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HIGHWAY TO UNION COUNTY LINE GETS OFF TO FINE START

Work On Road That Will Connect Concord and Monroe by Modern Highway Is Being Pushed.

BOST MILL ROAD IS BEING USED

Old Road Will Be Followed for Some Distance—Strike Union Line Near Two Trading Centers.

The county highway department is all set for the drive to the Union county line and at the present rate of progress an unreasonable length of time will not be required to build the road that is to connect Concord with the Union metropolis and at the same time open up one of the richest sections in the county.

The members of the county commission several weeks ago decided to make the building of this road the most important work of the year and with the decision came prompt action. Modern road building machinery was placed on the road, surveyors were dispatched along the proposed route to locate the most feasible road, and everything was set in motion to get the highway completed as soon as possible.

Members of the commission are confident now that the road can be completed within a time limit that wil lsurprise the average citizen. "We are working with modern machinery, and in one hour we can move as much dirt with two machines and six men as 48 men and 35 mules could move. This machinery, which is the best made, revolutionizes road building, and I am confident we will have the road completed within a very reasonable time."

The road is being graded now at a point about two miles from George E. Faggart's, near the intersection of the Bost Mill and Flowe's store roads. From the intersection of the roads to the point where the work is being done now the road has been excellently graded and built up and the rest of the road to the Union line will be similar in make-up. The road is wide enough for three vehicles to pass, and is so graded so far that no real hills have to be climbed.

Members of the road commission declare this route is the most practical one to the Union line. The road is known as the Bost Mill road and while it will not be followed all the way to Union county it will furnish the direction to be used for several miles. None of the old road is to be used, for that matter except in spots, where the new road will be built on the old base. The road will touch the farm of R. L. Hartsell and then will be directed so as to reach the Union line at a point between Midland and Cabarrus.

"We feel that this route will serve the greatest number of persons and at the same time will be the most practical way to go," a member of the commission states. "The road by Flowe's store and Thunderstruck bridge was one suggested but it is not as practical for rebuilding as the road we are following."

Persons who are interested in road building will find much to attract them if they will drive to the point where the two tractor engines, four scoops and several plows are being used. One tractor is breaking up the land with plows and the other is carting off the dirt to a fill. Every time the four scoops, pulled by one engine, are loaded a yard and a half of dirt is moved. The fill represents a big task, but it is being rapidly filled up and and shaped up and it will not be long, at the present rate of progress, before it will be completed.

Members of the chain gang are to be moved out on this road at a later date. They will be used for construction work on the new road and also to shape up a number of older roads.

Boyhood Home of Roosevelt Soon Will Be Demolished.

New York, April 10.—The Douglass mansion at 128 West Fourteenth Street, another famous landmark of old New York, will be torn down to make way for the new Salvation Army headquarters. The old brownstone structure served as the boyhood home of Theodore Roosevelt; the site of the Metropolitan Museum of Art, and a saloon and dance hall with a lurid police history.

The venerable structure, overlooking a thoroughfare now wholly given over to business, is a reminder of days when the elite of Manhattan devoted afternoons and Sundays to strolling leisurely through the spacious grounds with which the old house is surrounded. Since 1907, the structure has been controlled by the Salvation Army.

Strawberry Shipments Begin in Next Ten Days.

Wilmington, April 9.—Shipment of strawberries to northern markets from New Hanover and adjacent counties will begin in 10 days, according to W. A. Brown, prominent truck farmer of Rocky PoPint, and representative of the third agricultural district on the North Carolina State Board of Agriculture.

Wilson Lady Dies While She Prayed.

Wilson, April 9.—Mrs. J. C. Pitt, while attending devotional service in the graded school building at Sharpsburg, near the Nash count line, last Sunday afternoon, suffered an attack of the heart while kneeling at prayer and died almost instantly.

MAY MEAN PEACE.

One Cabinet Officer Says Europe Now Has Constructive Plan For Work.

