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Clayton Defeats Kenly For Johnston Loop Title

Around 2,000 Fans See Clayton Win Over Kenly 4-3 Here Yesterday Blinson and Pittman Pitch Great Game

Clayton won the Johnston County League championship by defeating Kenly, 4-3 here yesterday in a seventh and deciding game of the post-season playoff. Clayton had won the first half and Kenly had taken the second half in regular season play.

A single by J. Barnes and a double by Clifton Poole produced the winning run in the fourth, breaking a 3-all tie and ending the scoring for the day. Delma Blinson, who turned from shortstopping to pitching during the series, racked up the verdict against Elmer Pittman in a hurling duel.

Kenly hopped off to a one-run lead in the opening inning on a walk to George Hinton and a double by Harvey Pittman. Clayton shot in front with three runs in the second, produced by singles by Clifton Poole and Baucum, a double by Roy Atkinson, and a single by Aubrey Gattis. Kenly pulled to even terms in the fourth when two runs were counted on an error, Watkins' single and Harvey Pittman's double.

J. Barnes, Clifton Poole, Atkinson and Gattis led Clayton with a pair of hits each. Harvey Pittman and Hinton, each with two hits, were Kenly's batting leaders.

The post-season series was closely waged throughout with a one-run margin deciding the majority of the games.

Score: R. H. E.
Kenly 100 200 000—3 7 0
Clayton 030 010 00x—4 12 2

LETTER OF THANKS FROM FLORIDA PEOPLE

The following letter was received by the Johnstonian-Sun today:

"Dear Mr. Editor:
Through the medium of your paper I wish to express the gratitude of my husband and myself for the kindly and sympathetic assistance rendered to us in connection with the accident which happened on your highway at Micro last Thursday, in which our friends, Rev. and Mrs. F. D. Torrey of Piney Farms, Florida, were seriously hurt. Your M. E. Minister, Mr. Singleton, your Mayor, your Chief of Police, your Freight Agent, and Mr. Waddell of the Selma Service Station, we shall always remember gratefully for their great kindness in helping us in our time of need"

REV. AND MRS. F. H. MORGAN,
Piney Farms, Florida.

To Quiz American's Death In Cuba

Washington, Oct. 3.—Secretary Hull said today a thorough investigation of the killing of a United States citizen during fighting in Havana yesterday is being made and that on the facts assembled would depend whether any diplomatic representations will be made.

Havana, Cuba, Oct. 3.—Government spokesmen announced late today that more than thirty shots were fired last night at President Grau San Martin and expressed belief that his life was saved only because he was riding in armored car.

Havana, Oct. 3.—Warfare in which at least 44 were killed and 89 wounded left Havana today on trigger-edge.

A day-long battle between several hundred officers barricaded in the National Hotel and the "enlisted men's" army yesterday did not end with the surrender of the officers.

Throughout the night bullets whizzed in the streets and Havana, which has seen recent Governments rise and fall with much bloodshed, discovered today that a truce had not yet been called.

School Starts Oct. 11th

The schools of Selma are scheduled to open next Wednesday, October 11th. Because of the late date of opening and the favorable weather for the farmers to house their crops, it is expected that this year will register one of the largest attendances on opening day in the history of the Selma school.

JOHNSTON COUNTY JURY ACQUITS W. B. DRAKE

A case in Wake County Superior Court which was of much interest to Johnston County people, was State against W. B. Drake, Wake County banker, who was charged with embezzlement and making false entries on bank records.

The entire jury for the trial of this case was chosen from Johnston County, as follows: C. A. Jacobs, of Selma, foreman; R. L. O'Neal, W. C. Barbour, W. Herman Creech, Wade Grice, L. F. Holmes, C. G. Mumford, J. L. Moore, R. L. Smith, Philip Edwards, Wiley T. Grime and James Thompson.

Legion Stages 10-Hour Parade In Chicago

Chicago, Oct. 3.—Dazzling in flashing color, awe-inspiring in magnitude, the American legion marched down broad Michigan boulevard today.

For 10 unbroken hours, 160,000 men and women, united in common memory, strode in meticulous formation between walls of spectators, massed solidly shoulder to shoulder, and scores deep on both sides of the four-mile line of march.

There has been nothing like this parade of the legion at its 15th annual convention, officials declared. It likewise was unrivaled in the city's century of history.

