

Kopper Mystery Still Baffles

Disappearance Of Chevy Chase Man Fails To Yield Clue

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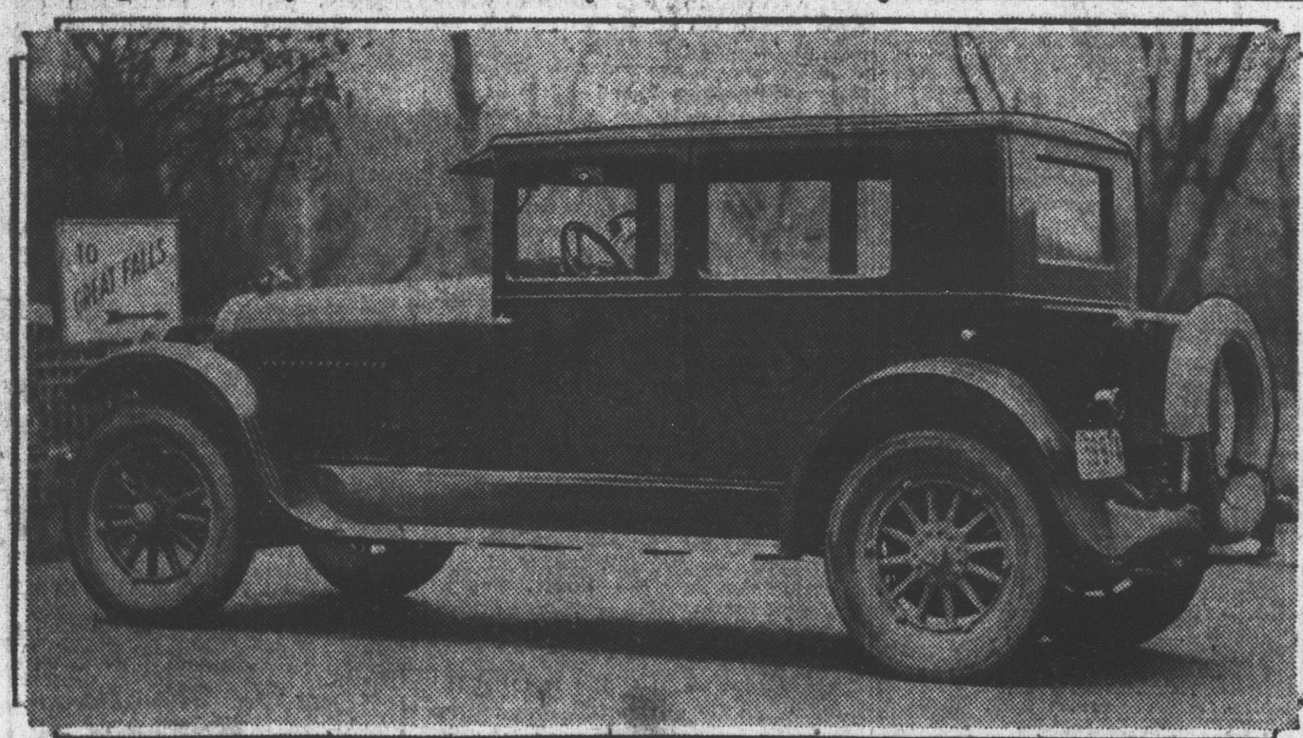
TWO MORE MISSING ALONG WITH KOPPER



WILLIAM FRANKLIN, who saw Capt. Frederick Kopper the day of the latter's disappearance, is shown with a hat of the missing man. The hat was given to bloodhounds for a scent.



ONE OF THE SEARCHERS for Capt. Frederick Kopper, missing strangely from his Chevy Chase home since Tuesday, is shown on the swinging bridge at Great Falls, scanning the nearby waters for the body.



HERE IS THE AUTOMOBILE of Captain Kopper, found ditched and abandoned on the Conduit Road. From it bloodhounds unsuccessfully attempted to take up the trail of the missing man.

15 BANDITS GET \$100,000

ELGIN, Ill., April 9.—Fifteen bandits, armed with machine guns, sawed-off shotguns and rifles, early today tied up three watchmen at the Illinois Watch Case Company

plant here and looted the huge vaults of gold plate and other materials valued roughly at \$100,000. The bandits surprised the watchmen shortly after mid-

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THE WEATHER
S. Weather Bureau
Rain tonight and Sunday; not much change in temperature; north-east winds. Temperature yesterday—Highest, 51; lowest, 36.

VANZETTI AND SACCO TO DIE

By International News Service
DEDHAM, Mass., April 9.—Nicola Sacco and Bartolomeo Vanzetti, convicted of slaying a South Braintree shoe-factory paymaster and his guard in 1920, were sentenced today to die in the electric chair during the week of July 10.

