

HAYS TO GET CHANCE ON GRILL, SAYS COX

Quota Difference From Tentative Quota Discussed.

TWO TERMS COMPARED

Governor Declares One is What Was Wanted and Other is What Was Obtained.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Sept. 6.—Governor Cox tonight issued a statement replying to the answer made today by Will H. Hays, republican national chairman, to the governor's charge that Mr. Hays had "deliberately perpetrated a falsehood under oath at Chicago" regarding republican contribution quotas.

"My first charge when calling attention to the raising of a corruption fund was that a quota of \$8,145,000 had been levied against 51 cities in 27 states," said the governor's statement.

"I am sorry the old, intimate contact between employer and employee is gone. I wish we could have the intimacy restored, not in the old way, but through a joint committee of employers and employees, not to run the business, but to promote and maintain the equality of interests and the fullest understanding. Herein lies the surest remedy for most of our ills.

FUND CHARGE REITERATED

Governor Cox Addresses Crowd at Minneapolis Armory.

MINNEAPOLIS, Sept. 6.—Governor Cox, speaking to a crowd at the armory tonight, continued his discussion of the league of nations and labor and also renewed his charges against the republicans for raising a campaign fund of \$15,000,000.

"The governor ridiculed the front-porch campaign of his opponent, saying he was 'glad they had granted Senator Harding a vacation to speak at the Minnesota state fair Wednesday.'

"The governor said that he challenged Chairman Hays to deny the Minneapolis quota which the candidate named in his Pittsburgh speech, adding: 'I also ask what has become of the thousands and thousands of dollars collected last year by the so-called 'good government club of Minneapolis.'

GOMPERS CHAMPIONS COX

Governor's Record Declared Favorable to Labor.

COLUMBUS, O., Sept. 6.—In a labor-day speech here Samuel Gompers today championed the candidacy of Governor Cox for president. He said Governor Cox in congress had voted favorably on all legislation in the interests of the people and had lent his influence in passage of all constructive legislation as governor of Ohio.

"Senator Harding was characterized as 'a nice respectable gentleman' by Mr. Gompers. 'But what else?' he asked. 'The most conspicuous thing about Harding, he continued, 'has been his inability to do anything constructive and his activity in everything reactionary.'

DAYS ENDORSE U. S. LAWS

PRESIDENTIAL NOMINEE PREPARING FOR CAMPAIGN.

Prohibitionists Establish Headquarters in Chicago and Get Ready for Big Fight.

CHICAGO, Sept. 6.—Maintenance of federal prohibition laws is the keynote of the prohibition party's presidential campaign. W. G. Calderwood, prohibition campaign manager, said here today, discussing the issues as viewed by his party.

"The position of the party in this campaign," Mr. Calderwood said, "is that the prohibition party is needed in the failure of the major parties to take any stand on the prohibition question.

"Next to prohibition, our candidates will discuss the league of nations. We think we take the best stand of any on this question. We urge immediate ratification of the league treaty together with the covenant. We believe the quickest and best way to obtain what changes are needed is to get into the league and fix it from the inside, according to experience teaches, rather than stand around theorizing to no effect on the outside and so blocking progress.

The speaking tour of the prohibition party's presidential nominees, Arthur S. Watkins, of Germantown, O., began today. The vice-presiden-

WRECK PLOTTERS JAILED

DESIGNS AGAINST TRAIN FRUSTRATED BY POLICE.

Authorities Said to Have Rounded Up Murderous Gang and Obtained Confessions.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Sept. 6.—A plot to wreck the Diamond Special, crack train of the Illinois Central, at Easton, near here, entailing robbery of the passengers and rifting of the express car, was frustrated here yesterday when 19 men were rounded up by the police and railroad agents.

Grilling by Chief of Police Morris and August Soule, a federal agent, today resulted in signed confessions of Frank Kochinski, accused as one of two leaders in the plot to wreck the Diamond Special, and James K. Moore, who the authorities say, compose "an murderous gang as has ever been attacked."

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"stage assaults" without action had discredited the policy of the democratic administration toward the profiteer.

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"I believe in collective bargaining. I believe the two have combined to speed labor toward its reward. But do not believe in labor's domination of business or government any more than I believe that capital should dominate. We had our time when we had the upper hand and ended it. We do not want to substitute one class for another.

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"Let me renew that public utterance in which I spoke of high wages and high wages when the scale to remain, on one explicit condition: that for the high wage the American worker shall give to his task the highest degree of efficiency. I am not advocating the driving, slavish period of toil which saps men's energies. I am holding his fellows more than he does his employer.

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COX IS TO PRESENT HIS FIND EVIDENCE

Senatorial Committee Will Hear Governor's Case.

