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Senate Continues To Halt

Huey Long Filibuster In

U.S. Financing Chinese,

Ambassador Grew in Tokyo

Emphatically Denies All

Charges, Despite Of-

ficial Claim

Both Japanese and Chinese

Still Assembling Men and

Supplies; Quiet Week-End

Reported on All Fronts,

Due to Continued Cold

(By The Associated Press)

The United States was accused in

Tokyo newspapers of furnishing mon-

ey, arms and ammunition to China for

use against Japanese forces. Ambas-

sador Joseph C. Grew emphatically

denied all charges. An official Jap-

anese war office statement said Ame-

ricans were furnishing the Chinese

airplanes and motor cars described as

An Italian soldier was shot and kill-

ed by Chinese in the Shanhaikwan

battle zone. Italian authorities said

he had been guaranteed safe passage

and Rome was expected to demand

satisfaction ffrom the Chinese Nation-

Japanese airplanes bombed and

heavily damaged a Chinese headquart-

ers in Kailu, Jehol, and a Chinese

counter-attacked on Tungliac was an

Japanese and Chinese military cor

centrations continued throughout

eastern Jehol as the former prepared

for their campaign to annex the pro-

Japanese leaders feared they acted

too late in attempting to isolate China

proper from Jehol by closing passages

Skirmishes boween Chinese and

command occurred yesterday on the

Manchukuo troops under Japanese

command occurred yesterday on the

eastern extremity of the Great Wall,

a Peiping dispatch said. It said, with

cold weather continuings, a quiet

week-end was reported on all fronts.

There was a report that Japanese

planes had fflown over Chinese de-

fense lines 200 miles south of Jehol

Kidnap Gang Held

New York, Jan. 16 (AP)-Exami

nation of the activities of two police

men and three others accused in a

kidnaping gave rise today to a re

port that Dr. John F. Condon, the

"Jafsie" of the Lindbergh case, would

view the men to determine if any of

them were members of the gang to

which he paid money for Lindbergh

Plea and Shuler

Washington, Jan. 16.—(AP)—Missis-

sippi river states lost out in the Su-

preme Court today and so did the

Rev. Robert P. Shuler, the Los Angles preacher, who ran for the Senate

last year after his radio station was

The half dozen states flanking the

lower Mississippi was refused permis

sion to file with the court a petition

seeking modification of the celebrated

lake diversion case decree. They wish-

ed the court to leave the door open

for taking additional water out of Lake Michigan besides that allowed

to Chicago by the court for sewage

disposal-so as to maintain naviga-

tion in yet-to-be developed links of

the lakes-to-gulf waterway. The lake

states, which won the original limit-

Shuler was finally denied relief

charged with broadcasting attacks on

ing decree, opposed the new move.

Losers In Court

Lake Diversion

ordered off the air.

In New York Case

city, below the Great Wall.

in the Great Wall of China.

alist government.

vince to Manchukuo.

Weather There

MILITARY CONTINUE

CONCENTRATIONS OF

FIVE CENTS COPY

Report Maxwell Slated For Budget Bureau Job As Burke Resigns Post

Burke Will Go With the Alabama Budget Commission, It Is Now Definitely Learned

MAXWELL WOULD FIT MUCH BETTER THERE

Probing of Legislature Into Revenue Department Affairs Taken As Indication of Dissatisfaction With Its Administration Under Maxwell

Daily Dispatch Bureau, In the Sir Walter Hotel. 27 J. C. BASKERVILI Raleigh, Jan. 16.—A. J. Maxwell,

commissioner of revenue, may not be reappointed by Governor J. C. B. Ehringhaus as head of the Department of Revenue, as many have been expected, but instead may be appointed assistant director of the budget, according to reports heard here today. For Henry Burke, assistant director of the budget, has resigned and will soon go to Alabama to become associated with the Alabama Budget Bureau, it was definitely learned to-

As a result of the resignation of Burke, many are inclined to believe that Mr. Maxwell is much more likely to be offered the budget post than to be reappointed head of the revenue department. For while Governor Ehringhaus has indicated that he does not expect to announce any of his major appointments until toward the end of the present legislative session, and then only in time to permit the Senate ot ratify those appointments it mus raify, there are indications that he is gradually reaching some definite conclusions concerning these appointments. It is also understood that he is seriously considering making a change in the office of commissioner of revenue. It has not been possible to learn, however, who he is considering for this post should he not reappoint Maxwell.