It exceeded in numbers, scope and color, and Chicago spilled out so many thousands to witness it that an estimate of the total was difficult.

The parade started shortly after 10 o'clock from the city's near north side and paced down the avenue to Soldier field in Grant's park. A evening field the platoons were still passing the judge's stand.

A perfect day of brilliant sunshine contributed to the glory of the spectacle. Silvery and copper helmets gleamed and state, national and legion flaps shone all day long as the varied hues groups—with the national colors, red, white and blue predominating—fell into line. Legion posts and auxiliaries from every state and nine foreign countries were represented.

Bands and bugle corps—nearly 500 of them—played the marches to which men for years have gone to battle and the favorites of the world war, sung once to the accompaniment of cannon shells screaming over trenches. The ex-soldiers joined again in the strains of "Mada-moiselle from Gay Paree," "Over there," "There's a Long, Long Trail" and the others.

The third cattle show by Guernsey breeders of Burke county has been planned for this fall at Morganton. Committees have been appointed by the breeders to arrange for the show.

We cannot understand why, when making a movie out of a book, it is not thought good form to read the book.—Rochester Democrat and Chronicle.

C. W. Scales For Lt. Gov.

At last Thursday night's meeting of the local Kiwanis club, Charles W. Scales, local American Telegraph & Telephone Company manager, was endorsed for Lt Governor of the Fourth Carolinas division for the coming year by both the Selma and Smithfield clubs. This election will be held at the Elizabeth City convention to be held October 26-28.

J. B. Slack, County Agent, gave the club a very interesting talk on his recent visit to Washington and on agricultural matters in general.

Miss Helen Francis Renfrow, Virginia Scales and Jimmie Woodard rendered several musical selections which were very much enjoyed.

Glenn Gier, of the Smithfield club was a visitor.

George F. Brietz, J. C. Avery and Charlie Jacobs were appointed as a nominating committee to select the officers of the club for 1934. This will report back to the club October 12th at which time the election will be held.

Friday night October 6th the club will attend, in a body, the division meeting which will be held at Fayetteville. A number of Kiwanis highlights will take part on the program at this meeting.

George F. Brietz, local chairman of the Boy Scout Committee, will talk at the Fayetteville meeting on "Boy Scout Work in Selma."

The Fayetteville meeting will take the place of the clubs regular Thursday night meeting.

Motor Accident Ends It All For Stribling

Macon, Ga., Oct. 3.—William Lawrence (Young) Stribling, Georgia heavyweight, died at 6 A. M., today from injuries received Sunday in a motor accident.

For a while last night the physicians held hope for Stribling's recovery, but in the early morning hours they saw his tremendous vitality begin to ebb. Then they knew it was a matter of hours before he would go.

Members of the family gathered in the white-walled hospital room at 3 A. M., after hope for his recovery was abandoned. He held on gamely, rousing occasionally to ask for water, but at 5 o'clock his stout heart began weakening rapidly.

The physicians were amazed at his ability to cling to life, with his temperature at 107 1-5 degrees and his pulse 175.

Fugitive Lawyer Is Now Held In Hawaii

E. A. Matthews, Wanted In Halifax County, Is Identified By a Tourist

Roanoke Rapids, Sept. 29.—Halifax county officers today revealed they had been notified of the arrest in Honolulu of E. A. Matthews, Roanoke Rapids, lawyer who disappeared in 1926, and who, they said, is wanted here to face charges of embezzling more than \$50,000.

Matthews is alleged to have misappropriated funds of various individuals, banks and title companies. He dropped from sight about seven years ago, leaving his wife and one child. Mrs. Matthews was originally from Norfolk, Va.

Beyond the information that the suspect in Honolulu had been recognized by a tourist, officers here said they knew little of the circumstances of the arrest.

Hawaiian officials were cabled to have the prisoner delivered to San Francisco police. Upon his arrival there, Halifax officers will be sent to bring him back here.

Five new trench silos have been dug by dairy farmers of Henderson county this summer.

Exceptional 30-Day Offer Tobacco Is Made By Johnstonian-Sun Selling Better

SUBSCRIPTION PRICE NOT REDUCED, BUT A 50 PER CENT DISCOUNT WILL BE GIVEN FOR 30 DAYS—
SAVE 50 CENTS BY ACTING NOW. THIS OFFER WILL NOT BE REPEATED

The Johnstonian-Sun this week announces a 50 per cent reduction in the subscription price, to extend over a 30-day period, beginning tomorrow (Friday, October 6) and extending until midnight Saturday, November 4.

