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"Over 10,000 People Welcome You to Asheboro, the Center of North Carolina"

5TH DISTRICT CLUB WOMEN GATHER HERE

Japanese Planes Attack Autos Carrying British Officials; Soviet Representative Passenger in Car

Occupants Escape Without Injury

Car Carried England's Assistant Air Attache; On Way to Shanghai.

The Cars Riddled

Attack Continued on Men As They Jumped For Safety; Open Probe.

Shanghai, Oct. 12.—(AP)—Three automobiles, belonging to the British embassy, were machine-gunned by two Japanese war planes. The occupants were injured.

The staff car, in which S. S. Morrison, assistant air attache of the British embassy was riding, with other Englishmen, was attacked by the Japanese near Min-shan, 14 miles south of Shanghai, about 4 p. m. although the motor cars carried the Union Jack. The British officials said the Japanese planes continued machine-gunning after the occupants jumped to seek cover. The British asserted the cars had been easily identified.

With the British, in one of the cars was a Soviet embassy secretary. He had been picked up a few minutes before when his car broke down. The embassy staff cars were en route to Shanghai from Nanking on the same highway where two Japanese planes recently seriously damaged the British ambassador's car by bombing and machine-gunning the automobile in which he was riding.

British sources received the news of the affair with the gravest concern. Japanese authorities said the incident had not been reported. British authorities had not notified either the army or navy that the British were using the high-speed cars.

Funeral At Randleman Today

Funeral service was held at three o'clock this afternoon at the Council of Churches church, near Randleman, for Joseph Hubbard Brown, 67-year-old resident of Randolph county and one of that section's respected citizens.

Brown succumbed Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock after an illness of six weeks. He died in the hospital.

S. A. A. Bennett Passes Suddenly

Mrs. Elma Iola Bennett, wife of S. A. Bennett, of Sophia route one, suddenly at her home yesterday afternoon at 5:30 o'clock of a heart failure. The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Union Grove Methodist Protestant church, near Stallville.

To Roxboro Sunday

Mrs. W. C. Hammond, and Mrs. Larry Hammond motored to Roxboro Sunday for the visit Mr. and Mrs. Neal Paris took little Larry Neal Paris after a month's stay in Asheboro with his grandparents.

Belittles Speech by Roosevelt



"It would be bad for the U. S. to start anything with Japan—it would lose a good customer," opines Fumitaka Konoze, son of Japan's premier, who above reads the Daily Princetonian, which published his statement against aggressor nations was "nothing much." Young Konoze is a student of political science at Princeton University.

Britain's Policy Quiets To Italy

Believe New Note Will Not Increase Danger of Wide European Conflict.

London, Oct. 12.—(AP)—Prime Minister Chamberlain and Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden, in high command of the British foreign policy, drafted insistent but moderate action today in an attempt to change Mr. Duce's mind regarding foreign soldiers in Spain.

Postmaster Redding Hopes To Place Asheboro on List

Out of a clear blue sky at 10:58 this morning a gull winged Stinson Reliant monoplane swooped down and settled before a throng of about 200 people on the Randolph landing field to gather up some 13-28 air mail letters from Postmaster J. O. Redding, the first air mail to be sent from Asheboro, and then after seven minutes took off for the next stopping point.

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While the decision to receive bids does not necessarily mean the council will purchase it is believed the request is the first step towards the eventual purchase.

Nanking Crushes Jap Air Raiders

Large Observation Plane Crashes in City; Bombs Mark Attack.

Nanking, Oct. 12.—(AP)—A fleet of 24 Japanese warplanes bombed the Chinese capital today.

Two of the Japanese craft were brought down, one of the Jap planes crashed headlong in the center of the city after a spectacular dog fight with Chinese pursuit planes.

The Japanese invaders were greeted with terrific anti-aircraft barrages as they swooped down on the arsenal, dropping the heaviest bombs yet used in an air attack.

Chinese pursuit planes immediately took to the air and engaged the Japanese in a terrific dog fight. One Chinese plane was struck but managed to make the air base safely.

Other Chinese planes engaged a fast Japanese observation plane that looped, dived and side-slipped in an effort to escape. It was struck in a vital spot and crashed into the center of Nanking.

Japan Holds A. P. Reporter As Spy

Haldore Hanson, Arrested Two Weeks Ago, May Be Released Today.

Peiping, Oct. 12.—(AP)—Japanese military authorities at Peiping last night refused to release Haldore Hanson Associated Press correspondent whom they arrested two weeks ago as a spy.