The fact that Burke has definitely (Continued on Page Three.)

Road Law Of scheduled to be delivered to the General Assembly tonight, and with most of the bills introduced thus far in 1931 Facing Real Threat work on constructing the new revenue bill because of the delay in

If Proposed Bills Be- committee to take the plunge. come Law, Highway Set-Up Will Be Paralyzed

Duily Disputch Bureau, In the Sir Watter Hotel. RY J. C. BASKERVILL. Raleigh, Jan. 16.—Measures intro-

duced in the legislature last week designed either to slash or divert funds of the State Highway Commission, would virtually destroy the new State highway law of 1931, turning the coun ty roads over to the State for maintenace, should they be enacted.

The latest piece of legislation that would affect the commission's funds was submitted in the Senate Saturday by Senator McNeill, of Ashe. His bill proposed to divert one-third of the revenue from the collection of gasoline taxes to the counties. The money would be apportioned on the basis of the counties' area, population and road mneage.

On the basis of estimated gasoline tax collections for the past year, the

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Back In Washington



right, former secre ary of the treasury, visits with some of his friends at the national capital. The new senator from California is shown with Senator Joseph T. Robinson of Arkan-

Legislation Is Still In Committees

Governor's Budget Message Tonight Will Release Huge Volume of Work

Daily Dispatch Bureau, In the Sir Walter Hotel. RY J. C. BASKERVILL.

scheduled to be delivered to the Genof the bills introduced thus far in the legislature yet to be reported, most of this week's legislative grinding will be done in committee rooms. Thus far the finance committees of the House and the Senate have not been able to get selously down to work on constructing the new revenue sion of the budget report and the governor's message. But once it gets these, the way will be clear for the

Three Weeks for Job. The committees will have only about three weeks to complete the gigantic task, since its revenue bill, under the Moore resolution, must be

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Layden's Slaying Not Connected to Bootlegging War

Hertford. Jan. 16 .- (AP)-Sheriff Emmett Winslow, today said the slaying of Anderson P. Layden, 35, on a road 300 yards from his home near here Friday night had no connection with a bootlegging war here that took three lives last summer.

The sheriff said his investigation disapproved an earlier belief that Layden's death was connected with the ambushing of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Elliott and the fatal shooting and beating the next day of Linford Chappell. These deaths were believed to be the outgrowth of fear among bootleggers that stills would be reported

Says Proposed Tax Upon Trucks Is Confiscatory

Moore Bill, If Enacted, Would Virtually Force Out of Business All Contract Buses and Trucks Operating In State, Former Senator Horton Says

In the Str Walter Hotel
Raleigh, Jan. 16.—The bill introduced by Senator Larry I. Moore, of New Bern, imposing an additional tax of one-half mill per ton mile on all franchise and contract trucks and buses in the State, would impose such a heavy tax burden upon them that they would virtually be forced out of bills having the support of the railroads in the biennial battle in the General Assembly between the rail-

roads and the truck and bus opera tors. It is admitted by most of those who have studied this bill that it would virtually force the truck and bus lines off the highways.

Using a one and one-half ton truck as an example, which covers an average of 50,000 miles a year, this tax proposed in the Moore bill would cost the operator \$131.20 a year in addibusiness, truck operators say. The gen tion to his regular license tax of \$73.75 eral belief is that this is one of the according to former Senator W. P.