Washington, April 9.—Official Washington basing its impressions on still incomplete information regarding the reports of the two expert reparations committees in Paris, was inclined today to be optimistic regarding the reception which the reports will be accorded by the powers.

The belief was privately expressed by one cabinet officer that Europe finally had been given a constructive plan on which might agree and work out a peaceful adjustment of its most difficult problem—that of producing reparations from Germany.

State department spokesmen emphasized again that the plans of the expert committees were not a governmental arrangement and reiterated their inability to express any governmental approval of the committees' work. Beyond saying it was earnestly hoped that the reports would lead to a solution of the reparations tangle, no comment of any kind was available at the department.

Hoover's Formal Statement.

The only formal statement was issued by Secretary Hoover, He pointed out some of the advantages to American trade and farm production which would follow if the plans led to a settlement of European economic problems. In addition to these advantages, it was pointed out in other quarters that a solution would aid this country by making it easier for the allied governments to repay the wartime loans made them by the United States.

"The greatest single barrier to the economic recuperation of the world has been the unsettlement of German reparations" Mr. Hooover's statement said, "with the malign forces that have flowed from it in unemployment, continued great armament, disturbance to world finance, instability of the exchange—all in a multitude of directions. If the commission now scures is just and practical settlement, the whole world will benefit.

sumption of foodstuffs that will follow decreased unemployment will benefit the American farmer. Everybody gains in a stable and peaceful world—nobody losses."

Those parts of the committee reports which had reached government quarters here tonight and which had been tentatively examined appeared to contain nothing in conflict with the

Beneficial to America.

"Restoration of courage, enterprise and confidence in Europe, increase in industrial production, decrease in unemployment, will in the end all react beneficially to our own people. The condeclared policies of the Washington administration on the questions with which they dealt. The decision of the [illegible] of her obligations to make just reparation payments and to protect just claims of the allies against Germany was interpreted as being in keeping with the desires of this government.

At the same time, it was pointed out, the attitude of the Washington government with respect to the treatment of Germany by the allies, the collection of reparations from her without causing prostration or threatening disaster to the national life, also had been followed out by the committees, to an extent that made their views and those of government officials here largely coincide.

It has been repeatedly asserted by Secretary Hughes that productivity must be the fundamental basis of any plan for Germany's discharge of her obligations, either of reparations or other just war claims.

From what could be seen of the plan set up to aid Germany to produce and to maintain industry and national life during the time reparations were being paid, some officials here believe that world opinion will support the findings of the experts in that regard.

Quantity of Liquor in Load of Oranges.

Atlanta, Ga., April 9.—Prohibition agents were investigating today to determine the shipper of a carload of oranges from Tampa, Fla., consigned to D. H. Spence, of Atlanta, in which was concealed 150 quarts of liqquor. The liquor, which was in market baskets under the fruit, was confiscated.

Agents said they had no information as to the identity of the shipper or consignee.

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Each person has as much as anyone else—of time.

You can make time your faithful servant—a tireless worker in your own behalf.

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Prepaid Shares $72.25. All Stock Is Non-taxable

Osage Queen

All Indians do not wear blankets. Mrs. George Beaulieu (above) is a member of the Osage tribe, wealthiest group of individuals in the world since discovery of oil on their Oklahoma lands. Mrs. Beaulieu's income annually from oil land is $13,100, and soon will be more. She is a graduate of an eastern finishing school and is an accomplished musician. Her father is Chief Wheeler.

NEW NAVAL OIL POLICY ANNOUNCED BY WILBUR

Navy Secretary Says In Future He Will Approve Any Leases That Are Made by Department.

(By the Associated Press.)

Washington, April 10.—A new naval oil policy designed to safeguard the government against any such leases as those granted under former Secretary Denby, was announced today by Secretary Wilbur.

In a letter to Senator Hale, of Maine, chairman of the Senate Naval Committee, Mr. Wilbur declared that "no leases or contracts will be made" by the Navy Department without the personal approval of the Secretary of the Navy.

