

G. O. P. LEADER UNDER ATTACK

Senate-Lobby Investigating Group to Inquire Into Huston's Work

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—(AP)—Claudia H. Huston, chairman of the republican national committee, probably will be called before the senate lobby committee during the investigation into the activities of persons interested in Muscle Shoals legislation.

This was announced today by Chairman Caraway, of the committee, who expressed the opinion that it was "inevitable" that Huston would be asked to testify concerning the activities of the Tennessee River Improvement association, which has advocated the offer of Henry Ford and the American Cyanamid company to acquire the power and nitrate plant at Muscle Shoals.

Huston resigned as president of the association a short time before he became chairman of the republican national committee a few months ago. Caraway's announcement was made after a letter written by Huston and sent to members of congress last April had been placed in the record of the lobby committee. The letter, issued in the form of a pamphlet, was described as advocating the Cyanamid company bid or something better. It was placed in the record while the committee was questioning W. G. Waldo, consulting engineer of the Tennessee River Improvement association. He described a trip through the south last fall to enlist aid for the Cyanamid company's proposal or any more advantageous bid which might be made.

The witness said he had talked with county agricultural commissioners and others in North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Kentucky, Tennessee, Mississippi, and Florida and had wired telegrams to Representatives Quin, of Mississippi, and McSwain, of South Carolina, both democratic members of the house military affairs committee, which handles Muscle Shoals legislation.

In addition, he said, he obtained letters of introduction to Senators George and Harris, of Georgia, both democrats, and also petitions which he intended to present to them when Muscle Shoals legislation comes up for consideration.

Waldo testified that he favored the Wright bill which would turn Muscle Shoals over to the Cyanamid company, but that if a better offer were made it would receive his support. He expressed opposition to government operation of Muscle Shoals.

NEW BIRTH REPORT IS FILED BY WOMAN

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 12.—(AP)—A revised birth certificate offered by Mrs. George Schaeffer, in lieu of one she alleged had been signed by Dr. Daniel Meyers, was accepted today by the city health officer after Mrs. Schaeffer's attorney told Dr. Carl Able, city health official, that Dr. Meyers' name had been forged to the original certificate.

The new certificate omitted two statements made in the former birth certificate, one of which stated that Mrs. Schaeffer's baby had been born in the Portland Maternity hospital and the other that she had been attended by Dr. Meyers.

The case attracted attention first when Schaeffer sought to locate his wife after having been informed through a telephone message that she had given birth to a daughter in a hospital. For a week, Schaeffer searched. Finally Mrs. Schaeffer reappeared at her home with the infant. A nurse investigated and said the baby was six weeks old rather than one week. The city health officer refused to accept the birth certificate after the hospital and Dr. Meyers denied any connection with the case.

No explanation was offered by Mrs. Schaeffer or her attorney at the conference today.

Amity Firemen Elect Officers

AMITY, Feb. 12.—A special meeting of the Amity fire department was called by Chief J. R. Snodgrass, February 10 for the purpose of electing officers.

Those elected were first assistant chief, Martin Rosenbalm; second assistant chief, Dean Craven; foreman, Donald Massey and Eugene Strout and secretary treasurer, Henry Richter.

It was decided to hold the regular meeting the second Monday of each month.

The by laws are to be written by a committee which was appointed by the assistant chief. The committee is: Donald Massey, Dean Craven and Eugene Strout.

CLAIM CANCER CURE



Discovery of a serum that is said to be one of the most important steps in the battle against cancer has been announced by Dr. Walter Bernard Coffey (right) and Dr. John D. Humber (left), of Southern Pacific Hospital, and noted San Francisco surgeons. This serum, obtained from the supra-renal glands of sheep will dissolve malignant tissue, it is said by the two scientists.

FIGHT UPON NAVAL TREATY FORESEEN

WASHINGTON, Feb. 11.—(AP)—Congressional dissatisfaction with the London naval limitations conference was manifest today among members allied with both the big and small navy groups.

Senator Borah, republican, Idaho, denounced the American proposal for construction of a new battleship. He is demanding a reduction in navies. He called upon Great Britain to sink its newest battleship, the *dorset*, as the alternative to America building an additional battleship to obtain parity in this class of ships.

Meanwhile, the big navy opposition to the London naval program was further evidenced in declaration by Chairman Britten, of the house naval affairs committee, condemning the plan requiring America to build new light cruisers which he contends are unsuited to this nation's needs.

Both Senator Borah and Representative Britt, from opposite viewpoints, assailed the London policy requiring expansion of the American navy. Britten proposed that England scrap both the *Rodney* and the *Nelson*, another new battleship, as a means for obtaining parity.

SUNKEN SHIP WILL BE RAISED, WORD

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—(AP)—The North German Lloyd liner *Muenchen*, wrecked by a fire which swept through her palatial interior after docking yesterday from Bremen, can be raised from the mud of the Hudson river and refitted, officials of the line believe.

Captain Feodore Drechsel, the line's marine superintendent, and the liner's deck and engine crews boarded her today and made a preliminary inspection after firemen had finally extinguished the blaze that caused an estimated damage of more than \$3,000,000 and claimed two lives.

The *Muenchen's* stern is lying on the river bed with only its superstructure showing above the water.

The fire, starting in the number six hold, ate its way forward beyond the midsection of the ship but the tons of water poured into the bulk prevented the flames from reaching the forward holds where cargoes of an explosive nature were stored.

Service in the Hudson tubes, connecting Manhattan and New Jersey, which had been discontinued because the hull of the *Muenchen* lay directly over the tunnels and it was feared might split them open, if a heavy blast occurred, was resumed at 6 a. m., two hours before the fire was out.

