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Last Chance For Biggest Votes In Courier Drive

SETTLEMENT IS REACHED IN MARION MILL STRIKES

Strikers, Their Backs To The Wall, Accept Terms Amounting To Surrender

TO RUN ON 55-HOUR BASIS

Marion, Sept. 10.—The Marion textile strikes ended tonight when the strikers, their backs to the wall, accepted the "terms of settlement" which in reality were little more than articles of surrender. The strikers, however, feel that they have gained at least something, and were happy tonight as they prepared to return to work for the first wages they have earned in many weeks.

Terms of Settlement.

Following the mass meeting tonight, at which strikers accepted the articles proposed by the mills Judge Townsend made public the following prepared statement, headed "Terms of Settlement":

"Strikes at the Marion Manufacturing Company and the Clinchfield Manufacturing Company were settled today.

"The basis of settlement is that each mill will operate on a 55-hour per week schedule and that the pay per hour or per piece work shall remain as at present. The management of either mill may submit to its employees at the end of six weeks from Monday, September 9, 1929, the question of whether its employees want to remain on a schedule of 55 hours or go back to a 60-hour schedule on the present basis of pay.

No Discrimination.

"The respective managements agreed that there shall be no discrimination against the employees simply because they belong to the union.

"Mr. Hart of the Clinchfield mill and Mr. Baldwin of the Marion mill agreed that any man or woman in their employ can see them on any question involving conditions or character of employment."

Collapse of the strikes was seen at 1 o'clock today when 175 operatives went to work as the Baldwin mill was started up. With two companies of national guardsmen on hand and with strikers kept away from the mill gate, the reopening was accomplished without disorder.

Though the 175 represented but little over half of the force needed to operate the mill at normal capacity, the number was far in excess of that predicted by strike leaders or expected by the mill management.

Christian Harmony

Mr. K. L. Street and his fine class of young men composing the "teen age" of Edgar Long Memorial, accepted an invitation from the "teen age" class of the Baptist church and worshipped with them at the regular recitation period last Sunday morning. The teen age class of the Baptist church will worship with the M. E. class next Sunday morning. This is a demonstration of the fine Christian spirit that exists between the classes of these two denominations.

Bus Is Destroyed Near Yanceyville

Danville, Va., Sept. 9.—The bus plying between Danville and Durham, N. C., was totally destroyed by fire at noon today at County Line hill, near Yanceyville, N. C. The engine developed a defect and as the bus stopped flames spread over the engine to the body.

There were only two passengers who alighted without injury. The entire vehicle was soon destroyed.

Meeting Of Roxboro Chamber Of Commerce

The regular monthly meeting of the Chamber of Commerce will meet Friday evening, 7:30 o'clock, in the Jones Hotel. All members are urged to be present.

C. H. Hunter, Sec.

Don't miss Clara Bow's latest DANGEROUS CURVES, with Richard Arlen, at Palace Theatre Monday & Tuesday, Sept. 16-17th. Matinee Monday 3:00 p. m.

Briton Breaks Speed Record

Calshot, England, Sept. 10.—Driving a blue and silver seaplane that shot through space like a comet, A. H. Orlebar, squadron leader and captain of the British Schneider cup team, today sped over a marked course of three kilometers here to break all world's speed records. He reached a rate of 368.3 miles an hour on one run over the course and averaged 355.825 for four successive trials. It is this latter figure which constitutes the official record.

Mr. Brocks Exhibits Champion Beet

Mr. D. S. Brooks, the popular and well known cashier of the Peoples bank, is some farmer as well as banker. He has on exhibition at the store of Messrs. Sargeant & Clayton one of the largest beets, of the table variety, we have ever seen. It weighs 5 pounds and ten ounces.

A husband is a man who comes home two hours late and wonders why in thunder his wife hasn't got back.