"No further leases will be made until expressly authorized by Congress," he continued, "unless it appears to my satisfaction that such leases are absolutely essential to prevent the draining of oil in the reserves by wells drilled adjacent thereto, and unless it further appears that sunch leases are fully authorized by act of Congress, and in that event such leases will be made only after competitive bidding."

McADOO HAS ENTERED PRIMARY IN STATE

Name Has Been Filed With State Board of Elections by Campaign Manager in North Carolina.

(By the Associated Press.)

Raleigh, N. C., April 10.—W. G. McAdoo, candidate for the Democratic nomination for President, today entered the Presidential primary to be held in North Carolina on June 7, by filing notice of his candidacy with the state board of elections.

Mr. McAdoo was entered in the primary by his N. C. manager, Judge Walter Brock, of Winston-Salem. Judge Brock's letter to the elections board was accompanied by a telegram from Mr. McAdoo authorizing Judge Brock to enter his name in the primary in this state.

With Our Advertisers.

Parker's Easter Shoe Sale begins tomorrow, April 11th, and continues until Easter. This store is full of shoes with all the latest styles and colors and the prices are exceptionally low. See big ad. in this paper.

Mrs. Hattie Weddington White is the agent for the Life of Woodrow Wilson, by Josephus Daniels. Phone 441. Residence 123 West Corbin street.

Plenty of fresh fish this week at the Cabarrus Cash Grocery Co.

Call Southern Motor Service Co., phone 802, for free road service if you run out of gas or have a flat tire.

Go now and take some shares in the 53rd series of the Cabarrus County B. L. & S. Association.

Leonard refrigerators stand for highest efficiency. At Bell & Harris.

The Browns-Cannon Co. gives you a special invitation to call and look over the new fabrics and the latest fashions.

The studio of the branch of the Gordon Music Co. is now open in the Smith building next to the library. Miss Goddon will be at the studio Saturday at 3 o'clock.

All kinds of auto service performed by the Central Filling Station.

Everything for the children at the W. C. Correll Jewelry Co. See the baby window.

W. A. Overcash sells Kuppenheimer good clothes. Prices $22.50 to $50.00.

Better hurry and get a weather prophet house at the Pearl Drug Co., while you can get it for only 69 cents.

Your account, whether large or small, will be handled in the most efficient manner at the Citizens Bank and Trust Company.

If you cannot find it in Concord, try Oestricher's in Salisbury. Personal mail order service. Long distance phone 2627.

Everything that goes into Robinson's store is carefully selected. If you buy it there you may be sure it is worth the money.

If it's anything to eat, C. H. Barrier & Co. have it.

If it needs cleaning, "send it to Bob." Efird's big Easter Sale is drawing to a close. Don't be one to be left out of this big opportunity.

Out of 27,000 girls employed by one great corporation, an expert chiropodist found that only 25 per cent had perfect feet.

The Collegiate Institute Appeal Is Now on in Concord and Canvassers Are at Work.

The first group meeting of ex-students and alumni of the Collegiate Institute was held last Monday night at St. James Lutheran Church, Concord. The number attending this meeting was small but the enthusiasm manifest was of such a quality as to make the meeting a success and also to guarantee the full success of the cause in Concord. Since the meeting canvassers have been on the job and the results specified below speak for themselves.

Name	Pledge
Prof. J. B. Robertson	$300.00
Rev. L. A. Thomas	125.00
Supt. C. E. Boger	100.00
Major W. A. Foil	100.00
Carl J. Beaver	100.00
H. B. Wilkinson	100.00
C. A. Cook	100.00
W. W. Flowe	100.00
Total	$1025.00

The success of this cause in other places depends in large measure on the results that are secured in Concord. Because of this fact the citizens of Concord and friends of the school are asked to pledge liberally to this institution. Seventy-three boys at Mt. Pleasant are from Cabarrus County and many of these are from Concord and community. This is the very best reason why the response from the town and county should be large.