Captain Drechsel said he did not believe the series of explosions which ripped up the deck plates and blew open the hatches on the stern had seriously damaged the hull.

Swegle Pig Club Working Hard

SWEGLE, Feb. 12.—The A. E. Pig club, one of our three 4-H clubs met at the usual time Friday afternoon. After a short business session, the club adjourned.

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TAFT IS IMPROVING PHYSICIANS ASSERT

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—(AP)—Apparently progressing steadily toward recovery, William Howard Taft was reported in favorable condition today by his attending physicians.

Just a week ago grave fears were entertained that the former chief justice might not survive the several maladies which had attacked him, but ever since that time he has surprised physicians and attendants by the vigorous way in which he has rallied.

Virtually helpless at the time of his return from Asheville, North Carolina, Mr. Taft now can move about without assistance. His physicians still encourage him to remain in bed as much as possible, however, fearing that too great exertion would overtax his heart and bring a recurrence of the serious attack which so nearly conquered him.

Two bulletins issued today by his physicians, Dr. Thomas Clayton and Dr. Francis R. Hagner, described Mr. Taft's condition as "very satisfactory" and apparently "much better." He has overcome his restlessness at night and sleep is proving beneficial. The physicians warned again that their patient was a long way from complete recovery.

Amity High Has Changed Schedule

AMITY, Feb. 12.—The time schedule of the local high school has been changed this semester. Instead of the usual seven 40 minute periods, they now have eight 40 minute periods, and school is dismissed fifteen minutes later.

This change was made after much thought on the part of the faculty. It will prove beneficial to the juniors and seniors especially as it will make it possible for them to finish some of their subjects in which they have only a half credit.

The new period will give more time for study as well as the numerous activities which are carried on in the school.

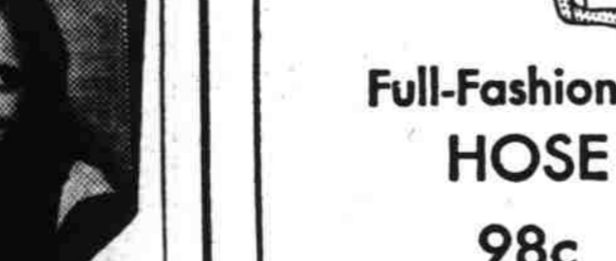
JAPANESE ENVOY REPEATS DEMANDS

LONDON, Feb. 12.—(AP)—Tsuneo Matsudaira, on behalf of the Japanese delegation, tonight presented to Senator David A. Reed a written memorandum in answer to the American proposal that Japan accept a 60 per cent ratio of cruiser strength, as compared with the American navy, in order to make that category conform to the 5-5-3 battleship ratio agreed upon at the Washington conference.

While it was understood that the memorandum repeated Japan's desire for a 70 per cent cruiser ratio, it was generally believed that neither the American nor the Japanese position was final and that an acceptable compromise would be reached after further conversations.

The discussion dates back to the Washington conference and has served to revive what the Japanese have always claimed was an unfortunate misunderstanding. It is understood that the American claim, while acknowledging that only capital ships and airplane carriers entered into the Washington agreement, holds that there was a tacit understanding between the two countries that Japan would be satisfied with the same ratio for heavy cruisers.

COLUMBIA ELECTS BOGOTA, Colombia, Feb. 12.—(AP)—Senor Enrique Olaya Herrera, liberal candidate and Colombia minister to Washington, will be the next president of Colombia, it was indicated tonight in unofficial figures.



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UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, Feb. 12.—(Special)—George Hopkins, outstanding young American pianist and composer, has been named head of the piano department of the University of Oregon school of music, following the resignation of Mrs. Jane Thacher, according to an announcement made recently by Dean John J. Landsbury.

This change was made after much thought on the part of the faculty. It will prove beneficial to the juniors and seniors especially as it will make it possible for them to finish some of their subjects in which they have only a half credit.

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DEPOSED DICTATOR PAYS PARIS VISIT

PARIS, Feb. 12.—(AP)—Primo de Rivera, who slipped into Paris unannounced Tuesday night, was finally found today in the haunts he loved as a student years ago.

Newspapermen searched the large hotels of the city before they located the former Spanish dictator today in a small hotel on the left bank of the Seine in the Latin quarter. It was in that region that he lived in his student days.

"I have just come to Paris to spend a few days before going to San Remo," he said. "I shall remain there a few days and then come back to Paris before returning to Madrid."

As to politics he would say nothing.

"You will excuse me, sir, if I say no more about it," was the way he put it.

Then, with a sign of fatigue, he took an elevator to his room, saying he would see nobody.

FREDERICK SACKETT GIVES CREDENTIALS

BERLIN, Feb. 12.—(AP)—Frederick M. Sackett of Kentucky became Ambassador Sackett at noon today when he was received by President von Hindenburg in the gilded room of the executive palace reserved for reception of diplomats.

The German president accepted the American envoy's letter of credence, then listened to a brief

Booticians Get Stiff Jolt in Federal Prison

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 12.—(AP)—John R. Smith, 67, and his son, Owen Walter, 25, convicted as bootleggers in federal court for the second time, today were sentenced to 13 months each in the federal penitentiary at McNeil Island by Judge John McNary.

Father and son were arrested at Floras lake, 18 miles south of Bandon, Ore., incidentally they were said to have been the westernmost bootleggers of the country.

W. P. Lord, attorney for the Smiths, pleaded that "Curry, county is as wild today as in the days of Curley Coolidge. Much liquor" he said, "is manufactured there as a common practice of the people residing in that sparsely settled region. The bootlegger there is considered a good and leading citizen."



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