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Title: Atlanta Constitution Sept 1934 Shall Georgians be Denied the Right to Work?
Identifier: L1982-10_393
Publisher: Georgia State University Library, Special Collections
Contributor: Southern Labor Archives
Temporal Coverage: 1934 Sep
Spatial Coverage: Atlanta, GA
Creator: Atlanta Constitution
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Description: Atlanta Constitution Sept. 1934 "Shall Georgians be Denied the Right to Work?", advertisement (cartoon).
Rights: Copyright held by Atlanta Journal and Constitution; reproduced with permission
Size: 35 mm
Source: Georgia Textile Workers Project
Subject: Textile worker's strike; southern states; 1934; textile workers--labor unions--southern states; strikes and lockouts--textile industry--southern states; textile industry--southern states.
Note: n/a
Resource Type: Slide

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Title: Photograph of a seated, male textile worker, another dependent father.
Identifier: L1995-13_01
Publisher: Georgia State University Library, Special Collections.
Contributor: Southern Labor Archives.
Temporal Coverage: 1913 May
Spatial Coverage: Columbus, Georgia
Creator: Hine, Lewis Wickes
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Description: Another "Dependent Father." He is so recorded in the Ordinary's office where he made application for his minor children to work. He has three children in the mill. When he married the present wife, she brought with her seven children, three of which are in the mill. The mother and father are both in mill work. He works part of the time. Lyell, Columbus and Swift Mills. Location: Columbus, Georgia.
Rights: Public Domain; original held by Prints and Photographs Division Library of Congress, Washington, D.C.
Size: photographic print
Source: The Uprising of '34 Collection
Subject: Textile worker's strike; southern states; 1934; textile workers--labor unions--southern states; strikes and lockouts--textile industry--southern states; textile industry--southern states.
Note: n/a
Resource Type: photograph

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Title: Group portrait of mill hands.
Identifier: L1995-13_05
Publisher: Georgia State University Library, Special Collections.
Contributor: Southern Labor Archives
Temporal Coverage: Sept 26 1928
Spatial Coverage: Kannapolis, NC
Creator: unknown
Lesson: The Uprising of '34
Description: Caption reads: Mechanical Dept., Cannon Mills Company, Plant No. 4, Kannapolis Sept. 26 1928.
Rights: Copyright held by Georgia State University Library, Special Collections.
Size: photographic print
Source: The Uprising of '34 Collection
Subject: Textile worker's strike; southern states; 1934; textile workers--labor unions--southern states; strikes and lockouts--textile industry--southern states; textile industry--southern states.
Note: n/a
Resource Type: photograph
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Title: Letter from Textile Union No. 1808 to local 1946 (?).
Identifier: L1995-13_LT_1808
Publisher: Georgia State University Library, Special Collections.
Contributor: Southern Labor Archives
Temporal Coverage: Sep 10 1934
Spatial Coverage: Pelzer, SC
Creator: Hard Times Production, Inc.
Lesson: The Uprising of '34
Description: Scan of letter from Textile Union 1808 to Local 1946(?) expressing condolences for the recent deaths of some of Local 1946's members during the national textile strike of 1934; Pelzer, South Carolina.
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Size: 8.5x11
Source: The Uprising of '34 Collection
Subject: Textile worker's strike; southern states; 1934; textile workers--labor unions--southern states; strikes and lockouts--textile industry--southern states; textile industry--southern states.
Note: n/a
Resource Type: letter

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Title: Letter from Mrs. Roxie Clark to Mr. Francis Biddle.
Identifier: L1995-13_LT_clark
Publisher: Georgia State University Library, Special Collections.
Contributor: Southern Labor Archives
Temporal Coverage: Feb 15 1935
Spatial Coverage: Knoxville, TN
Creator: Hard Times Production, TN
Lesson: The Uprising of ’34
Description: Scan of letter from Mrs. Roxie Clark, union member, to Mr. Francis Biddle, National Labor Chairman, complaining of discrimination by employers towards workers who chose to strike during the National Textile Strike of 1934, Knoxville Tennessee. This practice became known as "blacklisting" and kept thousands from returning to their jobs after the strike was suspended.
Rights: Copyright held by Georgia State University Library, Special Collections.
Size: 8.5x11
Source: The Uprising of ’34 Collection
Subject: Textile worker's strike; southern states; 1934; textile workers--labor unions--southern states; strikes and lockouts--textile industry--southern states; textile industry--southern states.
Note: n/a
Resource Type: letter

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Dear Mr. Johnson:

I am sending you here with a complaint against Cannon Mills Co. Plant #10 (Norcross Mill), for whom I work, for what I believe to be a violation of the Textile Code.