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COUPLE ADMITS EXTORTION PLOT



Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Boyles

O. C. Boyles, former parachute jumper, and his wife, are shown, left, at police headquarters in Atlanta following their arrest in connection with the attempted kidnaping of two-year-old Ann wife. Police say the couple, in

their confession, also admitted threatening the life of Joseph Cannon, Jr., right, son of Joseph Cannon, wealthy textile manufacturer of Concord, N. C., in extortion letters to the elder Cannon, Gannon Reynolds, child of the The latter is a grandfather of late Smith Reynolds by his first | baby Ann, whose mother has mar-

Philippines Legislature To Reject Present Bill

Caucus of Members In Manila Takes Stand, Regardless of What Senate May Do In Overriding Hoover's Veto; They Want Independence Immediately

Manila, P. I., Jan. 16.—(AP)—Mem-| the return of the Missios." cept the Philippine independence bill, er's veto in the United States Senate. The insular senate is expected to take similar action.

A cable sent to the Independence Mission in Washington, D. C., said "the representatives agreed by practically unanimous vote the Hawesmembership of the house, even after a number of appointments.

bers of the insular house decided in The membership of the mission is informed that if no other legislation ticipated. caucus today that they would not ac- can be secured, the present law should even if it passed over President Hoov- Democratic administration legislation giving immediate independence in the sense that it should not be postponed except for the time necessary to effect a transfer of authority.

The caucus was held prior to the opening late today of a special tenday session of the legislature, which Cutting bill as re-passed by Congress Governor-General Theodore Roosevelt will not be accepted by the present called to consider legislative bills and

Germany Forces Courses In Army

Berlin, Jan. 16 .- (AP)-By spring Germany fully expects to reinaugurate universal military training. A government spokesman said today that Chancellor von Schleicher's speech yesterday, in which he reiterated Germany's demand for arms equality was inteded to notify this country and the rest of the world of the government's determination to replace the pre-

sent Reichswehr system with a

militia in which all citizens will

be required to serve.

Senator Smith Asks Delay Until He Can Confer With Roosevelt

Washington, Jan. 16 .- (AP)-At the request of Senator Smith, Democrat, South Carolina, the Senate Agriculture Committee today agreed to defer action on the domestic allotment farm relief bill until he has conferred with President-elect Roosevelt. This Smith planned to do imme-

After a brief general discussion, the committee recessed until tomorrow

Senator Smith, who has indicated doubt of the practicability of the plan, obtained assurance that nothing would be done at once, and thereupon arranged to leave for New York to see the next President.

FOR NORTH CAROLINA. Fair and warmer tonight; Tuesday increasing cloudiness and warmer Wednesday; probably

Infamous and Cruel, Legion Jafsie Will View Representative Tells Congress Group

Washington, Jan. 16.-(AP)-An American Legion representative to day termed "infamous" and "cruel' the proposals of the National Economy League to require absolute proof that veterans drawing disability benefits were injured or received diseases while in service.

Watson B. Miller, of Washington chairman of the national rehabilita tion committee of the Legion, spoke before the joint congressional com mittee on veterans legislation which has heard from the National Economy League and other organizations re commendations for cutting \$450,000,-000 yearly off veterans' benfits. More than \$100,000,000 of the saving would be obtained by requiring absolute proof that disabilities were service



Well, the "Huey Long session of Congress" goes into its seventh week today. The Senate's principal claim to

distinction has been that they have a rule where a man can talk as long as he wants to, about anything he wants to. And they have worried the American taxpayer to death with that rule. Now, to have somebody come in that can talk them ragged, like they being doing to the country. Why, Huey is our hero. If he was

the means of making 'em change that rule, the "Kingfish" would replace the American eagle as our national emblem-So, sic 'em, Huey; it's good to hear a new voice, anyway.

Chats With Roosevelt



Harry H. Woodring Former Gov. Harry H. Woodring of Kansas is shown entering the town residence of President-elect Roosevelt, in New York, for a conference. Woodring has been prominently mentioned for the post of secretary of agriculture in the Roosevelt cabinet.

