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"Over 10,000 People Welcome You to Asheboro, the Center of the Mid-South"

CONGRESS ASKED FOR CHINA-JAP FUNDS

Copeland Raises KKK Issue; Attack Opens In Senate

Refers to Senator Black's Nomination as Gr. National Issue.

Cites Newspaper

Contents Klan Elected Black To Senate In Walk-away Race.

Washington, Aug. 17.—(AP)—Senator Copeland (D-NY) brought the Ku Klux Klan issue against Senator Black into the senate today with a statement that "it would be an outrage to put a former supervisor of the Klan on the Supreme Court bench."

Opening debate Senator Copeland said the nomination should be rejected if the Klan relation is accepted as true. "Just now," he said, "there is doubt about it and the nomination should be sent back to committee for investigation."

Small groups of Republicans and "Old Line" Democrats were lined up to fight the Black confirmation. Discussing what he called "Klan relationship," Copeland said, "I have no doubt regarding my action. Other senators will be guided by their convictions."

"But there rests upon us a responsibility, second only to that of the court packing scheme, unless the President relieves us of this responsibility by withdrawing this nomination. It is our duty to know all the details."

"Can the leopard change its spots? Will Black be any different as a Justice than as a candidate. The Mobile Register, states August 15, 1926, Copeland continued, backed by the Klan Black has a walkaway for the senatorial nomination."

Troy Redding Is Planning For Fair

Troy Redding, head of the agricultural exhibits of the Randolph county fair, urges that farmers put away choice things now for the exhibits at the fair, which is not far distant.

Every year, according to Mr. Redding—himself one of the finest farmers of the county—people see things at the fair and remark that they wish they had brought certain specimens from their own gardens, fields, pastures, and barnyards. This year—be prepared in advance and lay your products aside in advance.

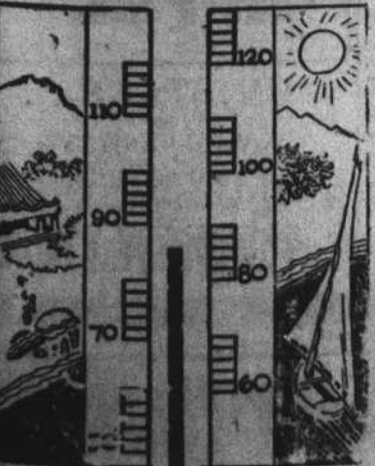
Pays Fine, Costs In J. P. Hearing

Joe Thotter, who on Monday morning was convicted on a charge of reckless driving, paid a fine of \$5 and the costs, according to Patrolman Norris, who cited Trotter to court after an automobile collision on Fayetteville street Saturday. In addition to the court charges and fine, Trotter made satisfactory arrangements with Otto Frey of Fayetteville, the second participant in the collision.

Mr. Trotter objected to the report in this newspaper on Sunday when the term "arrest" was used and says he was not arrested, that he was cited to appear in magistrate's court. We are glad to make this statement for Mr. Trotter.

