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

COURT PROPOSALS ALIVE SAYS ROOSEVELT

Eagles Eliminated By Texans; Unable to Hit Offerings of Eaves

Locals To Share In Series Money

Way Touched For Nine Hits; Game Lost in Opening Session.

Hal Johnson Out

Handle Nine Unbeatable Last Night; Pitcher Never Endangered.

Eagles Results
Eagles 4, Kansas Clay Po. 1.
Buford, Ga. 11, Eagles 7.
Eagles 11, Corsica 0.
Eagles 6, Lisbon Falls, Me. 1.
Mt. Pleasant Falls, Tex. 4, Eagles 1.
Won 3, lost 2.
Awards. Will receive a share of prize money as they finished in the first ten teams.

Elected Head of Young Demos



Waging a vigorous last-minute battle, Pitt Tyson Maner, secretary to Gov. Bibb Graves of Alabama, is shown above after his election as national president of the Young Democrat Clubs of America at the convention in Indianapolis, Ind. Withdrawal of his two principal opponents paved the way for unanimous selection.

Santander Falls To Insurgents; 50,000 Captured

Government Officials Hand Over Surrenders; Street Fighting a Feature.

Loyal Troops Caught Inhabitants Rush Police With Demand That City Give Up Defense.

Hendaye, Spanish Frontier, Aug. 25.—(AP)—Insurgent officials announced today the surrender of Santander, the last remaining government stronghold on the north western Spanish coast.
Advices from Insurgent field headquarters said the government authorities in the city officially handed over the notice of surrender.
Motorized insurgent troops immediately entered the city.
Late this afternoon a strong detachment was only three miles from Santander proper.
The fall of the city was hastened by street fighting between Civil guards, a part of the police, and civilians. The inhabitants of the city rushed the government troops demanding the authorities surrender.
So fierce and fast was the offensive that 50,000 government troops were caught in a pocket.

Boom McNutt For 1940 Nomination

Senators Claim He Would Make an Ideal Man For President.

Indianapolis, Ind., Aug. 25.—(AP)—Senator Frederick Demars, senior senator, joined Senator Sherman Minton today in endorsing the candidacy of Paul V. McNutt, high commissioner to the Philippine Islands, for the democratic nomination for president in 1940.

Demars said he was satisfied from conferences and information received from other quarters that President Roosevelt would not be a candidate for a third term.

"Paul McNutt would make an ideal candidate and an ideal president and I would be glad to go right down the line with him in 1940," Demars said.

Chinese Shell Caused Damage

Investigator Declares Store Wrecked by Airmen's Mistaken Aim.

Shanghai, Aug. 25.—(AP)—An international investigator after a careful inquiry concluded today that the projectiles that hit a large department store here and a United States naval store came from a Chinese airplane.
Three Americans were wounded and more than 400 Chinese killed in the holocaust.
It was believed the shell was aimed at Japanese warships in the harbor.

Cotton Loans

Washington, Aug. 25.—After receiving assurance today from Secretary of Agriculture Wallace that cotton farmers will be granted a loan of at least nine cents and a price adjustment of three cents per pound under the Byrnes provision adopted by Congress, Senator George of Georgia urged producers of the South to keep a sales record of all bales sold prior to the forthcoming official announcement of new program in order that full participating benefits may be secured.

P. G. A. Leader

Charlotte, Aug. 25.—(AP)—Charles Danner today led the field at the three quarter mark in the P. G. A. tournament here with a sizzling 230 for 54 holes.

Scout Jamboree

All Boy Scouts in Randolph county will play hosts to Troop 27 of Asheboro, Thursday, September 2, in a little "Jamboree" to welcome home David Stedman, the only Randolph boy fortunate enough to attend the International Jamboree in Europe this summer.
The "Jamboree" will take place at the Randolph fair grounds. A splendid program is being arranged for the event including a weiner roast and watermelon feast.

Principals in Chicago Killing



A new mystery confronted Chicago police following the cold-blooded killing of Robert Francis Burns, lower right, 40, who was shot to death by two men while walking in Grant Park with a blond young woman, top right, who gave her name as Lucille Buehler. The girl's story, later supported by another witness, was that two men approached them from a parked car, and while one slapped her, the other shot Burns in the head. Both men escaped. Not knowing Burns already was married, Miss Buehler said she had agreed to marry him, and was discussing wedding plans when the killers appeared. Mrs. Robert Burns, left, above, wife of the murdered man, was en route home from a vacation at the time of the shooting.