ROOSEVELT LEANS TO SUGGESTION OF YOUTHFUL CABINET

Other Visitors to President-Elect Have Stressed Idea Advanced by Col. House

McADOO CALLS ON NEXT PRESIDENT

Backs Up Claim for Free Hand in Cabinet Selec-Desired for Cabinet By **Baker Fading Out**

Hyde Park, N. Y., Jan. 16 .- (AP)-President-elect Roosevelt is seriously considering the persistent advice of friends to employ a youthful cabinet. This idea was advanced first by the elder statesman, Colonel E. M. House, intimate of Woodrow Wilson. His point of steerDing clear of "us | old dod birds" has been impressed frequently since by other visitors.

None other than William G. Mc-Adoo, senator-elect from California, whose announcement at the Chicago convention cleared the way for Roosevelt's nomination, is backing up the

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Other Legislation There CROP PRODUCTION Japanese Papers Assert

Temporary Farm Mortgage Relief Bill In Offing as Aid In Halting Foreclosure

ALLOTMENTS PLAN STALLS IN SENATE

Beer Measure Also Out Until Next Monday; Senator Bingham Says No Reorganization of Hawaii's Legal System Likely At This Session

Washington, Jan. 16.-(AP)-In a grind as strenuous as a sixday bicycle race, the Huey Long filibustering team held the Senate boards again oday, paralyzing legislation and shuting off some other oratory.

The talking marahon, directed against the Glass banking bill, broke up Senator Morris Sheppard's annual custom of delivering a speech on prohibition on January 16-this year it is the 13th anniversary of the national prohibition law, of which he was the Senate sponsor.

The House, however, continued to make good time on farm questions. aking up a crop production loan bill. A further farm aid measure was in sight through announcement of Chairman Stegall, of the House Banking Committee, that Wednesday or Thursday his committee would work on a temporary farm mortgage relief bill designed to cut interest rates and give

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Hoover To Ask Speed On Budget

Message to Congress Before Night Expected After Mills Conference

Washington, Jan. 16.—(AP)—Secretary Mills, after a conference with tions; Glass and Walsh President Hoover, at which he said national financing matters were discussed, told newspaper men today Roosevelt; Young And Mr. Hoover might make a public statement on this matter, or dispatch a special message to Congress within the next 24 hours.

The secretary said it was not definitely decided when Mr. Hoover might make his statement, but there was a possibility it would be forthcoming before nightfall. He declined to say whether it would be a message or a statement.

Mills himself planned to discuss budgetary and fiscal affairs in an address tonight.

The President has been described as feeling there is need for speedy action by Congress toward balancing the budget, especially in the face of a deficit now beyond the \$1,200,000 mark, and a sharp drop in revenue from income taxes and customs duies

Reconstruction Board May Change Activities Shortly With New Form Of 'Relief'

By CHARLES P. STEWART Washington, Jan. 16.—The truth is hat "relief," as interpreted by President Charles A. Miller of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, means something, entirely different from from the Radio Commission order of "relief" interpreted by Senator Robert November, 1931, barring his radio F. Wagner of New York station KGMS from the air. He was

This conflict in interpretations racertain public officials, churches and ther than anything the matter with tigating committee recently, explainothers. He fought the decision thro- the act of congress under which the ugh the courts, all ruli(ng against R. F. C. was created appears to achim, and today the Supreme Court count for the changes Senator Wagrefused to review the District of ner has found it necessary to demand Columbia Court of Appeals decision. in the law, to turn the corporation's vantagestt cmfwyp shrdl etaoin mhf relief activities more decidedly in the

direction of mil'dons of folk in actual danger of starwing entirely to death The senator's theory, briefly, is that "relief agrainst cold and hunger ought to constitute the first claim upon the R. I'. C.'s funds."

President I liller on the other hand, discussing the corporation management's policy before a senate invesed that wille "relief has been administered with a very warm-hearted desire to he'p, it has been administered on a business basis. If you want

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