SENATE LEADERS UNABLE TO AGREE

Steering Committee Reaches No Decision on Legislative Programme.

DISCUSS CURRENCY BILL

Made Plain That Aldrich Measure Will Be Added to Any Bill for Commission — Beveridge Sounds Warning.

WASHINGTON, April 21.—At a meeting of the Republican steering committee of the Senate today, the legislative committee was discussed, but no decision was reached to add any important measures to those destined for enactment at the present session of Congress. In regard to currency legislation, it was stated that if the House passed a bill providing for a commission to investigate financial matters the Senate would immediately upon receipt of the measure, vote to add the Aldrich currency bill, with a view of putting the whole subject into conference.

Senator Aldrich made it clear that if there was to be financial legislation of any character at this session it would be along the line of what already had been done in the Senate, with concurrence in the provisions for a commission to sit during the recess of Congress to consider currency matters.

Hale Uses the Hammer.

Senator Hale told his colleagues on the committee that the sentiment of the Senate was against the four battleships scheme advocated by the President, and that it would be useless to try to get an appropriation for more than two battleships at this session. It appeared from the decision that there were few measures in addition to the appropriation bills that have any prospect for passage at the present session.

Senator Beveridge declared that it would be bad politics for Congress to adjourn without passing some of the measures desired by the President, and that the "do nothing" policy would be heard of in the coming campaign. He spoke of the difficulty Republican campaigners would have in answering the charge that the President's programme for beneficial legislation had been ignored by a Republican Congress.

Question of Expediency.

He was particularly urgent in demanding consideration for an anti-injunction bill, and for the proposed amendments to the Sherman anti-trust law. The other members of the steering committee, however, saw little chance for the passage of these measures, and several Senators argued that it would be worse politics to divide the party on bills that could not pass than to let these bills sleep until after the campaign.

The question of what may be done on the subject of a bill to reinstate the negro soldiers who were discharged without honor on account of the Brownsville affray was discussed, but no decision was reached. It was thought likely, however, that these bills would be voted upon before adjournment, although no opinion was hazarded as to whether the Warner or Foraker bills, or either of them, would be passed.

Foraker Bill Important.

From a political point of view the Foraker bill, which provides for reinstatement of the former soldiers upon their sworn statements of innocence of complicity in the shooting, was regarded as of the most value to the Republicans. At the time the Democrats of the Senate, as a unit, are against the passage of either bill. The Warner bill leaves to the discretion of the President which of the former soldiers shall me reinstated.

Adjourn About May 15.

Although no date for adjournment was considered, it was generally considered that the business of the session should be concluded about the middle of May, unless the minority filibustering in the House should prolong the session. Senator Beveridge offered an adjournment without an effort to carry out the President's policy or some action showing a disposition to revise the tariff, such as the appointment of a commission.

To ignore these things, he said, would be a grave mistake.

WILL CARRY NEW YORK

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sidy takes his orders gracefully. Only Brooklyn has removed outside of the tiger's cage, and in a few years the tiger would be compelled to go to Brooklyn for food. This is the reason why Murphy has acted.

Murphy figured that he had picked out the psychological moment for a successful attack on McCarren. The Brooklyn Senator, as leader of the racetrack forces, was held responsible for the defeat of the Governor's bills.

Nearly every newspaper in the state had unmercifully lambasted him. Murphy anticipated that the papers would not come to the rescue of McCarren in the convention fight no matter how brutally they treated him. A demand was made in the state convention that the "Democratic party in Kings County be recognized." That work is already under way.

It has been entrusted to a small committee of Tammany men named by Murphy. A lot of work will be done in Brooklyn through the early Summer because Murphy has set out to secure control of the Kings County delegation to the next state convention, which will nominate a Governor and other state officers.

Will Repeat His Tactics.

Murphy figures that he will be able to carry the primaries. If he does not he will repeat this week's tactics and throw all the McCarren men out of the convention. He expects, however, that McCarren's old followers "will listen to reason."

When Murphy took control of the state machinery two years ago he had two associates of almost equal power. They were "Packy" McCabe, leader of Albany County, and State Chairman "Pinky" Conners. McCabe only retained his seat in the convention by the grace of Murphy, and Conners is nothing more or less than an officeboy.

Conners a Figurehead.

