

### CAMDEN PRIMARY BRINGS OUT VOYERS

**Senators Edge and Frelinghuysen Are Expected to Be First Choice Delegates**

### ISSUE WOOD STATEMENT

Camden voters began at 12:30 o'clock on Monday morning with the election of delegates to the Republican primary for the presidential nomination. There were 80,000 voters in the city and about 40,000 at the polls at the noon hour. During the afternoon, however, the vote is expected to be light, growing heavier as the evening closes. It will be impossible, according to the best informed of the leaders, to know much about the result of the primary until late this evening.

The primary is for both the expression of presidential preference and the selection of delegates to the national convention for June 12 at St. Louis. The candidates for delegate at large are Wood and Senator Hiram Johnson, of California, are the only nominees on the Republican primary ticket.

The delegates to the United States Senate are Edge and Frelinghuysen to poll the heaviest votes for delegates at large. The two senators occupy a conspicuous position because they are the only candidates on the ballot pledged to "support the choice of the Republican primaries."

For this reason it is thought that they may get the votes of both Johnson and Wood adherents. Johnson has only two pledged supporters among the delegates for at large. These are Thomas H. Layton and Mulford L. Ballard. General Wood has four pledged supporters, former Governor Stokes, William N. Kuyper, Thomas L. Raymond and John W. Griggs.

The Camden county Republican executive committee several weeks ago endorsed Messrs. Stokes, Raymond, Edge and Frelinghuysen as their choice for delegates at large.

Ruford Franklin, former mayor of Camden and state manager for General Wood, issued a statement in which today's primaries in which he admitted there was some indication that the Johnson men would support the two senators, but pointed out that this would not do Johnson any good unless he swept the entire state, as both men are pledged to support the majority candidate. He said the Wood leaders regard the move of the Johnson men to adopt the two senators as a "tactical error."

### Wood and Johnson Both Are Confident

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Republican leaders predict that there will be a light vote in South Jersey and a heavy vote in the upper end of the state. The Wood managers claim the First Congressional district, including Camden, Gloucester and Salem counties, for Wood by a substantial majority. South Jersey leaders say that their reports from North Jersey indicate that Johnson will better their record in that section.

### LODGE LEADS IN FIRST BAY STATE RETURNS

New York, April 27.—While the chief contest in primaries for the selection of national delegates today centers in New Jersey, Massachusetts and Ohio, there also are exciting contests in Washington state, where the contest is being held and Alaska, where delegates are registering their choice at the polls.

Massachusetts voters balloted to elect four delegates at large to the Republican and Democratic national conventions and thirty-two Democratic district delegates. Among the Republican candidates several men have declared their support in favor of Leonard Wood and opposed by men seeking to go to Chicago unpledged.

Principal interest in Massachusetts centered in the contest for Republican delegates at large. Nine candidates, including four who are grouped, contested for the prize. The group candidates are Senator Lodge, Speaker Gillett, former Senator W. Murray Gray and Edward A. Thurston. Senator Lodge has announced that he will support the name of Governor Coolidge to the convention if the delegates desire.

The other Republican candidates for delegates at large are former Governor McCall, who has declared himself in favor of Herbert Hoover; former Lieutenant Governor Louis A. Frelinghuysen, who has announced that he will vote for General Wood, with Hoover as second choice; Congressman Alvin T. Fuller, who has pledged himself to vote for Wood; Messrs. W. Lawson and Russell A. Wood.

### GRANT WEBSTER, OF NEW YORK, OR ELWOOD HAMILTON, OF HAMMOND, IND., FOR VICE PRESIDENT.

Bollingham, Wash., April 27.—(By A. P.)—Election of fourteen delegates to the Republican national convention, ten of them by districts and four at large, was the principal business of the Washington state Republican convention in session here today. At a caucus a resolution was adopted for presentation to the convention in Chicago to support Senator Poindexter for the presidential nomination. A fight was expected over the proposal to bind the delegates to support a second choice candidate if Senator Poindexter should fail of nomination.

### JOHNSON IN MARYLAND Californian to Make Greatest Effort in Baltimore Tonight

Cumberland, Md., April 27.—(By A. P.)—Senator Hiram Johnson, of California, candidate for the Republican nomination for President, ended his tour through western Maryland here last night with a speech at a large meeting of citizens and excursionists who came in special trains from towns in the vicinity. He left here after his speech for Washington.

Early this afternoon Johnson will speak in Annapolis, reserving his greatest effort of his campaign in Maryland for the meeting tonight in Baltimore. The speech, which will be broadcast by radio, has dealt largely on the League of Nations. In one of his addresses he said:

### See Production in U.S. Cut by Soldiers' Bonus

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Production and consumption. Time is also necessary for the payment of national debt and deflation of currency.