As sentence was pronounced Sacco cried out dramatically: "Innocent," cries Sacco. "You know we are innocent," Judge Webster Thayer continued with the sentencing. Vanzetti, the second called for sentencing, attempted to speak in broken English as Judge Thayer began pronouncing sentence. Vanzetti apparently wished to speak to defense counsel, William G. Thompson.

Silenced By Judge
"I believe I will continue with sentencing," broke in Judge Thayer and sentence was then pronounced. After sentence had been pronounced both Sacco and Vanzetti were given permission to address the court in the usual order of procedure.

Both stated they were innocent. "I am innocent, not only of the South Braintree murder, but of the Bridgewater robbery," said Vanzetti in broken English. He has been serving a term in State's prison for the Bridgewater robbery. Raising his voice to a high key, Vanzetti then fairly shouted: "I never in all my life kill or spill blood. I have struggled all

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Shaking Saved Her Life

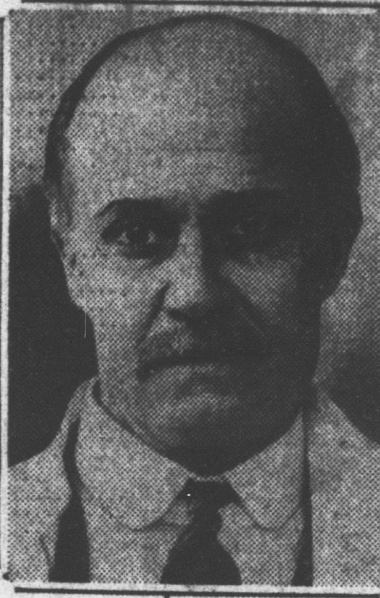


HELEN LANHAM

Nicaraguan Battle On, Says Admiral Latimer

Fighting between Nicaraguan conservatives and liberals is proceeding the mountains west of Tierra Azul, Admiral Latimer reported to the Navy Department today.

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—Times Staff Photos
DR. GONDOLFO

WHILE PLAYING jacks yesterday, Helen Lanham, two years old, of 617 E St. S. E., swallowed one of the small iron toys. It lodged in her throat, and the child was in danger of choking to death. Rushed to Casualty Hospital, Helen was given a severe shaking by Dr. Marcello Gondolfo. Out came the jack.

BRITISH SHELL CHINA FORT

By International News Service
LONDON, April 9.—The British destroyer, Veteran, shelled a Chinese fort near Chinkiang today after being attacked by gunfire from the

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Palm Sunday
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the Church
of
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PROBE OF BUREAU IS ORDERED

Disclosures of working conditions in the Bureau of Engraving, shocking to union officials, continued today at the same time that the Treasury started an official investigation.

Assistant Secretary C. S. Dewey, of the Treasury, conferred at length with Director A. W. Hall, of the bureau, regarding charges that the Government's money-manufacturing plant has been turned into a sweat shop, supervised by professional spies.

Union Chiefs Confer

Luther W. Steward, president of the National Federation of Federal Employees, accompanied by

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Where Is He?



CAPT. FREDERICK KOPPER

FOREMAN OF SHOP GONE

The mystery veiling the disappearance last Tuesday night of Capt. Frederick Kopper, jr., whose automobile was found Thursday night in a lonely spot on the road near Great Falls, was heightened today when two additional circumstances became known.

One was that the wealthy former Army officer was known to have had several hundred dollars in his pocket when he left his machine shop offices at 1008 C St. N. W., in an intoxicated condition.

Foreman Missing, Too

The other was that Henry Otis, foreman at the Union Iron Works, 212 Twelfth St. N. W., with which the Kopper Machine Shop occasionally did business, also was missing. He was last heard from Tuesday night. J. D. Moore, superintendent of the plant, believes that Otis, who had been complaining of suffering from indigestion, has gone to a private hospital. Otis has been at the Union Works for about 40 years.

Followed Kopper
Still another phase of an investigation being made by officials of the Vincent B. Costello Post, American Legion, is the report made by Edward Rowley that he followed

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BREWER GUILTY OF BRIBE

Daniel J. Shields, big brewer from Pennsylvania, was today found guilty by a jury in Criminal Court No. 1, of bribery of a Government employee. The jury found that he was guilty of having bribed Miss Della M. Hayes, now Mrs. Della H. Evans, on March 20, 1924, when he paid Miss Hayes, \$100 and on April 22, 1924, when he paid her \$200. He was acquitted on 14 counts.

Sport Puzzlers!

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BOWERS, DAN AND JACK COKER, of Takoma Park, today enjoyed a belated snowfall. The weather man played a joke on Washington and vicinity, with the result that the outlying districts felt some real winter weather.

Forbidden Lips

By Robert Terry Shannon

Begins MONDAY In
The Washington Times