Conners wanted to be a delegate at large. At the last moment Murphy sent for him and broke the news that he was not to go on the slate. The meeting of the two great men occurred in the Victoria Hotel, and the conversation between them deserves a place in political archives.

"You can't be a delegate at large," said Murphy, "I'm going to sent a Dutchman from Brooklyn. It's a good man against McCarren."

"All right, boss," said Conners, with a brave attempt at cheerfulness.

"You will be a delegate from one of my districts in Manhattan," continued the state ruler graciously.

Takes Dose Bravely.

"That is all right," replied the genial Conners, and he now stands high in favor.

Murphy believes that the resentments growing out of the convention will die away when the National campaign reaches white heat.

If it does not—well, he will be sorry for the man who is on the Democratic ticket for President, but it is really a matter of minor importance.

Murphy's sole interest is to have Tammany's forces in shape for the city campaign of 1909.

And no candidates will be regarded as genuine unless they bear the label "owned by Tammany."

KILLS PARTNER IN DUEL

QUARREL OF MINERS OVER CLAIM ENDS FATALLY.

Deputy Sheriff Witnesses Fight, but Is Powerless to Prevent Murder. Arrests Unhurt Slayer.

SPOKANE, Wash., April 21.—(Special.)—Richard Hambly, a miner, was shot and instantly killed at Warren, Idaho, last night after a terrific revolver duel with his partner, Steve Winchester, the battle taking place in the remote little mining town near Marshall Lake, Idaho, 60 miles southeast of Grangeville.

Hambly and Winchester have been working a claim near Warren for several months, but business differences have caused frequent quarrels, the last and most bitter terminating in a pistol duel. This was witnessed by Frank Vandeventer, the Deputy Sheriff, who was powerless to interfere in the duel, in which each man exchanged four shots. At the crack of the fourth shot Hambly fell, mortally wounded, while Winchester was unscathed, according to the meager report sent to Sheriff William Brown.

Winchester was taken into custody by Vandeventer, who placed the slayer under arrest and communicated with Sheriff Brown. He received orders to proceed with his prisoner to Grangeville, where he will be locked in the County Jail pending his trial.

$20,000 FIRE IN SEASIDE

Two Kilns of Seaside Lumber Company Burn With Contents.

SEASIDE, Or., April 21.—(Special.)—Today at 2 o'clock a fire broke out in one of the drying kilns of the Seaside Lumber Company. Whistles from the mill gave the alarm and the fire boys and everybody else turned out promptly. The lumber company maintains a fire brigade of its own, and, in conjunction with the city fire department, effective work was done.

The kilns, two of which were destroyed, contained about 100,000 feet of lumber, 20,000 feet of which was saved by the heroic efforts of the firemen, who were assisted by many willing outsiders.

The total loss, including two kilns, amounted to about $20,000, fully covered by insurance.

During the fire a woman whose husband is employed in the mill saw him among the fire-workers. She screamed to him to come out, and when she caught him she abused him like a pirate for endangering his life and running the risk of leaving her a widow. She held to him until the fire was extinguished, then, tucking his hand under her arm, led him away.

POSTPONES THOMPSON CASE

Slayer of Judge Emory May Remain Some Time in Jail.

TACOMA, Wash., April 21.—(Special.)—Chester Thompson, the slayer of Judge George Meade Emory, of Seattle, may spend several months at Walla Walla yet before an inquiry into his mental condition is held by Judge Snell, of the Superior Court.

Some time ago the Supreme Court ruled that Judge Snell should hear the arguments, and May 11 was the date set upon the Superior Court docket for the hearing. Judge Snell at that time was under the impression that the remittitur had arrived, but today discovering that the document had not reached Tacoma, caused the order setting the hearing to be erased from the docket.

Portland Must Answer Complaint.

OREGON CITY, Or., April 21.—(Special.)—In the suit of the Mount Hood Railway & Power Company against the City of Portland, to condemn a right of way across Bull Run reserve, about which there has been such a controversy in Portland, Judge McBride has overruled a demurrer to the complaint and the city has been given until April 25 to file an answer.

Prohibition Oratorical Contest.

M'MINNVILLE, Or., April 21.—(Special.)—The state prohibition oratorical contest will be held here next Friday night and large delegations are expected from the competing colleges. It is predicted that first place lies between Pacific University and McMinnville College, with Willamette as a possibility.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. J. E. McGrath, of Hood River, is at the Hotel Lenox.