Chapel Hill Awarded PWA Grant for New Buildings

Washington Announces University Will Get \$184,905 Fund.

Washington, Aug. 25.—(AP)—Secretary Ickes announced today approval of 117 public works administration projects in 32 states.
The PWA said the grants approved totaled \$14,247,577 for projects for which appropriations had been made state legislation.
The projects include the following:
Chapel Hill, N. C. university buildings, \$184,905.
Gastonia, N. C., hospital building, \$32,825.
Charleston, S. C., college building, \$251,727.
Rock Hill, S. C., textile building, \$302,727.

Virginia Dare Is Now Registered

President Roosevelt, Governor Hoey and State Health Sign The Certificate.

Raleigh, Aug. 25.—The signing of the birth certificate of Virginia Dare, first native American white child, was completed on Roanoke Island, Wednesday, August, 18, when President Franklin D. Roosevelt and Governor Clyde R. Hoey affixed their signatures to the document that was signed in Raleigh by Dr. Carl V. Reynolds, State Health Officer. Six copies were brought to Raleigh by Col. Graham K. Hobbs, who acted as aide to the President on the occasion of his recent visit to North Carolina, and delivered to Dr. Reynolds, in person, Friday, Aug. 20, at 10:50 a. m.
While preliminary arrangements were made to have this document filed during the preceding week, it was not actually completed until August 18, just 350 years to the day after Virginia Dare's birth.
One copy of the duly signed document will be sent to the President, Dr. Reynolds said. Another will be given to Governor Hoey, while a third will be deposited in the archives of the State Historical Commission. A fourth will become a part of the records of the Vital Statistics Division of the S. J. State Board of Health, of which Dr. R. T. Stimpson is the director. Dr. Reynolds said he planned to keep one copy, while one will go to J. A. Buchanan, Roanoke Island resident, in whose home, while he was a guest there, the President affixed his signature to this, the official record of the first native white American's birth.

Former Asheboro Man Dies Today

Lewis White Dies Suddenly Following Tonsil Operation in Greensboro Tuesday.

A telephone message to friends in Asheboro announced the death of Lewis White of Greensboro at 2:00 o'clock this morning. Mr. White is a former resident of Asheboro, having been in charge of the Ashlyn hotel soon after that place was built. He was married while in Asheboro to Miss Margaret Whitaker, the daughter of the late Dr. C. L. Whitaker, pastor of the Methodist Protestant church, and Mrs. Whitaker.
Some years ago, they moved to Greensboro but both Mr. and Mrs. White and their daughter, Miss Margaret White, who was born in Asheboro, have a great many friends in the town.
Mr. White, who was in his usual health, had a tonsil operation in Greensboro yesterday morning and was recovering in what seemed to be quite a satisfactory manner. He suffered a sudden heart attack at 2:00 o'clock this morning, however, and died almost immediately.

Funeral service will be held in Reich Funeral home in Greensboro Thursday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock with burial in Oakwood cemetery.

500 Japs Drown; Hundreds Die In Landing Party

Attempt to Take Shanghai Ends in Mines and Machine Gun Pits.

Two Ships Sunk.

U. S. Destroyer Parrott Driven Off Anchorage By Heavy Shelling.

Shanghai, Aug. 25.—(AP)—The lives of hundreds of Japanese soldiers were sacrificed today in a mass last desperate attempt to land reinforcements.
The city defenders took a heavy toll of Japanese landing parties a part of the plan of Japanese to land 50,000 troops near Woosung and take Shanghai from the rear.
The Chinese allowed the new Japanese troops to rush what seemed to be a second line of defense—then exploded hidden mines and virtually wiped out the invaders with fire from secret machine gun pits. Both sides admitted casualties.
One late report tonight, unconfirmed, said the Chinese were withdrawing inland in face of firing from big guns on the Japanese ships.
The Chinese asserted that two Japanese warships were sunk today in the Yangtze river, Shanghai's waterway to the sea and that 500 of the Japanese landing party drowned at one point alone.
A Chinese artillery shelling on the water front drove the U. S. destroyer Parrott from where it was protecting a Texas company's plant off Gough Island.
Great fires were raging in three sections of Shanghai.
The Japanese third fleet struck a blockade along 800 miles against all Chinese shipping. It extended from a point north of here to the extreme southern tip of China.
Clearing skies after weeks of rain threw Hoppel-Chahar sections into new bursts of warfare. It was reported the Chinese in that section were again on the defensive.

