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### LECTION SURE FOR ROOSEVELT

#### California Political Leader Voices Opinions on Visit Here

There is no doubt that Franklin Roosevelt will be reelected president in the fall election, in the opinion of Mrs. G. R. Daley, one of California's delegates to the recent Democratic national convention in Philadelphia, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Pierce Moses, near Higdonville.

Mrs. Daley, nee Janette E. Moses, of Macon county 25 years ago and settled in California. Since then she has become an outstanding business woman and political leader in her chosen state.

She lived in Los Angeles and then in El Centro for several years, and for the last 18 years has made her home at San Diego. She is secretary and treasurer of the Daley Corporation, a grading and paving contracting firm of which her husband is president.

Besides being active in business, Mrs. Daley finds time to take an active part in political and club circles. She is a member of the Business and Professional Women's Club, the United Daughters of the Confederacy, the San Diego County Democratic Women's club, the North-Roosevelt club and the California Assembly of Democrats.

**Candidate for Assembly**

Mrs. Daley is especially proud of the fact that she was a delegate to the Democratic national convention because she, with the other California delegates, was chosen on personal endorsement of President Roosevelt. She has been appointed manager of the Roosevelt campaign in the 20th congressional district of California, which has a population of half a million. This will require much of her time and effort from now until the election.

Mrs. Daley is indefatigable. She also is a candidate for the Democratic nomination for a member of the California assembly and will be the primary on August 25 she will have her own interests to look after as well as Mr. Roosevelt's. California, which went for Roosevelt three to one four years ago, will vote at least seven to one for him this year, Mrs. Daley declared.

She expressed the opinion that Roosevelt majorities would also increase in many other states.

After visiting her mother for 10 days, Mrs. Daley left Tuesday for Atlanta, where she planned to visit her sister, Mrs. L. M. Hulme, for several days before returning to San Diego.

### DuPree To Preach at Presbyterian Churches

The Rev. Robert B. DuPree, special vacation Bible school worker in Asheville Presbytery, will preach at the 11 o'clock service Sunday morning in the Franklin Presbyterian church and at 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon at the Morton Presbyterian church, it was announced this week by the pastor, the Rev. J. A. Flanagan. Mr. DuPree is a senior at Columbia Seminary, Decatur, Ga.

### Franklin Produce Market LATEST QUOTATIONS

(Prices listed below are subject to change without notice.)

Noted by Farmers Federation, Inc.

Hickens, heavy breed hens 13c  
Hickens, light weight, lb. ... 11c  
Layers, heavy weight, lb. .... 17c  
Layers, light weight, lb. .... 14c  
Eggs, doz. .... 20c  
Sh potatoes, No. 1 (old), bu. \$1.00  
Corn, bu. .... \$1.00  
Wheat, bu. .... 90c

Noted by Nantahala Creamery  
Butterfat, lb. .... 30c

### Spending Vacation Here



W. P. Horton, Democratic nominee for lieutenant governor of North Carolina, arrived in Franklin Tuesday night for a week's vacation. Mr. Horton, whose home is at Pittsboro, in Chatham county, is accompanied by his wife and nephew, Harry Horton, 16. They are guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Mendenhall in East Franklin. Mrs. Horton is a sister of Mr. Mendenhall.

### FALLING TREE KILLS AXMAN

#### Funeral Held Today for B. A. Justice, 49, At Dryman's Chapel

Badger A. Justice, 49, an employe of the W. M. Ritter Lumber company at Rainbow Springs, was instantly killed about 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon when struck by a tree he was felling. The tree fell across the upper part of his body, breaking his neck and crushing his shoulders.

The funeral was to be held at 3 o'clock this afternoon at Dryman's Chapel in the Tesenta community, where Justice was reared. He was a son of the late Henry Justice, of Tesenta.

Surviving Mr. Justice are his mother, his widow and several children.

### Bad Boys

#### Bound Over for Beating CCC Enrollee

Theodore Woods, 20, and Claude Byrd, 18, alleged members of a gang of tough guys who had been making life miserable for some of the boys in CCC Camp NC F-10, near Aquone, by ganging them at the Aquone bridge, were bound over to superior court under \$500 bond each at a hearing this afternoon on charges of assault with intent to kill.

