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## SENATOR JOS. T. ROBINSON DIES

### Was Democratic Majority Leader Since 1922--Death a Great Shock To Capital and Nation

Washington, July 14.—Senator Joe T. Robinson, Democratic leader since 1922 and President Roosevelt's chief Senate adviser, died suddenly today in his capital apartment home.

Robinson's body was discovered at 8:15 a. m. (EST) by the family's Negro maid, Mary Jasper.

Coroner A. Magruder MacDonald said his death was due to heart disease.

Doctor George W. Calver, Capitol physician, said Robinson apparently had left his bed about midnight and had gone to the bathroom where he fell face downward.

Calver said Robinson who was 64 years old, had suffered several heart attacks in recent months.

The physician said that when Robinson made the address which touched off fiery Senate debate on the court issue he became very pale and apparently cut his address short.

"I did not see him at the time," Calver said, "but many who were there noticed he became very pale and apparently cut his speech short. Senator Copeland rushed to his side when he stopped speaking."

Tentative plans were made to send Senator Robinson's body to Arkansas tomorrow evening.

As word of his death spread over the capital, many of his colleagues went to the Robinson home, the first to arrive were Senators Harrison (D-Miss.) and Walsh (D-Mass.). Both were affected so deeply they declined to comment.

The sudden death of the Senate leader shocked the capital and threw the administration's legislative program into turmoil.

Robinson who had been Democratic leader since 1922, was personally in charge of the administration's two major legislative campaigns to enact President Roosevelt's bills to reorganize the courts and the executive departments. His colleagues generally had expected his appointment to the Supreme Court to fill the vacancy created by the retirement of Justice Van Devanter.

Washington, July 14.—Senator Josiah W. Bailey of North Carolina, disclosed today he and the late Senator Josiah T. Robinson had made plans for a two-weeks fishing trip together in North Carolina next September.

"Senator Robinson had accepted my invitation and we were looking forward to the trip," Bailey said.

They were to have gone to the North Carolina Senator's Summer home at Morehead City, N. C.

### BASEBALL AT FRANKLINTON

Baseball fans at Franklinton announce the following games to be played on their local diamond: Saturday, July 17—Wake Forest.

Sunday, July 18—Pine Ridge. Wednesday, July 21—Wilton. Saturday, July 24—New Hope. Sunday, July 25—Louisburg. Wednesday, July 28—Louisburg.

Saturday, July 31—New Hope. Other announcements will be made later.

The public is invited to see these games, which will no doubt give them many thrills as the boys are playing fast ball.

### Program At The Louisburg Theatre

The following is the program at the Louisburg Theatre beginning Saturday, July 17:

Saturday—Double Feature—Johnny Mack Brown in "Trail of Vengeance" and Guy Kibbee in "Don't Tell The Wife." Also 1st chapter of new serial "Dick Tracy."

Sunday—Leo Carillo and Mary Carlisle in "Hotel Haywire."

Monday—Tony Martin, Leah Ray and Joan Davis in "Sing And Be Happy!"

Tuesday—Gene Raymond and Ann Sothern in "There Goes My Girl."

Wednesday—Victor Moore and Helen Broderick in "Meet The Missus."

Thursday - Friday—Virginia Bruce, Franchot Tone and Maureen O'Sullivan in "Between Two Women" with Cliff Edwards.

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### Kiwanis Meets

With President Gaither Beam presiding the Louisburg Kiwanis Club held its regular weekly luncheon at the Agricultural Building on Tuesday evening.

Due to the absence of Mrs. J. E. Malone, Jr., the Club's regular sponsor, Miss Talmadge Thomas was the sponsor. Miss Thomas also played two splendid musical selections which were enjoyed by all.

After reports from several committees the program was turned over to County Agent E. J. Morgan. Mr. Morgan presented the speaker for the evening, Mr. Chamberlain, Northeastern Organizer for the Farm Bureau Association. Mr. Chamberlain gave the listeners some very beneficial information concerning soil erosion, crops as a whole and the purpose of the Farm Bureau Association.

The members decided to meet with the farmers Friday, July 16, at 1 o'clock at Mills High School instead of their regular meeting next Tuesday evening.

### RELIGIOUS PICTURES SUNDAY NIGHT

At the Louisburg Methodist Church on next Sunday night, July 18, there will be shown a sound motion picture portraying the life of Christ. The title of the picture is, "Jesus of Nazareth." While the picture has no dialogue, sacred music, appropriately selected, has been added by Emil Valaszko at the pipe organ and by the Roly Choir in solo and choral arrangements. This picture was actually filmed in the Holy Land and has been acclaimed by ministers and laymen as one of the best produced on the life of Christ.