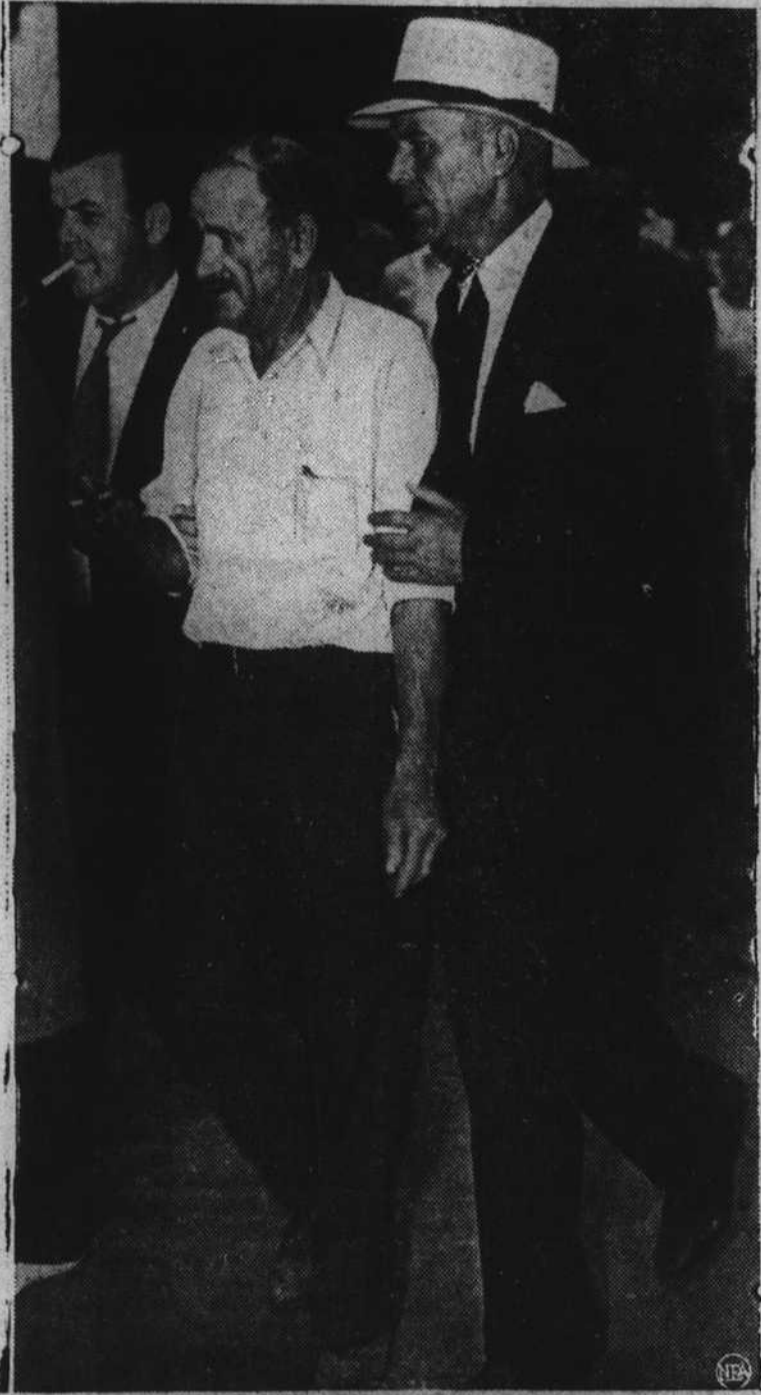
Patrolman Norris, when apprised of Trotter's contention he was not arrested stated, "Trotter was technically under arrest the moment I stopped him."

The HIGHEST TEMPERATURE OF THE LAST 24 HOURS



THE WEATHER
North Carolina: Generally fair tonight, slightly warmer in north eastern portion and south east coast. Wednesday partly cloudy.

Infant's Slayer Trapped



Guarded by a detective (left) and Chief Inspector John A. Lyons, right, Samuel Elmore, 50, guides police to the deserted cottage on Staten Island, N. Y., where, he confessed, he attacked and strangled four-year-old Joan Kuleba. It was Elmore who reported "discovery" of the body in the latest of the series of sex crimes against young girls that have horrified New York city.

Asheboro Eagles Lose To Buford; Norris Smashed

Young Democrats To Name Officers

Executive Committee Met Monday Evening; County Meeting Sept. 2nd.

The executive committee of the Young Democratic club of Randolph county met last night in the county courthouse. The purpose of this meeting was to investigate and propose to the county convention such recommendations as they see fit.

The county convention will be held on Thursday, September 2nd. At this time new officers will be elected for the organization, also delegates will be named for the state convention of Young Democrats to be held in Winston-Salem on Saturday, September 11th.

Robert Wood, president of this organization, presided over this meeting. Members of the executive committee present were: G. G. Gilmore, Climax; Miss Frances Smith, Liberty; Ralph Bulla, North Asheboro; Sam Miller and Robert Wood, Asheboro.