CABLING OF DAWES PLAN FEAT WITHOUT PARALLEL

44,000-Word Report to Associated Press Largest Single Dispatch Ever Received.

New York, April 10.—In transmitting today directly from Paris into the office of the Associated Press at No 383 Madison avenue the report of the committee of experts to the Reparation Commission of about 44,000 words, a feat unparalled in transoceanic communication was accomplished by the Western Union Telegraph Company, according to Newcomb Carlton, its president.

Not only was this the largest single dispatch ever received, traffic officers said, but it was the first time an ocean cable was operated directly into a newspaper or news association office. Four such direct cables were used in speeding up the delivery in order that the full text of the report might be available for publication in the United States, simultaneously with its presentation to the full Reparation Commission. In order to avoid multiple transmission of the text, which would have clogged all cables, the Associated Press acted as an intermediary on behalf of such of its members as desired the full text and of the other press associations of the United States.

Once in the New York headquarters of the associations the matter was distributed to its members according to their requirements. A few who wished the complete text assumed proportionate share of the expense of the cable transmission. A comprehensive summary was delivered to the other members over the regular leased wires.

The text was handled at the rate of 2500 words an hour. Sifon records traced a weaving line on a narrow tape which was transcribed on a typewriter without delay by a relay of skilled operators. About 600 yards of tape was used in receipt of the matter.

FRENCH ARE STUDYING THE DAWES REPORT

And Government Officials Have Not Yet Formed Opinion About Report.

Paris, April 10 (By the Associated Press).—After twenty-four hours consideration of the reports of the two expert reparation committees, spokesmen for official circles today declared no official opinion had been formed of the recommendations contained in the documents. Satisfaction, however, was freely expressed that the experts had found evidence tending to confirm the French attitude regarding Germany.

Germans Also Studying Report.

London, April 10.—The German foreign minister, Dr. Stressemann, questioned by the Daily Express correspondent regarding the report of the reparations experts, is quoted as saying:

"My colleagues and myself are carefully studying the momentous document. It is too early yet to make any comment beyond saying that we realize that the report is the product of earnest and impartial study by a body of men who are anxious to solve the reparations problem."

SENATE COMMITTEE TO STUDY BONUS SATURDAY

Predicted That Bill Similar to One Passed in House Will Be Approved at That Time.

(By the Associated Press.)

Washington, April 10.—Consideration of the soldier bonus bill was put over today by the Senate finance committee to Saturday morning, when, Chairman Smoot predicted an agreement would be reached on a bill similar to that passed by the House.

Airplane Used to Destroy Insect Pest in Philippines.

Manila, April 10.—A unique plan for the extermination of locusts, which have made inroads on sugar cane fields in several parts of the Philippines, has been completed by the plant pest control division of the bureau of agriculture.

An airplane is to be used in scattering poison dust on the locusts in the breeding stages in the hills and tall grass, where men on foot find difficulty in penetrating. A hopper filled with poison dust has been attached to the plane and the dust spreader, which is connected with the engine, can be controlled by a lever.

Secret Passage in Old Castle.

London, April 10.—During excavations an underground passage 30 yards long, and with a floor and roof of stone, has been found facing the ruins of the historic Manor Castle, Sheffield, belonging to the Duke of Norfolk. The discovery tends to support the common belief that there is a network of subterranean passages round the castle. Mary Queen of Scots was at one time imprisoned there, and also Cardinal Wolsey, just before his death.

"Slush" Funds Not Lawful.

(By the Associated Press.)

Washington, April 10.—Amendment to the election laws to prohibit payment of deficits for national political organizations or candidates by "groups or individuals seeking to obligate political parties" was proposed today in a resolution by Senator Walsh, democrat, of Massachusetts.