Mrs. A. S. Buckner Dies in Raleigh

Liberty, Aug. 25.—Mrs. Annie Stroud Buckner of Winston Salem, widow of the late S. J. Buckner and former resident of Liberty, passed away Saturday morning August 14, 1937 at Watts Hospital, Durham.
She was taken suddenly ill on the Sunday night previous while visiting relatives near Chapel Hill and was taken to the hospital where she developed pneumonia.
She was 69 years old, her birthday anniversary coming two days before her death.
Funeral service was conducted from the First Baptist church of Liberty Sunday afternoon by Rev. R. P. Ellington of Graham assisted by Rev. M. C. Wilkerson of Durham and Rev. G. J. Griffin, pastor of the church.
Interment was made in Oakwood Cemetery at Liberty.
Paulbearers were—Otis P. Brower, J. A. Martin, W. H. Albright, E. C. Williamson and R. M. Garner all of Liberty and A. C. Smith of Winston Salem.
Mrs. Buckner was born in Orange county August 12, 1868. She moved to Alamance county and lived there until her marriage. She was united with the Mt. Zion Baptist Church at an early age, but later moved her membership to the Liberty Baptist Church.
The large crowd attending the funeral and the many floral offerings evidenced the high esteem in which she was held. In 1904 she was married to Samuel James Buckner of Chatham county, who died April 7, 1930.
After his death she went to Winston Salem to make her home with her daughter Mrs. K. G. Phillips who survives. She also leaves one brother C. C. Stroud of Liberty. A sister Mrs. R. B. Wilson of Clinton and one grandson, Kermit Phillips II.

Autumn Session Virtually Sure

Official Washington, Save Roosevelt, Indicate Congress Recall.

Washington, Aug. 25.—(AP)—The Capital—aside from President Roosevelt—predicted today as a certainty a fall session of Congress to consider the farm and the wage and hour legislation.
Mr. Roosevelt said he was considering the arguments for and against the proposed session but had not made up his mind.
He conferred yesterday with Senator Barkley, and Representative Rayburn, senate and house leaders on the question. Neither would comment on his probable decision.
Senator Barkley said, "I do not wish to impinge on his (Mr. Roosevelt's) preserve.

Refugees Reach Manila

Manila, Aug. 25.—(AP)—The Dollar liner McKinley docked here yesterday with 97 refugees from war-torn Shanghai. The new arrivals brought the number of refugees here to nearly 2,000.

War Talk

Columbus, O., Aug. 25.—(AP)—The United American Spanish war veterans today adopted a resolution demanding a "powerful navy and an air force and army to meet all emergencies."

Her Marriage to Heir Bared



Edith Marjorie Haldinand's marriage was so secret that even her father didn't know about it until she obtained an annulment in Chicago. The 17-year-old New York society girl and Wrigley Field, 20, heir to the Wrigley fortune, testified they had given false information in obtaining a marriage license last April.

Millard Wright Held For Court

Bond Fixed at \$2,000 in Anderson Shooting by Two Justices.

Millard Wright, Randleman, who gave himself up to the sheriff's department, August 8, after the shooting of Edgar "Mutt" Anderson, 22, in Gaither Wright's filling station was bound over to Superior court yesterday after a hearing before J. T. Routh and J. H. Lambert, justices, sitting as a joint court. Wright's bail was fixed at \$2,000.
Mrs. Emma Anderson, mother of the dead man, and another son, objected to what they termed a "low bond."
Anderson according to testimony submitted by witnesses yesterday evening called at the Wright station in an intoxicated condition where he raised a general disturbance.
Witnesses contended he threw watermelons at persons in the vicinity and later chased Millard Wright into the service station. No witnesses were sworn who saw the actual shooting.
Dr. Freeman testified that one bullet entered Anderson's body midway between his left side and spinal column. This brought a brother of the dead man to his feet with an exclamation "that's it—he shot him in the back." Dr. Freeman refused to state the man was "shot in the back" but merely pointed to approximate location of the bullet wound.
Anderson died in the Randolph hospital four days after the shooting.

Business Women Close Charter

Constitution and By-Laws Adopted Last Night; New Members.

