

HUEY'S WINGS CLIPPED UNDER PATRONAGE AX

Louisiana 'Kingfish' Unsure
of Stand With New
Administration.

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WASHINGTON, July 28.—The Roosevelt administration is just now getting around to the case of Senator Huey P. Long, the Democratic "bad boy" of the senate.

The irrepressible Louisiana senator declared his independence several times in the last session. Sunny Jim Farley, postmaster-general and chief patronage dispenser, has been sharpening his ax for some time. Now the resounding whacks are being heard.

Long came to Washington to find out where he stood. The first answer was appointment of one of his political opponents, Paul H. Hays, as Louisiana state manager for the Home Owners Loan Corporation, a good job which carries control of many appointments with it.

Hostile Appointments Made

Still, Long wasn't sure he knew just where he stood. He and Farley went to the White House to see President Roosevelt. The next day another hostile appointment was announced. Edward R. Wright, New Orleans attorney and one of Long's bitter political enemies, was appointed a member of the federal public works advisory committee for Louisiana. Long much would prefer to have a friendly man in that job.

How Senator Long will take this no one can predict. He has said that he stands ready to use his influence to bring about Louisiana's ratification of the repeal amendment whenever it is needed.

But he also reports that he has 2,000,000 subscribers in prospect for his contemplated personal weekly newspaper. It is to carry at its masthead the motto, "Let the Fur Fly," and Senator Long is temperamentally qualified to make good.

Opposition Moved Down

These patronage developments are widely accepted among politicians as notice that the Roosevelt administration will be decisive in moving down those who oppose it. Although Senator Long threw his support to Mr. Roosevelt in the Chicago nominating convention, he broke away in the emergency session of congress on several occasions.

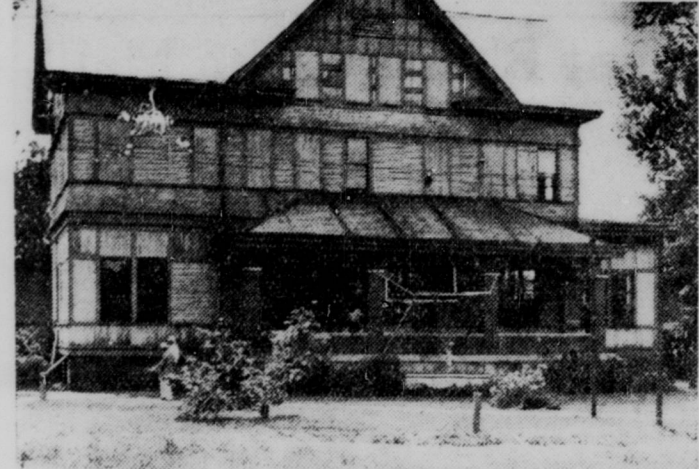
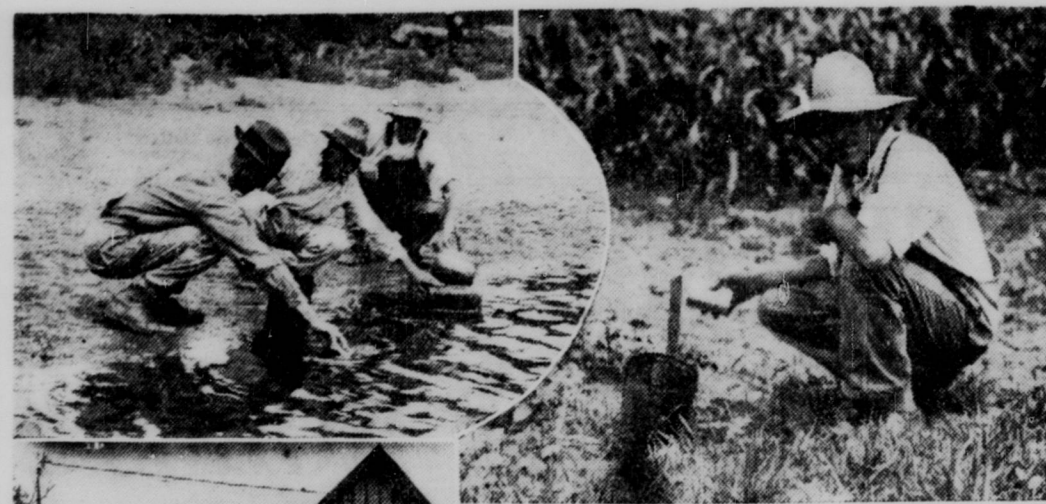
He opposed confirmation of William H. Woodin as secretary of treasury, conducted a brief filibuster against the emergency banking bill on the first day of the special session, and defied the administration on veteran economies.

