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THE JACKSON TWINS

MUTT AND JEFF

Names in the News

(And how to pronounce them.)

By Constantine Chekrezi


Premier Hatoyama.

Jacques Leger (Zhak Le-ZHEH), ambassador of the French-speaking negro republic of **Haiti** (HAY-tee) has issued invitations for a reception next week in honor of the President and Madame **Magloire** (Mah-gloh-AR) who will be on an official visit to Washington.

The ruling Democratic Party of Japan's Premier **Ichiro Hatoyama** (Ee-CHEE-roh Hah-toh-YAH-mah) has come out in favor of normal commercial relations with Red China and Soviet Russia, while adhering to the basic policy of United States-Japanese co-operation. Japanese sources have also disclosed that Red Poland's ambassador to Paris, **Stanislaw Galweski** (STANN-ee-slav GUY-vess-kee) has contacted Japan's envoy, **Kumao Nishimura** (Koo-MAH-oh Nee-shee-MOO-rah) to ask if Japan was thinking of re-establishing relations with Poland. On the other hand, Transportation Minister **Takeo Miki** (Tah-KEH-oh MEE-kee) announced that Japan has decided to hold parliamentary elections February 27 in order to get a clear mandate from the people in regard to its policies.

Salah ben Youssef (Sah-LAH benn Yoo-SEFF), secretary general of Tunisian Neo-Destour (NEH-oh Des-TOOR) Party, stated in Geneva, Switzerland, where he has obtained political asylum, that after five months of negotiations, France seems more than ever determined "to perpetuate the colonial regime in Tunisia." Ben Youssef and his adherents are in favor of complete independence for their country.

Answers to Our Presidents

1—President F. D. Roosevelt took the oath of office for his second term on January 20, 1937, the first time an inauguration occurred on January 20 as a result of the Twentieth Amendment to the Constitution.

2—President Truman, January 20, 1949. This was the beginning of the famous point-four program of technical assistance to underdeveloped areas.

3—Only one, Washington.


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