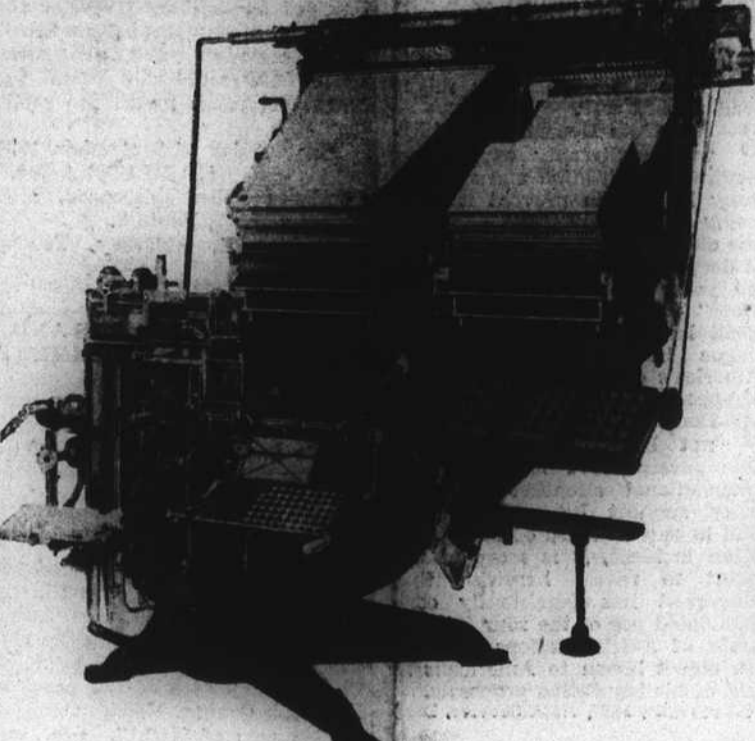
Randolph Pupils To Attend Fair

Children throughout Randolph county will be given an opportunity of attending one day's session of the State Fair at Raleigh this week. Superintendent of Schools T. Fletcher Bulla has distributed student's tickets to the various schools where they will be available this week.

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Courier Installs New Linotype Today



The Daily Courier is pleased to announce to its many friends and readers that today installation was completed on the new linotype machine for this plant. The machine is a new Mergenthaler linotype, Model 8, which is the last word in typesetting equipment, having all the latest electrical devices that make modern newspaper publication a pleasure. It will cast from the smallest body matter to the large display type, and is as handsome a piece of machinery as it is efficient.

For sometime The Daily Courier has held the distinction of being the only full-sized newspaper published daily with one linotype. Added to the publication has also been some job work. The installation of this new machine, which arrived this week straight from the factory, enables this newspaper to have adequate facilities for publication for the growing city of Asheboro for many years to come and will enable us to give efficient service to the city, county and section, which was the prime reason for the establishment of this newspaper more than 62 years ago.

High Court Endorses Black; T. V. A. Victor

Justice Levitt Refuses Boston Attorney Accuses Court of Evasion; Ends Present Discussion.

Washington, Oct. 12.—(AP)—Some legal experts expressed the opinion today that the Supreme court left the way open for further challenges to Associate Justice Hugo L. Black's eligibility.

Italy Calls Air Aces From China

Rome, Oct. 12.—(AP)—Reliable sources last night disclosed Premier Mussolini has ordered Italian aviation experts aiding the Chinese government to quit now that China is engaged in a bitter conflict with Japan.

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A. F. Of L. Demands Change In Labor's Bargaining Laws

Say National Board Acts Favorably Towards CIO In All Elections.

Lewis Union Hailed Representative Claims CIO Got Pay Boost For One Million Men.

Denver, Oct. 12.—(AP)—The American Federation of Labor voted today to support an amendment to the Wagner labor relations act to permit workers to vote by crafts in selecting collective bargaining agents.

The present law authorizes the National Relations board to decide in each instance whether election of bargaining agents shall be by crafts (the form of union organization generally favored by the A. F. L.) plants or employer units.

County Schools Plan Armistice

To Observe Celebration Monday, November 11, Separate Programs.

All schools throughout Randolph county, according to Superintendent T. Fletcher Bulla, will conduct appropriate programs Monday, November 11, for the annual observance of Armistice Day.

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Doughton Attends White House Talk

North Carolina Leader In Group at Important Parley Today.

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Club Women Will Gather In Asheboro Wednesday For 15th District Meet

To Helm of U.S. Naval Academy



In anticipation of the retirement of Rear Admiral David Foote Sellers, who will be 64 next March 1, Rear Admiral Wilson Brown, Jr., above, has been named to succeed him in the post of superintendent of the U. S. Naval Academy at Annapolis. A native of Philadelphia, Brown has been in charge of naval training detachments.

Meeting Opens On Wednesday At Methodist Church

Women From Twenty-one Clubs Expected For Important Event Tomorrow.

Mrs. C. M. Fox, Pres.

Mrs. Guy Simpson, District Chairman, Will Preside; Federation Head Coming.

As women from all over the fifteenth district gather Wednesday in Asheboro for a one-day meeting, interest centers at the First Methodist church, where the meeting will be held. Mrs. Charles Fox, president of the local club, announces that plans are practically complete for the event which will attract approximately 150 women from several counties nearby. Mrs. Guy Simpson from Madison, chairman of the fifteenth district will be in charge of the meeting and will speak during the day on general club work. The program is one of practical interest and will give the large membership of the local club a broader outlook of the purposes and activities of the club work in the district and in the state.

Mrs. E. V. Hobbs will act as chairman of the welcoming committee with several able assistants. Mrs. M. G. Lovett will be registrar. The luncheon to be served at noon at a small cost to any club woman who cares to attend, is already an assured success in the hands of Mrs. J. A. Spence. Mrs. John Neely, who is well known for her talent along the artistic line, will be in charge of the decorations.

G-Men Send Brady To Sudden Death

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They reported he pumped six bullets from a revolver into Marriner at close range. Karayan told the police that Marriner's refusal to grant him a visa was the motive for the attack.

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Washington, Oct. 12.—(AP)—The state department withheld comment on the slaying of Consul General James T. Marringer today pending receipts of full details of the assassination.