

HAUGHTON ENGAGED TO PILOT COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY GRIDS

Creator of Famous "Haughton System" To Install Entirely New System.

NEW YORK, March 10.—(By Associated Press.)—Percy D. Haughton, famous as a football coach at Harvard for nine years and creator of the so-called "Haughton system," has accepted appointment as gridiron mentor at Columbia university, it was announced today by Robert W. Watt, graduate manager of athletics.

Haughton, it was announced, will devote his entire attention to installing a new gridiron regime at Columbia, whose showing has been a disappointment to graduates and under-graduates ever since the game was restored in 1915.

No details of Haughton's contract were revealed but it was understood it called for a term of years as head coach at a salary said to be one of the highest ever given a gridiron mentor.

A letter addressed to Haughton by Nicholas Murray Butler, president of Columbia, who is now in Augusta, Ga., and welcoming the former Harvard coach to his new post, was made public in connection with the announcement of his appointment.

Haughton, now associated with banking interests in Boston, was head coach at Harvard from 1908 to 1916. During that period the unusual success achieved by Crimson elevens under his tutelage gained Haughton rank among the foremost football directors of the country.

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Wilmington is the Logical Point for Proposed Annual State Basketball Tourney

Reasons Why the Event Should Take Place in the Cape Fear Metropolis Are Enumerated by David Sinclair, Jr., a Wilmington Boy Now Attending the University.

David Sinclair, Jr., of this city, who is attending the University of North Carolina, has written the Star as follows, outlining reasons why the proposed annual state basketball tournament should be held in Wilmington:

"There has been some talk going 'round' to the effect that North Carolina should have a basketball tournament for the schools of highest standing similar to the staged annually in Atlanta for the entire south. The southern tournament in Atlanta has come to be a big thing and has given 'the New York of the South' much added publicity.

"If such plan materializes for our state by 1924, it will mean a big thing for the North Carolina city that succeeds in landing it. Our fair city, due to our isolated location in the extreme southeastern corner of the state, has never (and I think you will agree) had her share of inter-collegiate contests.

"It's true we are isolated, so to speak, but our far-away location makes us the logical choice of all North Carolina cities, due to the fact that we are not near any of the colleges that would compete, and could therefore not be accused of showing an unbalanced partiality.

"Durham is too near to the university and Trinity is located in the Bull City, that would give those two teams an undue advantage over the rest. Raleigh is not far away from Wake Forest and North Carolina State is in the suburbs of our capital, so the Baptists and the Aggies would fare too well there.

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"According to one correspondent, a group of French commissioners appeared today at the offices of a Geisokirchen company's foundry near Becklinghausen and demanded permission to visit the plant. They were accompanied by troops with tanks and, when the demand was rejected, forced their way in under a guard with fixed bayonets and made a three hour inspection.

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French To Take Over More Mines in Ruhr

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Negro Desperado Shot To Death By Officers

NASHVILLE, Tenn., March 10.—Lewis Douglas, negro desperado, who shot and seriously wounded five persons who were attending a death watch at Spencer, Van Buren county, Thursday morning, was shot to death at the home of a tenant on the property of Sam Haston, one of the victims, by armed deputies this afternoon at 5:30 o'clock.

The negro's death ended a two-day chase with blood hounds which wound up within 100 yards of the place where he attempted to wipe out an entire family because he had been caught stealing from a corn crib.

Last night Douglas entered the home of a white man named Manus, where he was later killed, and demanded food. He was still armed with the shotgun with which the five persons were shot. Manus fed him.

Douglas asked Manus to fix it up with the Hastons. He said he would come back again tonight to find out the answer.

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Kiwanis Stands For Enforcement of Law

MILWAUKEE, March 10.—The 29 district governors of the Kiwanis international have taken the stand that the organization is for law, order, and the upholding of the law, and that the government, notwithstanding personal views as to the 18th amendment. The international convention will be held in Atlanta, Ga., and because of the expected attendance being about 10,000, John H. Moss, chairman of the board of governors, today sent out the following letter to all governors urging that whether under a law prohibiting liquor, or under a law permitting liquor, its use at such gatherings as to focus public attention and provoke public comment, should not be tolerated.

"On such occasions it serves no good purpose and many bad ones. Its use is neither excusable nor justifiable. Let us get rid of it at conventions," said the letter.

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Asheville Highs Win State Honors in Basketball Race

CHAPEL HILL, March 10.—The Asheville high school won its second state championship this year here tonight when its basketball team defeated the Smithfield high school in one of the closest games ever played on the Byrum gym court. The score was 24 to 23 and it was not until the last whistle that either team could be declared winner.