This picture has been presented in many places with unusual success by Mr. and Mrs. James Lewis of Melbourne, Florida. A free will offering will be received during an intermission in the picture. This will go in part to the Lewises to meet expenses in bringing the message of the picture, and in part to the local church. 8:00 P. M. is the hour for this evening service.

All other services of the day will be as usual, with the pastor preaching at the 10:00 A. M. service.

### SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION

Operators of 134 farms, comprising 20128 acres in the Soil Conservation Service Camp area near Franklinton were carrying out complete programs of soil and water conservation on their farms at the end of the fiscal year on June 30, according to the annual report of Mr. W. H. M. Jenkins, Superintendent of the CCC Camp in Franklinton.

Strip cropping, one of the outstanding vegetative methods of erosion control is being followed on 1247 acres and cooperating farmers have agreed to follow approved crop rotations on 4245 acres of their cultivated land. Erosion resisting crops have been increased by 1050 acres.

A total of 133 miles of terraces have been constructed, protecting 1430 acres, and contour furrows have been constructed in pastures to protect 55 acres. Contour cultivation is being practiced on approximately 80 percent of the land in row crops.

On the steeper slopes 212 acres have been retired to new forest through the planting 325728 trees. Proper woodland management practices are being followed on 9626 acres of existing woodland on the farms in the area.

The various mechanical, cultural, and vegetative methods of erosion control are coordinated on each farm so as to conserve the soil and water resources of the farm by putting each acre to the use for which it is best adapted, Mr. Jenkins said.

### AUXILIARY TO MEET

The TIMES is requested to announce that the American Legion Auxiliary will meet next Tuesday, July 20th, at the home of Mrs. C. R. Sykes with Mrs. W. H. White and Mrs. George Davis joint hostesses.

### CAMBRIDGE, ENG. (PAS)

Thirty-two Rhodes Scholarships are awarded annually to the United States.



SENATOR JOSEPH T. ROBINSON

### HUNT FOR EARHART PLANE BECOMING HOPELESS TASK

Aboard the Aircraft Carrier Lexington near Howland Island, July 14.—In fierce equatorial heat, fliers of the Lexington continued today their increasingly hopeless search in the South Pacific ocean for Amelia Earhart Putnam and Frederick J. Noonan, navigator of her plane, missing 12 days on a world girdling flight.

Forty-two of the Lexington's 63 fighting planes scanned a great area along the international date line west of Howland, the island which the aviatrix and Noonan failed to reach in an attempted 2,570 mile flight from New Guinea July 2.

The air fleet returned to the ship after five hours and reported no trace of the lost globe-girdling plane.

The heat was so intense the aviators smeared their faces with grease to prevent sunburn.

Since the air fleet was covering both sides of the date line, those on the left flank were counting time as Thursday and the right flank operating as of Wednesday.

### HELD FOR COURT CUTS NEGRO WITH AXE

Horace Jones, colored, was given a preliminary hearing Saturday before J. L. Palmer, Justice of the Peace for the shooting of his father near Ingleside on Saturday night, June 26th, and was bound over to Franklin Superior Court under a charge of assault with intent to kill, and required to give a \$1,000 bond.

Out of this hearing developed two other charges, one of grand larceny for which he was bound over to Superior Court under a bond of \$250, and another of damage to personal property, for which he was sent up to Recorder's Court under \$100 bond.

The father, Sandy Jones, recovered from his injuries and was present at the trial.

Fred Morrison, colored, was brought to Louisburg Sunday and placed in jail to await the outcome of an assault on John Perry, also colored, in an altercation on the McGhee farm near Franklinton Saturday night. It is understood Morrison used an axe cutting quite a long gash across Perry's chest and reaching down to the abdomen. It is reported the trouble started over a drink of whiskey and forty cents. Later reports say Perry died soon after reaching the hospital, this could not be confirmed yesterday. A hearing will probably be had within the next few days.

Three new combines have been purchased by farmers of Orange County this season.

### President's Son Weds Ethel DuPont



OLD CHRISTIANA HUNDRED, Del. . . Mr. and Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt, Jr., immediately after the wedding ceremony. They are soon to spend their honeymoon abroad.

### Mrs. C. M. Cooke Dead

Funeral services for Mrs. Elizabeth Person Cooke, widow of the late Judge Chas. M. Cooke, who died at the home of her son, Charles M. Cooke, at Florence, S. C., on Thursday of last week were held at the Louisburg Baptist Church at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon. She is survived by only one son, Charles M. Cooke, of Florence, S. C. The services were conducted by Rev. W. R. Cullom, of Wake Forest, and Rev. E. H. Davis, and interment was made in the family plot in Oaklawn cemetery. Both services were largely attended by friends, considering the extent to which information of the death of Mrs. Cooke could be gotten to friends of the family, the telegram announcing her death reaching Louisburg Friday morning. The floral tribute was large and especially pretty. The pallbearers were S. T. Wilder, Sr., J. H. Boone, F. H. Allen, W. R. Mills, E. H. Malone and W. N. Fuller.