During this 30-day period the price of the Johnstonian-Sun will be 50 cents for one year to every person who is a subscriber paid to date, and to all new subscribers. The Johnstonian-Sun will not accept any renewals for more than one year at this rate, and none for less than a year.

The publishers have made this offer primarily in the interests of the readers of the paper. At 50 cents a year, the cost to the reader is less than 1 cent per week, and it is an impossibility for the publishers to print and mail at this price and hope to make a profitable return.

However, because of the low price of commodities in general, with particular reference to farm products, the publishers have decided on this offer as a means of combating depression.

Every person interested is urged to take advantage of this offer during the 30 days in which it is to be made, because it will not again be repeated. The subscription price of the Johnstonian-Sun is not being permanently reduced, but will remain at \$1.00 per year. It is therefore imperative that all those who intend to take advantage of this offer do so before the time limit expires.

The government not long ago raised the rate of postage on second-class matter in the mails. Newspapers travel as second-class matter. This newspaper was affected, a new burden being added to the expense of operating. Most newspapers use newsprint made in Canada, because of the fact that there is an insufficient supply in the United States to meet the demand. The Canadians take their little bit in the form of export duties, adding more expense to the operating charges. There are many other equally significant factors, but space limits us to these.

Laying the above facts aside, the publishers believe that the home community newspaper is worth \$1.00 a year of anybody's money, on its general merit. Any commodity requiring the labor, intelligence and capital investment that is embodied in a newspaper is certainly worth 8 1-3 cents a month.

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Southern Enterprise Opens N. C. Branch

To meet the increasing demand for the American Nitrate of Soda, The Barrett Company has opened a sales office in the North Carolina Bank Building, Raleigh, N. C. This office will be under the supervision of Mr. W. M. Perry, District Sales Manager.

ARCADIAN, the American Nitrate of Soda, is made by the Atmospheric Nitrogen Corporation at Hopewell, Virginia. Its manufacture adds to the income and buying power of American workers in the South. It uses raw materials from American mines, quarries, mills and factories, thus bringing employment indirectly to many thousands of Americans.

In this way the American Nitrate Industry increases the demand for all products grown by Southern farmers by increasing the buying power of these American workers.

Until a few years ago the United States was entirely dependent on foreign countries for its supply of nitrate of soda. Today, thanks to American enterprise the Nitrate needs of the nation can be produced right in this country.

American farmers who now purchase American nitrate secure the highest grade. While it is guaranteed 16 percent Nitrogen, equivalent to 19.45 percent Ammonia, tests show it runs well over this guarantee.

The Advent Christian Meet In Annual Session

The Advent Christian Conference of Eastern North Carolina, comprising twenty or more churches, will meet with Barbour Chapel church near Four Oaks, N. C. in its Thirty-sixth Annual Session, October 12, 1933, and hold over Sunday.

It is expected that a large delegation of ministers and laymen will be present.

Eld. N. W. HARRISON, Pres.
J. Q. BAKER, Secretary.

Mechanical Ralph.

Mechanical Ralph will be in Selma at Millers Store Co, on Friday and Saturday of this week in the window at Millers Store. Be sure and see him—his manager will pay a Reward of \$10.00 to any one who can make him laugh or smile while he is in the window. The question is: Is he electrically operated, or is he in a trance brought on by a nerve control? See him and try to win the \$10.00.

Virginia For Repeal By Two-To-One Vote

Richmond, Va., Oct. 4.—Virginia repealists maintained a majority of nearly two to one tonight as returns from yesterday's dual referendum on national and State prohibition came in from remote precincts.

Unofficial returns from 1,409 of the State's 1,690 precincts gave 95,423 votes for repeal of the Eighteenth Amendment and 53,410 against repeal. With a lesser number of precincts reporting on the State prohibition question continuation of the present liquor law was given 50,440 votes to 89,300 for substitution of a liquor control plan. These figures showed a majority of 42,013 for repeal and a majority of 38,890 for the sub-tititution of a liquor control plan.

The complete vote on national repeal in 15 of the 100 counties showed they voted dry, two cities also went dry.

The dry counties are: Mathews, York, Isle of Wight, Nansemond, Prince Edward, Surry, Grayson, Floyd, Montgomery, Roanoke, Rockingham, Giles, Wythe, Augusta, and Highland.

