

HON. D. L. DOUGHTON SAYS NEXT CONGRESS WILL BE DEMOCRATIC

Declares People of United States Are Disgusted With the Manner of Republican Management.

FARMING INDUSTRY MUST BE RESTORED

Contrasts Record of Wilson Administration With That of Republican Administrations Following.

Predicting that the people of the United States are disgusted with the manner in which Republicans have tried to manage things...

The present administration is not a Republican one any more than it is a Democratic one...

Mr. Doughton was severe in his criticism of the Republicans for their lack of thought and consideration for the farmer and his agricultural problems...

In their 1924 platform, Mr. Doughton said, the Republicans promised to put agriculture on an even footing with industry...

Mr. Doughton lauded the highway system in North Carolina, describing it as the envy of the South...

The Republicans, he said, cared nothing about good roads. They didn't care whether the farmer could get to market with his produce...

The Federal Reserve System, the Farm Loan System and the good roads program were outlined by Mr. Doughton as three of the greatest benefits of the Wilson administration...

The records of the past, he said, speak for themselves. In all of the great expenditures of the war, he said, billions of dollars had to be used by the Wilson administration...

Even before President Wilson completed his second term, he said, the Republicans had hundreds of expert accountants going over the records. Every item of expenditure was examined...

Why it costs about twice as much now to run the government as it did in 1916, he said, when all expenditures for the war are deducted...

150 HAVANA HOMES RUINED BY STORM WHICH HITS CUBA

City of Havana Cut Off From Interior by Hurricane—The Streets and Roads Are Flooded.

POWER SYSTEMS NOT OPERATING

Facts About the Storm Secured From Luis Poyo, Acting in Name of the Cuban Counsel.

Miami, Fla., Oct. 20.—(AP)—More than 150 homes were demolished in the Ybor and Jesus del Monte residential sections of Havana this morning...

The announcement was made at 11 o'clock following cable communication between Luis Poyo, acting in the name of Domingo M. Ford, Cuban consul...

Street Flooded. Havana, Cuba, Oct. 20.—(AP)—A heavy storm struck Havana today flooding streets, stopping transportation and putting power systems out of commission...

Headed Toward Florida. Tampa, Fla., Oct. 20.—(AP)—The West Indian hurricane apparently was headed toward the west coast of Florida, said Walter J. Bennett, government meteorologist...

Key West Prepared. Key West, Fla., Oct. 20.—(AP)—Key West has prepared for the coming of the West Indian hurricane. Storm shutters have been put up and shipping is being held up...

Havana, Oct. 20.—(AP)—The West Indian hurricane hit Havana last night about midnight, and this afternoon the wind was still blowing strong...

The port of Havana was closed and shortly after noon waves 25 feet high were dashing over the breakwater. Streets in the downtown district were flooded...

A new steel construction apartment was reported to have blown down and windows in the houses near the sea were blown out...

No newspapers were published in Havana this morning. The city during the day was in a fog of smoke, spray and rain...

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The Mellon plan was rejected by the Democrats. It would have benefited about 6,000 of the biggest taxpayers in the country...

Secretary Mellon—I should have said President Mellon for he is really the power on the throne—wanted to help only the rich...

Mr. Doughton was heard by a large audience, there being many women present. He was introduced by Solicitor Zeb V. Long...

QUEEN AND PARTY VISIT ANNAPOLIS DURING MORNING

Booming of Guns From the Sea Wall Welcomed Marie to United States Navy Academy.

MADE THE TRIP DESPITE RAINS

Party Traveled in Autos From Washington, Being Accompanied by the Maryland State Police.

Washington, Oct. 20.—(AP)—Having completed the opening formalities of her visit to America, Queen Marie and her royal Rumanian party left Washington at 9:15 o'clock this morning for Annapolis, Md...

The entourage, occupying more than a dozen automobiles, was led by a squad of Maryland state motorcycle police. The distance to Annapolis is forty miles...

The Queen, wearing a bouquet of sweet peas, and dressed for the weather which greeted her, rode in the first automobile in the line, accompanied by J. Butler Wright, assistant secretary of state...

Prince Nicholas followed in the second car and Princess Ileana in the third. All members of the party received cheerful greetings to scattered groups who had braved the weather to see them off...

At Annapolis the party will inspect the United States Naval Academy which has a particular interest to the Queen because her son, Prince Nicholas, was trained in the British navy...

On arrival at New York the state department will relinquish supervision over the arrangements for the reception in the United States and the remainder of her trip over the country will be under the Queen's own management...

Opened Steady at Decline of From 1 to 2 Points—Falling Off of Hedge Selling. New York, Oct. 20.—(AP)—The cotton market opened steady today at a decline of 1 to 2 points in response to relatively easy Liverpool cables...

Gov. McLean's Movements. Will Speak in Lenoir Tonight and in Marion Thursday Night. Asheville, Oct. 20.—(AP)—Governor Angus W. McLean left here by motor at noon today for Montreat, where he will pay a short visit to the Presbyterian assembly grounds...

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Twelve Pages Today Two Sections

Queen Marie Makes Triumphant Entry Into New York



Amid the shouts of thousands, Queen Marie of Rumania entered New York. She is shown waving to the crowd from her automobile as it went from the Battery to the City Hall. J. Butler Wright, assistant secretary of state, and representative of President Coolidge was at her side.

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LUTHERANS ACCEPT REPORTS AT THEIR RICHMOND MEETING

Do Not Give Unqualified Endorsement to Unionistic Movements Among All Denominations.

