

Monty, about whites:

No way could they savvy it. w/ the best will in the world,

"I'm fine," Monty snapped.

"By God, they can come over our bodies."

--Wendell, about the Klan?

He (Monty?) didn't like this.

KKK

player piano song remembered by Margaret Svec (b. 1913), whose father was a Des Moines Klansman:

"Klansmen, Klansmen, of the Ku Klux Klan

Hooded, knighted, robed, and true--

Royal sons of the Red, White, and Blue.

Owing no allegiance we were born free

To God and Old Glory we bend our knee,

Sublime lineage written on history's sand--

Weird, mysterious, Ku Klux Klan!"

(Margaret remembered that the words were on the piano roll; as a kid, she would pedal the player piano and the words would roll by. Also remembered sleeping in the car while her father and uncle were at cross-burnings.

--suggested Only Yesterday, by Frederick Lewis Allen, as a source

MonKlana

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creed or screed, it didn't much matter to some (in P'wood).

Democratic convention in old Madison Square Garden, June '24

the Jewish fur and hide emporiums (as KKK targets)

## Fireflies

The KKK in Montana in the 1920's: Wes a foe of them, making him wonder about himself  
in his motives of entangling Susan and Monty?

Susan abt the Klan:

These are hidlers, they must have had practice at holding in their hate.