

W. M. DANIELS GETS CROSSIN SEAT

Interstate Commerce Official Confirmed by Senate Following Bitter Fight.

SECRET DEBATE GIVEN OUT

Custom of Withholding From Public of Executive Session Proceedings Broken, Progressives Defying Old Rules.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—Confirmation of Winthrop M. Daniels, of New Jersey, to succeed himself as a member of the Interstate Commerce Commission was voted by the Senate tonight and contrary to custom, a part of the debate on the nomination was made public revealing the bitterness of the fight waged against it in executive sessions.

The vote, taken after opposition had delayed action for nearly a month, stood 42 to 15. All the Senators of the so-called Progressive wing of the Republican party and one Democrat, Senator Hollis, voted in the negative. Excerpts from the executive debate include a speech by Senator Cummins attacking Commissioner Daniels' fitness for a place on the Commission because of rulings he had given down as the Public Utilities Commissioner of New Jersey and declaring that in granting increases to the railroads in the advance rate cases the Interstate Commerce Commission, led by Mr. Daniels, "ignored the law and exercised an authority which never has been and never will be conferred on any Commissioner."

A reply by Senator Newlands, defending the Commission's action, and in both of these cases, also was given out. It was one of the few instances in recent times when such a course has been adopted. The debate was held in closed doors, and recalled the sensational attack on rules of secrecy made by Progressive Republicans when Mr. Daniels first was nominated to the Commission in 1913. At that time Senator La Follette and several other Senators, after vainly fighting confirmation for several weeks, announced that they would defy the secrecy rule thereafter regarding debates on nominations.

In his argument against confirmation today, Senator Cummins went at length into the railroad control situation and declared that the Federal Government "had reached the parting of the ways."

Government Ownership Preferable. "I believe that our system of the control and regulation of common carriers has failed and if the Commission is to be made up of men of Mr. Daniels' trend of mind the system must be abandoned," said the Iowa Senator. "For one, I have no hesitation in declaring that if his views are to prevail I am for absolute and immediate Government ownership and operation of our transportation facilities."

JURY REACHES 'VERDICT' Bailiff Accepts Sealed Missive AND JURYMEN GO HOME.

Judge Gets Surprise When He Reads "We Cannot Agree on Verdict for Either Plaintiff or Defendant."

Anyone who has ever served on a jury in the Circuit Court can appreciate this incident.

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charge summarily the men involved if, after the hearing, it was warranted in the minds of the Board of Fire Chiefs. The developments, together with the testimony, will be laid before Mayor Albee this morning. At 1:30 o'clock this morning it was announced that the chiefs were not finished with the testimony and that several hours more would be needed. The firemen involved were being given opportunity to defend themselves as the witnesses produced testimony one after the other.

Aside from the fact that the object of the hearing was summary dismissal if the facts warranted it, nothing was divulged as to the evidence adduced at a hearing.

The two men have been in the service 10 years. Captain Hawkins, in addition to having worked up to his position, is a member of the board of trustees of the firemen's relief and pension fund and is treasurer of an organization of firemen known as the "Knights of the Firemen," which recently to campaign for a two-platoon system for the firemen.

KLAMATH FALLS ATTORNEY IS APPOINTED UNITED STATES COMMISSIONER.

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MEETING IS TONIGHT Forty-Five Efficiency Club's Date Is Advanced.

DEFINITE WORK PLANNED Movement to Be Supported to Have Age Limit Removed From Civil Service Rules—Legislation to Be Memorialized.

LAND COMPANY TANGLED \$21,000 CLAIMS FILED AFTER JESSE HAZELL GOES TO JAIL.

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Hibernians at the joint installation of the Hibernians and the Ladies' Auxiliary Monday night at the hall on Russell street. Mrs. Elizabeth Hogan was installed as president of the auxiliary.

The other officers of the Hibernians were as follows: President, E. H. Hays; vice-president, F. A. McMenamin; recording secretary, E. J. Murnane; financial secretary, P. J. Shevlin; treasurer, John Farrell; chairman of standing committee, J. L. Leverage; sergeant-at-arms, Thomas Deherly; sentinel, M. J. Freeman; chaplain, Father Cronin; of Cathedral parish.

Officers of the auxiliary are: President, Mrs. Hogan; vice-president, Mrs. Mary Limerick; recording secretary, Mrs. Fannie Deery; financial secretary, Miss Mary Francis McCarthy; treasurer, Miss Catherine Quinn; chairman of standing committee, Miss Nellie Quinn; sergeant-at-arms, Miss Margaret Conroy; and sentinel, Mrs. A. McLoughlin.