Mr. Gilmore was named chairman of the constitution committee with the other officers of the executive board, serving with him as committee members. They plan to formulate this report at an early date.

Missionaries Not to Sail
Toronto, Aug. 17.—(Canadian Press)—All sailings of missionaries for China and Japan were cancelled by the United Church of Canada yesterday. Plans for the return of missionaries here on furlough will be decided at a conference later.

Merchant Marine
Washington, Aug. 17.—(AP)—Joseph P. Kennedy, chairman of the Maritime commission, says the United States needs 300 to 350 new ships to enable its merchant marine to compete successfully with the speedy, modern foreign fleets.

Eagles Game
Wichita, Kans., Aug. 17.—(AP)—Asheboro, N. C. entry in national semi-pro baseball tournament will play Corsica, S. D., at 1 p. m. Wednesday. Corsica defeated Fort Crook, Neb., 8 to 0, in first game.

Farley Lays 40-Hour Week, Says President Helped

Claims Roosevelt Gave Great Opportunity To Working Men.

Election Activity

Three Men in Field For Association Head; 150 Attending Affair.

Fayetteville, Aug. 17.—(AP)—Postmaster General James A. Farley, speaking to the postmasters of North Carolina, gathered here in convention today, that during the past two years he has had no cause for regret of the 40 hour week he approved for postal employees.

"President Roosevelt," Mr. Farley said, "has given the greatest opportunity to men who work. I have believed for a long time that good wages and working conditions are essential to good business."

Fayetteville, Aug. 17.—Even the approaching election of a successor to President Paul R. Younts, Charlottean took a back seat with electing going on quietly by supporters of three candidates during Farley's visit. These are J. H. McKenzie, Salisbury, J. W. Coleman, Greensboro and Wythe Peyton, Asheville.

One hundred and fifty postmasters and postmistresses are registered for the convention. Headquarters are in the Prince Charles hotel.

George Ricks To Remain For Month

Supply Pastor of Presbyterian Church Has Won Many Friends in Town.

George H. Ricks, supply pastor at the Presbyterian Church for the past two months, has been engaged to continue his work here until the opening of his Seminary in September. By and unanimous vote of the combined official boards of elders and deacons, acknowledgment was made of his valuable service to the church and Mr. Ricks was asked to extend his engagement here to the full period of his summer vacation. Upon notification of this action, Mr. Ricks agreed to continue his service here through the month of August.

Mr. Ricks will continue to occupy his old room at the Manse, and the many friends to whom he has endeared himself will be welcomed to contact him there at any time during the remainder of the month. The church has prospered under his leadership, and the young people especially have profited. All ages and classes have come to respect and love him; and his arrangement to prolong his summer sojourn here is evidence of his value to the church and to the community.

Mrs. Eunice Lanier Died in Hospital

Well Known Young Matron Of Flint Hill Will Be Buried Wednesday.

Mrs. Eunice Ellen Canoy Lanier, age 27, wife of Walter Lanier of the Flint Hill community, died at a local hospital Monday evening at 6:30 a'clock following an illness of several months.

