Editorial

OH, HE IS A SHARP OLD GEEZER

John Connally has refused to extradite Sergio Arcacha Smith to Louisiana. It may not be important, but Arcacha Smith of Dallas once worked for H.L. Hunt.

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Shortly after Republican James Rhodes of Ohio refused Jim Garrison's request of extradition to Louisiana for ex-CIA agent Gordon Novel, billionaire Hunt came out in favor of Rhodes for Vice President on the Republican ticket. Hunt admitted he had never met Rhodes and knew very little about him. "I just heard he was a good man," Hunt mumbled on TV.

The Texas Observer of December 8, 1967, reports that Hunt has announced his support of Republican Senator Frank Lausche of Ohio for the Republican Presidential nomination. Does Hunt want both Republican Presidential /candidates/ to be from Ohio, or is he just trying to make us forget his embarrassing support of Rhodes who continues to protect Novel?