FEDERAL COUNCIL REPORT IS READ

Also Reports on Universal Christian Conference and the Proposed World Conference Made.

Richmond, Va., Oct. 20.—(AP)—A disposition to withhold unqualified endorsement of unionistic movements among church denominations in revealed in the report of the executive board to the biennial convention of the United Lutheran Church in America...

Three phases of unionistic efforts are criticized by as many different Lutheran commissions. These reports were presented to the convention today through the executive board...

The three agencies which failed to receive approval of the Lutheran commentators are: The Federal Council of Churches of Christ in America, which claims to represent some 20,000,000 Protestants; the Universal Christian Conference on Life and Work, held at Stockholm; and the proposed world conference on faith and order...

Lutherans are participating to some extent in the undertaking which they criticize, thus showing a spirit of cooperation, but reports of Lutheran commissioners indicate they are not disposed to favor a merger of denominations, and that whatever endorsement they have given to unionistic movements will be qualified by substantial reservations...

The commission reported that it found the Federal Council is more formally than actually representative of the constituency for which it speaks and acts. The constituent bodies appeared as a supporting committee for a comparatively small group of men who enjoy a large degree of assumed independence, so organized as to make it practically self-perpetuated through a chosen personnel...

Steadier employment for the millions of persons who are directly or indirectly dependent upon the textile industry is expected to follow in the wake of the successful accomplishment of the aims of the institute...

The National Association of Cotton Manufacturers, the members of which are located mainly in the New England States, the American Cotton Manufacturers' Association, whose members are to be found principally in the southern section of the country, and state and local textile associations are lending their support to the Cotton Textile Institute and its aims...

These various groups are now preparing to expedite the work of the institute and to assist in every way possible by their co-operation to hasten the results expected to follow the concerted action now planned...

The following is a list of the states and the number of spindles in each which is represented by the institute at present: Alabama, 450,657; Connecticut, 689,450; Georgia, 1,718,980; Illinois, 25,232; Indiana, 15,784; Kentucky, 52,656; Louisiana, 106,900; Maine, 774,740; Maryland, 27,156; Massachusetts, 3,871,270; Mississippi, 61,688; New Hampshire, 1,202,720; New York, 377,160; North Carolina, 2,681,024; Oklahoma, 25,000; Pennsylvania, 27,620; Rhode Island, 1,441,720; South Carolina, 4,243,202; Tennessee, 171,056; Texas, 102,923; Vermont, 63,952; Virginia, 618,500...

ONE WOMAN BASSES 12 MEN

Charlotte, Oct. 19.—(AP)—Miss Maude Little is one of the few women in North Carolina ever to boss twelve men, most of them married, and get away with it...

She reported that the men behaved nicely, and didn't try to escape or discuss the case with outsiders, while the jurors expressed themselves as well pleased with their fair guardian...

SENATE CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE LOOKS INTO ILLINOIS FUNDS

Julius Rosenwald Says Magill Said That His Campaign Fund Must Not Exceed \$25,000.

HE CONTRIBUTED UP TO \$5,000

He Says That the Report That Fund of \$400,000 Would Be Raised Was Absolutely Untrue.

Chicago, Oct. 20.—(AP)—An agreement among the friends of Hugh S. Magill, independent republican candidate for the Senate in Illinois, that his campaign fund should not exceed \$25,000 was testified to today before the Senate campaign funds committee by Julius Rosenwald, multi-millionaire merchant of Chicago...

Asked by Chairman Reed if there had been any suggestion among Magill's friends of raising a campaign fund of from \$300,000 to \$400,000, Rosenwald declared that this was "absolutely untrue."

CONFERENCE AT GASTONIA

Commenced This Morning at Gastonia—Conference Brotherhood This Afternoon. Gastonia, Oct. 20.—(AP)—With ministers and lay delegates present from virtually every church in the conference, the Western North Carolina Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, convened here at 9:30 o'clock this morning...

Following a half hour's devotional service conducted by the bishop, the feature of which was an address by him or Paul, the routine of bearing reports from the preachers on their year's work was taken up. A dozen or more of these reports had been heard by 11:15 o'clock when business was suspended for the purpose of administering the sacrament of the Lord's Supper...

FRANK BLALOCK DIES OF GUNSHOT WOUND

Prominent Albemarle Man Rallies After Shooting Himself, Saying He Regretted Doing So. Albemarle, Oct. 19.—Frank Blalock, 68-year-old Albemarle citizen, who shot himself through the stomach about 7:30 o'clock with a shotgun, died just before midnight...

Blalock seems to have suffered a spell of temporary insanity which caused him to commit the rash act. He became conscious before he died and expressed himself as having been very sorry he committed the deed, stating that he suddenly became insane and did not realize what he was about at the time he shot himself...

The deceased was one of the best known men in the county, having been an active political worker in past days. He leaves a widow and several children. The funeral will be held tomorrow or Thursday, depending upon the time of the arrival of one son whose home is in Texas...

TO REFER TRAMPS TO SALVATION ARMY

Little Rock, Ark., Oct. 20.—If Little Rock housewives will refer all "Weary Willies" who come to their back doors for handouts to the local Salvation Army this winter, this city will not be bothered with an influx of hobos...

THE WEATHER

Showers, slightly cooler tonight, Thursday partly cloudy, cooler in the east. Fresh southwest shifting to northwest winds.