THINK JOHNSON HAS DECIDED TO QUIT RACE

Rumored That His Rooms in Chicago "Presidential Row" Will Be Empty After Monday.

Chicago, April 10. (By the Associated Press).—Hotel rooms in Presidential Row, which have served as headquarters for Senator Hiram Johnson's campaign will be available to new tenants Monday. Officers of the hotel expected the Johnson suite would be vacated today or tomorrow.

PUTREFYING CORPSES STREWN ABOUT CAPITAL OF HONDURAS

Advices to Washington Assert Natives Are Dying of Squalor and Epidemics Have Set in.

Washington, D. C., April 10.—A reign of horror prevails in Tegucigalpa, capital of Honduras. Dead bodies are strewn on the outskirts of the city, with natives actually dying in squalor, it was reported today in advices to the State Department.

A praphrase of the Department's advices said:

"Conditions here are deplorable. There is a typhoid and dysentery epidemic. Dead bodies are strewn on the outskirts and no attempt is being made to inter or cremate them. The odor throughout the city is nauseating.

"The food supply is becoming short and prices for canned goods are exorbitant. Natives are actually dying from squalor. The situation is liable to continue for some time, due to the attitude of the authorities."

Another revolutionary movement was reported to have been organized in the southern part of Honduras by Dionisio Quitierrez, former Minister of War Guiterrez is an advocate of Bonilla, candidate for the Presidency.

Zuniga Huete, the message said, now was recognized in Tegucigalpa as dictator.

SPECIAL OFFICERS AT NEW HAMPSHIRE TOWN

Following Riots Yesterday Officers With Machine Guns Guard the Streets of Dover.

(By the Associated Press.)

Dover, N. H., April 10.—Police from other cities aided the local force today in patrolling the business section here and keeping every one on the move, as a result of a disturbance last night which resulted in six arrests. Among those arrested was Burt Ensley, organizer of the One Big Union.

Have Machine Guns.

Nashua, N. H., April 10.—Six Nashua police equipped with two machine guns and side arms left today for Dover, to aid in quelling rioting said to be in connection with a strike.

WHEELER INDICTMENT BEING INVESTIGATED

Special Committee Will Investigate Circumstances Surrounding the Indictment.

(By the Associated Press.)

Washington, April 10.—Senator Borah, of Idaho, was named today as the chairman of the special commission which will investigate the circumstances surrounding the indictment by a Montana grand jury of Senator Wheeler of that state.

Other members of the committee are Senators McLean of, Connecticut, and Sterling of South Dakota, republicans; and Swanson of Virginia and Carraway, of Arkansas, democrats.

ANOTHER BIG ADVANCE ON NEW ORLEANS MARKET

Cotton Advanced Another $5 Per Bale at the Opening of the Market This Morning.

(By the Associated Press.)

New Orleans, April 10.—A wild stampede of buying orders sent cotton up $5 a bale at the opening of trading on the exchange here today. May contracts traded up to 32.31, or 103 points above the closing of yesterday.

Quit Cigarettes or Lose Diploma, School Edict.

Jacksonville, Ala., April 10.—The Jacksonville State Normal School hereafter will not issue certificates to students who smoke cigarettes, President Daugette announced today.

The cigarettes is not banned from the campus, but men and women students who use this form of tobacco will not be permitted to do practice teaching, which is a requirement to secure a certificate t teach in the Alabama schools. Most of the students attending the institution are preparing to become teachers.

Official Germany Silent on Report.

Berlin, April 9.—No comment on the report of the reparations committee was available from official quarters today and it was not expected that any would be forthcoming until the full text of the report was received. The afternoon newspapers published copious excerpts from the report but also refrained from comment even on the essential features.

HUGO STINNES SEEMS TO HAVE NO CHANCE

Condition of German Magnate So Serious That No Hope Is Entertained For His Recovery.

Berlin, April 10 (By the Associated Press).—The condition of Hugo Stinnes was viewed this afternoon as the result of an aded complication of double pneumonia. He is still conscious and is said to be resigned to the impending end.