Mrs. Cooke was a most estimable woman, possessing all the admirable characteristics of Southern beauty and grace. Her life in her home, her church and her community work during her younger years were such as won confidence, respect, love and admiration. She was a devoted wife, who gave inspiration to her husband, Hon. Chas. M. Cooke, one of the State's ablest Judges and former citizens. She was a native of Franklin County, leaving here to live with her son soon after the death of her husband. At the time of her death she was 94 years of age, and just before was the oldest living graduate of Louisburg College.

The remains were brought to Louisburg Saturday morning just prior to the funeral services.

### Recorder's Court

Vice-Recorder Paul Strickland of Youngsville, presided at Tuesday's session of Franklin Recorder's Court, in the absence of Judge Malone, who is on vacation. The docket containing several cases was disposed of as follows:

Simp Wadrick, assault with deadly weapon, upon failure to comply with former judgment execution of road sentence ordered.

John Henry Stallings, violating slot machine law, continued under former order.

Norman Mullen, violating slot machine law, continued under former order.

Thurston Swanson was found guilty of assault on a female and abandonment, and given 12 months on roads, judgment to be suspended upon payment of costs \$5.00 per month for defendant for two years. Appeal.

George A. Alston was found guilty of violating prohibition law, and given 60 days on roads, to be suspended upon payment of costs.

The case of H. M. Lancaster violating prohibition law, was remanded to the magistrate.

J. A. Braswell plead guilty to violating prohibition law, and given 60 days on roads, to be suspended upon payment of costs.

Horace Jones was found guilty of damaging personal property, and given 90 days on roads.

L. V. Edding was found guilty of simple assault, fined \$5 and costs.

Daniel Carpenter was found guilty of carrying concealed weapons and given 90 days on roads, to be suspended upon payment of costs.

### Y. W. A. MEETS

The Young Woman's Auxiliary of the Louisburg Baptist Church met for its monthly meeting on Monday evening at Jackson's pond for a picnic supper.

All members and friends met at 8 o'clock, where all went to Jackson's pond, where lots of fun in swimming, boat-riding, and hiking were enjoyed.

About 7:30, a bountiful supper served in picnic style was served on the rocks to the following:

Lillian Young, Elsie Hudson, Edith Toone, Frances Hedgcock, Sude Toone, Beatrice Young, Margaret Incoe, Gertrude Foster, Miriam Downey, Helen Foust, Marie Ingram, Athlea Boone, Jimmie James, Bessie Shadrach, Ruth Greenburg, Dorothy Kimball, Maria Perry, Margaret Candler, of Henderson, Mrs. W. B. Joyner and Mrs. Bob Strickland.

All left expressing their thanks for such lovely time, and are looking forward to this opportunity again soon.

LEIPZIG, GERMANY—(PAS) The Leipzig Trade Fair has been held regularly for over 700 years. It is attended by 150,000 business men from 74 countries, including the United States.

A British statesman calls upon France and Germany to save Europe. Is Uncle Sam to be slighted this time?

### Gives Self-Up



CHICAGO, Ill. . . Eluding the police of several States for three months, Robert Irwin, wanted for the murder of three in New York City on Easter, surrenders to local authorities.

### TOBACCO EXPOSITION AND FESTIVAL

(By George L. Wainwright)

Wilson, July 12.—The first annual North Carolina Tobacco Exposition and Festival will be staged at Wilson, N. C., on August 19th and 20th, it was announced last week by the Executive Committee of the event of which J. C. Eagles, Jr., is Chairman and K. W. Baldow is Treasurer.

As outlined in the plans for the two day affair, the first day's program will include many activities for the most part of which those participating will be awarded attractive cash prizes of various denominations. A window judging contest, band concert, tobacco exhibit, and street dance will feature the opening.

The second day will include the selection of a King and Queen, street parade, awarding of parade prizes, coronation ceremonies, and coronation ball with some internationally known orchestra.

Secretary of Agriculture Henry A. Wallace has been invited to come to Wilson on these days and speak to the thousands expected to attend.

The Honorable Clyde R. Hoey, Governor of North Carolina will be extended an invitation to be present, as will several other prominent persons, including Congressman John H. Kerr, and other Congressmen and Senators from this area.