Farley's indifference to Tammany Hall and his insistence that those who supported Mr. Roosevelt before he was nominated be given patronage preference have reflected the same determination to command absolute loyalty in the administration ranks.

Appointment Is Withdrawn

That this loyalty is returned was demonstrated in the case of Democratic National Committeeman Wolf of Minnesota. At the offices of the Home Loan board it was stated a few days ago that Z. H. Austin of

1,600 Community Gardens in City Ease Food Problem for Jobless



Upper Left—"Of Man River" plays his part in community gardens. Fred Sheburn, William Wentworth and Melvin Robinson carry water to their gardens in buckets from White river during the dry season.

Upper Right—Melvin Robinson carefully watering plants in his garden plot near Perry stadium and White river.

Lower Left—Community canning will begin soon in the old Y. M. C. A. building, in Brightwood, under direction of the Indianapolis Self-Help Exchange.

Hundreds Reap Reward of Movement Launched in Spring.

In spite of floods in the early planting season, and dry, hot weather recently, Indianapolis community gardens have accomplished the purpose for which they were intended.

More than 600 families in Brightwood will benefit from sixty-five acres of ground donated for community gardens, and other families throughout the city now are enjoying vegetables from the 1,600 lots planted this spring.

The sixty-five acres in Brightwood were planted and managed as

Minneapolis, had been selected to be Minnesota manager for the Home Owners Loan Corporation.

He was described as a Democrat, but some Minnesota Democratic leaders said he had been selected through the influence of Walter H. Newton, former secretary to Herbert Hoover, who was appointed to the Home Loan board by President Roosevelt at the request of the former president.

When National Committeeman Wolf rushed to Washington and protested to Farley, the selection was withdrawn. Emory Swenson, supported by Wolf, was named instead.

the Indianapolis Community Garden Center.

With the exception of 193 lots, all ground donated for the community gardens was plowed by workmen supplied by the organization. Cabbage plants and tomato plants were given out this year, and next year other plants have been suggested for distribution to the community gardeners.

Included in the seeds distributed were beans, beets, carrots, turnips, lettuce, radishes, parsnips, spinach, corn, and Swiss chard. With the exception of spinach, all seeds have produced a satisfactory garden crop.

Other plants were donated by the Central Hospital for the Insane, upon orders from the garden center. At the Family Welfare Society workers divided the large packages of seeds into small packets, to be distributed to families having only small portions of ground on which they desired to plant gardens.

Although recently extreme heat had a disastrous effect on some of the gardens, causing bean and tomato blossoms to fall from the plants, the gardeners carried water in buckets from the river and Fall creek to save their plants.

Recent rains have supplemented this work and, with the exception of a few plots of ground near Butler, which were affected badly by the early floods, the gardens have been successful.

HELD IN PLATES CASE

Negro Forced to Curb, Arrested on Variety of Charges.

An automobile carrying stolen license plates was forced to a curb at North street and Indiana avenue Thursday night by police, the driver arrested on a series of charges, and the car sent to a garage to be held for investigation.

Arrested was David McCann, 30, Negro, 1311 North Capitol avenue, on charges of having no driver's license, operating motor vehicle with improper plates, and possession of lottery devices.

Police said several books of baseball lottery tickets were found in the car.

Crops Are Satisfactory

Five thousand packages of seeds were distributed at one time this spring for early planting, and two weeks later 2,000 additional packages were ordered to meet the demand of prospective gardeners. The work has been under general direction of Mrs. Perry O'Neal, head of

DENIES LEGION SUPPORT GIVEN SEN. ROBINSON

State Commander Decries
Veterans' Participation
in Politics.

