

EMERGENCY TARIFF READY FOR HOUSE

Presentation Will Probably
Be Made Monday.

QUICK ACTION WANTED

Passage of Measure for Farmer
Aid to Be Urged Before
Christmas Recess.

SUMMARY OF WHAT CONGRESS DID YESTERDAY

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—(Special).—The bill for the federal protection of maternity and infancy in co-operation with the states was passed.

It was determined by the finance committee to place the matter of a bonus for former service men before Secretary Houn and abide by his decision, which undoubtedly will be adverse.

Senator Moses proposed an amendment to the war legislation.

The resolution providing that the 150,000 soldiers during the federal war shall not be exempted from punishment through legislation was repealed.

Hearings in the Ford-Newberry election contest were concluded until the ballots have been recounted, which will begin January 4.

The senate wrangled at length over a proposal to take the usual 15-day holiday recess, without reaching a decision. Much opposition was manifested both by republicans and democrats.

The house ways and means committee decided to restore the high protective tariff rates on select agricultural products, exceeding in some instances the rates of the Payne-Aldrich tariff act and to report the emergency bill to the house next week.

Representative Rainey, democrat, Illinois, announced his opposition to an emergency tariff, claiming it will bring retaliatory measures in foreign countries at a time when American trade is expanding.

A bill appropriating funds for the District of Columbia for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1922, was passed.

The senate joint resolution directing re-establishment of the war finance corporation was debated.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—Framing an emergency tariff designed to protect 20 farm products was completed late today by the house ways and means committee. The measure probably will be presented to the house Monday with request for action Tuesday.

The bill was designated as the Ford-Newberry emergency tariff. As drawn it would be effective for one year.

The committee broadened the original project of senate and house leaders. The bill was said to have been planned as a comprehensive measure to shield agriculturists from further price decline. Representative Young, republican, North Dakota, chairman of the agricultural sub-committee, indicated that the ways and means committee members would urge its passage before the Christmas recess.

List of Products Given.

Products to which tariff protection would apply and the rates agreed on under the committee bill were as follows:

Wheat, 30 cents a bushel; wool in the grease, 15 cents a pound, skinned, 20 cents a pound; mutton and lamb, 2 1/2 cents a pound; cattle, 20 per cent ad valorem; wheat flour, 20 per cent ad valorem; corn, 15 cents a bushel; sheep, \$1 a head if under one year old; onions, 40 cents a bushel; peanuts, 2 cents a pound; rice, 2 cents if cleaned and 1 1/2 cents if uncleaned; potatoes, 25 cents a bushel; long staple cotton, 7 cents a pound; and cottonseed, coconut, peanut and soy bean oils, 30 cents a gallon.

The committee asked the treasury department to compile a schedule of rates on wool products which would be equal to the rates applied to wool, to be ready early Monday for inclusion in the bill.

Some Articles Voted Down.

Proposals to include sugar, hogs, frozen beef, vegetable seeds, barley, flax, butter and potato flour and potato starch in the list were voted down.

Representative Rainey, democrat, Illinois, was understood to have informed the committee he would lead a floor fight against the bill.

The senate resolution to revive the war finance corporation as a measure of relief for farmers was adopted by the house late today in amended form by a vote of 212 to 61. It now goes to conference for adjustment.

The house struck out section 2 of the senate resolution, stating the opinion of congress that federal reserve banks should allow liberal credits to farmers.

The final vote came after five hours of debate. Chairman McPhaden of the banking committee leading the opposition. He characterized it as class legislation, which would lead to inflation, and charged its proponents had deluded the farmers into believing it would help them.

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BUTCHART DENIES TRUST

CEMENT COMBINE UNKNOWN
TO DEFENDANT ON TRIAL.

Witness Says Attempt to Eliminate Competition in Pacific States Is Without Foundation.

R. P. Butchart, one of the defendants in the government prosecution of the Oregon Portland Cement company for an alleged violation of the Sherman anti-trust law, took the stand for the defense yesterday in the United States district court and denied that his concern had anything to do with any combination in restraint of trade or in setting uniform prices to shut out competition. He stated that he knew nothing of any conferences that the government charges were held in California in 1916, to divide territory.

L. C. Newlands, superintendent of the Oswego plant, was still on direct examination at the time of adjournment at noon and will take the stand again tomorrow. He told of the establishment of an agency in the Washington territory, at Vancouver, and of a sales trip that was made by C. T. W. Hollister into that state.

F. W. Erlin, secretary of the Pacific Portland Cement company of San Francisco, a \$10,000,000 concern, denied also the existence of any agreement to his knowledge.

Oregon City Councilman Quits.

OREGON CITY, Or., Dec. 18.—(Special).—Charles Kelley, who has served on the Oregon City council for the last two years, resigned, and Frank Cross was elected by the members of the council to succeed him. Mr. Kelley resigned as councilman for the reason that his duties in the office of city recorder, to which he was elected at the last election, will take up most of his time. Cross, who will take the place, is well known in this city and county.

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