I would have filed it with the local N.R.P. if man, but was informed by the local Post Master that this would only result in me losing my job, which seems reasonable, since Cannon practically rule Cabarrus County.

Signed, R. Hooker.

Jan. 17, 1934.
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Title: Letter from Claude Hundley to Hugh S. Johnson.
Identifier: L1995-13_LT_hundley
Publisher: Georgia State University Library, Special Collections.
Contributor: Southern Labor Archives
Temporal Coverage: Oct 22 1933
Spatial Coverage: Guntersville, AL
Creator: Hard Times Production, Inc.
Lesson: The Uprising of '34
Description: Scan of letter from Claude Hundley to Hugh S. Johnson, describing the unequal working conditions between the races at a textile mill in Guntersville, Alabama.
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Size: 8.5x11
Source: The Uprising of '34 Collection
Subject: Textile worker's strike; southern states; 1934; textile workers--labor unions--southern states; strikes and lockouts--textile industry--southern states; textile industry--southern states.
Note: n/a
Resource Type: letter

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Title: Letter from May Hurley to Franklin D. Roosevelt.
Identifier: L1995-13_LT_hurley
Publisher: Georgia State University Library, Special Collections.
Contributor: Southern Labor Archives
Temporal Coverage: Sep 14 1934
Spatial Coverage: Charlotte, NC
Creator: Hard Times Production, Inc.
Lesson: The Uprising of ’34
Description: Scan of letter from May Hurley to Franklin Roosevelt deploring the President to stop the National Guards from interfering with the National Textile Strike of 1934, Charlotte, North Carolina.
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Size: 8.5x11
Source: The Uprising of ’34 Collection
Subject: Textile worker’s strike; southern states; 1934; textile workers--labor unions--southern states; strikes and lockouts--textile industry--southern states; textile industry--southern states.
Note: n/a
Resource Type: letter

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Title: Letter from Lucille Thornburg to the Chairman of the National Textile Relations Board.
Identifier: L1995-13_LT_thornbur
Publisher: Georgia State University Library, Special Collections.
Contributor: Southern Labor Archives
Temporal Coverage: Jan 28 1935
Spatial Coverage: Knoxville, TN
Creator: Hard Times Production, Inc.
Lesson: The Uprising of ’34
Description: Scan of letter from Lucille Thornburg to the Chairman of the National Textile Relations Board, calling out mill owners’ use of “blacklisting” to keep former strikers from being rehired.
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Size: 8.5x11
Source: The Uprising of ’34 Collection
Subject: Textile worker’s strike; southern states; 1934; textile workers--labor unions--southern states; strikes and lockouts--textile industry--southern states; textile industry--southern states.
Note: n/a
Resource Type: letter

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Title: Letter from Palmer L. Widenhowe to Franklin D. Roosevelt.
Identifier: L1995-13_LT_widenho
Publisher: Georgia State University Library, Special Collections.
Contributor: Southern Labor Archives
Temporal Coverage: Sep 13 1934
Spatial Coverage: Concord, NC
Creator: Hard Times Production, Inc.
Lesson: The Uprising of '34
Description: Scan of letter from Plamer L. Widenhowe to FDR, asking for the president's support of the National Textile Strike of 1934, Concord North Carolina.
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Size: 8.5x11
Source: The Uprising of '34 Collection
Subject: Textile worker's strike; southern states; 1934; textile workers--labor unions--southern states; strikes and lockouts--textile industry--southern states; textile industry--southern states.
Note: n/a
Resource Type: letter

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