MR. H. G. CLAYTON DIED SUDDENLY SUNDAY MORNING

Was One Of Roxboro's Best Known And Most Popular Citizens

MANY YEARS A MERCHANT

Mr. Henry Graves Clayton, age 72, died at his home on Reams Avenue Sunday morning at 10:15. Apparently Mr. Clayton was in his usual good health but on Saturday evening he suffered from his heart and a physician was called, but did not think there was any serious trouble. On Sunday morning he suffered another spell and died almost instantly at 10:15. He was a native of the County, and had spent many years in Roxboro, having been engaged here for many years in the mercantile business, later having assisted Mr. N. V. Brooks in the sheriff's office. He was a consistent member of Edgar Long Memorial Methodist Church, a member the Pastor felt safe in calling on at any and all times. He had the confidence of the public and was universally popular, and will be greatly missed in this community.

Funeral services were conducted Monday afternoon at the home by his Pastor, Rev. T. A. Sikes, assisted by Rev. W. F. West, at 3 o'clock. The large crowd who had gathered to pay their last respects, and the immense floral offering showed the high esteem in which he was held.

In addition to his widow, he is survived by the following children: Miss Bertha Clayton, Miss Annie Clayton of Roxboro; Mrs. L. J. Lea of Aberdeen, and Harvey G. Clayton of Sanford. One brother, Jack Clayton, and a sister, Mrs. R. H. Bailey, both of this county, also survive.

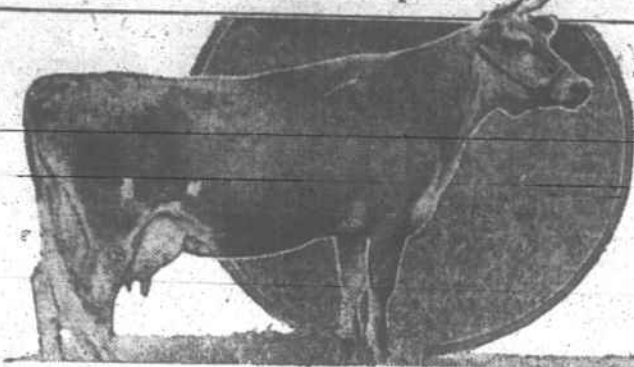
Active pallbearers were nephews of the deceased as follows: B. G. Clayton, Raymond Bailey, Earl Clayton, Ernest Bailey, Linwood Clayton and John Bailey.

Honorary pallbearers were: W. H. Harris, C. H. Williams, E. G. Long, D. S. Brooks, J. W. Featherstone, J. A. Long, G. J. Cushman, Hugh Woods, A. C. Gentry, W. R. Hambrick, E. M. Davis, W. R. Woody, D. W. Long, R. L. Wilburn, H. E. Crowell, J. C. Pass, J. J. Woody, T. W. Henderson, O. B. McCroon, J. G. Moore, W. I. Newton and Dr. A. F. Nichols.

Class Meeting

There will be a class meeting of the Baptist Philanthia Class at the home of Mrs. A. S. deVlaming Friday night, Sept. 13th, at 8 o'clock.—Seb.

New York Cow Sets Non-Stop Record



Completing her ninth test, Sophie Emily, at Randleigh Farm, Lockport, N. Y., emerged as the world's greatest dairy cow. For her nine successive tests she has averaged 781 lbs. of butterfat and 15,927 lbs. of milk, her total production to date being 7,030.51 lbs. of butterfat and 143,348 lbs. of milk.

Three Lespedeza And Soy Bean Field Meetings Held

Roxboro Rotary Club Extends Invitation

At the last meeting of the Roxboro Rotary Club an invitation was extended the North Carolina Eastern Conference of the Methodist Church to hold its annual session for 1930 in Roxboro. This is a large body of able and influential men of God, and would mean much to the citizens of this section of they should meet here. To entertain them is a big proposition, but Roxboro is equal to the occasion.