R. F. Barker, a prominent lumberman of Prescott, is a guest at the Portland.

E. B. Perry, the celebrated blind pianist, of Boston, is a guest at the Hotel Lenox.

L. Lamb and his son, G. E. Lamb, of Clinton, Iowa, are registered at the Portland. Mr. Lamb is heavily interested in timber in Oregon.

Julius Kessler, president of Julius Kessler & Co., distillers, of Chicago and Louisville, left last night for San Francisco. Mr. Kessler is making a tour of the Pacific Coast. While here he held a conference with E. T. Morris, his Northwestern representative.

CHICAGO, April 21.—(Special.)—The following from Oregon registered at Chicago hotels today: Auditorium, E. C. King, Portland; Stratford, Mrs. E. L. Stanley, Seaside.

NEW YORK, April 21.—(Special.)—The following from the Pacific Northwest registered at New York hotels today:

From Portland—H. N. Hosick, at the Manhattan; H. D. Shanon and wife, at the Grand Union.

From Seattle—Miss C. W. Whittlesey, at the Latham; Miss H. K. Tremper, at the Continental.

From Spokane—Mrs. M. J. Weard, at the Murray Hill.

From Bellingham, Wash.—B. W. Huntoon, N. A. Deming at the Albany.

TAKE ACTION TODAY

House to Consider Resolution on Land Grants.

CANNON MAKES PROMISE

Hawley Repairs Mondell's Neglect. Lumbermen Ask Congress to Clear Their Clouded Titles, Though Railroads Benefit.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, April 21.—It developed today that, contrary to report, Chairman Mondell, of the public lands committee, had not made arrangements for consideration of the Fulton land-grant resolution. When he learned this, Representative Hawley had a conference with the Speaker, explained to him the importance of this legislation to Oregon, and secured the Speaker's assurance that the resolution should be brought before the House, probably tomorrow, or Thursday at the latest.

Lumbermen's Modest Request.

Just at the time the House is ready to consider and vote on this proposition, members are receiving an extensive printed brief from representatives of the Hammond Lumber Company and the West Coast Lumber Company, which concludes with the following sentence:

"We ask that, if this resolution or any similar resolution shall be passed, it only be enacted upon condition that the cloud upon our title be removed, and these titles be confirmed."

This is exactly what the Department of Justice is unwilling to do—to give large purchasers a clear title in exchange for the faulty title they now hold. The department contends that the Fulton resolution in no way alters the status of these purchasers, and further takes the position that it would be improper for Congress, on the eve of this suit, to take any such step as is demanded by these lumber companies.

Would Protect Railroads.

In their brief, the lumbermen say they are fully protected by existing statutes and by decisions of the courts, yet they ask for additional protection of the sort just described. Their argument, in the main, like the arguments of the other lumber companies before the committee, is more in the interest of the railroad companies than on behalf of themselves. These two companies do not favor the Mondell resolution.

GET INCREASED PENSIONS

Representative Hawley Receives Good News for His Constituents.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, April 21.—Hon. W. C. Hawley, Representative from the First Congressional District of Oregon, has been advised that the following veterans or their widows in his district have been granted increase of pension:

Louisa Armstrong, Aurora, $8 per month; Jeremiah Buckley, Roseburg, $20; Christopher Beck, Sheridan, $15; Felix Berry, Albany, $12; John Dunlap, Roseburg, $15; Eliza Dimmick, Elkton, $8; William E. Flesher, Sublimity, $12; Hiram M. Fish, North Bend, $15; Mariah Fenn, Grants Pass, $10; Milton G. Hoffstatter, Tillamook, $12; Edwin D. Hagen, Selma, $12; William G. Hager, Hillsboro, $12; William Hannegan, Gervais, $12; Anna C. Herstine, Oakland, $8; Luman N. Judd, Ashland, $24; Russell J. Kinne, Goshen, $12; Thomas J. Lennon, Oregon City, $12; Herbert F. Lake, Watkins, $12; Alexander Livingston, Grants Pass, $20; William M. Morris, Rock Point, $15; Peter Miller, Buell, $12; William J. McAllister, Roseburg, $15; Isaac Phillips, Dallas, $12; Hiram S. Powell, Saginaw, $20; McCullom Russell, Independence, $20; William Shepherd, North Yamhill, $12; William M. Spayd, Salem, $20; Henry E. Sanford, Grants Pass, $20; James P. Sayle, Ashland, $10; Julius S. Smith, Ashland, $12; James A. Tufts, Oregon City, $12; Edmund E. White, Ashland, $12; Edwin Wheeler, Eugene, $15; Jack P. Worthington, Oswego, $12.

