hay and seed production. Late planted beans stop growing as soon as the nights grow cool and as a result the hay crop is small. This applies also to velvet beans and farmers should get both crops in as early as possible.

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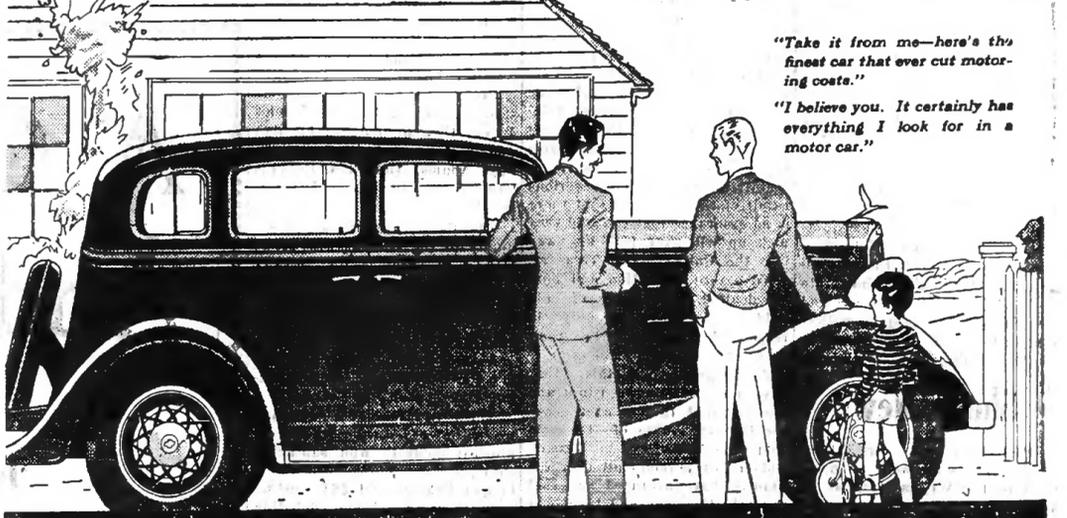
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