The club accepted an invitation from the ladies of the Aycock school section and will hold its next meeting with them Thursday afternoon.

City Schools Opened

After short preliminary sessions last Thursday and Friday the schools opened for business here Monday morning. Devotional exercises were conducted by Rev. T. A. Sikes, and short addresses were made by Rev. Mr. Sikes and J. W. Noell at the grammar school.

From all appearances it looks as if there will be an over-flow at this school, as the registration is larger than ever. The opening at the high school likewise was well attended. We have not heard the exact registration, but is larger than last year, and will tax the buildings to care for the boys and girls.

Edgar Long Memorial

All regular services will be held in this church next Sunday: Sunday School 9:45; Sermon at 11 and 7:30, Epworth League 6:45.

The evening service will be in charge of Rev. J. C. Wooten, presiding elder of the Durham district, who will preach and preside over the business session of the fourth and last quarterly conference for the year. At that time all officers for the ensuing year will be elected and machinery put into operation for the new year. It is important that all officials of the church be present and a report from every department of the church will be expected.

The public is cordially invited to attend all services in this church. A warm welcome awaits you.

T. A. SIKES, Pastor.

Person County Boy Receives Degrees

Mr. Charlie Buntington Long, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Long of Bushy Fork, has just completed both college and seminary courses and has honorably received the following degrees by authority of the Commonwealth of Georgia: Ph. B., B. D. and B. B. L. Mr. Long won these degrees in a very short period of time, and is to be congratulated.—Con.

Some Snake Story

Mr. R. S. Long, one of the County's best farmers, and noted for his voracity, tells us the following snake story. He was cleaning out his barn when he saw a snake, of the moccasin variety, and proceeded to slay it, but before he finished the job he discovered another large snake and fifteen small ones.

Clara Bow with Richard Arlen in DANGEROUS CURVES, playing Palace Theatre Monday & Tuesday, September 16-17th. Matinee Monday 3:00 P. M.

Extra Vote Offer Ends Saturday; This Is Your Chance To Pile Up Votes

Subscriptions Mailed Saturday Night Will Be Accepted To Apply Upon The Extra Vote Offer. This Gives Members Residing Outside Of Roxboro Equal Advantage In Time To Apply Upon Big Extra Offer

The greatest EXTRA VOTE OFFER of the whole race will end Saturday night, September 14th. This offer provides a golden opportunity for the Drive members to get the winning votes, and is as follows: 300,000 EXTRA VOTES (in addition to the regular votes) will be allowed on each and every \$30.00 worth of subscriptions turned in up to Saturday night, September 14th.

This is positively the biggest offer of the race and those who turn in their subscriptions now will have a tremendous advantage over those who do later.

Engineer Completes Measurement Of Roxboro - Semora Road

The Engineer completed measurement of Roxboro-Semora road on Monday afternoon, and the distance was found to be about two miles shorter than the lines that is now advertised by the State Highway Commission and known as the North Route.

The line just completed leaves Roxboro out Reams Avenue, on by the County Home, Olive Hill School, Olive Hill bridge, thence to the Northeast of the old Dr. Thaxton home on towards Semora, reaching the County line in the Dunaways road. Just beyond Mrs. Walter Jones' residence at Station 530. This line is easy to construct and is favored by ninety per cent of the people.—X. Y. Z.

UNION ORGANIZER IS KIDNAPPED AND WHIPPED BY MOB

Ben Wells Nursing Bruises And Lacerations Inflicted By Gastonia Crowd

OTHERS ASKED TO LEAVE

Well's Clothes Stripped From Him And He Is Flogged With Limbs Of Tree; Mob From Gastonia Estimated At From 200 To 300 Men Invades Charlotte; Gather Around International Headquarters And Search Walton Hotel For Bill Dunn And Tom Jimison; No Charges Filed On Police Blotter Of Charlotte; Dr. John Randolph Neal Issues Statement Sharpely Criticizing Charlotte Authorities

Charlotte, Sept. 10.—While Solicitor John G. Carpenter today was declaring that a rigid investigation would be made of conduct of a mob that operated in Charlotte, Gastonia and Bessemer City last night, Ben Wells, radical union organizer, was nursing lacerations and bruises that he received, he said, at the hands of a mob that carried him last night to Cabarrus County and whipped him.

