

HOUSE ADOPTS NEW PARCELS POST PLAN

Bourne-Bristow Bill Rejected and Moon Substitute Is Voted 143 to 86.

SCHEME BASED ON ZONES

House Fails to Pass Bills Over Taft's Veto - Senate Upholds President's Action on Wool and Metal Tariff Measures.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17.-As the result of a renewal of Republican Leader Mann's fight to secure a direct vote on the Bourne-Bristow parcels post system, which the Senate put into the post-office appropriation bill, the House was forced Friday to adopt a substitute plan offered by the Democratic leaders.

Mr. Mann obtained a reconsideration of the vote by which the bill was sent to conference. He then moved that it again be sent to conference and the House conferees be instructed to agree to the Senate's plan.

As a substitute for this Chairman Moon, of the postoffice committee, offered a new plan for an experimental system confined to fourth-class mail matter and farm products. The scheme was based on the zone system, as was the Senate plan, with charges ranging from 5 cents to 12 cents a pound and a limit of 15 pounds for a single package.

Moon Substitute Adopted.

The Moon substitute was adopted by a vote of 143 to 86. Representative Mann's motion subsequently was defeated. The bill struck from the measure to conference, where the conflicting provisions will be adjusted.

Failure to day marked an attempt by the House to override President Taft's veto of the bill recently repassed in the Senate by pay claims of those who furnished labor and material in building the Corbett tunnel, Shoshone irrigation project, Wyoming.

The attempt to override the veto of the President resulted in a vote of 137 to 78, six short of the necessary two-thirds.

Lafferty Bill Is Killed.

The bill had been introduced by Representative Lafferty, Republican, of Oregon. Party lines were broken in the vote, 36 Republicans voting with the majority of the Democrats and 33 Democrats with the Republicans.

As a result of failure of the House to pass the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill over the President's veto the House appropriations committee has recommended to the House the features objectionable to Mr. Taft. These were the provisions for the abolition of the Commerce Court and that fixing a seven-year tenure of office for Government employees under Civil Service.

Wool Veto Upheld.

The Senate voted today to sustain vetoes of the President on the wool and metal tariff revision bills. On the metal bill, the vote was 72 to 20. The President did not even obtain a majority. On neither measure did the vote approach the necessary two-thirds.

Senator La Follette made the motion to repass the wool bill. He asserted that the bill was a protective tariff measure and was framed according to the tariff board's report of the wool industry. Senator La Follette said that the failure of the President to accept the "judgment" of Congress was an usurpation of power. Senator Heyburn answered Mr. La Follette and denounced the bill as a Democratic measure.

Six Republicans for Passage.

When the vote finally was taken, 39 Senators voted in favor of passing the bill and 38 against. The following Republicans voted with the Democrats to override the veto: Senators Bristow, Clapp, Crawford, La Follette, Poindexter and Works.

The Army appropriation bill, which has passed the House twice and over which such a bitter fight had raged, was sent once more to conference today by the House's chief differences between the two branches of Congress are the provisions abolishing a large number of Army posts, the reduction of the cavalry and the extension of the term of enlistment from three to five years.

MRS. C. C. WILLIAMS PASSES

Sufferer for Months Dies at St. Vincent's Hospital.

OREGON CITY, Or., Aug. 17.- (Special)-Mrs. Christina C. Williams, widow of the late Charles C. Williams, of Oregon City, died in Portland at the St. Vincent's Hospital today, after undergoing an operation. Mrs. Williams had been a sufferer for several months, and was taken to the hospital on Thursday.

Mrs. Williams is prominently known in Oregon City and Mount Pleasant. She recently returned from North Yakima, Wash., in company with her daughter, Miss Ella, also of Mount Pleasant, where they had been passing the winter and spring with Mrs. Williams' son, Wallace R. Williams, and had taken possession of their home at Mount Pleasant.

Mrs. Williams was born at East Evans, Erie County, New York, December 25, 1836, coming to Oregon in the year of 1874, first settling at Portland, and later going to Mount Pleasant. She is survived by one daughter, Miss Ella E. Williams, of Oregon City; two sons, Thornton L. Williams, of San Francisco, Cal., and Wallace R. Williams, of North Yakima, Wash. Mr. Williams, husband of Mrs. Williams, died in Oregon City some time ago.

WILSON TO MEET EDITORS

Democratic Nominee Likely to Invite Newspapermen to Seagirt.

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STEAMER PLEIADES ASHORE ON LOWER CALIFORNIA COAST.

Wireless Communication With Ship Suddenly Cut Off - Vessel Has Crew of 33.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 17.-The steamer Pleiades, which sailed for Baltimore from this port August 11, is reported ashore on the Lower California coast near Magdalena Bay. The Pleiades is a freight carrier under charter to Bates & Cheesbrough. She is of 3755 tons and carries a crew of 33 men.

Wireless communication with the Pleiades ceased at 5:15 this morning. At that time her position was given as "inside Cape Nassau, near Providence Island." Neither standard atlas nor any map in the possession of the Merchants' Exchange here records either of the points mentioned.

It is recalled that the Pacific Mail Steamship Indiana went ashore in the neighborhood of Magdalena Bay about three years ago, and that Captain Robinson committed suicide.