State Library

Herr Stinnes was operated on for gallstones four weeks ago. He appeared to be well on the road to recovery but fresh complications set in necessitating two more operations, the last of which was performed Sunday. Despite the gravity of his condition, the industrial leader persisted in keeping up active conversations with members of his family and various secretaries who called to report on urgent business matters. On Tuesday he repeatedly inquired for details regarding the Dawes report.

There was a slight improvement in his condition yesterday, but shortly after noon today he was seized with fever spasms caused by inflammation of the lungs.

THE COTTON MARKET

Advance of From 33 to 84 Points With May up to 31.95 And October up to 26.00.

(By the Associated Press.)

New York, April 10.—Relatively firm Liverpool cables, reports of unfavorable weather in the South, and bullish overnight reports from the spot market led to a renewal of active covering by near month shorts in the cotton market opening today. First prices were firm at advances of 33 to 84 points, with May contracts advancing to 31.95 and October to 26.00 during the first few minutes, or 57 to 93 points net higher. The advance was checked by heavy realizing at these figures. There were quick reactions of 20 to 25 points, but the covering continued with the market active and very steady during the early trading.

Cotton futures openedy firm: Ma 31.70 to 31.95; July 30.43 to 30.20; October 25.92; December 25.35; January 24.80.

NEW REVENUE BILL IS PRESENTED TO SENATE

Chairman Smoot, of Finance Committee Announces Bill Will Be Taken Up Next Wednesday.

(By the Associated Press.)

Washington, April 10.—The new revenue bill was presented to the Senate today by Chairman Smoot, of the finance committee, with the statement that it would be called up next Wednesday for consideration.

Immediately afterward, Senator Simmons, of North Carolina, ranking Democrat on the finance committee, introduced a democratic substitute for the Mellon income tax rates.

The rates proposed are substantially lower in the small income brackets than those approved by the committee, and are about on a parity with the rates in the Longworth compromise, which the House approved and the Senate committee rejected.

ORR-KILLIAN CASE IS IN HANDS OF JURORS

Gaston Murder Case Given to Jury at Noon Following Three Hours of Argument During Morning.

(By the Associated Press.)

Gastonia, April 10.—The case of Joe Orr and Ransom Killian, charged with murder in connection with the slaying in November, 1920, of John Ford, went to the jury at noon today. Three hours of arguments were heard this morning.

Judge Stack in his charge explained to the jury that in this case the State was asking for a verdict of second degree murder or manslaughter and not a capital verdict. The jury went to lunch immediately after taking the case.

The case of Philip Wynneburger, charged with murder in connection with the death of Claude Cook last September, was to be called this afternoon.

WINSTON-SALEM YOUTH ACCIDENTALLY KILLED

Bynum Carter Electrocuted When He Came in Contact With Live Wire While Delivering Papers.

(By the Associated Press.)

Winston-Salem, April 10.—Bynum Carter, son of M. M. Carter, of Southside, was instantly killed at 6 o'clock this morning by being electrocuted when he came in contact with an electric wire which had broken and was hanging near the ground. The boy with his brother, Ralph, was delivering papers, and it was at the intersection of Church and Centerville streets that the accident occurred. It is said 2300 volts was carried by the wire. The dead boy was 15 years old today.

RADIO CORPORATION DENIES ALL CHARGES

Says Complaints Made by Federal Trade Commission of Unfair Methods Are Not True.

(By the Associated Press.)

Washington, April 10.—The Radio Corporation of America today filed with the Federal Trade Commission a general denial of charges of unfair methods in competition, made against it in a complaint by the Commission, and asked permission to produce the original agreements with other concerns.

One Wife of Archduke, Woman Dies in Poverty.

Schreiberhau, Germany, April 10.—Death recently brought peace to a woman in the Schrieberhau hospital who was once the wife of Leopold Woelfling, an Archduke of Austria, who became a variety performer after royalty crashed in that country.