"The war has done nothing, however, which is being done and which can be done to assist materially. The gradual hardening of credit is having a good effect and the country has wide movement of money and a greater economy as an excellent sign."

### War Tax an Undue Burden

"One cause of the high cost of living may be eliminated by a change in our present unscientific national tax laws. Under the mistaken idea that taxes should be levied on every article, we have levied taxes on almost everything, but we have levied them exclusively from the well-to-do and the rich, war taxes and excess profits have been continued into peacetime, with the result that the burden of the tax is being shifted to the shoulders of the poor."

### Warns Against Expansion of Credit

W. L. Saunders, president of the American Manufacturers' Association, sounded a sharp warning today against an undue expansion of credit while discussing American industrial and export conditions in the presence of Governor Edward J. Elmer and Mayor Frederick W. Donnelly, Trenton. He maintained, he has been largely by drawing upon American credit, a shortage of goods, all kinds of "shortages" and "shortages" all over the world.

### Taxation and Profits

"Taxation, a thing which always makes for increased cost and high prices, should be put on a peace basis. The only excuse for an excess profits tax is the demand for it. Excess profits are not a thing which we want all the time. It can be made. Let incomes which come from profit be taxed, but let us encourage skill through invention and initiative when it is applied to production in the cost of the product so as to make greater profit. Profits are not to be taken away from the producer, but to be taken away from the consumer."

### Must Improve Transportation

"The principal point of contention between this country and foreign countries is at the point of contact between the railroads and the ships, and this is the bottleneck of the American transportation system. With the present shortage of railroad cars it is little short of an economic crime to hold cars in terminal districts for from three days to a week or more. Provision must be made for the quick discharge of freight from cars and the quick release of the cars.

### GIRL SAYS MOVER PASSED BAD CHECKS

North Penn Had \$725,000 in Overdrafts When Bank Failed, Witnesses Declare

### UPHOLD CLERK'S CHARGES

Overdrafts on the books of the North Penn Bank totaled \$725,000 June 2 last, when Ralph T. Moyer, cashier, who is now on trial for perjury, made a charge against the bank. Moyer, the bank's cashier, to the State Banking Commission.

### POST ARRAIGNED AS RADICAL ALLY

Assistant Secretary of Labor Accused Before House Committee "BORING FROM WITHIN"

Washington, April 27.—Charges that Louis F. Post, assistant secretary of labor, had violated the law in behalf of the Blackwood, of Seattle, in connection with the House immigration committee today by Chairman Johnson of the House immigration committee.

### HIGHER TAXES HIT BIG SHORE HOTELS

Atlantic City Property Assessments Will Jump From 15 to 40 Per Cent

### "PAVING RING" IS BLAMED

Special Dispatch to Evening Public Ledger  
Atlantic City, April 27.—Big shore taxpayers, already in revolt against city administration which a citizens' committee hopes will be superseded within three weeks by a reform "dollar-for-dollar" board of rulers, found additional cause for resentment today.

### Moore-Vare Fight Watched by Leaders

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I discover Mayor Moore's latest action in ordering his directors to clean out the board, or get out themselves, has created a very favorable impression.

### Says Moyer Approved Checks

She identified three checks, two of them certified, for relatively small amounts on the Silver account. All three, she said, were passed by Moyer, and by consulting the card index, she showed that on the date of all three checks the account had been overdrawn by from \$12,000 to \$14,000.