The San Francisco Merchants' Exchange later received a message from the wireless operator at East San Pedro, in which he reported having picked up a message from the tanker Washtenaw, owned by the Union Oil Company, and two days out from San Francisco. Following are the complete returns, official except in Blaine and Oneida counties:

Table with columns: Counties, Clag, Haines, Mor-. Includes entries for Adams, Bear Lake, Blaine, Boise, Bonneville, Canyon, Clearwater, Clatsop, Elmore, Fremont, Kootenai, Latah, Lemhi, Lewis, Nez Perce, Okanogan, Oreg., Shoshone, Twin Falls, Washington, and Totals.

JURORS WILL BE DRAWN

Judge Morrow Arranges for Selection of Jurymen in Open Court.

The jurors for the September term of court will be drawn by Circuit Judge Morrow in open court at 9:30 A. M. Monday. Attorneys, litigants or anyone wishing to be present are entitled to be there. Judge Morrow announced that this system will be followed throughout his entire term as presiding judge, which begins September 1 and ends February 28. Between 80 and 100 names will be drawn from the list made up from the personal tax rolls by the County Judge and the County Clerk in March.

Judge Morrow's idea in having the names drawn in open court is to avoid even a possibility of criticism of the personnel of the jury. A few years ago an attorney made complaint about the personnel of the jury and Judge Morrow has made it a rule to have the jury drawings in his court public, even though the complaint referred to was against the jury list as a whole, and not against any particular man.

WILL WELCH ACQUITTED

Trout-Serving Charge Falls to Hold at Oregon City.

Of interest to sportsmen was the case decided Friday at Oregon City, in which Will Welch, of Welch's Camp, was charged with having trout on the bill of fare at his hotel. Welch was acquitted on the ground that the trout had been caught by guests and that he was unaware of the fact that they were brought to table.

"The State Fish and Game Commission, which brought the charge," said Dr. E. C. McFarland, secretary of the Anglers' Club, "is making special efforts to obtain such cases, as they have been to great trouble getting the streams and lakes thoroughly stocked with fish.

"Where a hotelkeeper does supply trout he is merely hurting himself in the long run, for when the streams run out he will lose the sportsmen who

patronize his hotel for the fishing in the neighborhood."

RAILROAD BOYS TO PICNIC

Members of Accounting Department of O.-W. R. & N. Plan Outing.

Members of the accounting department of the O.-W. R. & N. will give a picnic at Bonneville Sunday, August 25, in behalf of the employees of the company. A special train for the occasion will leave the Union Depot at 8:45 A. M. and, returning, will arrive at 7:30 P. M.

Invitations have been extended to the office employees of each department of the company to attend the picnic. Jerome Blaisdell, chairman of the committee on arrangements, estimates that between 600 and 700 persons will participate in the outing. The programme is being arranged for the amusement of the excursionists. Besides music and dancing there will be a ball game and races and athletic features. This will be the first excursion conducted by the company employees. Transportation will be furnished free to employees.

BRUCE STEWART MARRIES

Man Who Escaped Aim of Jack Roberts Takes Bride.

On the same day that H. E. ("Jack") Roberts, charged with the murder of Donald Stewart on the White House road several months ago, was making his final attempt, in an appeal, to escape punishment for the crime, Bruce D. Stewart, who became prominent in connection with the case, was married at Oregon City to Miss Irene E. Albee, daughter of H. R. Albee, general agent of the Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Company. The couple, with two witnesses, motored to Oregon City and were married about 5 o'clock Friday.

Mr. Stewart, who is interested in the Ivy Printing Shop, on Fourth street, lives at 341 East Seventeenth street. Miss Albee lived at 672 Clackamas street, and M. C. Smith were the witnesses. Stewart escaped injury when two of

his companions in a ride on the White House road were fatally shot March 29. For this crime Roberts was tried and convicted.

MAYOR SIGNS ORDINANCE

Second-Hand Store Managers Must Report Like Pawnshop Men.

Mayor Rushlight has signed the ordinance passed by the City Council Wednesday providing for a checking system on second-hand stores similar to the system now in force in connection with pawnshops. The ordinance requires the manager of each second-hand store to deliver to the Chief of Police each day before noon a report showing all goods received by him in store by deposit, pledge or purchase during the day preceding, with the name of the person from whom purchased, the time of the purchase and a description of the article purchased. The ordinance prohibits second-hand dealers from purchasing any goods from intoxicated persons or minors. It is said the second-hand dealers will oppose the measure in the courts.

WINGFIELD HEADS BANK

Former Partner of Late Senator Nixon Again Interested in Estate.

RENO, Nev., Aug. 17.-George Wingfield has been elected a director and president of the Nixon National Bank to succeed the late Senator Nixon. Wingfield formerly was associated with Senator Nixon in a division of properties took the mining interests, Nixon keeping the banking properties. The present move will again associate Wingfield in interest with the Nixon estate.

Man Hurt by Auto Truck.

Struck by a released crank on a motor truck which he was starting, Leonard Armstrong, 21 years old, was severely cut about the head late yesterday. He was taken to St. Vincent's Hospital, where it is feared that his right eye is damaged. Armstrong was engaged in hauling dirt for the filling in of Morrison street, from Chapman street west.

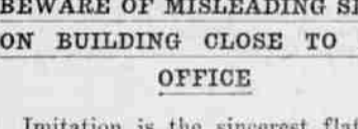
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