

Feels Colleagues Not Telling Truth

WASHINGTON — (CDN) — The treasurer of President Nixon's re-election campaign was described today as "quite frustrated" because he felt his co-workers were not telling the truth about their Watergate involvement.

The testimony about the feelings of treasurer Hugh Sloan was given by his former secretary, Mrs. Eveline Hyde, in a pre-trial deposition on fund-raising techniques.

"I think he felt very strongly that some people had not told the truth, true stories on what they knew," she said.

"He indicated Mr. Magruder, Mr. Porter, Mr. Larue . . . he felt the orders were coming from Mr. Mitchell."

She referred to former campaign deputy director Jeb Magruder, scheduling chief Herbert Porter, campaign aide Frederick Larue and former Attorney General John Mitchell.

Sloan said after the arrest of five men inside the Democratic headquarters last June 17 that the Committee for the Re-Election of the President (CRP) should be dissolved since so many committee officials would be implicated, Mrs. Hyde testified.

Sloan has acknowledged

that he gave \$199,000 in cash to G. Gordon Liddy, former attorney for the finance arm of the re-election committee, who was convicted of directing the Watergate spy squad.

On other Watergate-related issues, Mrs. Hyde said:

- Mrs. Sally Harmony, former secretary to Liddy, once said she had a reason for not telling the truth and later went on a Florida vacation, saying: "I need it. They owe it to me."

- A list of secret contributors who gave \$1000 or more — about 100 pages long — was compiled with a special marking — 73 — for cash donations to Nixon's re-election fund. The biggest amount on the list was about \$250,000.

- At least 400 "committees" were set up, using names of friends and their friends, to channel contributions and not violate laws restricting the amount of gifts by an individual.

- Working for chief fund-raiser Maurice Stans, Mrs. Hyde prepared a list showing total contributions by individuals who gave \$1000 or more and turned it over to Stans last fall. Her work papers were shredded.