The lead alternated throughout the game, never becoming as much as five points. The Smithfield boys put up a great fight but at the crucial moment Brown, Smithfield guard, failed in two free tries that would have given his team the game.

Smithfield took the lead immediately after the first whistle when Hill scored two pretty field goals. Brown then scored a foul goal which was followed by a field and two foul goals by James, of Asheville. The first quarter ended Smithfield five, Asheville four. James caged a field goal at the beginning of the quarter and was followed by one by Stephenson. Nixon did points. Holland scored two points for Smithfield just before the end of the half making the score Asheville 11, Smithfield 8.

Nixon opened the last half with a field goal for Asheville. Hill soon followed with a two pointer for Smithfield. Hill tied the score with the spectacular shot of the game, caging the ball from mid-floor. James scored three free tries which were followed by a field goal by Holland. The quarter ended Asheville 16, Smithfield 15.

The final quarter was nerve racking. Stephenson caged a field goal for Smithfield which was followed by a pretty goal by Chakies. James followed with a field goal putting his team in a three point lead. Stephenson scored a field goal. James caged two pretty ones from the field which were followed by a goal by Skinner. Brown scored two foul goals bringing the score within one point of tying the score but failed to make three free tries that would have won the game for his team in the last minute of play.

James was the outstanding star of the game, scoring six field goals and six free tries out of 18 attempts. His floor work was some of the prettiest seen here this year. Brand played a good game at center for the Mountaineers. Brown, of Smithfield, was the star for his team, although he only scored three out of ten free tries. His floor work was one of the features of the game. Hill led his team in scoring making four field goals.

Belgians Continue Raids On Communists

BRUSSELS, March 10.—(By the Associated Press.)—A more important turn was given to the police investigation of the Belgian communist plot today when 50 more raids were made on communist headquarters and homes in various cities throughout the country.

The authorities announce that they expect to substantiate by the evidence now being collected their theory that the Belgian communists were pledged to execute secret resolutions adopted at the last communist congress for destruction of the present form of government.

The first lady of the land, like the President, was clothed in the most approved Palm Beach style.

Members of the President's party and the chief executive, heard with regret today the news that Samuel Gompers, the "Grand Old Man" of American labor, was seriously ill with bronchial pneumonia in New York and asked newspaper men to advise them frequently as to Mr. Gompers' condition.

Here is an opportunity, surely for the man or woman who looks at a thing from a business standpoint and who arrives at a conclusion as to its merits by the way it appeals to them as a business proposition. Some four persons will earn upward of \$200 or more a week for the next few weeks. How's that for a business proposition?

The competition, which is just starting, is open to any reputable man, woman or child in this section. All that is necessary to enter the race is to fill the nomination blank, appearing in this issue, fill in your name and address and mail or bring it to the election headquarters of the Star-News. This coupon entitles you or the person whom you nominate to 5,000 free votes and gives you a flying start on the road to success. Upon receipt of the nomination coupon at the office, a complete working outfit, together with detailed information, will be sent or given you.

President Harding Declines Social Invitations, Holding Fast to His Outdoor Program

(Continued from page one) ing drawn up to the dock, much interested in those on the crowded pier in the semi-tropical scenery. Mrs. Harding is showing plainly that she had not the least much benefit already from the vacation cruise.

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Thus equipped, you have but to see your friends and neighbors, relatives and acquaintances, and have them save the free voting coupons from the papers and cast their votes for you when they pay their subscriptions to the Star-News. Votes will be allowed on all subscriptions, whether new or renewal.

Did St. Louis Make Mistake in Waiving On "Stuffy" McInnis?

ST. LOUIS, March 10.—Did the St. Louis Browns make a mistake in permitting "Stuffy" McInnis to be waived out of the American league?

St. Louis lost the pennant in the American league last year by the scant margin of one game. Unquestionably the Browns are one of the best clubs in the league. No team has a better chance for the 1923 pennant.

Odd as it may sound, the one debatable spot in the Browns' infield is first base. At that position the team has the greatest player of all time—George Sisler. But what about his condition? Just prior to the all-important series with New York last summer Sisler injured his shoulder. He played against New York despite the advice of his physician. Had he been in form the Browns would have won the edge in the series and probably the pennant.

Golf Courses Help Sell Land in South

MIAMI, Fla., March 10.—Southern capitalists have found a new scheme to use golf to advantage.

Golf has come so fast in the last 10 years that its devotees are numbered in the millions.

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