Settle Indian War Claims.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, April 21.—Senator Bourne has introduced a bill directing the Secretary of the Treasury to adjust and settle claims for services, performed by citizens of Oregon in the Cayuse Indian War of 1847.

National Bank at Milton.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, April 21.—The Controller of the Currency has approved the conversion of the Bank of Milton, Oregon, into the First National Bank of Milton, with $50,000 capital.

GETS SENTENCE OF YEAR

Man Who Handcuffed and Beat His Wife Gets Limit.

TACOMA, Wash., April 21.—(Special.)—One year in the county jail is the sentence given to Clinton E. Gandy in the Superior Court today by Judge Snell for handcuffing his wife, tying her to the bed and whipping her. The sentence is the maximum which could be given under the charge of assault and battery.

The courtroom was practically empty when Gandy was sentenced and Gandy was not apparently affected. He gave no reason why sentence should not be passed upon him.

It is now considered a certainty that Mrs. Gandy will bring suit for divorce.

Chehalis to Have More Paving.

CHEHALIS, Wash., April 21.—(Special.)—But three offers were in last night when bids on contemplated paving were opened. The job is for a little over 10,000 square yards and B. S. Davis, of Tacoma, had the lowest bid, $49,248.60.

NORTHWEST BREVITIES.

Oregon City, Or.—The case of the State vs. Otto Olson, who is charged with embezzling school funds of the town of Willamette while he was clerk of the district, will be called in the Circuit Court next Thursday.

Tillamook, Or.—A. J. Hembree was arraigned Monday charged with the murder of his wife at Sandlake and the attorneys were given until Wednesday to plead to the indictment. A petition is to be filed for a change of venue.

Oregon City, Or.—Mrs. Grace Robinson Chapman, of Clackamas Station, was Tuesday committed to the insane asylum. She has been in an unsound condition for several months and last February brought suit for a divorce, alleging cruel and inhuman treatment.

Albany, Or.—Rev. C. M. Van Marter, a Methodist evangelist of Portland, who has held evangelistic services in many Oregon cities during the past year, secured a marriage license here Tuesday to wed Miss Addie Simpson, a prominent young woman of Lebanon.

INNOCENT, SAYS WU

Chinese Minister Denies That He Started Boycott.

STORY MALICIOUS LIBEL

Diplomat in Banquet Speech Says, on the Contrary, He Worked to Stop It — Praise for America.

NEW YORK, April 21.—Bearing messages of peace and good-will from the Celestial Empire, and expressing the conviction that the relations between China and the United States will become closer day by day, Wu Ting Fang, Minister from China, speaking tonight at the banquet of the American Asiatic Association at Delmonico's, made his first public address since his return to America.

Wu Ting Fang was welcomed with cheers and applause by the diners, who rose and drank a toast to the diplomat from the Orient when he was introduced. The Chinese Minister was gowned in a fetching brown polonaise with salmon-hued sleeves, and wore a black and red buttoned cap, in the front of which blazed an enormous jewel denoting his high rank. Wu Ting Fang said:

Hints to Merchants.

"It is worth while for merchants who wish to have dealings with China to study the progress she is now making. China has become modernized. That being the case, her people will necessarily learn more from the Western countries, and they will acquire some of the Western habits and tastes. This will increase the trade with foreign countries."

In referring to the boycott on American goods, he said:

"It was alleged that I started the boycott, or if not, that I inspired it. I cannot understand how this absurd rumor originated. I can say that it was one o fthe most malicious libels that could be invented against a person, as it had not the least foundation.

Was Far From Scene.

"The boycott was started in Shanghai anda in the south of China while I was one of the ministers in the Wai Wu Pu (the Foreign Office) in Pekin, and my colleagues and I were doing all we could to stop thhe agitation.

