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Suicide Of John J. Kennedy is Deep Mystery

and thou Into His Affairs to Be in Good

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majority vote of not only of the constitutional parts of

Friends of Dead look in case the democrats stood of Nevi together. The republicans on joint rmand Complete in- ballot are able to muster only 96 votes while a majority is 101.

Accounts Perfect. Albany, N. Y., Feb. 16.-Accountants from the comptroller's office today reported after examining the books of State Treasurer Kennedy tennetty Was to Have Appear- that they were in perfect condition. The examination today went back Wilness in Graft In- only to last Monday but at that time vestigation -- District Attor- they were balanced by the same men who made the audit today and pro-Shocked at News of His nounced correct. A complete audit of By Associated Press. the books from the time Mr. Kennedy took office up to the date of his death probably will follow.

the son, By Associated Press.

immigrant himself and expressing tion. tman, who had sub- already here, they not only injure tate treasurer to appear, this country but destroy the example band's candidacy. Markeen hotel, countries of the world." Mr. Wilson Washington, the senator, in reply to ness. his wife, son and expressed this belief in an addres: to- questions, told of meeting Mrs. Bond a throat with his day at a meeting of the Hebrew Shel-

found by his tering and Immigrant Aid Society. tood the funeral Jacob H. Schiff appealed for admit-Wednesday from the tance of all immigrants who come ssed Sacrament and with an earnest desire to better their be in Holy Cross conditions regardless of whether they he Catholic faith could read or write. The literacy test "is the most miserable test that could ill not affect the be made," declared Mr. Schiff.

CORPS REVIEWED

By Associated Press.

Chihuahua, Mexico, Feb. 16.-A resuch before which Kennedy view of the artillery corps with it anneared. Friends of the fifty field pieces and rapid fire guns reactiver attributed his with which Gen. Villa expects to the out accomplish much against the federal army at Torreon presented a brilwho was Gover- liant spectacle here today. The paoverligator, said today rade ground was thronged with visif not believe Kennedy's itors. Bands played and the people had been prompted by the cheered for Carranza, for Villa and for the "martyred" Madero.

at as we could discover, Hen- The guns will be sent south by Kennedy was no more Tuesday night or Wednesday morning Igarehead. He had no more under immediate command of Col. the matters now under Servin. According to Col. Servin's than one of his office latest information he is superior to repeated today he will be used to shell the outworks in etly shocked at Kennedy's the hills south and west of Torreon. udded there was no evi- Some of the guns will be mounted wrong doing on on steel coal cars. This scheme has been a favorite one in the revolutions of the last three years and will with liels 16.-The suicide of be particularly valuable in and about tate treasurer, on Torreon where there is a web of

ON REGOGNITION

be question- By Associated Press.

with the by the United States of the present hink his friends administration in Peru as a provisioninquiry be made, al government is in conformity with

The president regards circumennedy here insisted process of setting up the new pro- on the bed with her, Senator Gore have been visional government in Paru was con-I said: stitutional in every way, according to Probably the first time I talked official reports here. He was advised about it." 16.-Expert ac that President Billinghurst had abro- The senator then detailed the efexamination to gated the congress of Peru and was forts of the politicians in the alleged of State Treas- himself discharging the duties of his conspiracy against him to get apdepartment. Em- office unconstitutionally. Also, the pointments. He did not remember comptroller went congress of Peru, the supreme court having talked with a man named of the accounts a and all the constitutional authorities Graves Leeper about the appointment

everything in in the country had approved of the of Julian Bond, Mrs. Bond's hus-While it is thought overthrow of Billinghurst so that band, but was certain he never gave saidles exist, yet a President Wilson believes there was a any one any encouragement. He said thent of the condition clear constitutional process involved, he might have told Dr. J. H. Earp meys will be pre- Even the show of force was with the he would recommend Bond for a approval of congress, according to the clerkship. Decessor will be information reaching President Willegislature in joint son and the administration that was on the bed did you make any out-General Carmody set up appears to reflect the wishes cry?" he was asked.

ded legislators would be the government but the people. a new treasurer. The president denied reports that was pointed out, the South America looked with apprebally have to receive hension at the administration's Latinthe progressives or American policy. He emphasized his possibility of a dead-belief that they would support it.

Charges of Mrs. Bond to the Effect That She Was Assaulted by the Blind Senator Are Flatly Denied in Every Particular.