They, with two other young men who have not been arrested, were accused of unmercifully beating John Hughes, a member of CCC Camp NC F-10 on July 4. Hughes said they blocked his path when he attempted to cross the bridge at Aquone while returning to camp and tried to make him jump into the river. He got around them, but some distance up the road he was waylaid and severely beaten. A driver of a meat packing truck came to his rescue and took him back to camp. A number of stitches were necessary to close gashes in his head, and at the hearing today before Magistrate Sam Murray in the courthouse he still bore marks of his beating.

Woods and Byrd already were under \$300 bond each in another case. They are to appear for trial at the August term of court.

### Committees To Administer New Soil Program Chosen

The personnel of county and township committees which will have charge of administering the new soil conservation program in Macon county was announced this week by S. W. Mendenhall, county farm demonstration agent. The committee members were selected at a series of 12 meetings held in the various townships.

The county committee is composed of C. S. Slagle, chairman; A. L. Ramsey, vice chairman; B. W. Justice, regular member; J. S. Conley, alternate member; S. W. Mendenhall, secretary, and M. L. Sherrill, treasurer.

A county board, composed of the chairmen of the various township committees, will assist the county committee.

The township committees were announced by Mr. Mendenhall as follows, with their names appearing in the order of chairman, vice chairman, regular member and alternate member:

Sugarfork—C. W. Henderson, H. E. Keener, D. M. Rogers, Mrs. F. E. Mashburn.

Ellijay—W. R. Rigdon, R. M. Shook, D. J. Moses, Sam Bryson.

Highlands—A. C. Holt, M. D. Edwards, A. M. Wilson, R. J. Phillips.

Franklin—W. R. Ledford, Wiley Brown, R. L. Poindexter, J. K. Cole.

Millshoal—W. C. Taylor, A. G. Kinsland, J. C. Higdon, J. E. Taylor.

Cowee—J. F. McGaha, Theodore Raby, Carl Parrish, J. C. Bryson.

Flats—H. C. Miller, Toliver Vinson, Frank Miller.

Nantahala—T. A. Bateman, J. L. McMahan, J. R. Shields, L. A. Boone.

Burningtown—W. R. Parrish, J. R. Ramsey, W. G. Rowland, Carl Morgan.

Cartoogechaye—Hez Dills, L. F. Setser, R. C. Enloe, J. W. Roane.

Smith's Bridge—A. C. Patterson, W. E. Mozeley, T. C. Vinson, G. C. Dowdle.

### Drouth and Labor Unrest Enter Political Picture

#### GOP Has Huge Campaign Fund; Democratic Chest Low

(Special to The Press-Maconian)

WASHINGTON, July 15.—What will be the political effects of the widespread drouth and the efforts now under way to unionize the steel industry?

In normal times neither of these would be regarded as having a political aspect. But these are not normal times, and the temper of the people of the United States is more political than it has been in many years. So, too, is the point of view from which Washington sees everything as political in its causes or its effects.

That the drouth is more widespread and potentially more serious in its effects upon the prices of farm commodities and upon the economic status of large numbers of farmers than any previous dry spell is generally accepted. Out of a dozen different proposals for doing something about it by the Administration, about the only practical fact that emerges is that the demand for relief from the most seriously affected drouth regions will cause a revamping of all the plans for the distribution of the relief appropriation of \$1,500,000,000 which Congress voted just before adjournment. The distribution of more relief money than had been anticipated in the drouth areas of the Northwest will necessitate the abandonment or reduction of works relief programs in other parts of the country; and the political problem is, bluntly stated, where can WPA activities be cut down?

#### Labor Situation Tense

The labor situation holds a great deal of political dynamite. The steel industry is united to resist any attempt from without to force unionization upon its employees. The American Federation of Labor is bent upon organizing the steel workers under its standard form of "craft" unions.

John L. Lewis, head of the Miners Union and advocate of the "one big union" plan for the organization of industry, is endeavoring to unionize all workers in the steel mills under his plan. Both sides are counting on backing from the Federal Government under the Wagner Labor Relations Act.

