

The National Outlook Settlement Of The Steel Strike

By RALPH RORY

It has been assumed that the steel strike would be settled before the expiration of the eighty-day injunction period. The basis of this assumption was that both economic and psychological factors would lead the companies and union management to reach an agreement. None the less announcement of the settlement came as a major surprise.

It was a surprise because the final hearings of the presidential fact finding board were as harsh as such a meeting could be. The union president, David McDonald, was extremely caustic in his comments about management, claiming that the companies were trying to break up the union. The chief of the company negotiators, R. Conrad Cooper, also was caustic, insisting the union was making inflationary demands. Even the chairman of the committee saw no possibility of working out an agreement because it was evident that, judging by these hearings, union and management were not only as far apart as ever, but were taking a harder position on their stands.

It appeared certain, therefore, that the next step would be to have a vote by the employees on the last offer of management. But there was no hope that this would be accepted by the workers. There was no hope on this because the record shows that the union always makes this a vote of confidence in the union leaders, not on the terms of settlement offered by management.

In these circumstances it is almost inevitable that the final offer be refused.

The next step would be termination of the injunction and presumably another walk out by the workers. At that point

the Administration and the Congress would be expected to step in with some kind of a forced settlement, and perhaps new permanent legislation designed to meet the problem of industry wide strikes.

What the general public did not know was that some weeks ago Vice President Nixon started a series of private meetings with both the union spokesmen and management, trying to resolve their differences. Along with him was Secretary of Labor Mitchell. The final session was

Experience finds few of the scenes that lively hope designs.

Town Of Edenton, N. C.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a SPECIAL ELECTION will be held in the Town of Edenton, North Carolina, on the 16th day of February, 1960, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified voters of said Town, for their approval or disapproval, the following proposition:

PROPOSITION

Shall the qualified voters of the Town of Edenton approve the bond ordinance which was adopted by the Board of Councilmen of said Town on December 28, 1959, and which (1) authorizes bonds of said Town of the maximum aggregate amount of \$557,000 to finance the enlargement and extension of the sanitary sewer system maintained and operated by said Town, by constructing a new sewage disposal plant and interceptor sewers, pumping stations, sewer mains and other facilities needed to connect such plant with such sanitary sewer system and by acquiring the lands or rights in land and equipment needed therefor, and (2) authorizes the levy and collection of an annual tax sufficient to pay the principal of and interest on said bonds; and also approve the indebtedness to be incurred by the issuance of said bonds?

In the event that a majority of the qualified voters of the Town of Edenton, voting at said election, shall approve said ordinance, the bonds thereby authorized will be issued and a tax will be levied for the payment thereof.

The polls for said election will open at the hour of 6:30 o'clock, A. M., and will close at the hour of 6:30 o'clock, P. M., Eastern Standard Time. Every person offering to vote must be a legally registered voter.

The polling place which has been designated for each polling precinct and the persons who have been appointed to act as Registrar and Judges of Election in each such precinct are as follows:

FIRST WARD: Registrar, Mrs. Sadie Hoskins; Judges of Election, M. A. Hughes and Mrs. S. F. Hicks. Polling Place, Municipal Building.

SECOND WARD: Registrar, Mrs. Ruth Stokley; Judges of Election, H. A. Campbell and Mrs. Haywood Bunch. Polling place, Chowan County Court House.

THIRD WARD: Registrar, Mrs. Corinne Thorud; Judges of Election, Shelton Moore and Mrs. Sarah Wilson. Polling place, Electric and Water Plant on West Freemason Street.

FOURTH WARD: Registrar, Mrs. W. W. Porter; Judges of Election, John Lee Spruill and Mrs. W. E. Mills. Polling place, National Guard Armory on North Broad Street.

Each Registrar will be furnished with the registration book used in his polling precinct at the last regular election held in the Town of Edenton (being the regular municipal election held on May 5, 1959) and he will revise the registration book so that it will show an accurate list of the electors previously registered in such polling precinct and still residing therein, without requiring such electors to register anew. Each Registrar will keep the registration book in his polling precinct open for the registration of new electors on each day (Sundays and holidays excepted) for the period beginning Friday, the 29th day of January, 1960, and ending on Saturday, the 6th day of February, 1960. The book will be kept open on each Saturday during such period from 9 o'clock A. M., until 9 o'clock P. M., and on other days during such period from 9 o'clock A. M., until 5 o'clock P. M., Eastern Standard Time.