The Asheboro Women's Business and Professional club last night adopted its constitution and closed its charter. Several new members signed the club's charter last night. The constitution and by-laws were read by Miss Clea Rich.
The meeting was in the social room of the M. E. church. Miss Marion Stedman, president, presided.
Miss Ethel Johnson played several delightful piano numbers.
The minutes of the previous meeting were read by Miss Radie Hughes, secretary.
The board of directors will meet the third Tuesday night in September. The next dinner meeting will take place the 4th Tuesday in September at 6:30 o'clock.

Social Security

Washington, Aug. 25.—(AP)—A bill authorizing an outlay of \$30,000,000 aid to states which complied with the Social Security act became law today with the President's signature.

More Comfortable

The many friends of Jack Hayworth will be glad to know that he had a slightly more comfortable night last night at Reeves infirmary in Greensboro. Jack, who is one of the most popular young boys of the town, is the son of Mr. C. A. Hayworth and Mrs. Hayworth. He is suffering from an infected sinus and his condition is still grave.

Wichita, Aug. 25.—The McCrary Eagles, Asheboro, went down to defeat and elimination in the National Semi-pro baseball series last night when the team from Mt. Pleasant, Texas, turned them back to 1.

The Texas aggregation was unbeatable last night. Eaves, on the mound, allowed but three scattered hits, the most damaging one being a two sacker by Clodfelter in the 8th. Eaves struck out nine and walked four McCrary hitters.

Calloway hurrying for the Eagles and one had inning, the opener.

The Texans scored three runs in that inning via a walk, two hits and an error. Calloway held the opposition well in hand for the remainder of the game. They did manage to put over another run in the 9th. Summer started the inning with a three bagger into right, Campbell the next up sent a high fly to Burge, then the next two, Price and LoBough singled bringing in Summers.

Calloway drew a big hand from the packed stands in the third when he pulled his team out of a bad spot. Wilson, Texas 1st baseman, went out Clodfelter to Cheek. Hoffman drew a pass and "Moose" Johnson singled. Hoffman went around to third on the throw in. Summers walked filling the bases.

The spot was bad but Calloway tightened up and fanned the next two batters. He pitched air tight

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Miss Annie B. Cox Is Buried Sunday

Miss Annie Bell Cox was born March 28, 1867, and died at her home on Sophia route 1, Friday morning, August 20, aged 70 years. She had been afflicted for about two years but was seriously ill the past week. She was the daughter of the late John Milton and Elizabeth Davis Cox. She is survived by two sisters, Armita Reynolds of Lakewood, N. J., and Miss Ettie Cox of the home place, one brother, Jabez M. Cox, of Sophia route 1, 13 nieces and 9 nephews, and by Amos Davis who lived in the home as a brother from the age of 6 years until his marriage some years ago then lived nearby to care for the two sisters who lived alone.

American People Will Prevent War

Senator Thomas Claims Citizens are United In Avoiding War.

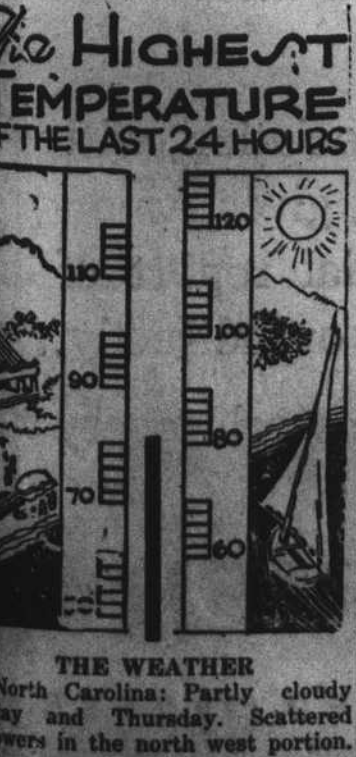
New York, Aug. 25.—(AP)—The United States will keep out of the far eastern conflict because "of the determination of the American people," Senator E. D. Thomas, (D-Utah) a member of the foreign relations committee said today upon sailing for a European trip.

Bescher Injured

E. P. Bescher, local plumber sustained severe injuries to his hand and wrist this morning when he was cut by broken glass in a window in his shop in the armory building.

Loan Resolution

Washington, Aug. 25.—(AP)—The White House announced today that President Roosevelt had signed the resolution adopted in the final hours of Congress pledged to take up farm loans at the next session.
No decision was given relative to the loan to be granted farmers on the 1937 crop.



THE WEATHER
North Carolina: Partly cloudy today and Thursday. Scattered showers in the north west portion.