The dry cities are Danville and Radford.

Mrs. Bailey Entertains

Mrs. Ormond L. Bailey delightfully entertained at five tables of bridge Friday afternoon.

Autumn flowers were very attractively arranged throughout the living room and dining room. At the conclusion of five progressions Miss Vara Blackman was presented a lovely compact for high score. Mrs. Sam Stallings, of Smithfield a powder box for second high, Mrs. Maggie Bailey, of Wilson Mills, a powder box for third high. Mrs. Sam Stallings a recent bride and sister of the hostess was presented a canary and beautiful cage for guest of honor.

Mrs. Bailey assisted by Mrs. Wilbur Perkins, Mrs. Gordon C. Whitaker and Mrs. C. A. Bailey served a plate dinner.

Those present were Mesdames Mabel Nordan Humphrey, C. L. Richardson, H. D. Culbreth, J. L. Doggett, C. B. Fulghum, H. V. Gaskill, W. W. Hare, C. P. Worley, W. L. Stanfield, C. A. Bailey, G. C. Whitaker and Misses Vara Blackman and Bertha Woodard, of Selma. Mrs. Richard Lewis, of Four Oaks; Mrs. Sam Stallings, of Smithfield; Mesdames Carl Parrish and Maggie Bailey, of Wilson Mills.

With the Clearing of Warehouse Floors and the Offering of Better Grades of Tobacco It Now Appears That Prices Have Taken a More Definite Upward Trend.

(Special to Johnstonian-Sun)

Smithfield, Oct. 4.—The bit of news that has probably interested more people than any other Smithfield news item lately, is the report of the big improvement in tobacco prices. A marked improvement is in evidence this week with the cool weather and the clearing of warehouse floors of the blocked condition that prevailed all of last week. There were several things that helped to keep prices down last week. There was a great deal of tobacco that had been graded and prepared for market before the warehouses closed, and during the time that the markets were closed, much of which had become damaged during the damp weather early in September, when we had no markets. Farmers who had tobacco that was deteriorating or likely to deteriorate naturally wanted to dispose of it as quickly as possible. There were others who just had to have a little cash and they took some of their tobacco to market, and as a result, when the markets were opened there was such a rush that the buyers found it difficult to handle the tobacco as fast as it was offered. It would have kept two sets of buyers busy last week to have cleared the three warehouse floors here each day. The block was cleared here late Tuesday afternoon. Better tobacco is now coming in, prices are much better, and everybody seems pleased.

There had been a few upward spurts in prices last week, but they soon faded out. On Thursday morning of last week, the better grades appeared to be in demand, and for awhile that morning they sold several dollars per hundred pounds higher; but the weather was hot, the market was flooded with tobacco, and the prices were soon as low as ever.

The warehousemen and other tobaccoists here appear to feel that the worst is over and that from now on prices will be much better than in the past. The prices for good grades today were said to have been the best of the season.

North Carolina Has Large Jr. O. U. A. M.

Members of the Junior Order United American Mechanics in North Carolina now number 44,656, according to statistics compiled by Sam F. Vance of Kernersville, state council secretary. The number includes 1,044 members of 21 new councils organized during the past year.

The North Carolina state council ranks third in the United States from the standpoint of membership.

Juniors in this county number 631, the state secretary's report shows. Under the leadership of B. C. Siske, of Pleasant Garden, the new state councilor, a determined effort to carry the membership beyond the 50,000 mark will be made. Through the operation of the field representations, the councilor plans to stress strengthening of old councils and the institution of many new ones.

Back From World's Fair

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Blackburn, Mrs. C. E. Kornegay, Miss Ann Thacker, Miss Mary Booker and Dr. E. N. Booker returned last Sunday after a trip to the Century of Progress Exposition at Chicago, points in Canada, Niagara Falls, Gettysburg Battlefield, Shenandoah Valley and Endless Caverns. The party traveled about 2500 miles, passing through ten states and parts of Canada. They say they are glad, however, to be back in old Selma.

AGED WOMAN PICKS 200 POUNDS COTTON

Mrs. Martha Eason, aged 60, of Princeton, Route 3, picked 200 pounds of cotton on September 28, for W. G. Peedin also of Princeton, Route 3. She picked it in eight and a half hours. Mrs. Eason had never picked 200 pounds of cotton in one day.—Smithfield Herald.