Claims for more than \$21,000 have been filed with the receiver, although many contract holders, it is thought, have not reported. The association proposed to plant and sell small orchards in this county on the installment plan. The chance for any of the 44 investors to recover any of the money they sank in the Clackamas County orchard tracts is considered remote.

Circuit Judge Campbell today signed decrees foreclosing on 100 acres of the land in an action brought by Walter and Lewis Gruel for \$2000 and for the First National Bank for \$2000.

More than 100 delegates representing civic, commercial and other clubs of Portland will be at the meeting tonight at the Chamber of Commerce to organize a branch of the National Rose Society and launch a determined campaign to win the proposed National test garden for Portland.

A preliminary meeting of the committee on arrangements was held Wednesday night at the Chamber and tentative constitution was adopted which will be submitted to the mass meeting tonight. F. W. Mulesky, chairman of this committee, will preside over the meeting, and the purpose and plan of the movement will be explained to the delegates by George L. Baker, J. A. Currey and J. O. Conville, Superintendent of Parks.

The offer for the test garden was first made to Portland, but it has been ascertained that both Seattle and Tacoma are making a strong bid for it and it will depend upon the active interest displayed by Portland rosarians whether the big garden is to be brought here as a part of the park system or not.

Lecture to Be Given Tonight. A course of lectures on the "Philosophy of Emanuel Swedenborg" will be given at the Public Library, room G, tonight at 8 o'clock by Rev. William B. Reese. The first five of the series will be based on "The Divine Love and Wisdom." The subject for tonight will be "God-Man, the Immanent Cause."

JUDGE FREES PRISONER Municipal Court Vagrancy Allegation Held Insufficient.

George Shaw Gets Out of County Jail on Writ of Habeas Corpus and Appeal Will Be Taken.

George Shaw was released from the County Jail yesterday on a writ of habeas corpus granted by Circuit Judge Gantenben, because of the insufficiency of the complaint which had been made against Shaw in the Municipal Court.

The jurisdiction of the city court over state offenses was not passed upon by Judge Gantenben, though raised in the petition for a writ filed by Attorney Carl Mackay.

Deputy District Attorney Collier, appearing for the state, held that the complaint gave sufficient facts and further maintained that a writ of habeas corpus was an improper proceeding for the reason that after judgment had been passed the only recourse for the prisoner was appeal or a writ of review. Time had passed for appeal or writ of error and only a pardon by the Governor should release Shaw, argued Mr. Collier.

Judge Gantenben held that a habeas corpus writ might be used when time for appeal had expired, and asserted that the prisoner had served two and a half months of a six months' term for vagrancy, which had been sufficient punishment.

Mr. Collier announced that he would appeal to the Supreme Court for the ruling.

As to the jurisdiction of the Municipal Court in a state case Mr. Collier asserted that it was clearly not the intent of the Legislature when it abolished the Justice Courts and created the District Courts to take the jurisdiction in criminal matters from other judges who had exercised that power before the change.

OLD RAILS SOLD AT COST Tacoma Company Uses Steel for 24 Years and Realizes \$7800.

TACOMA, Jan. 10.—(Special).—After being in use for 24 years the Tacoma Railway & Power Company has sold approximately four miles of railroad steel used on the steamroom line at the same price for which it was purchased.

The old steel, which had cost \$50 a ton, was stored in the yards of the company, and when the war caused steel to soar, rails also went up. About 250 tons of the old rails have now been disposed of to logging companies for use on spurs for the same price, making approximately \$7800 which the company has received.

INDUSTRY COSTS PROBED Chamber Bureau Considers Charges for Switching Are Too High.

Under the conviction that switching charges and other industrial conditions are in many respects inequitable, and that these conditions hamper materially the industrial development of the city, the Bureau of Manufactures and Industries of the Chamber of Commerce yesterday obtained authorization from the executive board of the Chamber for the appointment of a committee of five to make a thorough investigation and to recommend remedial action.

The committee will be named in a few days.

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Foley Kidney Pills control this situation promptly and effectively. They cause a normal, healthy flow, relieving the concentrated condition that produced the irritability and burning sensation. The bladder action is regulated to avoid the too frequent calls, and easy restful nights, without pain or backache, without loss of sleep or bad dreams. It is a quick result.

Mr. J. M. Hayes of Spring Place, Ga., R. D. No. 3, writes us that he suffered with a terrible backache in the small of my back, and urinating was irregular and excessive in quantity. It was very red and I suffered a terrible stinging and burning sensation. I could hardly stoop over and it interfered with my work. I began taking Foley Kidney Pills, and after awhile my urine became regular, the stinging and burning stopped, and my backache disappeared entirely.

Foley Kidney Pills are sold everywhere in 50c and \$1.00 sizes. The \$1.00 size is the more economical buy, as it contains 2 1/2 times as many as the 50c size.