Marie Ritter was the woman's maiden name. She was the daughter of a peasant and was serving as a maid in Berlin when Woelfling married her in 1907, after divorcing his first wife. The second marriage soon terminated. The abandoned wife was left penniless and was buried by friends who had known her before her marriage.

COMMITTEE TOUCHES LIGHTLY FACTS IN THE WHEELER CASE

Between Examination of a Witness in Daugherty Hearing | Wheeler Indictment Is Aired.

BURNS CALLED TO GIVE SOME FACTS

Said Department of Justice Sent Men to Investigate the Case.—Wheeler Has a Witness.

(By the Associated Press.)

Washington, April 10.—In an interim between testimony about the Miller Bros. land fraud case in Oklahoma, and the Old Hickory Powder Plant litigation in Tennessee the Daugherty committee today dipped a finger into the controversy which has arisen over the indictment of the committee prosecutor, Senator Wheeler, by a Montana grand jury.

Two witnesses were questioned briefly about the charge against Senator Wheeler, and various circumstances that attended or followed his indictment.

William J. Burns, chief of the department's secret agents, testified that he had sent several men into Montana on the Wheeler case—the first three or four weeks ago, at the request of the Post Office department. He had talked to former Attorney General Daugherty about the case, he said, but replied in the negative to a question as to whether Daugherty had said "he wanted to get something on Wheeler."

The other witness was Arthur Lamdin, an official of the telephone company here, who told the committee that George B. Lockweed, secretary of the Republican national committee, talked yesterday from Washington to Blair Cohen at Great Falls, Montana, where the indictment against Wheeler was returned on Tuesday. Burns later identified Cohen as an employee of the Republican national committee.

The purpose of introducing Lamden's testimony was not revealed by Senator Wheeler, but he told his colleagues in his Senate speech of yesterday that he had received word indirectly through the Republican national headquarters here some some time ago, that he was under investigation.

W. J. Burns in his testimony said that three of his men had worked on the Wheeler case in Montana.

"Who ordered you to send these men out?" Wheeler asked.

"Nobody. I sent them out," said Burns.

"The Post Office department asked for them."

Burns also said that he had reported to Daugherty that "you (Senator Wheeler) was attorney for the Gordon-Campbell concern." The conversation took place in Daugherty's apartment, Burns said, but added "that he would have to look it up" to see whether it was before or after Daugherty left office as attorney general.

The investigation of the Gordon-Campbell Company was started by "Mr. Cunningham" of the Post Office department, the witness said, adding that Cunningham was now on his way to Washington from Great Falls.

WOMEN URGED TO ENTER "UPON SECOND CRUSADE"

Commissioner Haynes Asks Women to Start Anew Battle Against Liquor.

(By the Associated Press.)

Washington, April 10.—The women of America were called upon "to enter upon a second crusade" for prohibition by Roy A. Haynes, Federal prohibition commissioner, at the opening session today of the convention here of the Womens' National Committee for Law Enforcement.

Addresses by government officials and others, a message urging respect for all laws by Secretary Hughes, and a reception to the delegates at the White House marked the convention's program for today.

William Hale Is Dead.

(By the Associated Press.)

Munich, Bavaria, April 10.—Wm. Bayard Hale, American journalist and during the earlier years of the Carranza government in Mexico, President Wilson's unofficial representative in Mexico, is dead here. He was born in Richmond, Ind., in 1869.

Underwood Expects Victory in Texas.

Washington, April 8.—W. E. Lea, Texas, declared here today that "we expect to carry Texas" for Senator Underwood.

"The greatest impediment to the success of Senator Underwood in Texas," he added, "is the organized strength of the Ku Klux Klan."

Do your spading as early as the ground will permit. Haul out manure and spread it.

WHAT SAT'S BEAR SAYS.

Rain tonight and Friday; cooler in west and south portions.