There are similar ticklish labor situations in the rubber, textile and electrical industries. All sorts of rumors reach Washington and some Administration leaders are jittery with fear that the situation may

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### PATTON NAMED HEAD OF CLUB

#### Is Elected President of Young Democratic Organization

George B. Patton, mayor of Franklin, was elected president of the Young Democratic club of Macon county at a reorganization meeting in the courthouse Saturday afternoon. He succeeds Miss Elizabeth Slagle, who has served as president of the club for the past two years.

James L. Hauser was elected vice president, Miss Elizabeth Meadows second vice president, Miss Mary Berry secretary, and Bill Bryson treasurer.

About 75 persons attended the meeting. Dave Harris, of Canton, district organizer, made the principal address and assisted the club in reorganizing.

Members of the club were urged to attend the state convention of Young Democrats to be held in Greensboro Friday and Saturday of this week.

### Harley R. Cabe Awarded Prize at Convention

Harley R. Cabe, Macon county clerk of court, returned Sunday from Wrightsville Beach, where he attended the annual convention of the state association of court clerks. Mr. Cabe was awarded a prize for having traveled the longest distance to attend the convention.

### Freda Mae Pressley Dies of Peritonitis

Freda Mae Pressley, 22-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Pressley, of Bonny Crest, died at 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at her home after an illness of several days with peritonitis. She was Mr. and Mrs. Pressley's only child.

The funeral was conducted at 11 o'clock Wednesday morning at Watauga Baptist church by the Rev. A. A. Angel, Methodist minister of Franklin.

### Revival To Start Sunday At Tellico Church

A revival meeting will start at 11 o'clock Sunday morning at the Tellico Baptist church, it was announced this week by Arlin Smith, church clerk. The Rev. J. F. Burrell, pastor, will conduct the services.

### MAIN STREET BUILDING SOLD

#### Franks Building Bought By Angels; Ten Cent Store To Move

Purchase of the Franks building on Main street near the new federal building was announced Monday by Doctors Furman and Edgar Angel. The deed had not been recorded today, but the price involved was said to be \$8,000 in cash.

Dr. Furman Angel said he and his brother had bought the building, a two story brick structure with two store rooms on the main floor, for investment purposes and planned no immediate changes.

This represents the largest real estate deal in Franklin since Dr. Furman Angel sold the building at Main street and the public square, occupied by Angel's Drug Store, The Franklin Press and Arnold's Cafe, to M. L. Dowdle several years ago.

#### Ten Cent Store To Move

The Farmers Federation, Inc., occupies one of the store rooms in the Franks building and the New Five and Ten Cent Store the other storeroom. Jack Sanders has surrendered the space occupied by the ten cent store and is planning to move the store the latter part of this week or the first of next week into the space in the McCoy building formerly used by Peek's Cafe. The room has been thoroughly renovated and redecored, a separate entrance built to the rooms above, a new front and new fixtures, especially designed for five and ten cent store purposes, have been installed. Mr. Sanders said he was moving to the location because it provided more floor space and he intended to double his stock of goods, offering a wider range of merchandise to the public.

#### Blaine Moves Store

Another change in business locations this week was the removal of C. T. Blaine's seed store from the site next to Arnold's Cafe to the old bank building on the Munday property on West Main street.

The Leach brothers, owners of the lot between Arnold's Cafe and the Macon Theatre building, which they also own, plan soon to erect there a modern store building, tying in with the adjoining buildings.

### Farm Picnic

#### Planned for August by Federation

Members of the Farmers Federation county advisory committee are to meet with State Senator Vance A. Browning, educational director, to plan a farm picnic for August.

The Macon county committee will meet at the Franklin warehouse at 10 o'clock Monday morning. Members of the committee are: Carl Slagle, chairman; Ed. Byrd, J. R. Hoolbrooks, W. D. Barnard, James Young, Jerry Franklin, William Higdon, J. T. Vinson, J. S. Conley, and R. M. Shook.

Tentative plans are for a series of county picnics beginning August 4 and continuing through August 18. A feature of the picnics is to be the singing contests, with prizes offered for the winners in each county. The winning choir in each county is to go into a final contest at the state test farm field day at Swannanoa on August 20.

### Hampton Infant Dies; Funeral Friday

Kathleen Hampton, 5-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Hampton, died at 5 o'clock this morning at the home of her parents in Burningtown township. The funeral is to be held at 10 o'clock Friday morning at Tellico Baptist church.