DOZEN SUBPENAS ISSUED

Personal Representative of Democratic Nominée Says Proof Will Show \$16,000,000.

CHICAGO, Sept. 6.—Senatorial investigation of presidential campaign expenditures will be resumed here tomorrow, with E. H. Moore, personal representative of Governor J. M. Cox, called as the chief witness before the senate sub-committee.

Mr. Moore was sent here last Thursday by the democratic nominée with data which he announced "would prove that republican leaders had openly boasted that they had devised a fund-raising plan which would bring in at least \$16,000,000 for the campaign fund."

U. S. PUBLIC DEBT GROWS

NEW OFFERING OF CERTIFICATES IS ANNOUNCED.

Treasury Deficit in Fiscal Year Increased to \$125,395,000. Rail Payments Large.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 6.—Notwithstanding a continuing deficit in government financial operations, Secretary Houston in announcing a new offering of certificates of indebtedness tonight declared that the beginning of the new year would see a reduction in the nation's gross public debt.

The offering of certificates comprises two issues and will total about \$400,000,000. Both issues will be dated September 15 and maturing in eight months and bearing 5 1/2 per cent interest, and the other maturing in one year and bearing 6 per cent interest.

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lan, another special deputy, and Lester Paul, a Renton youth, were seriously wounded, will be held until the two wounded men have recovered sufficiently to testify. Dr. William H. Corson, chief deputy coroner, stated today.

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CHINESE SUGAR IS LESS

EMPIRE'S PRODUCTION UNDER THAT OF 40 YEARS AGO.

SUPERIORITY OF IMPORTS OVER LOCAL

Products is Assigned as Cause for Decline.

MANILA, P. I., Sept. 6.—Production of sugar in China amounts to approximately 350,000 short tons annually, according to George H. Fairchild, Manila sugar planter and exporter who recently spent several months in China investigating the sugar industry.

The clearly produced sugar is estimated at from 50,000 to 150,000 tons less than the production in China 40 and 50 years ago.

CHILE JOINS IN PARCEL POST.

SANTIAGO, Sept. 6.—Agreement between the Chilean and United States postal authorities provides for the establishment of parcel post facilities between the two countries, effective upon ratification by the Chilean congress.

Parcels accepted locally in either country are subject to postal regulations and not exceeding 11 pounds in weight would be available under the agreement.

10 KILLED IN CAR CRASH

(Continued From First Page.) Mrs. George Cheek, Sparta, N. C., cut and bruised about face and neck. Margaret Cheek, 16 months, Sparta, N. C., bruised head. Children received at a hospital.

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STAR FOOTBALL PLAYER DIES.

CLEVELAND, O., Sept. 6.—Theron "Steve" Lehman, star fullback of the Dartmouth eleven in 1916 and 1917, died here today from illness contracted during the war. He was 24 years old.

AMERICAN KNIGHTS VISIT LOURDES.

LOURDES, France, Sept. 6.—The American Knights of Columbus, who are touring Europe, arrived here this morning. They visited the Grotto, where they were welcomed by the bishop of Lourdes.

AUTO HITS PEDESTRIAN

H. E. Wood, 290 Fargo street, suffered injuries to his side last night when he was struck by an automobile driven by J. C. Madden of 4204 Forty-fifth avenue. Southeast, at Fourth and Burnside streets. Doctors at the emergency hospital feared that two of his ribs were broken. Mr. Madden reported that Mr. Wood stepped out of the curb in front of his automobile.

TAX TO BE DISCUSSED

Problem of Interest to West to Be Probed by Convention. SALT LAKE CITY, Sept. 6.—Taxation of sheep, mine taxation and other problems of interest to the west are to be discussed at the 12th annual convention of the National Tax association.

KILLING TO BE PROBED

Officers Believe Deputies Shot Each Other by Mistake. SEATTLE, Wash., Sept. 6.—A coroner's inquest into the shooting at Bryn Mawr Saturday night, when John J. Donovan, special deputy sheriff, was killed, and John R. Con-

ANKLES INJURED IN FALL.

Raymond Vester, 22, of 237 Killingsworth avenue, injured both ankles yesterday by falling from a cliff near Salem, Or. He was brought to Portland and taken to Good Samaritan hospital last night. Physicians say that the ankle bones may be broken. Mr. Vester was climbing on the rocks with a party of friends when the accident happened.

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Broken Lines of Women's MERCERIZED LISLE HOSE

To Close Tuesday at 25c Pair. Prudent women will not fail to secure a full season's supply at this extraordinary saving. It is a final disposal, without thought of worth or former selling price of all broken lines and surplus stock of Women's Mercerized Lisle Hose.

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