

October 21st, 1925.

Mr. Roy Stuart,  
Prosecuting Attorney Lucas County,  
Toledo, Ohio.

Dear Mr. Stuart:

On the evening of October 17th, 1925, Inspector Haas received information that one William E. Cahill was collecting money from people who formerly conducted houses of prostitution and he claimed that he represented the Bond Committee, and carried a letter signed by Harry M. Bash, Treasurer of the Bond Committee. This letter states that W. E. Cahill represented my team, (Chief Harry Jennings') and said letter is a complete forgery. He used this letter for the purpose of collecting funds.

Inspector Haas detailed Captain of Detectives Wm. Rydman and Detective Fred Langhoff to this case and they visited a Mrs. A. J. Clark of #125 Nebraska Ave., and found that she had given \$75.00 to W. E. Cahill to be used for campaign expenses. He was brought to the station and made a statement, of which I am enclosing you a copy. He was locked up on October 18, 1925 at 2:35 A.M., charged with "obtaining money under false pretense". He was released on bail the same morning.

I am sending you this information so that you and your Department may investigate this matter and present the facts, - if you find they warrant such, - to the Grand Jury for further investigation. I am also sending three so-called warrants which were found in his possession together with the letter with the forged signature of Harry M. Bash, as well as a Deputy Sheriff's badge for Lucas County, and \$79.77, - also other belongings of his. I would respectfully ask that you send me receipt for all of this property so that we may post the same in our record book.

Respectfully,

HJ/S  
Encls.

Chief of Police.