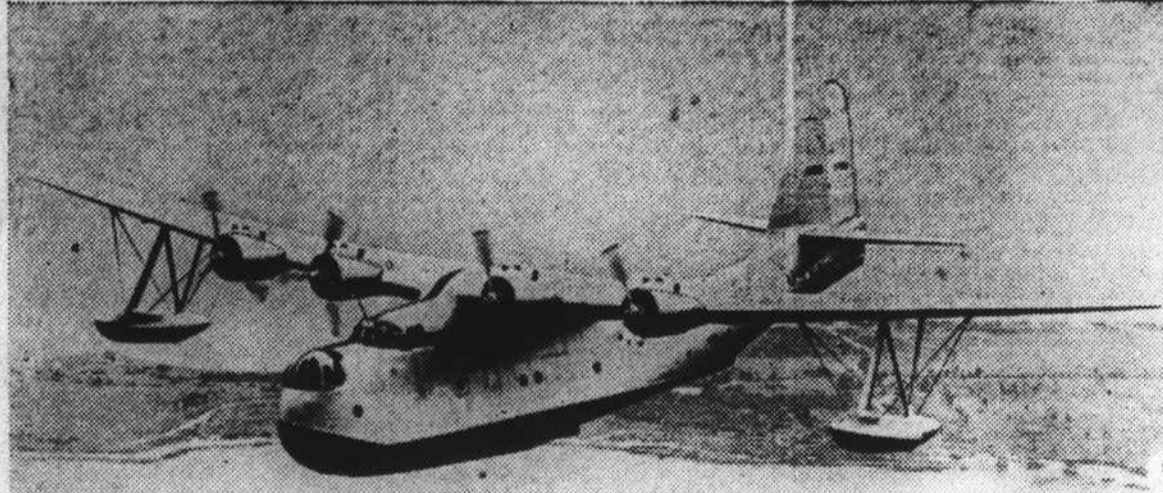
Surviving in addition to her husband and parents, are two small children of the home, and two sisters: Mrs. Carson Robbins and Mrs. Clyde Richardson, both of Sophia, route 1; three brothers, R. L. Canoy of Randleman, route 2, J. M. and E. W. of Sophia, route 1, also survive.

Funeral services will be conducted Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock at the Flint Hill Congregational church by Rev. S. M. Penn, pastor. Interment will follow in the church cemetery.

The body remained at the Farlow Funeral Home until late Tuesday afternoon, when it was removed to the home of her parents on Sophia, route 1.

High School Band To Give Concert Sunday
The Asheboro High school band will give a concert on Sunday afternoon, August 22nd on the courthouse lawn. This concert, which will begin at 4:30, is given for the benefit of all friends of the band which is under the direction of Pat Leonard of Albermarle.

Maiden Flight of Mighty U. S. Navy Bomber



As U. S. Navy officers watched, 55,000 pounds of bombing plane, equally at home on land, sea or air, swing along the Connecticut coast on its successful maiden trip, proving its worth as a link in the United States defense system. This four-motored "Flying Dreadnaught" is said to be the largest bomber in the world. On its first flight, pictured above it was piloted by a crew from the Sikorsky plant, where it was made for the navy, with navy officials as observers.

Chamber of Commerce City Booklet Being Distributed

Asheboro Advertising Book Out For Distribution; Some at Wichita.

Some weeks ago Senator Hugo Black of Alabama sat in his Washington office and talked quietly with Morgan M. Beatty, AP Feature Service Writer, about how he thought the constitution ought to be interpreted to fit 20th century business complications.

Senator Black at this time was but one voice in nearly 600 congressmen, and his views didn't cut much ice one way or another. Beatty didn't even bother to write up the interview. But he saved his notes.

Today Senator Black's views on interpretation of the constitution are of prime importance to every business man, laborer and farmer in the United States. For Senator Black, nominated by President Roosevelt for the Supreme Court, soon may be making those views the law of the land.

For a close-up of Senator Black and his own statement of his legal-economic views, turn to Morgan Beatty's story of that almost forgotten interview today on page 2.

Eagles Capture Mid-West Papers

Victory Advertises Asheboro Throughout Wichita; Hail Lanford; Short.

Wichita, Aug. 16.—"North Carolina" was spread in big letters across the sports page of every paper in Wichita Saturday morning after the Eagles' victory over the Kansas City Police, and "Asheboro" was on the tongue of every fan.

Pat Short and Skipper Harrington were the objects of most of the laudatory columns of local sportswriters—Short for his sensational fielding and because he led the club with three hits; Harrington because his double in the sixth broke the scoring ice and drove in the two runs that meant the ball game as well as turning in a prize bit of defensive play on a seemingly perfect bunt in the eighth.

Sam Lanford, too, received applause from the crowd at the ball park and from the columnists for his seven hit pitching, but he worked so easily that many failed to realize how much he was putting on the ball.

The arrival of two home town boys, Clyde Treadgill and Stanton Presnell, Friday afternoon helped a lot to put heart in the Eagles. They felt they just couldn't let down a pair of fans who had driven continuously for nearly 40 hours and covered 1500 miles to see them play. As a reward for their trip, tournament officials fixed them up with passes to all games.