Declares he has Always Branded the Charge as an "Infam- make a eash settlement?" ous Lie"-Takes Stand and Tells His Own Story.

Oklahoma City, Okla., Feb. 16.-Political opposition today was held responsible by Thomas P. Gore, United in a Washington hotel.

ehalt today. He denied making an at packing to leave for Oklahoma, tack on Mrs. Bond and said he believed the charge to have been made to in-New York. Feb. 16.-Although an jure his in his camptign for renominal up and took hold of him saying, "I'll acteristics was his fondness for chil-

teday other sympathy for those who come to Senator Gore was asked about his that Mr. Ken- America in search of freedon; and acquaintance with Mrs. Bond, the plainchile temporarily justice, William B. Wilson, secretary tiff, and replied that he remembered of labor, believes that "if immigrants meeting her at a reception here and had answered the telephone call that tributes sent to the late senator's apcome in such large numbers that they that her husband's candidacy for inter- she took hold of his hands and sank artments today were garlands of flowower the standards of living of those ual revenue collector was mentioned down on her any encouragement about her hus

Regarding the alleged assault in at her hotel after she had telephoned him making the appointment. He said he never knew that James R. Jacobs. T. E. Robertson and others were at the hotel at the time.

"I had never been in there before, he said "and when I reached the door Mrs. Bond approached me in the lobby. I supposed we were to go to the hotel parlor but she took me to an-

"Where did you sit?" Senator Gore

"I sat in a rocking shair," replied ne. "We talked about the appoint ment of her husband. I told her again there was no chance for him. She

"I arose, remarking that I must go and Mrs. Bond took hold of my hands She was remarking that I was going to have a hard race. At that moment the telephone rang and she answered it. Then she came back and sat on the

"We talked only a few minutes. arose and she took hold of my hand, then fell on the bed. I asked: 'What does this mean'? Just then Robertson came into the room and told her to stop that squalling.

"Did you at any time touch Mrs. Bond?" he was asked.

"I did not," the senator replied. Continuing his testimony, Senator Gore said he told Robertson he wanted

to see Mrs. Bond again. "I asked her if she had anything the federals in artillery which at first to say about the incident. I want to know what this means' I said. She replied she didn't want her husband to know about it. Robertson also said he had nothing to say about it."

The senator denied that at any time the room. He said he met Dr. J. H. Earp of Oklahoma City the next day and discussed the incident.

said I did anything improper, it was Senator Gore denied that he told

Earp to try to get Mrs. Bond out of the city. Direct questioning of the senator

was completed shortly before noon Senator Gore denied that he knew

Robertson, Jacobs, and Kirby Fitzpatrick were in the next room while he was talking with Mrs. Bond. Replying to questions, the senator old of his acquaintance with Fitz-Washington, Feb. 16.-Recognition patrick, Jacobs and Robertson. He

said Fitzpatrick wanted to be appointed assistant attorney general for the interior department; that verything will be the Latin-American policy of the Robertson was seeking the selection Washington government announced of R. E. Rogers for the post of sec-Whitman was nearly a year ago in the ciew of retary of the interior and that Jathe suicide of President Wilson as set forth to call- cobs wanted somebody appointed assistant attorney general for the eastern district of Oklahoma. In reash him questions stances in Peru as distinctly different ply to a question in cross-examination mation which had from the Huerta government in Mex- as to when he first told anybody ico. He let it be known that the that Mrs. Bond had pulled him over

"Wuen Mrs. Bond pulled you over

"No," the senator replied. "You knew it was a conspiracy" "I did, at least. I thought then it was a conspiracy. "When did you first think it was a

conspiracy?" "When Mrs. Bond grabbed my

Fair (onight and Tuesday; colder tonight: moderate west to northwest winds

"Did you ever file complaint tgainst any of these parties? Answer "I cannot answer yes or no. I made

complaint that it was blacgmail," anewered the senator. "Didn't you when the summons was served here, say you wanted to

"Did any one for you try to make such a settlement?"