Said notice shall be published at least once in The Chowan Herald, a newspaper published in Edenton, North Carolina, at least thirty days prior to the date of such election.

The polls for said election shall be opened and closed at the times and at the places, and electors shall be registered for said election in the manner stated in said notice. The respective persons named as Registrars and Judges of Election in said notice are hereby appointed to be such Registrar and Judges of Election and are hereby authorized and directed to register electors for said election and to hold and conduct said election as provided by law.

By order of the Board of Councilmen of the Town of Edenton.

Dated: January 12, 1960.

L. S. BYRUM,
Chairman Chowan County
Board Of Elections

Frankly Speaking

By Frank Morris

Back again and happy day, no news about payola. Oh, investigations continue and the subject still makes headlines, but we're waiting to see some concrete results. One thing you will see is the emergence of a better grade of music. It'll take a while—but it'll happen. In this investigation coming up, watch for Dick Clark to make some fancy headlines. Roughly on that same subject, an item about rock 'n' roll singer Bobby Freeman, who got caught in a snowdrift in New Mexico. He and the whole gang got snowed in for several hours, causing cancellation of a few dance dates.

The New Year started off with some tragic show business deaths

... of course, the most shocking was the lady from Norfolk, Margaret Sullivan, one of the most respected members of the theatrical profession. Dudley Nichols passed away. He's the well-known screen writer and the author of such well-known films as "For Whom The Bell Tolls," "Sister Kenny," and many others. Frank Frederic, weather reporter and tee-vee' announcer in Miami, died of a heart attack. He was 41. Also dead is the wife of actor Joseph Cotten. She was 55. They'd been married for over 30 years.

Our congratulations to Hertford's Mayor Darden for the interesting write-up received in the Virginian-Pilot. While on the subject of our neighboring town, the very best of luck to the Rev. James Mattox as he tackled his new assignment at another North Carolina church. Mr. Mattox was the pastor of the Hertford Baptist Church, a



AIR RAID—Caught in a storm of feathers, Flora Farquharson hands out bird food in London's Trafalgar Square.

well-loved, well-respected man of God. Incidentally, congratulations to the Rev. James MacKenzie on his coming marriage. He chose the popular month of May for the wedding.

It's the big political year with

us and the first of the many pieces of political double-talk we'll come across emanated from Pennsylvania and Governor David Lawrence, who said that he regards Adlai Stevenson as his party's most able individual, but that that didn't mean he was for Stevenson.

A record year has been forecast for distilled spirits sales in 1960. It's predicted that about 234 million gallons will be consumed. That's a whale of a lot of hangovers. Now, it would be interesting to find out the money taken in by churches and worthy charities this coming year. What a world!

Our bye-bye thought for this week, goes like so: Try praising your wife, even if it does frighten her at first.

The longer I live the more keenly I feel that whatever was good enough for our fathers is good enough for us. Mrs. W. H. Hollowell of Ayden, W. C. Hollowell and R. B. Hollowell of Edenton; one sister, Mrs. W. H. Saunders of Edenton.

Native Of Chowan Dies In Norfolk

Thomas N. Hollowell, 80, died Sunday at his home in Norfolk. He was a native of Chowan County, but had been a resident of Norfolk for 45 years.

He was a member and deacon of the Spurgeon Memorial Baptist Church, where the funeral was held Tuesday with burial in the Forest Hill Cemetery.

Surviving, besides his wife, Nannie White Hollowell, are five sons; Irvin, Thomas, Herbert, Percy and Stanley, all of Norfolk; four daughters, Mrs. Charles E. Ford, Sr., Mrs. Herbert Witt, Mrs. Woodrow Crosby of Norfolk and Mrs. Mark Harrington of Elizabeth City; three brothers, W. H. Hollowell of Ayden, W. C. Hollowell and R. B. Hollowell of Edenton; one sister, Mrs. W. H. Saunders of Edenton.

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MEN'S SMART FALL \$5.99 MANSTYLE HATS

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