

Wilbur Will Award Dam Contract Wed.

WASHINGTON, March 10.—(AP)—Secretary Wilbur tomorrow will award the contract for constructing the gigantic Hoover dam power plant and appurtenances, but actual signing of the contract will be delayed for several days.

Wilbur will use what he calls his "important pen," in a ceremony set for 10 a. m. He used the pen to sign the Kettleman Hills oil field unit operation agreement and other major contracts entered into by the interior department.

Senator Johnson and Representative Swing of California, authors of the bill under which the \$165,000,000 project is being built, will witness the acceptance of the low bid.

Reclamation Commissioner Mead and other officials of the interior department will be present. It is expected the \$48,890,995 offer of the Six Companies, Inc., of San Francisco, will be officially accepted and a contract drawn with that company.