Reverting to the meeting with Mrs. Bond in Washington, Senator Gore explained that he went to the hotel By Associated Press. to meet Mrs. Bond after she bad states senator from Oklahoma, for the telephoned stating that she was lamage cuit for \$50,000 filed against to leave Washington at 6:45 that nim by Mrs. Minnie E. Bond, who all night and for him to stop to see leges that the senator attacked her her on his way bome. He said be asked hed to come to his office but she complained about having to wait Senator Gore testified in his own so long there and said she was busy Howard Keyes, a guide and when he

> take care of him. He said she explained that the it was not until after Mrs. Bond by a bevy of children. Among the

"You didn't know anybody else vas around? "Certainly not." replied the wit-

promise that it was an infamous lie before he would compromise. He said gia. he took no part in the investigation and denied that he had been called as a witness before the senate or that he had talked to the vice president about it.

Aoki, former Japanese ambassador to the United States, died today.

News that the diplomat was critically ill became publicly known only power of leadership. He spoke of the a few hours before his death occur- example of his life as lasting.

Viscount Aoki was the son of a was among the first of the Japanese and the regents and secretary of the attack of tonsilitis. to seek an education abroad, going to Smithsonian Institution. Senator Ba-

A few years later he was appointed his clothing was disarranged while in secretary to the Japanese legation at funeral by card only. reer that eventually led to his being be brought to the capitol at 9 ed Norfolk to Boston. Storm cen-court room at 5 minutes to 12 o'clock Berlin. It was the beginning of a caconsidered the most experienced dip- o'clock tomorrow and lie in the mar- ter over middle Atlantic coast. Will and took their stands before the bar-"I told him," he said, "that if any one lomat in Japan. He was twice minis- ble room until 1:30 when it will be cause high northwest winds this after-

> served at London and Berlin. While in Berlin he married the but the public will be excluded. the latter was an attache of the Ger- no flowers and no music

man legation in Tokio in 1904. the United States in 1906 and 1907, riving at Atlanta at 11:40 Wednes-At the time of his death he held the day morning. post of privy councillor.

Help Was Supplied And The Supplied Was Helped

A prominent manufacturer, in the services of a competent office man. He "Used the Want-Ad Way." Of the number of applicants one was selected. This man has since been promoted to an official position at an increase in salary.

Demonstrating that News Want Ads supply the "HELP" and "HELP" the supplied. 'Nuf

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PRINTED YESTERDAY 1486 in February-2651 in January-4137 since New Year, Everybody is reading 'em-More people using 'em. Page Eight-One-cent-a-word.

MAN, IT'S SAID

Washington Officials Pay High Tribute to Georgia Senator -Funeral Arrangements DU Are Completed— Overman Among Number Who Will Accompany Body.

General Regret is Expressed at Death-The Senate Adounrs Out of Respect to his Memory- Story of Funeral

Washington, Feb. 16 .- Senator Bacon of Georgia who succambed to an attack of illness in Garfield hospital Saturday, was said to have died a comparatively poor man. His principal possessions, it was said here today, consisted of his old home at Macon and his carefully selected library.

incidents of the senator is thirty He went to the hotel, he said, with three years of public life were discussed in senate and house clotk entered the lobby Mrs. Bond came rooms today, One of Mr. Bacon's chardren. His apartments were near the National Zoological Park and nearly carlor was filled with school children every morning be might be seen strolland they would go to another room ing through the grounds accompanied the bed, Senator Gore testers from his little friends

was to send a note of thanks to Secretary and Mrs. Bryan for a potted lilac sent him while at the hospital. Messages of condolence continued to the members of the association. Or a pour in upon the family today. Among these were telegrams from Senator Tillman in Atlanta and Herbert Clay, son of the late Senator Clay of Geor-

Senator Bacon's desk in the senate made by the department of justice chamber was draped in mourning to-

today that the funeral of former Senator Hanna took place in the senate chamber February 17, 1994, exactly ten years ago tomorrow.

Preparations for Senator Bacon's funeral which will take place in the tically completed.

Senate Closes Out of Respect. Washington, Feb. 16 .- As a mark of con the senate adjourned today after adopting resolutions to invite the louse to attend the funeral services and to appoint Representatives to act with the Senate committee.

The subject of Chaplain Prettyman's prayer today was the sorrow experiover the death of Senator Bacon. He olina, of which the local organization, S. Brown, D. G. Moody, R. A. Gray, A. referred to the Georgia statesman as 'standing for the best in American life and as endowed with a marked CROWN PRINCE FREDERICK

Invitations of the funeral have been By Associated Press. sent to the president, members of the cabinet, supreme court justices, con was a member of the Smithsonian board of regents.