"After years of slumber, our people, the most intelligent of our people, have had a feeling of nationalism stirred in their breasts. Whatever you may dub it—patriotism, unrest or what not—it is there, and the people are very sensitive about it, which we know from experience is natural, both with individuals and with nations.

Take Narrow View.

"Now there are some people who would poke fun at this feeling, disparage it or even suggest its suppression by forcible means or by demonstrations. It is needless to say that this narrow-minded and short-sighted view does not tend to pacify or soothe the feeling. The effect is just the opposite.

"The American people appreciating with their greatness of mind and soul all the weaknesses and exaggerations of a new-born spirit, have treated it with consideration and have adopted the proper view that this spirit marks the true awakening of China and that whatever taint of anti-foreign feeling with which it is imbued will rapidly disappear as soon as it is understood that the nationaagainst whom hostilities are exhibited is really a friend in disguise."

RIOTING AT PENSACOLA

Mob Attacks Streetcar, Fatally Injuring Conductor.

PENSACOLA, Fla., April 21.—After a week of quiet with the state troops present to preserve order, Pensacola was again thrown into a turmoil this afternoon when a mob of 25 men attacked a street-car in the suburbs and probably fatally wounded the conductor, G. Hoffman. Adjutant Prister then appealed to the labor leaders to prevent violence and disorder and it is hoped their influence will prevent further trouble.

Strike at Aberdeen.

ABERDEEN, Wash., April 21.—(Special.)—With the starting of building here, a strike was set on foot today on a building being erected by Seattle and Portland capitalists. Union men objected to the employment of nonunion Greeks, who were excavating for the foundation. Foreman Barwick, of the Seattle Engineering Company, refused to comply with the demands and work on the building was stopped.

WHEAT ACREAGE LARGER

Crop in Canadian West Will Break All Records.

OTTAWA, Ont., April 21.—Official reports received from agents throughout many towns in Alberta show that the total acreage under crop in the Canadian West this year will be about 20 per cent greater than last year with all indications pointing to a record yield of wheat.

SLIDES BLOCK CANADIAN

All Trains Tied Up in Rocky Mountain District.

WINNIPEG, Man., April 21.—All Canadian Pacific trains have been held up in the Rocky Mountains the past two days by remarkable slides of snow. The chief slides occurred between Donald and Revelstoke and in the heart of the worst of the mountain country.

AT THE HOTELS.

At the Portland—C. S. Gaskill, Minneapolis; J. S. Martin, New York; R. Rosenfeld, San Francisco; S. Goldsmith, Philadelphia; L. G. Lausterman, Cincinnati; R. C. Hammond, Los Angeles; S. D. Royce, Chicago; W. B. Brown, St. Louis; John W. Babb, United States Army; L. Lamb, S. E. Lamb, C. R. Mills, Jr., Clinton; C. R. Aldrich, E. H. Corbett, Walter Friedenberg, Seattle; J. Charles Callahan, Boston; J. H. Cloges, J. S. Forrest, New York; R. Anthony and wife, San Francisco; H. P. Everitt and wife, Detroit; R. A. Paterson, Edinburgh; I. P. Ruthernford and wife, Chicago; D. M. Johnson, New York; E. J. Kulas and wife, Cleveland; H. J. Muir, wife and child, Denver; R. F. Barker, Prescott; F. A. Young, Albany; Robert G. White, Philadelphia; J. E. Gray, Victoria; J. T. Marshall, Boston; J. W. Finigan, San Francisco; A. W. Hammond, South Bend; J. C. Hamilton and wife, Minneapolis; S. H. Greshaum, Louisville; C. H. Brown, Milwaukee; Benjamin Young, Astoria; F. G. Stile, Racine; F. L. Barnard and wife, San Diego; E. F. Wilson, Estacada; Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Thomas, Buffalo; J. A. Walter, A. R. Armstrong and wife, New York; T. McIlroy, Jr., Rathdrum; Mrs. E. C. McManaus, Los Angeles; P. H. Bush, New York; C. Y. Browne, Los Angeles; A. E. Mueller, Milwaukee; W. Russell, San Francisco; F. King, Spokane; J. J. Rice and wife, W. J. Jones, Tacoma; E. J. Clark, Oakland.

