

More Than \$15,000 Is Pledged To Concord 'Y' In Campaign That Continued For Two Days

\$16,332 REPORTED AS CAMPAIGN FUND

Campaign Was Conducted For Two Days Only as the Total Reported on Second Day Meant Success.

\$15,000 WAS THE AMOUNT SOUGHT

General Rankin's Division Maintained Lead in Pledges—Captain Hicks' Team One Winner.

Praise God from whom all blessings flow, was sung with evident feeling by the 54 workers present at the second luncheon of the "Y" luncheon campaign Wednesday noon when the reports showed \$16,332 subscribed.

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Three Dollar Days at Parks-Bell Co. The Parks-Bell Co. will have three big dollar days of bargains Friday, Saturday and Sunday May 23, 24 and 26.

New Bishop Named. (By the Associated Press.) Springfield, Mass., May 22—George A. Miller, of South America, was elected bishop of the Methodist Episcopal Church by the General Conference here today on the fourth ballot.

WANTS SENATE ACTION ON WHEELER CHARGES

Senator Walsh Asks That Senate Consider at Once Report of Special Committee.

(By the Associated Press.) Washington, May 22.—Prompt action on the report of the special committee examining Senator Wheeler's report, Senator Walsh declared Mr. Sterling's plea of yesterday that action be delayed until his trial was a pretext.

"It is a proposition too absurd for serious consideration," he said, "that no matter what the crime charged we must tolerate a Senator's presence here until after the courts in their slow process have passed upon the charges made in the indictment."

Mr. Sterling declared that his colleague had a right to be relieved of the embarrassment attending a charge against him while in the performance of his official duties.

FRANK PAGE APPOINTED CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEE

Thorough Study of Traffic to Be Made Looking to Adopting Regulations.

Washington, May 21.—Frank Page, commissioner of highways of North Carolina and "father of good roads" in that state, has accepted the invitation of Secretary of Commerce Hoover to be chairman of a committee on highway construction and engineering in its relation to safety in traffic.

The committee headed by Mr. Page is one of seven, headed by men of national prominence in their respective fields, to undertake preliminary work in preparation for a general conference on street and highway safety which will be held later in the year.

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After Opening 4 Points Higher to Three Points Lower, Prices Eased Off Sharply.

(By the Associated Press.) Oklahoma City, Okla., May 22.—The National Editorial Association opened its thirty-ninth annual convention here today.

Editors from all parts of the United States and a number from Canada are in attendance. During the three days' sessions papers will be read and there will be discussions on all phases of editorial and news writing.

An extensive program of entertainment has been prepared for the visiting editors, many of whom are accompanied by their wives and families.

Liquor Treaty With Sweden. Washington, May 22.—A liquor treaty with Sweden similar to those already negotiated with Great Britain and Germany was signed at the State Department today by Secretary Hughes and P. V. G. Assarsson, counselor of the Swedish legation.

WANTS NEW INQUIRY INTO ELWELL MURDER

New York Attorney Will Ask District Attorney to Start New Investigation at Once.

(By the Associated Press.) New York, May 22.—Barnard Sandler, an attorney, will ask the District Attorney to undertake a new investigation into the killing of Joseph Elwell, sportsman, and man about town, on the strength of new evidence.

Mr. Sandler's counsel for Miss Viola Kraus, whose name was mentioned in connection with the crime, said he had made a personal inquiry which has brought to light facts which will clear his client.

The shooting of Elwell has been a complete mystery since its occurrence in June, 1920, in an apartment on West 70th Street, owned by Sandler.

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FINAL EXERCISES OF TWO MT. PLEASANT SCHOOLS CONDUCTED

Exercises of Finals at Mont Amoenia Seminary and M. P. C. I. Proved Very Interesting to Crowds.

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SECRETARY MELLON MAY ASK FOR VETO FOR THE TAX BILL

The Treasury Secretary Has Made No Statement on the Subject But It Is Known That He Is Against Bill.

MANY FEATURES ARE OBJECTIONABLE

To Secretary Mellon and It Is Believed That He Will Go to President and Ask Him to Veto the Bill.

(By the Associated Press.) Washington, May 22.—Strong indications were given at the treasury today that Secretary Mellon will recommend a veto of the tax bill by the President.

High officials declared the bill to be very unsatisfactory to Mr. Mellon and a statement was made that he viewed it as a "most unfortunate piece of legislation."

The Secretary also feels that the sections making income tax returns available to certain committees in Congress, and opening to the public the proceedings of the board of tax review, will have harmful effects on business.

The estate tax rates as now carried by the bill, are expected by the Treasury experts to result in lower production of revenue instead of an increase.

Because of the deficit that the Treasury foresees under the measure the Secretary takes the position that reduced income would require an entirely new fiscal program for the Treasury.

Presbyterian Assembly Opens. Grand Rapids, Mich., May 22.—(By the Associated Press.)—The 136th General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in the United States of America, opened here this morning.

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Hall of Fame



Thomas Edison, himself a candidate for the Hall of Fame, unveils a statue of Joseph Henry, who invented the electro-magnet—one of ten busts to be unveiled in New York University's Hall of Fame.

CRIM SAYS POLITICS KEEPING COURTS IN INEFFICIENT SHAPE

Special Assistant to Attorney General Tells of Changes He Has Sought in Court Matters.

COURTS ARE NOT DOING MUCH WORK

Says Office of U. S. Attorney Should Be Taken Out of Politics and Above "This Turmoil."