The public will be admitted to the The body of Senator Bacon will ter for foreign affairs and besides his removed to the senate chamber. Dur- noon and tonight." ambassadorship at Washington he ing this time it may be viewed by persons having senate floor privileges

Prussian Baroness von Rahden, which | The senate will convene at 12:45 was the first instance of a toreign o'clock and the funeral services will woman of rank and title becoming the be begun at 1 o'clock. They will be and his cross-examination taken up wife of a Japanese. Viscount Aoki's simple, consisting only of a prayer daughter, Hannah, emulated the ex- by the senate chaplain, the reading ample of her distinguished father, of the Episcopal burial service by marrying a German, Count Alexan- Bishop Alfred Harding and the beneder von Hatzfeldt-Trachenberg, while diction. There will be no eulogies,

> The funeral train will leave Wash Viscount Aoki was ambassador to ington at 4:35 in the afternoon, ar-

Postpone Reception. the death of Senator Bacon, Vice 000,000, as reported today, is \$10,733, President and Mrs. Marshall have 585 under the estimates and \$27,000 postponed indefinitely the reception below the current army appropriathey were to have given tonight and tion. The signal service gets \$500,000. Secretary and and Mrs. Bryan also including a maximum of \$250,000 for have postponed the dinner which they airships. planned to give to Senator and Mrs. Kern Wednesday evening.

PROPOSED ADVANCED RATES

five per cent freight rate advances by tation of the army and its supplies; Eastern railroads, suspended by the \$2,123,997 for barracks and quarters interstate commerce commission un-generally; \$500,000 for horses, and til March 15 pending investigation the usual large amounts for subsistwere again suspended by the commis- ence. sion today until September 12.

ALBANY HAS MANY

Albany, N. Y., Feb. 16 .- Albany fire men responded to ten alarm; early today. The Albany Creamery Pack- By Associated Press.

Grand Jury Finds True Bill For First Degree Muider

The Charlotte Builders' Exchange, to be composed of contractirs, sub contractors and material men, has been organized in the city.

The organization will be under the by-laws of the Builders' Exchange of North Carolina, the membership lim- der against R. M. Jettos, the young ited to fifty members of the three of February 19th shot and killed Dr.

The officers of the organization are: President-J. N. McCausland, of the N. McCausland Company

Vice President-H. F. Hann, of the Fravers-Wood Company, contractors. Treasurer-Alonzo G. Cruse, of the Lou G. Cruse Company.

Secretary-E. P. Tingley, of

Phillip Carey Roofing Company. The organization has not secured an office but have several possible locations in view. The office will be located beas corpus hearing Saturday before on the ground floor of whatever building is selected. This will be a necessity from the purpose of the organiza- jury pass on the case this morning tion, which is that of maintaining a members of the organization, For example, the exchange will maintain a to try the case at this court, or con list of workmen who can be secured alone itu ntil the next court. on short notice for work by any of workman who desires employment in carried on by members of the organization may be listed with the organiman of his class. In addition to this would urge that the case be tried it is the purpose of the organization to keep on file the plans of architects for buildings in any part of the city, allowing contractors to bid on the work without going to the expense of of the plans for each individual contractor. It may happen that on examnation of the plans some member of the organization may wish to bid on

contracting work in the city and over Charter to be Applied For. A charter for the new organization will be applied for under the by-laws of brought in the bill is as follows: Wm. Tokio, Feb. 16.-Viscount Siuzo enced by the senate and the nation the Builders' Exchange of North Car- Anderson, foreman W. B. Choate, F will be a subsidiary organization.

an opportunity to keep in touch with state.

Berlin, Feb. 16.-Crown Prince village doctor born in 1844, and may the diplomatic corps, the admiral of Frederick William, of Germany was serve for the six months period, was be considered a "self made" man. He the navy, the chief staff of the army confined to his bed today with an excused from serving with the body

> Jacksonville, Fla., Peb. 16.-The following storm warning was received by only seventeen jurors instead of

here this morning: "Northwest storm warnings order-

By Associated Press. Washington. Feb. 16 .- The army Washington, Feb. 16.-Because of appropriation bill, aggregating \$94,

The bill appropriates \$750,000 for manufacture of small arms and machine gun ammunition for practice at aducational institutions: \$1,750,000 AGAIN SUSPENDED. for manufacturing reserve ammunition and field artillery material for Washington, Feb. 16.-The proposed the militia; \$10,064,645 for transpor-

> It provides that officers or enlisted men away from duty because of drukenness or other misconduct shall

> > Ends 47-Hour Flight.

city was summoned. Two feet of that he had landed there after a 47- years. grees below zero hampered the fire. The flight marks a new distance reclassociers and cartmen to work in the ford.