At the Oregon—E. H. Meiklejohn, Aberdeen; C. S. Hampton, Chicago; M. Ellis, Tom Ellis, Rainier; E. E. Marshal, city; U. S. G. Kuhn, Chicago; William F. Braun, St. Paul; John T. Albert, city; Thomas Boyle, Baltimore; W. C. Knight, Seattle; E. L. Maxwell, Oshkosh; F. S. Harmon, Tacoma; A. A. Ebel, St. Paul; Mrs. W. L. McCabe, Mrs. R. W. Satterwhite, Mrs. C. W. Griffith, R. W. Satterwhite, Seattle; J. A. Macnulty, Berkeley, Cal.; N. M. Welch, Detroit; T. T. Donavan, San Francisco; W. W. Wagner and wife, city; L. Gestolle, Philip Davidson, San Francisco; Iona Yeatson, Alice Yeatson, Ilwaco; J. P. Porter, Vancouver; S. A. Guire, Cabe, Scatle; L. F. Phillips, Seattle; W. F. Gaskins, Chicago; J. E. Clark, city; A. Holladay, Scappoose; Charles N. Clarke, Hood River; James D. Jones, city; A. F. Nye; John DeLand, James Freeman, W. L. McCabe, Seattle; James G. Parkinson, Newark, N. J.; C. W. Beal, Bellingham; J. W. Carrick and wife, Georgetown, N. Y.; S. Sinnott and wife, Seattle; F. S. Harmon, Tacoma; T. F. Monson, Astoria; F. H. Burke, St. Paul; J. F. Grimer, Pendleton, Or.; Mr. and Mrs. F. Stevens, Seattle; H. R. Frey, Tacoma; George G. Foster, San Francisco; J. M. Neal, Aberdeen.

At the Imperial—C. M. Helm and wife, Blanchard; H. W. Clark, Seattle; David Welcom and wife, H. D. Critch, Astoria; Y. G. Freeman, Albany; T. H. Bclerly, Vida; U. R. Cochran, Ione; W. E. Cooke, W. H. Green, R. L. Abraham, Forest Grove; J. P. Wagoner, Hillsboro; B. F. McCullough, Echo; E. J. Price, Kearney; C. A. Watson, San Francisco; A. N. Holman, Grants Pass; Bessie Carter, Ashland; G. J. Dodson, McDermitt; J. L. Hill, Albany; T. B. Wright and wife, Butte; B. M. Hawley, Home Valley; E. D. Cowen, North Yakima; C. O. Young, Tacoma; M. D. Warren, Vernon Hawes, McMinnville; Mrs. A. Lafferty, Corvallis; F. G. Deckebach, Mrs. R. J. Hendricks, D. M. Weyant, Salem; C. E. Hadley and wife, Tillamook; H. J. Harris, The Dalles; J. L. Cooper, Indianapolis; R. C. Atwood, Wasco, Or.; E. Grant and wife, Vancouver; W. J. Coulter, Toronto; S. Conners, Montesano; W. W. Laughorne, W. E. Bishop, Chehalis; Levi Bailey and wife, St. Paul; J. S. Cook, Tacoma; David Welcom and wife, Astoria; Robert Hynd, Heppner; Mrs. J. A. Ellis, Mrs. E. A. Friedley, Mettie Friedley, Wasco; Leslie Hope, Forest Grove; E. L. Smith and wife, Hood River; G. M. Shelley, Eugene; R. E. Butler, Wallace; H. T. Bagley, Hillsboro; James Morris, Bellingham; Mrs. Thorp, Monmouth.