There is no Democratic and Republican politics in the Indiana department of the American Legion, and the Legion, as such, will not take part in Senator Arthur R. Robinson's homecoming here, Aug. 6.

This pronouncement comes from William O. Nelson, state commander of the Legion, Nelson, a Republican, lives in Anderson.

He decried the idea that partisan politics should be injected into Legion affairs.

Meanwhile, the McNutt-Democratic-Legionnaires are laying plans to see that Nelson's successor is not a Republican. The election takes place at the Evansville state convention next month, when Robinson will be one of the principal speakers.

Nelson denied that he selected the senator and pointed out that the arrangements committee also has invited Governor Paul V. McNutt to speak.

Robinsons Cohorts Chuckle

Meanwhile, Robinson's cohorts are chuckling over the fact that the senator has stolen the Legion limelight while the Governor basks in California sunshine.

McNutt is attending the Governor's conference on the west coast. That his official family has had some connection with the American Legion is shown in the following list:

Nutt, past state and national commander.

Pleas Greenlee, McNutt secretary in charge of personnel, past state adjutant.

Fred Wiecking, deputy attorney-general, past state commander.

Clarence Jackson, McNutt appointed income tax collector, past state commander.

Frank McHale, unofficial advisor, past state commander.

Bowman Elder, another unofficial advisor, national treasurer of the Legion.

Successor Is Groomed

When Nelson was elected commander, partisan politics was at the fore. That was at the Anderson convention last year and then Senator James E. Watson, no Legionnaire, was credited with aiding Nelson's selection.

Right now, G. O. P. lieutenants are grooming V. M. Armstrong, Indianapolis Republican, as Nelson's successor.

The so-called "Boy Scouts," McNutt's group, are out to stop it and get a Democrat elected.

Nelson's predecessor, Ralph Gates, Columbia City, was a Republican.

The Republican nominee for Governor, opposing McNutt, was Raymond Springer, Connersville, past state commander of the American Legion.

Civil War Stories Told Again at G. A. R. Picnic



Left to Right—O. N. Wilmington, 88, 1516 Brookside avenue; Miss Ruth Hayes, 19, of 205 East Thirty-fourth street, granddaughter of a veteran, and Joseph B. Henninger, 86, of 1902 Ruckle street, at the G. A. R. picnic Wednesday.

Twenty-Five Veterans Are Guests at Outing in Brookside Park.

Twenty-five veterans of the Civil war recounted stories of Gettysburg, Bull Run, and Vicksburg with enthusiasm and vividness at the fourteenth annual picnic of the G. A. R. in Brookside park Wednesday.

In connection with the picnic of the veterans was a state-wide gathering of members of the Federated Patriotic Society. About 350 people attended.

Besides the regular program, a special golden jubilee celebration of the Woman's Relief Corps, auxiliary to the G. A. R., was held.

Charles F. Remy, former judge of the Indiana appellate court, was guest speaker. He stated that partisanship should be surrendered in time of depression as in war, and the nation should stand united behind its leadership.

Guests of honor included Jasper

RURAL WIVES RELIEVED OVER 'FOX' CAPTURE

Youth, Taken in Illinois,
Frightened State Women
With Murder Tales.

By United Press

LEBANON, Ind., July 28.—Arrest at Danville, Ill., of a youth calling himself "The Fox" enabled housewives living six miles southeast of here to relax a 78-hour vigil today.

For two days, earlier in the week, The Fox circulated among farm houses, telling women stories of robbery and murder.

Credence was given his tales because he had come here in a blood-stained automobile stolen from Zanesville, O.

When he was captured, the youth gave his name as George Laskel, 19, Columbus, O.

State police and farmers took up the search after finding the car. While the posse was combing woods and fields, The Fox took an automobile belonging to one of the possemen, Dr. Roy Huckleberry, Whites-town. He was traced in this car to Danville.

Newspapers containing bloody fingerprints, bits of women's clothing and a gun were found in the car stolen from Zanesville.

Ex-Newpointers to Meet

Former residents of Newport, Ind., will hold their annual reunion Sunday at Garfield park. All former residents are invited to bring dinner baskets and spend the day with old cronies.

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