Wichita baseball enthusiasts are all anxious to see Hooks Calloway in action. A record of 26 consecutive victories is perfect in any class of baseball.

One of the happiest fellows on the trip is Charlie Barnes. It was impossible to include him in the playing squad of 16, but because of his faithful playing during the year he was taken along as an extra man.

Radium, costing about \$700,000 an ounce, is still the world's most expensive element. The total amount of mined radium in the world is estimated to be less than one and one-third pounds.

American Women Lead Shanghai In Rain Of Fire

Roosevelt Calls General Craig And Rear Admiral Richardson For Talks.

Shanghai Shelled

Considering Sending More U. S. Troops; May Invoke Pact.

Washington, Aug. 17.—(AP)—Secretary of State Cordell Hull said today this government has ordered 1,200 Marines to sail from San Diego, to Shanghai to protect American Nationals from violence.

Mr. Hull also announced the department was asking Congress to appropriate \$500,000 for all necessary relief and evacuation emergencies.

The Marines Hull stated would sail within ten days. He added that it would require five weeks to land them in Shanghai.

Washington, Aug. 17.—(AP)—President Roosevelt, according to informed persons today has been considering two possible steps in connection with the undeclared war between Japan and China.

One—to rush reinforcements to China to protect United States citizens.

Two—to invoke neutrality acts against both Japan and China.

Mr. Roosevelt yesterday consulted not only with Secretary of State Cordell Hull, but with General Malin Craig, chief of staff; rear admiral James Richardson, acting chief of naval operations and Stanley Hornbeck, chief of the state department for eastern divisions.

Shanghai, Aug. 17.—(AP)—Shell splinters sprayed peaceful fairs and foreign homes with death and great guns roared out terror tonight in the Japanese-Chinese battle at Shanghai.

100,000 men with guns and bombs fought on to a goal none could foresee. Fire raged the city. Unconfirmed reports were to the effect Chinese troops pressed hard on Japanese positions along lines of Shanghai facing the Whampoo river.

Reports disclosed three high fires started by Chinese bombs and shells within the Japanese lines. Japanese bombed after dark in a renewal of a duel. Steel shell fragments sprayed into the concession where most Americans live.

Concession police were unable to learn of the number of dead and injured but estimated that 50, all Chinese, were struck by shrapnel or splinters.

Business collapsed. More than 2,000 Americans and British women and children fled from Shanghai.

They played hide-and-seek with death, down the Whampoo river to reach waiting liners under the blazing guns of the Japanese fleet. Sunset found both fronts ready.

Japanese and Chinese air duels shook the city until early afternoon, spraying hot steel throughout the French concession.

Shooting Case Is Scheduled Today

Justice J. F. Routh To Conduct Hearings At Randleman.

Hearings into circumstances connected with the fatal shooting of Edgar Anderson, 22, at the Wright filling station, Randleman, Saturday, August 7, are scheduled before Justice of the Peace J. F. Routh this afternoon or tomorrow.

Millard Wright, who after Anderson had sustained three wounds, said to have been caused by revolver shots, gave himself up to members of the sheriff's department, and has voluntarily remained under technical arrest. He will be arraigned before Justice Routh at Randleman.

Anderson, according to reports, had threatened Wright's life and caused considerable disturbance at the filling station prior to the shooting.

Woman Killed

Rockingham, Aug. 17.—A west-bound Seaboard freight train at 11:15 o'clock yesterday struck and instantly killed Mrs. J. C. Chewning in front of Hannah Pickett No. 1 mill. Mrs. Chewning, 53, and hard of hearing, was walking westward on the track. The whistle was blown, but she failed to hear the warning. Her body was severed.

Insurgent Drive
Hendaye, Spanish Frontier, Aug. 17.—(AP)—Spanish insurgents under command of General Francisco Franco late today launched legions against the towering defenses of the Santander city.

Insurgents predicted the fall of the Capital city within five days.