

as adjourned to  
at 2:00 o'clock

Edmund C.  
Stingard  
Secretary

January 18, 1943

A special meeting of the Franklin County Bar Association was held on Monday, January 18, 1943, in the Directors' Room of the First National Bank and Trust Company in Pottsville, Penna.

The meeting was called to order by President Edmund C. Stingard.

Those present were: - Edmund C. Stingard, W. P. Keller, John R. Lashley, Edwin D. Strite, Sr., Edwin D. Strite, Jr., Albert Strite, James A. Strite, John Mc W. Sharpe, Millard A. Ullman, Benj. L. Keyser, D. Edward Long, Daniel St. Long, Leroy S. Maxwell, H. Blair Minick, Charles St. Kiger, Hon. St. Clarence Shueley, Hon. Watson A. Davison.

Mr. Stingard stated that the special meeting was called for the purpose of paying a final tribute of respect to the memory of John R. Jackson, who died Friday evening, January 15, 1943.

John R. Lashley read the resolution prepared by the special committee and moved its adoption. The resolution is as follows: -

"Whereas, John R. Jackson, a prominent member of the Franklin County Bar Association was, on the 15th day of January, 1943, removed from our midst by death, and

Whereas, Mr. Jackson was born in Bush Creek Township, Fulton County, Pa. where he lived on a farm until he was 16 years of age, when he went to Buslington, Kansas, and worked on a farm for three years and attended Emporia Business College, Emporia, Kansas, from which he graduated in 1901. He then served as a clerk in the Auditor's Office of Kansas City, Fort Scott & Memphis Railroad in Kansas City and in 1902, he was employed by the Kansas City Board of Trade.

In 1904, he entered Dickinson Seminary at Williamsport, Pa. and was graduated in 1907.



The same year, he entered Dickinson College and in 1908 he matriculated as a student at Dickinson School of Law, from which he was graduated in 1911.

He was admitted to the Fulton County Bar the same year and to the Franklin County Bar in 1920. He practiced law in Chambersburg until January 1926 when he moved to Waynesboro, Va. He was appointed Government Appeal Agent for Local Board No. 3 of Franklin County, selective service system, and continued his duties approximately two years, until ill health forced him to resign. He continued in the active practice of law before the Courts of Fulton and Franklin Counties, until the time of his death. Mr. Jackson was an able trial lawyer and a good legal counsellor, and a man of unquestioned honesty and integrity and he had a large and varied practice. He was active in the civic and religious affairs of the community. The Bar and Community have suffered a real loss in his death.

Therefore, Be It Resolved, that the Franklin County Bar Association in special meeting assembled extends to the bereaved family its heartfelt sympathy, and

Be It Further Resolved, that this action be spread upon the minutes of our Association and that a copy of this Resolution be sent to the family of our deceased member.

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Judge St. C. Shelley, then spoke briefly,  
 recalling his many associations with Mr.  
 Jackson in the Fulton County Court and relating  
 some of the recent experiences and conversations  
 with him.

Judge Watson R. Donovan, in seconding the  
 motion, spoke of Mr. Jackson as a man of  
 firm convictions and outstanding honesty.

Edwin D. Steite spoke of Mr. Jackson as  
 a true friend, able lawyer, and a conscientious  
 man.

Mr. H. D. Keller then spoke of Mr. Jackson as  
 a sportsman, as a friend, and as a fellow  
 attorney.

The motion was then put and unanimously  
 adopted.

It was moved and seconded that the  
 action of the President in sending the flowers  
 to Mr. Jackson's funeral be approved. Motion  
 carried unanimously.

It was moved and seconded that the  
 action of the President in sending flowers to  
 the Fred S. Kala funeral be approved. Motion  
 carried unanimously.

On motion, the meeting adjourned to go  
 to the funeral services of John R. Jackson in  
 a group.

J. H. B. B. B. B.  
 Secretary.