The exposition and festival will be under the supervision of the executive committee that will have complete charge of the vast amount of detail arrangements that are planned to make the event one of the most outstanding affairs in the state during the year 1937. This committee has appointed twenty-one sub-committees made up of several hundred of the business leaders of Wilson, and for each committee its specific duties have been carefully set forth by the governing group.

Lester Rose, Secretary of the local Chamber of Commerce has been selected as Managing Director of the affair. For the past ten days he has been busily engaged in making extensive preparations in order that the first annual exposition and festival might be far reaching in its scope, and most pleasingly and appreciably attended for its educational and merit clauses as outlined in the extensive plans.

J. C. Eagles, Jr., Chairman of the Executive Committee has notified all committee chairmen of their respective duties and has advised individual committeemen of their appointment to the various committees.

The twenty-one committees include a Finance, a Tobacco Exhibits, a Float, a Band Platform, a Coronation Ceremony, a Parade, a Street Dance, a Coronation Ball,

### Soviet Aviators Set New Record

Shatter Distance Flight Mark as They Descend Near San Jacinto, California

March Field, Calif., July 14.—Three air heroes of the Soviet Union blazed a new distance record across the North Pole from Moscow to a Southern California cow pasture today for the cheers of the world and a ham-and-egg breakfast.

Fog forced them down near San Jacinto, a mountain community, after they had penetrated almost to the Mexican border.

Their direct air-line distance was 6,262 miles, although they flew much farther in avoiding bad weather. They timed themselves in 62 hours and 17 minutes from their Moscow takeoff, landing just short of this Army air base about 6:27 a. m. P. S. T. (9:27 a. m. E. S. T.).

They had flown for some two and a half hours over the San Diego and Mexican border region before turning back north attempting to find a hole in the early-morning fog.

Smiling gamely, Pilot Mikhail Gromoff, Co-Pilot Andrei Yumoshin, and Navigator Sergei Danilin, who do not speak English, climbed out of their great single-motored monoplane and greeted ranchers with cards bearing these English words:

Three Words

"Bath—eat—sleep."

Ranchers notified March Field and the fliers were brought here, where they got their baths, eats and sleep.

Later, Gromoff sent this dispatch to Moscow:

"After 62 hours and 17 minutes establishing two world's records, one for straight flying, one blind flying. Greetings to Soviet people."

Then he sent another: "Proved feasibility of transpole crossing, found magnetic disturbances, Radio communication O. K. with Russian stations. We reached Canada then faded out. Plane performed excellent."

The 6,262-mile straight line distance from Moscow to San Jacinto is 605 miles longer than the previous world record which the Frenchmen Paul Codos and Maurice Rossi set in a New York-to-Syria flight in 1933.

The distance also is greater by 974 miles than that of the first Russian transpolar flight of three weeks ago. In that venture, Valeri Chkaloff, Georgi Baldukoff and Alexander Beliaikoff flew from Moscow to Vancouver, Wash.

### BOUND OVER TO COURT

Linwood Barham, Johnnie Joseph, Walter Grammer, Will Tharrington and Jimmie Walker were bound over to Franklin Superior Court by Magistrate E. C. Crews at Franklinton on the 7th, under \$1,000 bond each to answer to a charge of rape, the victim being Miss Tinnie Jarrell. It is understood all the parties are from Henderson, but the crime was committed in Franklin County. Jimmie Walker gave bond, but the others are in jail awaiting Court.

### A REAL ROMANCE

After ten years of separation an elderly white couple met again in the County Home and picked up their romance with renewed ardor.

Both would like to spend the remaining years together in a little home of their own. A domicile has been secured, but these old people have no household furnishings with which to set up housekeeping.

The Welfare Department will appreciate all donations such as chairs, a bed, cooking utensils, etc. Contact Mrs. J. F. Mitchner, Supt. Public Welfare.

a Queen's Reception, a Publicity, an Exhibit Booth, a Queen's Enrollment, a Boosters, a Parade Prize, a Street Decoration, a Parade Horses and Ponies, a Speakers, a Judges, and Advertising, a Band, a Window Contest, and a Water Carnival Committee.

Mayors of approximately 125 North Carolina municipalities will be called upon to select from their particular city, town, or county a young lady who will be representative and will compete for the honor of queen of the exposition and festival.

### THANKS

We wish to thank all our friends and neighbors for helping us through the sickness of our daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid House.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—(PAS) —The Library of Congress is among the largest in the world, with 15.29 acres of floor space and nearly 5,000,000 printed books and pamphlets.

### An American Champion



AIKEN, S. C. . . Greyhound, the great American trotter, in work-out before his first race of season at Goshen, N. Y. He is scheduled to meet the European Champion, Muzetone, later this summer.