Wells, who was being treated by a physician in Hotel Charlotte, had his story corroborated by C. M. Lell and C. D. Saylor, of Gaston county, strike leaders.—(Continued on page four)

Robert L. Dunn Passes

Robert L. Dunn, well known farmer of the Corbett section, died at his home early yesterday morning following a long period of illness. Mr. Dunn was a life time resident of Person county until a few years ago, when he moved to Corbett, and has been successfully engaged in farming since. Funeral services were conducted today and interment made in the Long family cemetery, near Hurdle Mills. A wife and several children survive.

Back From Ocean City

The following young people, who spent the summer at Ocean City, N. J., have returned home and all report a fine vacation while at this popular resort: Messrs. L. T. Heffner, Jerry Dixon, Jr., Robert Long, J. A. Thompson, G. B. Thompson, and Misses Nell Woods and Elizabeth Thompson.

Zane Orey's famous Story SUNSET PASS, with Jack Holt, at Palace Theatre, Friday, September 13th.

Get Your Nomination In Now.

If you have ever stood on a street corner in a drizzling rain waiting for the invariably late street car or bus and watched your neighbor's car come along and pass you by, you have no doubt, realized the advantage of owning a beautiful automobile.

You have wished on many occasions that you had an automobile in which to go to such and such a place. Don't wait until the next time this wish crosses your mind, but get into action now and bring about the fulfillment of this desire by joining the Circulation Drive. The next time you wish for the "said automobile" the opportunity offered by The Courier may not be open. In other words, if you neglect the opportunity and pass a chance to own one of the beautiful cars offered you know you will regret it. These cars are the main awards in the big prize list and will be presented energetic campaigners. Surely you should get one of them by all means.

Won't Take Long. The Circulation Drive will last just seven weeks and you don't have to de— (Continued on last page)

Read This, Everybody

Roxboro, N. C., Sept. 9, 1929.

Mr. S. P. Satterfield, Agent, Jefferson Standard Life Ins. Co., Roxboro, N. C.

Dear Mr. Satterfield: I am so nervous I cannot write much, but you will excuse me. I must write and let you know how much I appreciate your many kindnesses to me.

I received back my two life policies from the Company that I sent in to the head office to have this disability certificate attached. You sold me one of them some ten years ago and the other one two years later for the same amount (\$1000.00 each) and both had the disability clauses. The Company wrote me they would send me a check for \$20.00 per month the remainder of my life if I should continue disabled. They also said they would never charge any more premiums and would pay the \$2000.00 to my family at my death. I want to thank you sincerely for this.

I have been in a bad fix physically and financially some time and you have kept up my policies. But for you I would not have a penny of insurance. Had I taken these policies with some of these agents just in the business for a few days or months, here today and some where else tomorrow and out of the business next year, I would have lost out. I advise my friends to take the Jefferson Standard and take it with you, one who has experience and knows the policies, the insured and will see that the policies are kept in force.

You have been a God send to me and mine and I hope you will live long to be of usefulness to others as you have to me.

Again thanking you, I am Yours very truly, Lee Eugene Noell.

Revival At Hurdle Mills

The revival meeting will begin in the Methodist church at Hurdle Mills Sunday, September 15th. Two services, 3:00 and 7:30 p. m. Rev. W. L. Maness will assist in the meeting. Those who have heard him know what you have in store, and those who have not, have something that will enrich your soul. If we enter this service in the proper spirit, we can expect results that will be felt throughout the community. The public is cordially invited.

H. E. Lance, Pastor.