(By the Associated Press.) Washington, May 22.—John H. Crim, special assistant to the Attorney General, was questioned today by the Senate Daugherty committee regarding many references to him in testimony of previous witnesses.

In a general discussion of the organization of the Department of Justice in which he was a supervising official before he took over the special detail of prosecuting the Veterans Bureau frauds, he declared there was "too much work being done in Washington by the Department, due to the neglect of the offices of the United States District Attorneys out in the country."

"For instance, if there was proper organization, they wouldn't need me at Chicago as a special attorney," he said. "With a district attorney and securities assistants at Chicago, he explained, 'I found that in the fiscal year 1922 they tried 22 jury cases.'

"That meant inefficient administration," asked Chairman Brookhart. "Mr. Crim returned. 'I tried to remedy it. There has been considerable improvement since. It took a long time to get a chance.'

The chairman asked why progress had been so slow, and the witness replied that members of Congress and of political organizations, and finally the President, had to be considered.

"The fact is, the former United States attorney at Chicago was perfectly satisfactory to the political regime," suggested Senator Wheeler. "That may be so, but I don't know," Mr. Crim replied. "These are the things to do with the offices of United States Attorney but to get it out of politics, and above this turmoil. The burden of new criminal laws has multiplied officials, and yet to enforce the law you must have simple processes where the light of publicity and the fixing of responsibility is possible."

Mr. Crim suggested that in the interest of simplicity there should be two assistant attorneys general, one to handle criminal and one civil cases through the district attorneys.

Crimes Defends Daugherty. Washington, May 22.—An account of some of the difficulties faced by Harry M. Daugherty as Attorney General, and a plain spoken affirmation of faith in his honesty and loyalty, was given the Senate Daugherty Committee today by John W. H. Crim, who served with him through the troubled days of his tenure as head of the Department of Justice.

In his long and close association with the former Attorney General, Mr. Crim said he never found ground to suspect him of corruption. "It will take a lot of evidence," he told the committee, "before I will believe that Harry Daugherty ever took a cent of crooked money through Jess Smith. He had his faults, but I'll have to judge the evidence myself before I'll believe he prostituted his office. To me, he never faltered."

In the present organization, and management of the Justice Department, however, Mr. Crim said he had found much to criticize in the time he had acted as Assistant Attorney General. He declared that the force of secret agents should be reduced by 9-10.

The reason he finally resigned from the Department, he told the committee, was because the Department of Justice was not functioning as well as it might.

The Big Removal Sale at Ehr's. Ehr's can handle the cash much easier than they can move the goods into their new store, too, with a brand new stock of goods. The Ehr's stores have concentrated on this sale to make it a memorable event. You will find wonderful bargains all over the three floors of the store, including the basement. Cost will be no consideration in removing these goods. Read the big double header in The Tribune today, and hurry to get your bargains while they last.

In July will be celebrated the twentieth anniversary of the birth of George Fox, founder of the Quaker sect, who in his journal records a dream he saw "in the month called 'July,' but given no date.

WHAT SMITTY'S WEATHER CAT SAYS



Fair tonight and Friday, moderate temperature.

OUTDOOR RECREATION MEETING IN CAPITAL

Meeting Called by President Coolidge Who Was Speaker at Opening Session.

(By the Associated Press.) Washington, May 22.—Delegates to the national conference of Outdoor Recreation assembled here today for a three day session at the call of President Coolidge, and with the President himself as the chief speaker at the opening session.

White House Secretary Theodore Roosevelt is the executive chairman of the conference to which have been invited delegations from all societies and organizations in the country having to do with outdoor life. Secretary Weeks of the War Department was given the post of honorary chairman at the morning session, and Secretary Wallace of the Agriculture Department was selected to preside in the afternoon over a general discussion of the wild life resources of the country.

Development of outdoor life means the creation of a common denominator of the people, President Coolidge told the outdoor recreation conference today.

"In the case of a people which represents many nations, cultures, and races as does our own, a unification of interests and ideals in recreations is bound to wield a telling influence, the President said.

CHEMICAL END OF THE SHOALS PLANT SUBJECT

Expert Thinks It Would Be More Profitable To Sell Power Than Make Fertilizer With It.

(By the Associated Press.) Washington, May 22.—The chemical end of fertilizer production at Muscle Shoals was discussed before the Senate agriculture committee at today's session by Dr. C. C. Parsons, consulting chemist, of Washington. He said only a comparatively small amount of power would be needed for the fixation of nitrogen, and he expressed the opinion that it would be more profitable to sell the power direct to consumers, rather than use it for fertilizer manufacture.

With Our Advertisers. Fresh vegetables every day at the Sanitary Grocery Co.

The S. S. Brown Shoe Store will have numerous specials for Friday, Saturday and Monday. See ad.

If you want some expert help in planning and equipping your home, the Bell & Harris Co. will be glad to give it to you.

Elgin watches keep correct time. The Starnes-Miller-Parker Co. sell them.

The Concord Auto Painting and Topping Works can make your old car look like new.

Another shipment of small hams, picnic hams and breakfast bacon at Cabarrus Cash Grocery Co.

McBro Lotion gives you that charming look that makes you irresistible. Leghorn and light colored hats in all styles and shapes at Specialty Hat Shop.

Ice cream for your party furnished by Cline's Pharmacy.

Mock Battle Postponed. The mock battle that was to be staged tomorrow for Concord boys will not take place until next Friday, having been postponed on account of cool weather.

There is no sagacity in selfishness, no wisdom in worldliness.

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