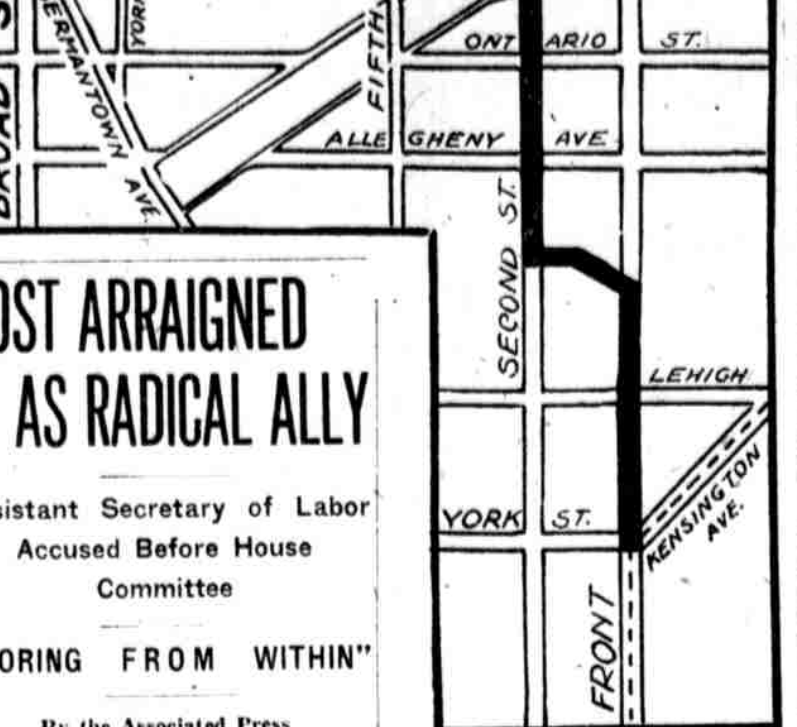
### French Reoccupy Aintab

Arabs Reported Fighting British Troops in Palestine

### New Barn Destroyed by Fire

West Chester, Pa., April 27.—A large stone and frame barn on the property of Harry E. Snyder in Westtown township, was destroyed by fire of undetermined origin late last night.

### PROPOSED \$4,000,000 ELEVATED SPUR



### \$9,000,000 ASKED TO COMPLETE 'L'

Ordinances Prepared for Council Call for New Spur to Erie and Broad

### MAYOR URGES SPEED

The Frankford "L" is to be completed and put into running order in the shortest possible time. Then the line will be leased to the corporation making the best proposition to the city. Ordinances authorizing two loans, totaling \$9,000,000, for the completion of the Frankford branch and a spur from Front street and Kensington avenue to Broad street and York street, will be introduced into Council this afternoon.

### Any Plan Favored

"We are in favor of any plan that means the early completion and operation of the line, no matter what position is taken, emphatically," Edwin Holley, president of the board, said today.

### Blames Yarn Mills for High Prices

Hosiery and Underwear Head Says Spinners Make Enormous Profits

### Full Purpose Promised

"It is the purpose of this committee of seventy to make an investigation of the registration list with a view of eliminating the names of persons improperly registered and also the names of those who will not be entitled to vote at the coming primary. As you know, some of the very important changes were made by the last session of the Legislature, affecting Philadelphia, principally the enactment of the new Philadelphia charter.

### Gas Victim Still Unconscious

Charles Thomas, who was found unconscious in a gas-filled room at his home, 4272 Penn. street, Frankford, while his wife lay dead upon the floor, is still in an unconscious condition at the Frankford Hospital, when Thomas revived sufficiently to talk to the police, he will ask him how the accident occurred.

### Improved Atlantic City Service

Advertisement for Atlantic City Service, listing various routes and schedules. Includes the Pennsylvania System logo and contact information for Paul Storr, London, 1920.

### NOTE LIST PROBE FUNDS ARE NEEDED

Committee of Seventy, in Public Appeal, Tells of Jobholders' Activity

### "FLOATERS" TO BE ERASED

Coincident with the movement put under way by the Moore administration, the committee of seventy is conducting an investigation into the political activity of city employees.

### WINSTON HEADS COMMITTEE

Director of Public Works Winston is chairman of the committee of seventy. The committee was organized by Mr. Winston on behalf of the city employees, which includes: Mr. Winston, chairman; Edward L. D. Roach, secretary; Mr. Austin, John Hampton Barnes, Percy H. Clark, Cyrus E. K. Curtis, Russell Duane, Samuel E. Ellis, Charles L. McKeehan, Thomas Harris Powers, J. Henry Scattergood, J. G. Walton, Thomas Harburn, and George Woodward, M. D.

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**Maker**  
PAUL STORR  
LONDON 1920-08.

**Pieces**  
Dinner Service:—Meat platters in three sizes; vegetable or entree dishes—two oblong, two round. From the collection of the Foley family.

Pair of silver-gilt flower or fruit stands, fifteen inches in height; triangular base surmounted by three fully modelled classic figures upholding round bowls decorated with garlands of fruit and flowers.

Coffee Pot:—An example of the artistic expression and exquisite craftsmanship characteristic of productions of the period of George III.

Set of four sterling silver candlesticks with sovereign's head and laurel decoration; bearing the Sheffield hall mark of the year 1774.

Set of three tea caddies.—Four-sided; Chinese Chippendale decoration. In case of old leather.

Dinner Service including thirty dinner plates, eighteen soup plates and the various sizes of meat platters and entree dishes. From the collection of the Duke of Hamilton.

Round waiter on four cast feet; scroll and shell border; body flat-chased with coat-of-arms in centre. Twenty-one inches in diameter.

Pair of salt cellars; of oval shape on oblong bases; with thread-border. Period of George the Third.

And numerous other pieces which will be listed in due course.