Grand Jury Made Presentment This Morning in the Jetton Case-Matter of Allowing or Refusing Bail to be Decided by Judge.

Whether Case Will be Tried at This or the Next Term of Court Also to be Decided Upon-Text of Grand Jury's

The grand jury of Meckienburg county today at 11:55 o'clock returned a true bill charging first degree mur der against R. M. Jetton, the young W. H. Wooten, a prominent physician of Davidson, the shooting taking place

Jetton's home. The matter of bail was not decided on this morning, but the attorneys for the defense and the attorneys for the state are expected to present their views of matter before Judge Adams. immediately after court reconvenes at 2:39 o'clock. The argument for bail for the prisoner was made at the ba-Judge Adams, who announced after the hearing that he would let the grand and, that if a true bill were found, he when it had been decided whether

torneys for the defense will agree to have the case tried at the present any of the lines of contracting work court, and that if they do agree to it. that the case will be called at once Solleitor Wilson stated this morning zation, in order that he may be noti- that the state was ready to proceed fled when a contractor needs a work, with the trial at once and that he

> titis week. Bill of Indictment.

The bill of indictment reads: The jurors for the state upon oath buying or making deposit for a set do present: that R. M. Jetton, of the county of Mecklenburg, on the 19th day of February, A. D., 1911, at and in the said county and state, with force and arms, feloniously, wilfully some part of the contract, as for ex. and with malice aforethought, did hill ample the heating and plumbing or and murder Dr. W. H. Wooten con the painting. In that case the sub- trary to the form of the statute in respect to the memory of Senator Ba- contractor, the material men and other such cases made and provided and members of the organization will have against the peace and dignity of the

List of Grand Jurors. The list of grand jurymen which

Black, P. F. Davis, W. C. Stokes, J. F. Blythe, R. B. Bryant, O. C. Utley WILLIAM ILL. H. L. Sloan, R. F. Vance, W. C. Fld. dler and W. M. Torrence. One member of the grand jury, Bre vard Knox, drawn two months ago to in its consideration of the case. Pore man William Anderson explained, be cause he was related to the defend

B. Christenbury, T. E. Hoover, J. B

the usual eighteen. The jurymen filed into the crimina Deputy Clerk James Yandle called the roll, as is required in capital cases and every one of the seventeen is rors named above answered "hero" or "present," after which the foreman

ant. The bill was therefore presented

handed the bill to Judge Adams. Neither the defendant nor his wifwere present before the grand jury this morning, only the witnesses for the state being called, four in number They were the same as testified be fore the coroner's jury at Davidson the day following the homicide, name C. M. Stiles, J. P. Christie, Dr. J. McCoanell and T. F. Lothery.

Want Immediate Trial Not before 4 o'clock were the law vers ready to appear before the judge to state the results of a conference they had had relative to having the court. The News can only auticipate that counsel on both sides will ask that the case be tried at the present term of court, Solicitor Wilson, se stated to a reporter this afternoon and Mr. Cansler, of counsel for defense said he and Judge Osborne would urge immediate trial. The afternoon session of court will decide the matter

New York, Feb. 16 .- Waters sur FIRE ALARMS. not receive pay for the time of ab- rounding New York were jammed with ice today and all harbor traffic was decars containing perishable food-stuffs were storm bound. Trains from the West were one to ten hours late. The ing Company's four-story plant was Berlin, Feb. 16.-The German bal-storm abated by one o'clock, after destroyed with a loss placed at \$150, loon pilot. Hans Berlinger, carrying nearly five inches of snow had fellen 000. Twenty-five persons were forced two passengers in his spherical bal- Coming so soon after the blizzard of to flee from a Cary street apartment loon, telegraphed today from Kirkis-Sunday it left the city floundering in house. Every piece of apparrtus in the chan in the Ural mountains, Russia, one of the worst traffic blockades in

snow and a temperature of six de hour flight from Bitterfield, Germany. The street cleaning department was

storm.