At the Perkins—E. R. Claxton, R. E. Beryam, Mrs. Beryam, Hood River; F. G. Beresford, Corning, Cal.; Leonard Bushey, Sheridan; J. T. Stoddard, Winlock; G. N. Frezer, Eugene; C. T. Belcker, Collins Springs; Mrs. A. D. Stout, Stevenson; W. L. Rice, Lansing, Mich.; R. Stonter, Chehalis; Arnold Weber, Mrs. Weber, Payette, O.; Frank Davenport, Hood River; L. Landis, Salt Lake; Mrs. J. P. Campbell, Ketchikan, Alaska; W. H. Babb and wife, Medicine Hat; George W. Newmann, Oshkosh, Wis.; Charles G. Shumway, Walla Walla; D. Shaw, Beaverton; W. J. Slater, city; Louise Frey, Vancouver, Wash.; Mrs. F. J. Pearce, Salem; R. Alexander, Scappoose; Alex Hogan, Denver; N. E. Martin, Mrs. Copeland and family, Seattle; L. N. Roney, Eugene; Mrs. L. Booth, Lakeport, Cal.; R. C. Hite, La Grande; Mrs. Fisher, Astoria; W. E. Weed, Wallace, Idaho; Leon Girod and wife, Hillsboro, Or.; G. F. Leudringhaus, Dryad, Wash.; Mrs. A. Mesern, Grays River, Wash.; John McPhail, Adams; Mat Knaus, city; E. Golina, San Francisco; John Hood, Centralia; Mrs. Rohrbeck, South Bend; W. A. Uppinghouse, Seattle; R. Androse, city.

The St. Charles—J. M. Burkhead, city; C. A. Forman, White Salmon; C. S. Howard, Moline; L. F. Attwell, Stevenson; P. N. Raldle, R. Burke, H. Thompson, Mt. Angel; G. Gardner, J. W. Cashey, Vancouver; T. Hargest, city; A. P. Speer, Aumsville; A. Roeser, M. Roeser, Rainier; T. Beard, city; W. C. Beetle, The Dalles; J. Goschie, E. Harney, Silverton; R. Bates, Cleveland; Jacob George, C. Muckle, St. Helens; D. Longmier, Yakima; R. Sole and wife, Spokane; P. Miller, A. Fye, Cheyenne; W. W. Sheppale, Fall City; T. F. Walker, Salem; A. T. Bilyeu, Keleo; T. C. Patterson, St. Paul; A. L. Windom, Salem; R. S. Windom, Brownsville; P. Maher, Mrs. C. Wood, city; Mrs. C. A. Dutter, Los Angeles; G. Grimes, Hubbard; J. W. Mitchell and wife, Camas; L. Dicky, R. Lay, Molalla; W. E. Warn, Goldendale; Mr. and Mrs. Furlow, Orient; W. S. Pinny, wife and children; W. Randell and child, Vancouver; Anna Meier, L. Thornberg, Ostrander; G. F. Greene, Brushville; L. B. Charles, Mrs. A. Noel, Newberg; J. E. Eldridge, J. C. Watts, Champoeg; T. McNish, Kalama; T. Harn, Hermiston; Mrs. Ruble, Silverton; Mrs. Morley, Silverton; J. H. Curry, Nashville; J. H. Filkins, Tangent; F. T. Munger, P. Gain, city; C. Forsman, A. J. Sargent, D. Sargent, White Salmon; J. E. Allen, Bickreall; Mrs. N. E. Brooks, South Bend; J. L. Rembo, N. N. Randle, Huckenson; W. F. Lewis, Newberg; F. Bidwell and wife, Astoria; G. F. Otis, Pasadena; A. Young, Oak Point; O. Brorsen, San Francisco; H. L. Jensen, city; E. Thiel, Woodland; A. O. Jackson, Goble; E. H. Eager, Harford; G. Dahrens, Sandy; F. R. Churchill, Albany; B. Townsend, Barton.

The Calumet—F. D. Moss, Seattle; Mrs. A. B. Deek, Grand Forks; G. L. Shuster, San Francisco; Ben Mitchell, Portland; T. J. Watson and wife, Tacoma; I. J. Hanner, Chicago; H. E. Harrington and wife, Hartford; J. W. Kirk, Salem; Elsa Van Braham, Lee Cooper, San Francisco; Frank Weimen, wife and son, New York City; A. H. McQueston, Chicago; G. W. Pasha, Seattle; Mrs. E. Stephenson, Clarissa Rose, Elsie Rose, Mr. and Mrs. Hallen, New York; Jimmie Connors, Joe Alderi, Boston; Naomi Echardo, Cincinnati; D. J. Crowley, New York; P. L. Schmitt and wife, Denver; C. A. Krause, Portland; R. A. Nelson and wife, San Francisco; L. W. Sandys, Pierre, S. D.; R. J. Chatley, Oakland; E. R. Crawford, wife and son, San Francisco; Stewart T. Kolling, Billy Sharp, Morton Sharp, New York; Charles Buschman and wife, Scappoose.

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